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### **Education**

**Ph.D.** in Political Science, Bilkent University, Ankara, 2012, Dissertation: Representations of Different Masculinities: An Analysis of Turkish Political Manhood.

**MA.** in Politics and Social Sciences, Hacettepe University, Ankara, 2005, Dissertation: The Construction of Male Identity During Early Republican Period: An Analysis of Cartoon From the Akbaba Humor Journal.

**BA.** in Political Science and Public Administration, Bilkent University, Ankara, 2003.

### **Appointments**

**Research Fellow**, Bilkent University Ihsan Doğramacı International Advanced Studies Center Political Science Research Section, September 2015-

**Post-Doctoral Researcher/Visiting Research Fellow of IGS**, University of Oxford International Gender Studies Centre at Lady Margaret Hall, 2014 – 2015.

**Assistant Professor**, Zirve University, Gaziantep, Department of Political Science and Public Administration, 2012-2014.

### **Publications**

Akyüz, Selin, (forthcoming), “Face me if you are a man!: Political Masculinities in Turkey”, in *Masculinities and Class in Global Perspective*, (eds.) Shannon Hayns and Joe Philip, Oxford: Oxford Feminist Press.

Akyüz, Selin, (2017), Book Review on “The History of Fatherhood in Norway”, by Jorgen Lorentzen, *Masculinities Journal*, Issue 7.

Akyüz, Selin, (2016), ““Overcome Your Anger If You Are a Man’: Silencing Women’s Agency to Voice Violence Against Women” *Women’s Studies International Forum*, 56. (with Feyda Sayan-Cengiz) SSCI

Akyüz, Selin, (2015), “Erken Cumhuriyet Dönemi Erkeklik Kurgusu: Akbaba Dergisi Üzerinden Karikatür İncelemesi” (The Construction of Male Identity During Early Republican Period: An Analysis of Cartoon From the Akbaba Humor Journal), in *Toplumsal Cinsiyet ve Medya Temsilleri*, (Gender and the Representations on Media) (ed.). Sahinde Yavuz, Istanbul: Heyamola Yayınları.

Akyüz, Selin, (2014), "Gendered Insecurities: Refugee Camps in Southeastern Turkey", Journal of Conflict Transformation and Security, Vol. 4 no.1-2, (with Bezen Balamir-Coşkun)

Akyüz, Selin, (2012), "The Social Construction of Men in Turkey", Şenel Symons (ed.) The Routledge Intermediate Turkish Reader Political and Cultural Articles, London: Routledge.

Akyüz, Selin, (2007), "An Action Research Report on the Rising Democracy Discourse in 2000s Turkey: Does Eros Contour the Demos?", Women Studies International Forum, 30, 465-473. (with Dilek Cindoğlu, Edip A. Bekaroğlu, Adnan Boynukara) SSCI

### **Works in Progress**

Akyüz, Selin, "Erkekliğin Yol Hali: Türk Sineması ve Göç" (Masculinities on Road: Turkish Cinema and Migration) (with Burcu Dabak) (under review)

Akyüz, Selin, "Political Conflict and Gender Inequality in Education: The Case of Turkey". (with Ramazan Kılınç, Jody Neathery-Castro) (under review)

Akyüz, Selin, "Gender and Mix Marriages: The Case of Syrian Refugees". (with Özgün Tursun) (under review)

### **Research Experience**

**Researcher**, EU funded research project on "Female Empowerment and Urbanization", March 2017-

**National Consultant on Carrying out the Analysis of Current Programs**, UNDP, November 2016 – February 2017.

**Researcher**, TUBITAK (The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey) funded research project entitled "Masculinities, Capital and Conservatism; "Anatolian Tigers" and the "Distributers' Meetings", May 2014 – November 2016.

**Researcher**, United States Institute of Peace funded research project entitled "International Conflict and Gender Inequality in Education", February 2013- March 2014

**Research Assistant**, TUBITAK funded research project entitled "Gender in Local Politics: The Issue of Women's Representation at Local Level", May 2010 – September 2011

**Visiting Researcher**, University of Oslo, Centre for Gender Studies, February 2008 - May 2008

**Research Assistant**, United States Institute of Peace funded research project entitled "Human Rights Discourse and Practices in Turkey Since the 1920s", May 2007 – November 2007

**Research Assistant**, TUBITAK funded research project entitled "Democracy in Turkey: Viewpoints of European MPs", 2006- 2007

**Research Assistant**, TUBITAK funded research project entitled “Rising Democracy Discourse in Turkey during the Negotiation Process with the European Union”, 2005-2006

### **Teaching Experience**

**Lecturer**, Bilkent University Department of Political Science and Public Administration, September 2015 -

**Courses Taught:** Turkish Political Development (POLS 305) ; Contemporary Turkish Politics (POLS 306)

**Assistant Professor**, Zirve University, Gaziantep, Department of Political Science and Public Administration, 2012 - 2014

**Courses Taught:** Introduction to Sociology (POLS 103); Introduction to Political Science (POLS 101); Gender and Politics (POLS 408), Modern Turkish Politics I –II (POLS 305-302), Political Psychology (POLS 311)

**Part-time Instructor**, Bilkent University, Ankara, Department of Political Science, 2009 - 2012

**Courses Taught:** Introduction to Sociology (SOC 101); Introduction to Political Science (POLS 101); Introduction to Social Psychology (PSYC 101)

### **Conference Presentations /Talks / Seminars**

MESA Annual Conference, “The Father of the Family and the Father of the Enterprise: Masculinities and Entrepreneurship in Turkey”, Boston, USA, November, 2016.

Gedik University, Göç ve Kadın Paneli – Davetli Konuşmacı (Panel on Migration and Woman- Invited Speaker), Istanbul, March 2015.

MESA Annual Conference, “Governing Syrian Conundrum in Turkey: The Multifaceted Map of Forced Migration”, Denver, USA, November 2015.

University of Oxford, International Gender Studies Centre at Lady Margaret Hall Seminar Series on Masculinities, “Face me if you are a man!”: Political Masculinities in Turkey”, Oxford, UK, February 2015.

1<sup>st</sup> International Symposium on Men and Masculinities: Identities, Cultures, Societies, “Bargaining For Citizenship: Masculine Citizen in Turkey” with Feyda Sayan-Cengiz, İzmir, Turkey, September 2014.

Turkish Migration Conference 2014, “Gender and Mix Marriages: The Case of Syrian Refugees” with Özgün Tursun, London, UK, May 2014.

TUBITAK and Mardin Artuklu University, Workshop on Preparing Researches on Social Sciences, Mardin Artuklu University, Mardin, Turkey, November 2013.

World Conference on Human Security, “Gendered (In)Securities: Refugee Camps in the Southeastern Turkey” with Bezen Balamir Coşkun, Istanbul, Turkey, October 2013.

American Sociological Association (ASA) 108<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, “Gendered Processes in Turkish Politics”, New York, USA, August 2013.

Istanbul Bilgi University, Workshop on the Political Participation of Young People, Istanbul, Turkey, June 2013.

Friedrich Neumann Foundation, Workshop on Turkish Foreign Policy and the EU, Brussels, Belgium, May 2013.

International Feminist Journal of Politics 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference, "Gendered (In)Securities" with Bezen Balamir Coşkun, Brighton, UK, May 2013.

Sakarya Universitesi Kadın Kriz Kritik Konferansı (Conference on Women/Crisis/Critique), "Yerel Siyasette Kadın Temsili: Kız Kardeşler İttifakı (?)" (Representation of Women in Local Politics: Alliance of Sisters (?)), Sakarya, Turkey, November 2012.

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) 70th Annual Conference, "Honor, Reputation and Agency: Gendered Local Political Processes in Turkey", Chicago, USA, April 2012.

Anglo-American University Panel Discussion, School of International Relations and Diplomacy, "Women's Honor Repudiation as a Hurdle in Local Politics: Women's Agency and Local Political Processes in Turkey", Prague, Czech Republic, September 2011.

Sociological Association of Turkey, VI National Sociology Conference, "The Construction of Masculinities in Turkish Political Parties", Didim, Turkey, October 2009.

University of York, Centre for Women's Studies, Gendering East/West Conference, "Ma(i)nly Political Parties: An Analysis of Turkish Political Manhood", York, UK, July 2009.

University of Philippines-SEASREP-SEPHIS, Workshop on Alternative Research Methodologies, Manila, Philippines, October 2007.

European Forum Alpbach, Conference on Emergence, Alpbach, Austria, August 2006.

Graduate Conference on Political Science, "Visibility in Public Sphere: An Analysis of Cartoons Published in the Early Republican Period", Ankara, Turkey, October 2005

### **Fellowships and Grants**

TUBITAK ULAKBIM Article Award with the article "An Action Research Report on the Rising Democracy Discourse in 2000s Turkey: Does Eros Contour the Demos?", 2008

TUBITAK Research Scholarship, 2008

Certificate of Achievement Scholarship of Bilkent University (2001-2002 / Bilkent University)

### **Professional Membership and Activities**

Member of *Initiative for Critical Studies on Masculinities*, Organization of the *International Symposium on Men and Masculinities*, 11-13 September 2014, Izmir.

Editorial Board Member of *Masculinities: A Journal of Identities and Culture*

Member of American Sociological Association

Member of Middle East Studies Association

**Skills**

Languages: English (Advanced) ; French (Intermediate)

Computer based research and analysis tools: MaxQda ; SPSS