

*Curriculum Vitae*  
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**EDUCATION**

- M.A., English Language Teaching/ELT, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2004.
- CEELT, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1999.
- B.A., English Language Teaching/ELT, Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey, 1998.

**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

**Courses and Workshops Attended**

- Personal and Professional Development Programme, FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University (2023-2024)
- Brainstorming Session on Padlet and Answergarden, by Erkan Arkin, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2021).
- Online Skillful Session, by Macmillan Education, scheduled Zoom Meeting (2021)
- Teaching vocabulary in class by using Kahoot Programme, given by Tahir Eşlik, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2018).
- Education and Management Course, given by Andy Hockley, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2017).
- ‘Extensive Reading: Readers inside and outside of classroom’ given by Bill Bowler, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2016).
- ‘Effective use of Mylab and E-text’, given by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2015).
- ‘TDFRA/EPG Target Setting Session, given by Erkan Arkin and Hakan Altuner, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).

- 'How to Exploit Oxford Word Skills', given by Laura Woodward, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).

- ‘How to Use Open Mind Beginner, given by Teresa Doğuelli, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).
- ‘How to use Skillful (Academic Skills), offered by Macmillan Education, given by Teresa Doguelli, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).
- ‘Interactive Whiteboard Workshop’ given by Erkan Arkin, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).
- ‘Teacher Empowerment’, offered by Deniz Plaza and Oxford University Press, given by Bill Bowler, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2013).
- School of Foreign Languages English Preparatory School Workshop Festival, offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2013).
- School of Foreign Languages English Preparatory School Workshop Festival, offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, north Cyprus, (2012).
- ‘Critical Thinking in Action’, offered by Macmillan Education and Deniz Plaza, given by Lindsay Clandfield, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2012).
- School of Foreign Languages English Preparatory School Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2011).
- ‘Group Dymamics’, offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2009).
- ‘Increasing Learner Involvement in Reading Classes’, offered by EMU, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2009).
- ‘Teaching Multilevel Classes’, offered by LifeLong Learning Center, given by Peter Lucantoni, Kyrenia, North Cyprus, (2009).
- The 2<sup>nd</sup> English Preparatory School ELT Seminar: ‘New Trends in Teaching English’ offered by EMU, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2008).
- ‘Using Cutting Edge with slow learners and Language to Go orientation’ offered by Longman, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2003).
- ‘Making Grammar Visual’, offered by Oxford University Press, given by Gülfem Aslan, Nicosia, North Cyprus, (1998).

## **ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Senior Instructor, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2004-present.
- Instructor, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1998-2004.
- Instructor, Turkish American association, Ankara, Turkey, 1998.

## **COURSES TAUGHT** *(in the last three years)*

- EPS B1 2023-2024 Spring Semester

- EPS A1-A2 2023-2022 Fall Semester

- EPS B1 2020-2021 Spring Semester
- EPS A1-A2 2020-2021 Fall Semester
- EPS B1 2019-2020 Spring Semester
- EPS A1-A2 2019-2020 Fall Semester

## **CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS ATTENDED**

- Management Training Programme, by Andy Hockley (Teacher Trainer), 6-7-8 October and 11-12 November 2017.
- How to Integrate Technology into Language Classrooms, by Semih İrfaner (Macmillan Education Specialist), 5 September 2016.
- The Trends and New Directions in Language Teaching and Learning, by Thom Kiddle, (Director at Norwich Institute for Language Education-NILE), 6 September 2016.
- Motivation to Use Technology, by Özbek İnan (Pearson Education Specialist), 7 September 2016.
- The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual ELT conference: Theoretical and Practical Applications of Emergent Technology in ELT classroom offered by Girne American University, Kyrenia, Northern Cyprus, (2011).
- TESOL Symposium on Dual Language Education: Teaching and learning two languages in the EFL setting, offered by Boğaziçi University, İstanbul, Turkey, (2005).
- ‘Bringing Textbook to Life’: ELT Conference offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2001).
- ‘Practical Issues for Practising Teachers’: 2<sup>nd</sup> International ELT Conference, offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2000).
- ‘Developing English Language Teaching Practices for the Next Millennium’: 1<sup>st</sup> International ELT Conference, offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (1999).

## **SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY**

- Testing Team member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2024-2025.
- Exam Administration Team Working Group member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2023-2024
- Student Affairs Unit Member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2017-2021.
- Student Affairs Working Group Member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2016-2017.
- Substitution Team member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2013-2014.
- Coursebook Evaluation Working Group member, Foreign Languages and English

Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2011-2012.

- Portfolio Working Group Member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2011.

- Teachers Resource Centre Working Group member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2010.
- Translating in seminars in Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus Audit Office, 2007.
- Substitution Team Member, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2005.
- Assistance for English Language Teaching (ELT) Internship students, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2005.
- Providing academic support for English Preparatory School (FLEPS) students, 2004.
- Assistance for English Language Teaching (ELT) Internship students, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2003.
- Curricular Team member, Assistance for English Language Teaching (ELT) Internship students, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 2003.
- Designing materials for Student Student Self Study Centre, 2000.
- Assistance for English Language Teaching (ELT) Internship students, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), 1999.

## **SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY**

- Founding member, ‘Yarınlara Bir Umut Derneği’, Nicosia, North Cyprus, 2012-2014)