

## CURRICULUM VITAE



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## **EDUCATION**

- PhD, English Language Teaching, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (left). • MA., English Literature and Humanities, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1999.
- B.A., English Language and Literature, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1997.

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

### **Courses and Workshops Attended**

- 9th FLEPS Workshop Festival organized by FLEPS PD, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2024
- 7th FLEPS Workshop Festival organized by FLEPS PD, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, May 2022
- PD Session: Reflection and Target Setting organized by FLEPS PD, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, September 2019
  
- NILE workshop, Quality Management in Education, March 2022.
  
- 6<sup>th</sup> Fleps Workshop Festival, FLEPS PD, 2019.
- Intercultural Awareness in Language Classrooms, Uwe Pohl, 2019.
- Google E-Portfolio, Nurcan Garip, 2019.
- How to use Quizlet Live to Motivate Students, Betül Yıldırım, 2019.
- Holistic Approach in English Lessons! Shall we give it a try OR are we already practicing it ?, Zehra Nalbantoğlu, 2019.
- ‘Tuning into your Learners: Assessment and Evaluation in the Lesson’, Craig Thaine, 2017
- 9<sup>th</sup> TPLUS and FOCI Joint Event , 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 My Lab and E-Text by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2015).
- Learner Training by Teresa Doguelli (2015).
- An in-house training workshop on EPS Portfolio”, offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, given by Grant Kempton, 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).
- “Using New English File to teach integrated skills for the benefit of the student/creating a communicative environment while teaching reading/writing”, offered by Oxford University Press, given by Laura Woodward, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2014).
- “How to Exploit Oxford Word Skills”, offered by Deniz Plaza and Oxford University Press, given by Laura Woodward, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2014).
- 3rd SFL EPS Workshop Festival, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2013).
- Empowerment and Lifelong Learning – Yes, We Can, offered by Macmillan Education and Deniz Plaza, given by Teresa Doguelli, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2012).
- 2nd SFL EPS Workshop Festival, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2012).

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- “Critical Thinking in action” offered by MacMillan Education, given by Lindsay Clanfield, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2012).
- Workshop-Teachers As Learners And Researchers, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2009).
- Workshop- Teacher’s reflections, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2009).
- “How to use EAP now Preliminary more effectively in the classroom”, given by Kristina Smith, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2008).
- GE Moodle Training Course given by Eren Kufi and Cigdem Tuncergil, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2008).  
“Principles of Testing” given by Sue Davies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2008).
- 3<sup>rd</sup> International and Educational Congress. Faculty of Education. Girne American University, (2008).
- European Day of Languages Workshop in AEGEE-Europe Project. As a representative of AEGEEMagusa in the celebration of EDL 2003 Workshop “Celebrating linguistic diversity, plurilingualism, lifelong language learning”, Zaragoza, Spain,(2003).
- Cyprus English Teachers’ Conference on ‘Connections’. Active Participant in a workshop given by Teresa Doguelli on “On Thinkers, Feelers and Language Teachers: Group Dynamics and the ELT Curriculum Active Participant in a workshop given by Berna Yilmazoglu on “Making learning meaningful and fun”, (2003).
- Workshop given by Nick Dawson on ‘Cutting Edge: “Using Cutting Edge with Slow Learners”, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2003).
- 1<sup>st</sup> International Education Conference on ‘Changing Times, Changing Needs’, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2000).
- ELT-2000 Conference. Isik University, Istanbul, (2000).
- EMU ELT Conference on ‘Practical Issues for practicing Teachers’, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2000).

## **ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Senior Instructor, School of Foreign Languages English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000 to present.
- Senior Instructor, English Language and Literature Department and Preparatory School,, European University University, Lefka, North Cyprus, 1999-2000.
- Teaching Assistant of the Dean of Faculty of Communication and Media Studies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1997-1999.

## COURSES TAUGHT

- ENGL 161, English I, 2024-2025 Fall Semester
- ENGL 161, English I, 2023-2024 Fall Semester
- ENGL 162, English II, 2022-2023 Spring Semester
- ENGL 152, English II, 2021-2022 Spring Semester
- ENGL 151, English I, 2021-2022 Fall Semester
- ENGL 161, English I, 2021-2022 Fall Semester • ENGL 162, English II, 2020-2021 Spring Semester
- ENGL 191, English I, 2020-2021 Spring Semester.
- ENGL 191, English I, 2020-2021 Fall Semester.
- ENGL 161, English I, 2020-21 Fall Semester
- ENGL 191, English I, 2019-2020 Spring Semester.
- ENGL 191, English I, 2019-2020 Fall Semester.
- ENGL 191, English I, 2018-2019 Spring Semester
- ENGL 162, English II, 2018-2019 Spring Semester
- ENGL172, English – II, 2018-2019 Fall Semester
- ENGL 161, English I, 2018-2019 Fall

- ENGL 191, English I, 2018-2019 Fall Semester.
- ENGL172, English – II, 2017-2018 Spring Semester
- ENGL162, English – II, 2017-2018 Spring Semester
- ENGL161, English – I, 2017-2018 Fall Semester.
- ENGL171, English – I, 2017-2018 Fall Semester.
- ENGL162, English – II, 2016-2017 Spring Semester
- ENGL172, English – II, 2016-2017 Spring Semester
- ENGL161, English – I, 2016-2017 Fall Semester.
- ENGL171, English – I, 2016-2017 Fall Semester.
- ENGL162, English – II, 2015-2016 Spring Semester
- ENGL172, English – I, 2015-2016 Spring Semester
- ENGL171, English – I, 2015-2016 Fall Semester.
- ENGL161, Basic English – I, 2015-2016 Fall Semester.
- ENGL172, English – II, 2014-2015 Spring Semester.
- ENGL171, English – I, 2014-2015 Spring Semester.
- ENGL171, English – I, 2014-2015 Fall Semester.
- ENGL172, English – II, 2013-2014 Spring Semester.
- ENGL171, English – I, 2013-2014 Fall Semester.

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- Member of Continuous Professional Development, Teacher Trainer in Training, 2021- 2023.
- Academic Organizer of ENGL171, 172, 161 and 162 Courses For Turkish-medium Programs, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2013-2017.
- Founder of ENGL161 and 162 Course for Turkish Medium Programs/FLEPS, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2014-15.
- University Electives Committee Member, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2013-15.
- TMP Test Writer and Moderator of ENGL171 and 172 Courses For Turkish-medium Programs, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2011-13.
- Teaching International Summer School, School of Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2014.
- Teaching Summer School, School of Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2013.

- Course Organizer for Academic English 191, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2008-2009.
- Team Coordinator, for FCMS Team, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2007-2008.  
Test Moderator for Academic English, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2003-2005.
- Team Organizer and Test Moderator, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002-2003.
- Course Organizer for ENG I and ENG II, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000-2002.

## **PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS**

- 8<sup>th</sup> MELTA Biennial International Conference on English Language Education: Confronting Changing Realities. Paper presented: “Literature classrooms and their reflections as Language classrooms”, Malaysia, 2005.
- Cyprus English Teachers’ Conference on ‘Connections’. Paper presented: “Learner perception-motivation-acquisition triangle”, Ledra, Buffer Zone, 2003.
- First International Education Conference. Panel Discussion: “Challenge the Change: Teacher perceptions of changes resulting from the re-organization of study groups in MLD”, Famagusta, Eastern Mediterranean University, 2002.

### **Research Interests**

- Testing and Evaluation
- Life long learning
- Learner Autonomy
- Teacher Training
- Mentoring

## **SERVICES TO THE SCHOOL AND TO THE COMMUNITY**

- Founder Executive Member (General Service Director) of Magusa Ravelin Lions Club, 2021-2022 and 2022-2023.
- Active Board Member, DAU-SEN, 2004-2005.
- Executive Board Member (Secretary General). DAU-SEN, 2003-2004.
- Participation in ‘European Year of Languages’ Project coordinated by the Council of Europe, 2002-2003.
- Teacher Representative, MLD in SFL Council, 2002-2003.

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- Founder Executive Member (Treasurer) of Leo Othello Club-Magusa, 1997-1999.