

**CURRICULUM VITAE**  
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**1. PERSONAL DATA**

- 1.1. Date & Place of Birth: 04.01.1985-Balıkesir/Turkey  
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**2. ACADEMIC DEGREES**

- 2.1. Ph.D.- Public Law-Galatasaray University Institute of Social Sciences 2018  
2.2. LL.M.-Human Rights Law- İstanbul Bilgi University Institute of Social Sciences 2011  
2.3. LL.B.- Galatasaray University Faculty of Law 2008

**3. EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

- 3.1. 9/19 - Present Assistant Professor,  
Bilkent University,  
Faculty of Law  
3.2. 11/10 - 11/18 Research & Teaching Assistant,  
İstanbul Bilgi University,  
Faculty of Law

**4. HONORS, SCHOLARLY AND PROFESSIONAL DUTIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

- 4.1. Kapanı- Savcı Human Rights Prize (Honorable Mention) 2007

**5. MEMBERSHIP**

- 5.1. Association for the Research on Constitutional Law  
5.2. İstanbul Bar Association

## **6. TEACHING**

### **6.1. Undergraduate Courses:**

Law 103: Constitutional Law

## **7. SCHOLARLY PUBLICATIONS**

### **7.1. Ph.D. Dissertation**

7.1.1. “Yerel Özerkliğe İlişkin Avrupa Şartı Işığında Türkiye’de Yerel Özerklik Hakkı”, (“Justiciability of the Right to Local Self-Government in Turkey in the Light of the European Charter of Local Self-Government”), September 2018, Advisor: Prof. Dr. Oktay Uygun, Galatasaray University.

### **7.2. Published Books**

7.2.1. “Yerel Yönetimlerin Özerklik Hakkı: Yerel Özerkliğe İlişkin Avrupa Şartı’nın Taraf Devletlerde Uygulaması ve Türkiye Karşılaştırması”, (“Right to Local Self-Government of Local Authorities: Implementation of the European Charter of Local Self-Government in the Contracting Parties and Comparison with Turkey”), İstanbul: Oniki Levha Yayıncılık, April 2019.

### **7.3. Chapters in books or monographs**

7.3.1. “İnsan Hakları İhlali Olarak Yoksulluk: İhlalin Niteliği Üzerine Bir İnceleme”, (“Poverty as a Violation of Human Rights: An Analysis of Legal Qualification of the Violation”), Prof. Dr. Belgin Erdoğmuş'a Armağan (Liber Amicorum), 2011, İstanbul: Der Yayınları, p. 947-974.

7.3.2. “Régionalisation par voie de métropolisation: évolution des structures territoriales en Turquie”, **Quelle organisation pour les grandes régions en France et en Europe?**, Sous la direction de Jean-Claude Némery, Paris: L'Harmattan, 2015, p. 329-336.

7.3.3. “Les préfets en Turquie: acteurs entre recul et renforcement du pouvoir central au plan local?”, **Les instruments de l'action publique et les dispositifs territoriaux**, Sous la direction de Jean-Claude Némery et Fabrice Thuriot, Paris: L'Harmattan, 2016, p. 89-100.

### **7.4. Articles in refereed Journals**

7.4.1. “Olumlu Edim Gerektiren Sosyal Hakların Sınırı: Karşılaştırmalı Hukuk Perspektifinden 1961 ve 1982 Anayasaları Dönemi Uygulamaları”, (“The Limits of the Social Rights Which Require State Intervention : Turkish Practice in the Era of the Constitutions of 1961 and 1982 from the Comparative Law Perspective”), Prof. Dr. Vecdi Aral'a Armağan (Liber Amicorum), İstanbul Üniversitesi Hukuk Fakültesi Dergisi, Vol. LXXII, No: 1, 2014, p.695-728.

7.4.2. “Büyük Baraj Projelerinden Kalkınma Yatırımlarına Dünya Bankası Teftiş Paneli”, (“From Big Dam Projects to Development Investments: The World Bank Inspection Panel”), Galatasaray Üniversitesi Hukuk Fakültesi Dergisi, Sayı: 2014/1, p.665-685.

### **7.5. Articles in non-refereed or general journals**

7.5.1. “İHAM Karar İncelemesi: Özpinar-Türkiye Kararı”, Anayasa Hukuku Dergisi, Karar İncelemeleri Bölümü, Cilt 2, Sayı:3, 2013, p.205-218.

- 7.5.2. "Kent Konseyleri: Yerel Demokrasi ve Halk Katılımının Neresinde?", Güncel Hukuk Dergisi, Sayı: Ocak 2014, p. 58-61.
- 7.5.3. "Ahalinin Yönetime İştirakinde Türlü Mazarrat Vardır", Güncel Hukuk Dergisi, Sayı: Mart 2014, p. 34-36.
- 7.5.4. "Durum Değerlendirmesi: 31 Mart Öncesi ve Sonrasında Yerel Yönetim Hukukunun Dinamikleri", Hukuk Defterleri, Sayı: 17, Ocak-Şubat 2019.

## **7.6. Other publications, including translations, research notes, limited-circulation reports, etc.**

- 7.6.1. Report Submitted to the UN Human Rights Council Advisory Committee on the Role of Local Government in the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights: "Local Government and Human Rights in Turkey", April 2014, on behalf of Istanbul Bilgi University Human Rights Research Center (Report in English).

## **7.7. Refereed proceedings**

- 7.7.1. "Traditions of Local Governance in a Comparative Context: Devolution as a Puzzle with Missing Pieces", Istanbul Human Security Conference 2018: «Human Security in Difficult Times II», Panel 5: "Civil Society and Gender Dimensions in Human Security", Kadir Has University, Istanbul, on October 17-19, 2018 (in English)
- 7.7.2. "Les préfets en Turquie: acteurs entre recul et renforcement du pouvoir central au plan local?", "Territoires et frontières: le développement à l'épreuve des régions frontalières", Association de science régionale de langue française/ Centre de recherche sur la développement territorial, on July 7-9, 2016, Gatineau, Quebec, Canada (in French).
- 7.7.3. "Les référendums locaux en Turquie: entre démocratie participative et contrôle des opinions minoritaires?", GIS Démocratie et Participation, Actes des "4èmes journées doctorales sur la participation et la démocratie participative", Lille- France, on November 13-14, 2015 (in French).
- 7.7.4. "Régionalisation par voie de métropolisation? Evolution des structures territoriales en Turquie", "Quelle organisation pour les grandes régions en France et en Europe? ", on March 25-26, 2015, Université de Reims-ChampagneArdenne/France (in French).
- 7.7.5. "World Bank Inspection Panel: The Actor of the Conflict between the Institutional Legitimacy of the Bank and the Social Justice Concerns", Conference: Human Rights for Social Justice: Social Rights, TODAIE (Institute of Public Administration for Turkey and Middle East), on April 4-5, 2013, Ankara-Turkey (in Turkish).

## **7.8. Published conference abstracts**

- 7.8.1. "Anayasal Haklardan Mahrum Kadın Hakimler Yaratmak Olgusu: Özpinar/Türkiye Davası", ("Creating Women Judges Without Constitutional Rights: Özpinar v. Turkey Judgment of the ECtHR"), 4th International Conference on Gender Studies, Eastern Mediterranean University Press, Conference Proceedings, Vol.2, 2013, p.337-351.
- 7.8.2. "6360 Sayılı Büyükşehir Yasası Üzerine Bir Yorum" ("A Commentary on Law No. 6360 Related to the Metropolitan Municipalities Based on the New Administrative Structure"), Conference Title: İktidar ve Özgürlik İkilemindeki Anayasa Mahkemesi: Üç Yıllık Bilanço (2011-2013), Anayasa Hukuku Araştırmaları Derneği Çalıştayı, October 2013. Anayasa Hukuku Dergisi, Cilt 3, Sayı: 5, 2014, p. 443-454.

- 7.8.3. "Les référendums locaux en Turquie: entre démocratie participative et contrôle des opinions minoritaires", GIS Démocratie et Participation, Actes des 4èmes journées doctorales sur la participation et la démocratie participative, Lille, 13-14 Kasım 2015, ISSN 22717994, URL : <http://www.participation-et-democratie.fr/fr/node/2035>, [Accessed: 25.06.2019].

## 8. CURRENT RESEARCH INTEREST(S)

- 8.1. Comparative Constitutional Law & Future of Constitutional Courts
- 8.2. Metropolitain Structures & Democratic Governance& Panoptic Cities in Council Europe Countries & Implementation of the European Charter of Local Self-Government
- 8.3. Gendered Nature of Law& Equality
- 8.4. Rights of Non-Human Persons

## 9. GRANTS

- 9.1. TÜBİTAK ("The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey")-2214-A  
Research Grant 09/2014-08/2015  
(Guest Researcher on Territorial Politics and Local Participation in France/ University of Reims-Champagne-Ardenne, Research Center on Law and Territory)

## **8. TEACHING**

### **6.1. Undergraduate Courses:**

- Law 103-Constitutional Law
- Law 104- Turkish Constitutional Law

## **9. CURRENT RESEARCH INTEREST(S)**

- 7.1. Comparative Constitutional Law
- 7.2. Local Democracy in Council of Europe
- 7.3. Gender & Law