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Education

Ph.D. in Political Science

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Evanston, Illinois

Sep. 2022 - Present

M.S. in Applied Statistics

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

Evanston, Illinois

Sep. 2022 - Present

M.A. in Political Science and International Relations

BOĞaziçi UNIVERSITY

Istanbul, Turkey

Sep. 2019 - June 2023

B.A. in Political Science and International Relations

BOĞaziçi UNIVERSITY

Istanbul, Turkey

Sep. 2014 - Aug. 2019

- Double Major Program with History
- Dean's High Honors

Experience

Graduate Research Assistant

January. 2024 - Present

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

- Assistant to by Assoc. Prof. Sally Nuamah
- Analyzing US survey data on political participation through econometric modelling

Graduate Teaching Assistant

September. 2023 - Present

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

- Introduction to Empirical Methods in Political Science by Prof. Seawright
- Statistical Research Methods by Prof. Seawright

Graduate Coordinator of Comparative Politics Workshop

September. 2023 - Present

NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY

- Coordinating logistics of the workshop through the 23-24 academic year

Graduate Research Assistant

Oct. 2021 - July 2022

- Collecting data from the late 19th and early 20th century archival sources on administrative structures and positions. The scope of the data covers regions both from the Middle East and the Balkans. Assistant to Yusuf Magiya, PhD (NYU Abu Dhabi)

Graduate Research Assistant

Sep. 2021 - March 2022

- Survey data collection about public opinion on Turkish media. Designing bi-weekly survey questions for **RCT** design research for 6 months on current issues in Turkish politics. Assistant to Ahmet Utku Akbiyik (Ph.D. Candidate at Harvard University.)

Graduate Research Assistant

Sep. 2020 - Aug. 2021

BOGAZICI UNIVERSITY

- Research on a network analysis of nationalist movements and factionalism in among minority nationalists with Assist. Prof. Basak Taraktas

Original Data Collection

Nationalist Movements Network Data

May 2020 - June 2021

- Network data of Ottoman nationalist elites from various ethnic background derived from primary and secondary sources in Turkish, English, Albanian, Bulgarian, and French. Data includes 2019 interactions of 606 elites over 30 years.

Research Published in Peer-Reviewed Articles

- **Ademi, U.**, Kimya, F. (2023). Democratic transition and party polarization: A fuzzy regression discontinuity design approach. *Party Politics*, 0(0). <https://doi.org/10.1177/13540688231171689>

Ongoing Projects

Diffusion of Transitions: A Measurement Through Party Polarization

- Research on the relationship between regional transitions and party polarization in affected countries with Fırat Kimya.

A Network Approach to Armed Disputes and Ethnic Affiliation

- Aimed to develop a new measure to impact of ethnic and religious affinity on the likelihood of international disputes with Abdullah Kabaoğlu.

Conferences and Presentations

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference

Chicago, USA

DO TRANSITIONS SPREAD? IMPACT OF TRANSITIONS ON CONTIGUOUS PARTY POLITICS (WITH
FIRAT KIMYA)

April. 2024

Midwest Political Science Association Annual Conference

Chicago, USA

REBEL COOPERATION REVISITED: THE IMPACT OF SHARED LONG-TERM GOALS IN FRAGMENTED
MOVEMENTS (WITH BAŞAK TARAKTAŞ)

April. 2024

European Sociological Association Conference

Barcelona, Spain

SHIFTING ALLIANCES AMONG MINORITY NATIONALISTS: HOW ELITES CHOOSE TO PARTICIPATE IN
SECESSIONIST INSURGENCY (WITH BAŞAK TARAKTAŞ)

Aug. 2021

Future Science Forum

Istanbul, Turkey

G-ZERO WORLD AND THE CHANGING NATURE OF PROXY WARFARE

Oct. 2020

Istanbul Research and Education Foundation

Istanbul, Turkey

DYNAMICS OF RESPONSIBILITY SHARING IN PROXY WARFARE

Aug. 2020

ONGOR Virtual Workshop on Social Science Methodology

Online

UNDERSTANDING CHANGING PROXY WARFARE

July 2020

Certifications and Awards

IPSA Summer Method School for Social Science Research Methods

August-September 2021

QUANTITATIVE AND COMPUTER ASSISTED APPROACHES IN CONTENT ANALYSIS

- A summer workshop program on quantitative content analysis with hands-on training and projects through STATA

Istanbul Technical University

July 2021

CERTIFICATE OF EXPERTISE IN BIG DATA AND DATA ANALYTICS

- A 14-weeks program on data analytics with hands-on training and projects through Python, R and SQL

DataCamp

- Text Analysis with R
- Statistical Inference in R
- Multiple and Logistic Regression in R
- Inference for Linear Regression in R
- Correlation and Regression in R
- A/B Testing in R
- Dealing with Missing Data in R

Nov. 2019 - Present

Technical and Language Skills

Computer Skills

- R: Data Analysis and Visualization, Text Mining
- Python: Data Analysis and Visualization with Pandas, Scikit-Learn, SciPy, TensorFlow, Gradio, Matplotlib
- SQL
- \LaTeX
- Hadoop HDFS, Apache Spark
- KNIME

Language Skills

- **Turkish** (Native)
- **English** (Reading, Writing, Speaking)
- **Arabic** (Reading, Writing, Speaking)
- **French** (Reading)
- **Albanian** (Native)
- **Ottoman Turkish** (Reading in various forms of scripts)

Works in Media

Opinion Pieces

- *Can Turkey's Gas Discovery Open a New Window with Ahmet Bahadır Doğrul*, aa.com.tr
- *Covid-19: Why the Global Crisis Brought Further Nationalism?* with Abdullah Atalan, Mesail Magazine
- *The New Dilemmas of Turkish Foreign Policy in the Black Sea Region*, Mesail Magazine
- *COVID-19 Vaccines: A Symbol of Rising Horizontal Inequalities*, aa.com.tr
- *Can Ottoman Nationalist Movements Shed Light on Today's Questions*, Mesail Magazine
- *Trump's Ghost after Elections: What Does US Midterms Mean for Republicans?*, Dünya Siyaseti