

## CURRICULUM VITAE



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### **Competencies:**

- Experience in
  - **Teaching**
    - The City in History,
    - History and Theory of Urbanization
    - Urban Development and Regeneration Planning
    - Metropolitan Planning Research
    - Urban Design
  - **Urban Transportation Planning**
  - **Advising on Urban and Planning (ownership & development)**
    - Juridical Cases (Turkey)
    - Expropriation (certified expert - Turkey)
  - **EU & UN projects (Urban, Planning and Local Administration)**
  - **Sustainability and Metropolitan Planning**
  - **Geographical Information Systems (GIS)**
    - Computer-Based Urban Information and Decision Support Systems

### **And;**

- Experience in
  - Complex and Emergency Management Issues
    - Managing, Coordination and Planning of
      - Logistics, Supply, and Distribution of Critical Meta & human sources before and after Disasters
    - Competent in organizational and management skills
    - Ability to carry multi-task environment duties

### **Present Positions:**

- **Assist. Prof. Dr.**, TED University, Faculty of Architecture, Department of City and Regional Planning, Ankara, Turkey, (2016 April – cont.) (Expected date for Associate Professorship: Nov., 2022)
  - **Instructor, Coordinator**, CITY 201, City Planning Studio 01, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture and Design, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2018-19 – cont.)
  - **Instructor, Coordinator**, CITY 202, City Planning Studio 02, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture and Design, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2018-19 – cont.)
  - **Instructor**, CITY 121, Introduction to the City and Planning, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture and Design, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2017 – cont.)
  - **Instructor**, CITY 232, the City in History, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture and Design, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2018-19 – cont.)
  
- **Member of Academic Advisory Board** for TED University, Continuous Learning Centre (2018 – cont.)
  
- **Member of Handicapped Student's Commission** for TED University (2018 – cont.)
  
- **ERASMUS Coordinator**; TED University, Dept. of City and Regional Pl. (2018 – cont.)
  
- **Member of Strategic Planning Committee**; TED University (2022 – cont.)
  
- **TEDU Dept. of CRP Member of AESOP** (Association of European Schools of Planning) (2022 - )
  
- Certified **ArcGIS User**, **ESRI Turkey**, Ankara, (November 2018)
  
- Certified **Expert on Expropriation**, for 5 years, professional in-training Chamber of City Planners, November 2014-2019
  
- **Advisor**, AVI Real Estate Investment Appraisal and Consulting Co., and AVK Law Company, Ankara, Turkey (2016 – cont.)

**Academic Degrees:**

**Ph. D. City and Regional Planning Program,**

Department of City and Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey.

***“The Concept of Public Interest in Turkish Planning Experience with Reference to Tourism Centres”***. June 1999

**keywords;** public, public interest, planning paradigms, Turkish planning experience, planning law, tourism incitement, sustainable planning

**M. R. P. Regional Planning Graduate Program,**

Department of Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey.

***“Evaluation of Public Land Use with reference to the concept of Public Interest and Urban Land Use Planning, Ataturk’s Experimental Farm AOÇ Case”*** (with joint lectures on formerly European Community -now E.U., i.e. Common Transportation Policy). September 1991

**keywords;** land use, land use planning, public land use, urban land use for public, Ataturk’s Experimental Farm

**B. C. P. City Planning,**

Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, June 1988.

### **Relevant Teaching Experience:**

- Instructor, ARCH 383, Spatial Utopias, Department of Architecture, Faculty of Architecture, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2016 – 2017)
- Instructor, (member of the studio teaching team) CITY 101 Basic Design Studio for Planners, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2016-17)
- Instructor, (member of the studio teaching team) CITY 102 Basic Design Studio for Planners, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2017-18)
- Instructor, (member of the studio teaching team) ARCH 101 – 102, Basic Design Studio for Architects, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (fall 2016-spring 2017)
- Instructor, (member of the studio teaching team) CITY 112, Architectural Communication Techniques II, Department of Architecture, Faculty of Architecture, TED University, Ankara, Turkey (2017-18)
- Part-Time Instructor, MMR 305, Kent ve Planlama, (the City and Planning), Department of Architecture, Faculty of Art, Design and Architecture, Atılım University, Ankara, Turkey (2012 – 2016)
- Part-Time Instructor, GTM 076, Kentsel Utopyalar, (Urban Utopias), Department of Architecture, Faculty of Art, Design and Architecture, Atılım University, Ankara, Turkey (2013 – 2016)
- Part-Time Instructor, CRP 111, Introduction to City & Planning, Department of City and Regional Planning, Faculty of Architecture, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey (1992 – 2016)
- Part-Time Instructor, ARCH 312, Principles of City Planning & Urban Design, Department of Arch. , Faculty of Architecture, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey (spring 2014)
- Part-Time Instructor, MMR 309, Kentsel Tasarım İlkeleri, (Principles of Urban Design), Department of Architecture, Faculty of Art, Design and Architecture, Atılım University, Ankara, Turkey (spring 2014)
- Part-Time Instructor, Planning Studio (CRP 201-202), Department of City and Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, (2005 - 2011).
- Part-Time Instructor, Conservation planning Studio (REST 507), Graduate Department of Restoration, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, (2008 - 2009).
- Part-Time Instructor, Urban Issues (LAUD 221), Department of Landscape Architecture and Urban Design, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, (2000 – 2002).
- Instructor, Computer Programming for Public Administration Department, (ADM 114-Introduction to Computer Programming--Programming Theory for Social Scientists) Department of Public Administration, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, (spring 1991).
- Teaching Assistant, Computer Programming and its applications in Urban Planning, (CP 345 - 346) Department of City and Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University Ankara, Turkey, (1988 – 1991).
- Teaching Assistant, Introduction to City Planning (CP 111 - 112), Department of City and Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, (1988 – 1992).
- Student Assistant, Urban Transportation Planning (CP 351 - 352), Department of City and Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, (1987).

## **Relevant Professional Experience:**

- **General Manager,**  
*AVI Real Estate Investment, Appraisal and Consulting Co.*, Ankara, Turkey (2012 – 2016)
- **Owner, Manager, and Head of Managerial Board,**  
*Iskota Food, Tourism and Commerce Co.* Ankara, Turkey (1996 – 2011)  
**The North Shield Pub;** Güvenlik cad. Ankara Turkey, 1996 – 2011  
**The North Shield Pub;** Mesa Koru, Ankara Turkey, 1999 – 2005  
**Old Mariner Pub,** Ankara Turkey, 2004 - 2005
- **Project Manager,**  
*Intergraph Computer and Mapping Inc.*, Turkey  
Development and implementation of
  - Geographical Information Systems (GIS) Projects,
  - MGE applications and their advanced training. (1996 – 1999, Ankara Turkey)for,
  - municipalities,
  - Turkish military,
  - State airport authority,
  - State highways authority and
  - Metropolitan Municipalities (Ankara, Bursa, İzmir / Turkey),
  - Development and implementation of Remote Sensing Systems Projects.for,
  - universities' research institutes and
  - general directorate of state hydraulic works,
  - Turkish Land Force general command of mapping,
- **Coordinator,** (Personal Assistant)  
To the Chairman of *Turkish Association of Contractors and Consultants*, 1996, Ankara Turkey
- **Product manager,**
  - *Sayısal Grafik Software Ltd.*, (Turkish distributor of **AutoDesk** products), 1994 – 1996, Istanbul TurkeyExpert for,
  - project development,
  - sales,
  - training and
  - support for
    - AutoCAD,
    - 3D Studio Max,
    - AutoCAD Map,
    - AutoCAD LT,
    - AutoCAD civil and other professional software,
- **Coordinator** of The Head of Physical Planning Department,  
*Greater Ankara Metropolitan Municipality*, Ankara, Turkey, 1991-1994,  
Responsibilities included;
  - assistance to Prof. Raci Bademli (**City Architect** – Head of Physical Planning Department)
    - in the coordination of Metropolitan scale Urban Development Projects including technical, financial, and bureaucratic consultancy,
  - assistance to Mr. Murat Karayalcin (**Mayor of Ankara**) for Metropolitan Planning issues of Ankara
    - Coordination of Planning activities with district municipalities,
    - Ankara - International Commercial Center Project,

- Project Coordinator with A. Gülgönen, Architect, (APRAH - Paris),
  - Ankara - Ulus Hergelen Square Urban Design Project,
    - Project Coordinator with H. Otto HAJEK (Germany),
- Design, application, and management of Computer networks and to develop interactive Urban databases for the planning department, which is used in a municipal GIS environment later.
- **Planner, Coordinator** for Macro-Scale Urban Planning Projects with Metropolitan Municipalities,
  - *Metropol Urban Development Corp. of Greater Ankara Metropolitan Municipalities*, 1991 - 1994

Project Team Member of

- Dikmen Valley public development project, Ankara, Turkey
  - Urban Regeneration Project, Eskisehir, Turkey
  - Coordination of various projects belong to different local municipalities of greater Ankara metropolitan area, Turkey,
- **Full-Time Teaching and Research Assistant**, October 1988 - July 1991  
City and Regional Planning Program, Department of City and Regional Planning, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey,
- **Planner - Computer Programmer, Software Developer**, 1990  
Urban Design and Preparation of Computer Aided Drawing & Databases, joint project on Ankara-Ulus Historical Center Keklik Sokak Restoration and Rehabilitation Project, for Altındağ Province Municipality of Ankara, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey,
- **Planner - Computer Programmer, Software Developer**, 1988 - 1991  
Ankara-Ulus Historical Center Urban Regeneration Project, for Greater Ankara Metropolitan Municipality, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey,
- **Transportation Planner**,  
Eskişehir Urban Transportation Study, *Metroplan Planning Office*, Ankara, Turkey, 1989 – 1990.
- **Software Developer, Computer Programmer**, 1989  
*MNG Computer Co.*, (part-time) Ankara
  - preparation of Turkish Language Fonts for AutoCAD
    - Computerized Mapping and preparation of an interactive cadastral database of Istanbul Metropolitan Region by Intergraph Mapping systems.
- **Junior Planner**, Pafta Planning Office, Ankara, Turkey, 1986
- **Office Boy and Technical Drawer**, TUMAS International Constructing and Consulting Co., Ankara, Turkey, 1984 – 1986
- **Agricultural Worker**, (Tractor and Harvester operator), (summer holidays) at AOÇ (Atatürk Experimental Farm), Ankara Turkey, 1981 - 1983



### **Relevant Grants and Awards:**

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- **First Prize**, Sapanca Lake Recreation Area Design Competition, (invited), joint participation with Promim, 2007, Turkey
- **First Prize**, Istanbul Kadıköy Square – Haydarpaşa – Harem Urban Waterfront Development Urban Design Competition, joint participation, 2001, Turkey
- **Honorable Mention**, Bursa Kültürpark Planning and Urban Design Competition, joint participation, 2001, Turkey
- **Third Prize**, Ankara Gölbaşı Regional Park, Urban Design and Landscape Planning Competition, joint participation, 2001, Turkey
- **Second Prize**, Ankara Central Business District, Urban Development and Planning Competition, joint participation, 1993, Turkey
- **Fourth Prize**, Ankara Metropolitan CBD Northern Sector Urban Design and Planning Competition, joint participation, 1991 (Ülkenli, Kubin, Demiralp, Çavuslar, Baysal) (among 18 entries), Turkey
- **Project Purchased**, Istanbul - Besiktas Plaza Urban Design Competition, joint participation, 1990 (Ülkenli, Kubin, Demiralp, Çavuslar), Turkey
- **Fifth Prize**, Gaziantep Atatürk Centennial Cultural Park, and Immediate Vicinity Urban Design Competition, joint participation, 1989 (Bademli, Kıral, Erkal, Onaran, Ülkenli) (among 48 entries), Turkey
- **Second Prize**, Citadel of Ankara Preservation and Rehabilitation Project Competition, joint participation, 1988 (Bademli, Kıral, Günay, Akçura, Erkal, Ülkenli) (among 42 entries), Turkey

### **Projects:**

For detailed info, please visit: [www.promim.com](http://www.promim.com)

Metropolitan Municipality Of Istanbul, *Ordu Street Rehabilitation Project*, 2002 – 2004,  
<http://www.promim.com/en/projects/urban-open-space/ordu-street-environmental-design-project>

Metropolitan Municipality of Ankara, *Bahcelievler 7. street Rehabilitation Project*, 2002 – 2003  
<http://www.promim.com/en/projects/urban-open-space/askabat-street-7th-street-pedestrianization-project>

ULUS Historical Center *Urban Regeneration Project*, 1988 – 1991  
<https://v3.arkitera.com/v1/gundem/ulus/yazi3.htm>

## Meetings, Seminars, and publications:

- **Chair, Panel “Yeni Gelecekte Kentler ve Bölgeler; Değişen Dinamikler, Değişim ve Dönüşümün Sunduğu Fırsatlar – CITIES AND REGIONS IN THE NEW FUTURE: CHANGING DYNAMICS, NEW ISSUES, OPPORTUNITIES OF CHANGE AND TRANSFORMATION”**, KBAM, 02-04 Dec. 2021
- **Chair, Panel “Current Approaches to The Planning Practices” in “Planning, Concepts, and Quests: 43rd Colloquium of 8th Nov., World City Planning Day”**, Turkish Assoc. City planners & TED University, 07-09 Nov. 2019
- **Chair, International Symposium; *Hermann Jansen & Ankara, 14 Dec. 2018, Ankara, Turkey*** (TED University, METU, Goethe Institute Ankara and Çankaya Municipality)
- **Chair, Panel: Urban Transformation**, Turkish Assoc. City planners & Turkish Assoc. Of Civil Eng., 03 Sept. 2015, Ankara, Turkey
  
- ✦ **Certificate: *GIS Basic Training and Ankara Urban History Application***, Koç University VEKAM, Ankara, 05-07 Sept. 2019
- ✦ **Certificate: ArcGIS\_1, ArcGIS\_2 User**, ESRI Turkey, Ankara, 05-09.11.2018
- ✦ **Workshop & Certificate: *Spatial Network Analysis***, 10-12 Sept. 2014, Gazi Univ., Dept. of City and Regional Planning, (TUBITAK prj. Number: 113K138) by Alain Chiaradia, P.h.D, School of Planning and Geography, Sustainable Places Research Institute, Cardiff, UK
- ✦ **Certificate: *Certified Expert on Expropriation***, for 5 years, professional in-training Chamber of City Planners, Ankara, November 2014
  
- ✦ **International Symposium; *Hermann Jansen & Ankara***, “Attitudes affecting the fate of the old Ankara during the 1920-40 period” (commentary re-presentation in memoriam Prof. Dr. Raci Bademli), 14 Dec. 2018, Ankara, Turkey (TED University, METU, Goethe Institute Ankara and Çankaya Municipality)
- ✦ **International Workshop; *Cities in Transition***, 23 -27 October 2017, METU, Ankara, Turkey  
Cities in Transition is a four-day workshop to engage, discuss and reflect on aspects of the locality, identity, and the experience of place in the context of migrant and minority ethnic groups in rapidly emerging urban developments and typologies. The workshop is aimed at researchers based in the UK or Turkey at an early stage in their research careers, dealing with a core problem of place identity and community identification in urban research. (<https://www.citiesintransition.agency>)
- ✦ **International Symposium on Geographic Information Systems**, “The Changing Public Interest Concept Of Using Computer-Aided Information Systems In Turkish Planning Experience”, Article\_ Presented and published, Istanbul Sept. 2002
  
- ✦ **Gazi Üniversitesi, 2’de 1 Kent Söyleşileri**, (CityTalk Guest; Ankara Jansen Plan and Atatürk Experimental Farm) “Ankara; Jansen Planı ve Atatürk Orman Çiftliği”, davetli konuşmacı, 25.02.2020 , Ankara, Turkey
- ✦ **Atılım Üniversitesi, Mimar Sinan Günleri**, (CityTalk Guest; The Young Republic and Two Utopias; Ankara and Atatürk Experimental Farm) “Genç Cumhuriyet ve İki Ütopya: Ankara ve Atatürk Orman Çiftliği”, davetli konuşmacı, 11.04.2017, Ankara, Turkey

- ✦ **28<sup>th</sup> colloquium of Chamber of City Planners**, “Küreselleşme etkisi ile Metropolitan alanların bölgesel şehir alanlarına olası kimlik dönüşümü, planlama ve araçları üzerine”, (Possible Transformation of Metropolitan Areas to Urban Zones in 3<sup>rd</sup> World Countries with Reference to the Globalisation, On the Planning and Its Tools in Turkey)” Article Presented and published, Ankara Nov., 2004
- ✦ **Chamber of City Planners**, "The Role of Urban Public Lands in Metropolitan Development and Ataturk Experimental Farm Case (**Kamu Arazilerinin Metropolitan Kent Gelişimindeki Rolü; AOÇ Örneği**)" in Ankara, Seminar, Panelist, Article Presented on behalf of Chambers of City Planners, Ankara Dec. 1995
- ✦ **4. Chamber of Mapping and Cadastral Engineers**, "Kentsel ve Kırsal Toprak Düzenlemelerinde Kadastronun Önemi", (The Importance of Cadastral Systems in Urban and Rural Land Development), Seminar, Panelist on behalf of Chambers of City Planners, Ankara Feb. 01-04,1993
- ✦ **Genç Cumhuriyetin Ütopyası; Ankara**, Başkent Ankara Dergisi, cilt 2 sayı 5, ss.38-45, 03/2019, Ankara, Turkey
- ✦ **Genç Başkent'in Ütopyası; Atatürk Orman Çiftliği**, Başkent Ankara Dergisi, cilt 2 sayı 6, 08/2020, Ankara, Turkey
- ✦ **İç içe İki Cumhuriyet Ütopyası ve Dönüşümleri; Ankara ve Atatürk Orman Çiftliği**, Ankara Araştırmaları Dergisi, cilt 5 sayı 1, doi: 10.5505/jas.2017.91300, VEKAM, Ankara, July 2017
- ✦ **The Morphological Changes of AOÇ (Atatürk's Experimental Farm)'s Core Area between 1926 - 1960**, Journal of Faculty of Architecture, METU (in academic referee process)
- ✦ **Bira Kültürü ve Kent ya da Kent Kültürü ve Bira Bahçeleri, AOÇ Bira Fabrikası**, (Beer Culture and The Capital City or Urban Culture -public interest- and Beer Gardens of New Capital of Turkey, Ankara Beer Factory), unpublished article, for Ankara MAG magazine, Ankara, Nov. 2010
- ✦ **Kadıköy meydanı, Haydarpaşa – Harem yakın çevresi kentsel tasarım projesi yarışması Autodesk yazılımlarıyla kazanıldı**, 6. Coğrafi Bilgi Sistemleri Semineri, Sayısal Grafik, Ankara kasım 2002, Ankara, ss. 35-36
- ✦ **Eminönü Ordu Caddesi ve yakın çevresi kentsel tasarım projesinde Mobil GIS uygulaması**, 5. Coğrafi Bilgi Sistemleri Semineri, Sayısal Grafik, Ankara kasım 2001, Ankara, ss. 87-39
- ✦ **Mekanik Tasarımda Görselleştirmenin Önemi Üzerine**, CAD +, sayı: 16, Haziran 1994, ss. 14-17, istanbul
- ✦ **Urban Physical Intervention Debate: to plan or can not plan, this is the developing countries' case; planners vs. architects, politicians win!**, paper submitted for prize paper competition, town and country planning summer school, University of Exeter, 1992
- ✦ **Hacıbayram Çevre Düzenleme Projesi**, Ankara Dergisi, ABŞB Yayını, cilt 1, sayı 4, ss.57-78 (Prof. Dr. Raci Bademli ile) Ankara Oct. 1992
- ✦ **Toplumsal bir kurum olarak planlama ve planlama sürecinde etkili olan toplumsal kurumlar karşısındaki rolünün tanımlanması üzerine düşünceler**, MEDIA, Girişim ODTU Mimarlık Fakültesi Yayını, bahar 90/1, ss. 80-88
- ✦ **Araştırma; Media'nın mesleki platformlardaki konumu üzerine**, MEDIA, Girişim ODTU Mimarlık Fakültesi Yayını, bahar 90/1, arka kapak yazısı

- ⤴ **Kitap/book:** Türkiye'de Toplu konut uygulamalarının kentsel gelişmeye etkileri, Konut Araşt. Dizisi: 9., T.C. Başbakanlık, TOKİ Yay., Ankara 1996 (yazar ekibi üyesi)
- ⤴ **Kitap/book:** Tarihi Çevrede konut-yapı ilişkileri; Ulucanlar Örneği, Konut Araşt. Dizisi: 12., T.C. Başbakanlık, TOKİ Yay., Ankara 1996 (yazar ekibi üyesi)

## **References:**

Baykan Günay, Prof. Dr. Dept. of. City and Regional Planning, TEDU, TED University, Ankara – Turkey.

Haluk Pamir, Prof. Dr. (former dean faculty of Arch., METU) (+90 532 2040184). Ankara - Turkey

Cagatay Keskinok, Prof. Dr. (former chair dept. of CRP, METU) (+90 532 4468562), Ankara – Turkey

Murat Tarımcılar, Prof. Dr., Former President TED University, (<https://business.gwu.edu/murat-tarimcilar>)  
Washington - USA

Süha Özkan, Prof., Emeritus, former manager Aga Khan Award for Architecture

Abdülkadir Varoğlu, Prof. Dr., Vice President, Başkent University, Ankara - Turkey

Neriman Şahin Güçhan, Prof. Dr., Dean, Faculty of Arch., Middle East Technical University, Ankara - Turkey

Güven Arif Sargın, Prof. Dr., Former Dean, Faculty of Arch., METU, Middle East Technical University, Ankara - Turkey

Savaş Zafer Şahin, Prof. Dr. Political Science & Public Administration, Hacı Bayram Veli University, Ankara – Turkey

Funda Erkal, Deputy Mayor, Greater Municipality of İzmir, İzmir, Turkey

Can Kubin, City and Regional Planner, owner - CEO., Promim Ltd., Ankara

Fazıl Say, Composer & Piano Player, Artist, Istanbul, Turkey

Ali Türel, Prof. Dr. Dept. of. City and Regional Planning, Cankaya University, Ankara – Turkey.

Ömer Kıral, Part-time instructor, Dept. of. City and Regional Planning, METU, Ankara - Turkey

Özcan Altaban, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Dept. of. City and Regional Planning, METU, Middle East Technical University, Ankara - Turkey.

Serap Kayasü, Prof. Dr., Head, Dept. of. City and Regional Planning, METU, Middle East Technical University, Ankara – Turkey

Hatice Karaca, Dept. of Landscape Architecture and Urban Design, Bilkent University, Ankara – Turkey

İlhan Saygılı, Former Ambassador of Turkey in Switzerland, Bern, CH

Timur Söylemez, Former Ambassador of Turkey in Mexico, Mexico City, MX

Engin Yürür, Former Ambassador of Turkey in Colombia,

Tolga Orkun, Former Consul General of Turkey, Amsterdam, NL

Oytun Deliktaş, British Embassy, Ankara Turkey

**Others:**

- Member of Turkish Chamber of City Planners
- Member of Chaine Des Rotisseurs, Turkey
- (Former) Member of SKAL International, Turkey
- Member of ATID, Anatolian Tourism Managers Association, Turkey
  
- ESRI ArcGIS packages
- Programming Knowledge of Fortran & Basic languages
- Experience in AutoCAD, 3D Max, Intergraph, Database, and other packages & Network programs.
- All Windows/Mac programs.
- AutoCAD Map, NetCad, and Intergraph Modular GIS and Mapping programs
  
- Experience as Professional Tourist Guide and Tour Operator, Turkey (1984-88)
- PHAB (Physically Handicapped and Able-Bodied - London) Workcamp leader, 4 camps, with European Physically and Mentally Handicapped Students, Turkey (1986-1987)
- ICYE (International Cultural Youth Exchange - Helsinki Finland) Turkish Workcamp Deputy leader, Turkey (1987-1988)
- EV-HANNOVER (Evangelische Jugendzentrum- Hannover Germany) Voluntary Youth Center Advisor, for Turkish workers' children, 2 months, Hannover, (1987)
- Experience as the volunteer, rescue member, disaster rescue and post-planning adviser, logistics distribution organizer in earthquakes in Turkey August and November 1999
- Motorcycle driver (BMW R1100GS & BMW R26 with sidecar), Photographer

And;

- Traveled and lived in Germany, England, France, Italy, Austria, USA, Holland, Switzerland, Scotland, Japan, Greece, Nepal, India, Egypt, Cyprus, Bahrain, and Sudan (Khartoum, Darfur, and Juba in 2005).
- Father of "Zeytin" the Cat...