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Faculty of Arts and Sciences Academic Activities Report

► Anthropology

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Zeynep Küçük's master's thesis defense in the Sociology Department at Boğaziçi University (June 3).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Ayşe Meryem Gürpınar's Ph.D. thesis monitoring committee at the ATA Institute at Boğaziçi University (June 6).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Ahu Somay's thesis monitoring committee (June 7).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Songül Bulmuş's thesis monitoring committee (June 13).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Kübra Üner's thesis monitoring committee (June 13).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Berna Uzel's master's thesis defense (June 24).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Sezin Eryılmaz's thesis monitoring committee (June 24).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Erdem Tepegöz's master's thesis defense (June 26).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Nilgün Özkan's thesis monitoring committee (June 26).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Özgür Örüklü's thesis monitoring committee (June 27).

- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Ece Çiftçi's thesis proposal committee (June 28).
- **Prof. Ebru KAYAALP** served as a jury member in Pınar Hüseyinoğlu Arpaçay's thesis monitoring committee (June 28).
- **Prof. Egemen YILGÜR** participated in the thesis monitoring committee of Celal Altın, a Ph.D. student in General Sociology and Methodology at MSGSÜ (June 11).
- **Prof. Egemen YILGÜR** participated in the thesis defense of Berna Uzel, a master's student in Anthropology at Yeditepe University (June 24).
- **Prof. Egemen YILGÜR** participated in the thesis monitoring committee of Ozan Doğan, a Ph.D. student in General Sociology and Methodology at MSGSÜ (June 25).
- **Asst. Prof. Ayşe Hilal Tuztaş HORZUMLU** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Nur Efşan Kılıç, a master's student in Clinical Psychology at Yeditepe University (May 31).
- **Asst. Prof. Ayşe Hilal Tuztaş HORZUMLU** participated in the thesis monitoring committee of Selin Cesur, a Ph.D. student in the Philosophy Department (June 6).
- **Asst. Prof. Ayşe Hilal Tuztaş HORZUMLU** participated in the thesis monitoring committee of İpek Ahu Somay, a Ph.D. student in the Anthropology Department (June 7).
- **Asst. Prof. Ayşe Hilal Tuztaş HORZUMLU** participated in the thesis monitoring committee of Zeynep Büşra Sungur, a Ph.D. student in the Anthropology Department (June 11).
- **Asst. Prof. Ayşe Hilal Tuztaş HORZUMLU** participated in the thesis monitoring committee of Kübra Üner, a Ph.D. student in the Anthropology Department (June 13).
- **Asst. Prof. Ayşe Hilal Tuztaş HORZUMLU** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Bahri Akyüz, a master's student in Science, Technology and Society at İTÜ (June 24).

❖ *Guest Speaker*

- **Prof. Dr. Egemen YILGÜR**, on Tuesday, June 11, 2024, provided information about the preliminary results of his research conducted at the Library of Congress in Washington, DC, to the faculty members and graduate students of the Sociology Department at Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University during the *Research Agenda* event series.

❖ *Book*

- **Asst. Prof. Alexander WASSE's** co-authored book chapter "Plastered: people-plaster relationships in the Neolithic Near East" was published in the book *Earthy Matters:*

Exploring Human Interactions with Earth, Soil, and Clay. Materialities in Anthropology and Archaeology.

❖ *Publication*

- The book review **Dr. Cemre AYDOĞAN** wrote for the book titled "Art Work: Invisible Labour and the Legacy of Yugoslav Socialism" was published in the *Slavic & East European Journal*, Vol. 68, No. 1: 115-117. (AHCI).

► *Translation and Interpreting Studies*

❖ *Congress Participation*

- **Res. Asst. Firuze Elif ŞAHİN** presented a paper titled “Okurların Gözünden Yeniden Çeviri: Türkiye Bağlamında George Orwell Eserlerinin Yeniden Çevirilerinin Alımlanması” at the *1. Ulusal Çeviribilim Kurultayı* in İzmir (27-29 Haziran).
- **Lecturer Gamze GÜRLEYEN** presented a paper titled “Toplum Çevirmenliğinde Etik İlke Algısı: Türkiye Örneği” at the *1. Ulusal Çeviribilim Kurultayı* in İzmir (27-29 Haziran).

► *Philosophy*

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Selin Cesur's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University.
- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Cem Taylan's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 24).
- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Sibel Nurtuğ Ovalı Barlas's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 25).
- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Denizalp Şimşek's thesis defense from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 25).
- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Bensu Altunsoy's thesis defense from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 26).
- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Özlem Karagöz's thesis defense from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 25).

- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** participated as a jury member in Hilal Yılmaz Yener's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 26).
- **Asst. Prof. Levent KAVAS** participated as a jury member in Cem Taylan's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 24, 2024).
- **Asst. Prof. Levent KAVAS** participated as a jury member in Sibel Nurtuğ Ovalı Barlas's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 25, 2024).
- **Asst. Prof. Levent KAVAS** participated as a jury member in Kartal Taşoğlu's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 26, 2024).
- **Asst. Prof. Levent KAVAS** participated as a jury member in Denizalp Şimşek's thesis defense from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 25, 2024).
- **Asst. Prof. Melike DURMAZ** participated as a jury member in Özlem Karagöz's thesis defense from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 25).
- **Asst. Prof. Melike DURMAZ** participated as a jury member in Hilal Yılmaz Yener's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 26).
- **Asst. Prof. Melike DURMAZ** participated as a jury member in Tarkan Koç's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 27).
- **Asst. Prof. Melike DURMAZ** participated as a jury member in Kartal Taşoğlu's thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 26).

❖ *Congress Participation*

- **Prof. Saffet BABÜR** presented a paper titled "Aristoteles ve Heidegger'e göre insana ne zaman 'yaşıyor' denebilir" at the *Assos, Sivrice-Değişim Ustaları, Doğa ve Felsefe Kampı* (June 20).
- **Assoc. Prof. Lale Levin BASUT** presented a paper titled "Schemata as Conceptus Reflectentes" at the online *Türkiye Kant Topluluğu - Virtual Kant Congress with a Cosmopolitan Purpose* (June 13).

❖ *Symposium Participation*

- **Asst. Prof. Levent KAVAS** presented a paper titled "Heidegger'in Yunancası" at the Goethe Institut, Ankara-Sıfırncı Sınıf (June 14).

► Physics

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Asst. Prof. Ercüment AKAT** served as a jury member at the thesis defense of Ecem Gül from the Department of Physics, Faculty of Science, Yıldız Technical University.

❖ *Congress Participation*

- **Asst. Prof. Melda Patan ALPER** presented a paper titled "An Innovative Approach for Determining Blackbody Emissivity Value: Comparison with Radiation Thermometer, SPRT, and Pyrometer for Radiation Thermometer Calibration" at *EurasianSciEnTech 2024* in Ankara (June 26).

❖ *Publication*

- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Search for singly produced vector-like top partners in multilepton final states with 139 fb^{-1} of \sqrt{s} collision data at $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ with the ATLAS detector" has been published in *Physical Review D (PRD)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Beam-induced backgrounds measured in the ATLAS detector during local gas injection into the LHC beam vacuum" has been published in *the Journal of Instrumentation (JINST)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Search for pair production of higgsinos in events with two Higgs bosons and missing transverse momentum in $\sqrt{s}=13 \text{ TeV}$ \sqrt{s} collisions at the ATLAS experiment" has been published in *Physical Review D (PRD)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Searches for exclusive Higgs boson decays into $D^* \gamma$ and Z boson decays into $D^0 \gamma$ and $K^0_s \gamma$ in \sqrt{s} collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ with the ATLAS detector" has been published in *Physics Letters B*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Search for high-mass resonances in final states with a τ -lepton and missing transverse momentum with the ATLAS detector" has been published in *Physical Review D (PRD)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Combination of searches for pair-produced leptoquarks at $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$ with the ATLAS detector" has been published in *Physics Letters B*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN's** article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Search for pair-production of vector-like quarks in lepton+jets final states containing at least one b -tagged jet using the Run 2 data from the ATLAS experiment" has been published in *Physics Letters B*.

- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN**'s article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Measurement of $t\bar{t}$ -channel single-top-quark production in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 5.02$ TeV with the ATLAS detector" has been published in Physics Letters B.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN**'s article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Combination of Searches for Resonant Higgs Boson Pair Production Using pp Collisions at $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV with the ATLAS Detector" has been published in *Physical Review D (PRD)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN**'s article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Measurement of $t\bar{t}$ -channel production of single top quarks and antiquarks in pp collisions at 13 TeV using the full ATLAS Run 2 data sample" has been published in the *Journal of High Energy Physics (JHEP)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN**'s article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Search for nearly mass-degenerate higgsinos using low-momentum mildly-displaced tracks in pp collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV with the ATLAS detector" has been published in *Physical Review Letters*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN**'s article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration "Search for new particles in final states with a boosted top quark and missing transverse momentum in proton-proton collisions at $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV with the ATLAS detector" has been published in *Journal of High Energy Physics (JHEP)*.
- **Asst. Prof. Serhat IŞTIN**'s article as part of The ATLAS Collaboration, "The ATLAS Experiment at the CERN Large Hadron Collider: A Description of the Detector Configuration for Run 3" has been published in the *Journal of Instrumentation (JINST)*.

► *English Language and Literature*

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Prof. Adriana RADUCANU** has served as a jury member for Tuğçe Özdiñç's thesis supervision from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (May 21).
- **Prof. Adriana RADUCANU** has served as a jury member and supervisor for Yağmur Tatar's thesis defense from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (May 24).
- **Prof. Adriana RADUCANU** has served as a jury member for Rana Yürüker's thesis supervision from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (June 7).

- **Prof. Adriana RADUCANU** has served as a jury member for Gamze Erpiş's thesis proposal from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (May 21).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for thesis supervision from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (May 24).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for thesis supervision from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (June 13).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for master's thesis defense from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (June 12).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for thesis supervision from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (June 8).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for thesis supervision from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (June 25).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for thesis supervision from the Department of Philosophy at Yeditepe University (June 26).
- **Assoc. Prof. Catherine MACMILLAN** has served as a jury member for thesis defense from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (May 24).
- **Asst. Prof. Burak AKKURT** has served as a jury member for Gülay Uzun's master's thesis defense from the Department of English Language and Literature at Yeditepe University (June 12).

❖ *Congress Participation*

- **Asst. Prof. Burak AKKURT** presented a paper titled "Mnemonic Shadow: A Jungian Reading of 'The Song of Hyndla'" at the *Literature and Psychology Conference* (May 8).
- **Asst. Prof. Hatice KARAMAN** presented a paper titled "A Poetic Debt: Acts of Hermeneutic Mourning" at the *8th Derrida Today Conference (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens)* (June 10-14).

► *Mathematics*

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Prof. Dr. Mustafa POLAT** served as a jury member for Begüm Çalışkan Desova's thesis defense from the Department of Mathematics, Yeditepe University, (June 10).
- **Asst. Prof. Neslihan Oflaz SARIYER** served as a jury member for Begüm Çalışkan Desova's thesis defense from the Department of Mathematics, Yeditepe University (June 10).
- **Asst. Prof. İlker Savaş YÜCE** served as a jury member for Begüm Çalışkan Desova's thesis defense from the Department of Mathematics, Yeditepe University (June 10).
- **Asst. Prof. Mehmet Akif ERDAL** participated in the thesis supervision committee for Haydar Can Kaya from the Department of Mathematical Engineering, Istanbul Technical University.

❖ *Symposium Participation*

- **Res. Asst. Esmanur Yıldız AKIL** presented a paper titled "The Exact Formulation of the First Transition Number in Nonlinear Reaction-Diffusion Equations" at The 3rd International Conference on Applied Mathematics in Engineering (ICAME'24) on June 2.

❖ *Project*

- **Assoc. Prof. Dr. İlknur KUŞBEYZİ AYBAR** has been awarded funding from the Horizon Europe: Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions- Staff Exchanges program for her project titled "DSYREKI (Dynamical Systems and Reaction Kinetics Networks).
- **Res. Asst. Esmanur Yıldız AKIL** has been accepted by the Technical University of Munich for Erasmus+ 2023 staff mobility program. She has been granted support from Yeditepe University for the project period from November 18-22, 2024.

▶ *Psychology*

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Assoc. Prof. Berke KIRIKKANAT** participated as a jury member in Ahu Gök's thesis defense from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 26).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Berçem Su Ozak from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 6).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Zeynep İrem Çobanoğlu from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 3).

- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Yasemin Dikmen from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 6).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Rana Safaz from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 12).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Buse Dalcı from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 12).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of İpek Mercan from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 13).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Ezgi Güneş from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 13).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Yaren Erdoğan from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 24).
- **Asst. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** participated as a jury member in Ahu Gök's thesis defense from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 26).
- **Asst. Prof. Mari Ito ALPTÜRER** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Seda Altıntaş from the Psychology Department of Yeditepe University (June 25).
- **Asst. Prof. İrem Öztürk ANABAL** participated as a jury member in the thesis defense of Ebrar Özdemir from the Psychology Department of Istanbul Kent University (June 25).

❖ *Book*

- **Assoc. Prof. Neslihan ZABCI**'s book chapter titled "Makara Oyunu, Yineleme Zorlantısı ve Egemen Olma Dürtüsü" has been published in the book *Freud Diye Diye* by Sanat Kritik Yayınları (ISBN: 978-625-395-254-9).

❖ *Publication*

- **Assoc. Prof. Neslihan ZABCI**'s article titled "Maternal Gatekeeping in Children with Developmental Language Disorder" has been published in *Psychiatry and Clinical Psychopharmacology*.
- The article titled "Psychological resilience and cognitive flexibility levels of women diagnosed with breast cancer" by **Assist. Prof. Billur ÖRNEK** and **Assist. Prof. Esra SAVAŞ** has been published in the *Journal of Positive Psychology & Wellbeing*.

► Russian Language and Literature

❖ *Book*

- **Asst. Prof. İlsever RAMİ**'s book titled "Rus Seyahatnamelerinde Osmanlı Toplumu ve Türk İmgesi" has been published by *Nobel Akademik Yayıncılık*.

► Turkish Language and Literature

❖ *Jury Membership*

- **Prof. Ali BUDAK** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 25).
- **Prof. Ali BUDAK** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 25).
- **Prof. Ali BUDAK** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 25).
- **Prof. Ali BUDAK** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 27).
- **Prof. Ali BUDAK** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 27).
- **Prof. Ali BUDAK** participated as a jury member in thesis proposal evaluation at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 27).
- **Prof. Melda ÜNER** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 25).
- **Prof. Melda ÜNER** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 25).
- **Prof. Melda ÜNER** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 25).
- **Prof. Melda ÜNER** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 27).
- **Prof. Melda ÜNER** participated as a jury member in thesis proposal evaluation at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 27).

- **Prof. Melda ÜNER** participated as a jury member in thesis proposal evaluation at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature (June 27).
- **Asst. Prof. Bahar GÖKPINAR** participated as a jury member in thesis proposal evaluation at Yeditepe University's Department of New Turkish Literature.
- **Asst. Prof. Bahar GÖKPINAR** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Istanbul University.
- **Asst. Prof. Bahar GÖKPINAR** participated as a jury member in master's thesis defense at Bilgi University.
- **Asst. Prof. Bahar GÖKPINAR** participated as a jury member in the master's thesis defense at Yeditepe University's Department of Comparative Literature.
- **Asst. Prof. Serkan ŞENER** participated as a jury member in the master's thesis defense at Boğaziçi University's Cognitive Sciences Master's Program (June 3).
- **Asst. Prof. Serkan ŞENER** participated as a jury member in thesis monitoring at Yeditepe University's English Language and Literature PhD Program (June 24).
- **Asst. Prof. Serkan ŞENER** participated as a jury member in the thesis proposal evaluation at Yeditepe University's English Language and Literature PhD Program (June 28).