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ABOUT ME

I am a Master of Urban Design student at Middle East Technical University having a goal of being a qualified academician and researcher in a reputable university.

WORK EXPERIENCE

04/2023 – CURRENT Ankara, Türkiye

RESEARCH PROJECT ASSISTANT MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

METU-SUIT

01/10/2022 – 03/10/2022 Ankara, Türkiye

MEMBER OF WORKSHOP ORGANIZER TEAM COST

Middle Class Mass Housing

12/2021 – 03/2023 Ankara, Türkiye

UNIVERSITY PROJECT RESEARCH ASSISTANT MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

219K243 - Kent Formu, Hava Kirliliği Ve Çocukluk Dönemi Astımı İlişkisi

03/2022 – 02/2023 Ankara, Türkiye

ARCHIVE ASSISTANT MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

06/10/2021 – CURRENT Ankara, Türkiye

WRITER BILKENT DESIGN AND ARCHITECTURE SOCIETY - PAFTAMAG

<http://paftamag.bilkent.edu.tr/index.php/author/furkan-erdem/>

15/07/2021 – 06/08/2021 Ankara, Türkiye

INTERN PROMIM URBAN AND ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN

Urban Design, Drawing Sections, Arranging Architectural Details, Writing Reports

28/08/2020 – 01/06/2021 Ankara, Türkiye

INTERN LIKYA URBAN PLANNING, ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN DESIGN

Urban Design, Landscape Design, Architectural Design, Urban Planning, Writing Reports, Translating from Turkish to English, Drawing Conceptual Diagrams, Master Planning, Assisting

10/06/2019 – 21/06/2019 Ankara, Türkiye

INTERN MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY - FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE

Site Visit, Mapping Topography, Drawing METU Architecture Faculty by using AutoCAD and modelling it by using SketchUp, Designing Poster

26/10/2017 – 01/09/2018 Ankara, Türkiye

DESIGNER/ORGANIZER/MEMBER METU AR-GE SOCIETY

Making designs for Social Media, Organizing Event and Event Day, Making networks for sponsorships, Society Events, Giving personal development lessons for society members, Being a member of one of the initiators of ODTU Mülakat Günleri Event

● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

09/2022 – CURRENT Ankara, Türkiye

MASTER'S DEGREE Middle East Technical University

CGPA: 4.0

11/08/2018 – 07/2022 Ankara, Türkiye

BACHELOR'S DEGREE Middle East Technical University

1st Degree in Faculty of Architecture

1st Degree in Department of City and Regional Planning

Address Üniversiteler, Dumlupınar Blv. 1/6 D:133, Çankaya/Ankara, 06800 , Ankara, Türkiye |

Website <https://www.metu.edu.tr/> | **Field of study** City and Regional Planning | **Final grade** 3,91/4,00

19/09/2016 – 09/06/2017 Ankara, Türkiye

GRADUATE Mat-Fen Private High School

Address Korkutreis Mahallesi Sezenler Caddesi, Sıhhiye No:14, Çankaya/Ankara, 06430 , Ankara, Türkiye |

Website <https://www.matfen.com.tr/> | **Final grade** 89,97

16/09/2013 – 17/06/2016 Ankara, Türkiye

STUDENT Fethiye Kemal Mumcu Anatolian High School (Vecihi Hürkuş Anatolian High School)

Address Gümüşdere Mah. Yavuz Sultan Selim Blv. No:7/1, Keçiören/Ankara, 06135, Ankara, Türkiye |

Website <https://vhal.meb.k12.tr/>

● LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **TURKISH**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
ENGLISH	C1	C1	B2	B2	C1
GERMAN	A1	A2	A2	A2	A1
FRENCH	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● **DIGITAL SKILLS**

About Profession

AutoDesk AutoCAD | Lumion | Rhinoceros | Grasshopper | SketchUp | ArcGIS | vvv | NetCAD

General

Microsoft Office | Adobe Photoshop | Adobe Lightroom | Adobe InDesign | Fusion360 | Adobe Illustrator | Adobe Premiere | MovAVI

● **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

DRIVING LICENCE

Driving Licence: B

HONOURS AND AWARDS

2022

1st Degree in Faculty of Architecture – Middle East Technical University

2022

1st Degree in Department of City and Regional Planning – Middle East Technical University

2022

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University

2021

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University

2021

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University Summer Semester

2020

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University Winter Semester

2020

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University Summer Semester

2019

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University Winter Semester

2018

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University Summer Semester

2017

METU High Honor List – Middle East Technical University Winter Semester

MANAGEMENT AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS

Take initiative

Meet the deficit

Professionalism

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Reading Journals, articles, essays and books

Writing Blogs and essays

Researching About profession

Movie Making Documentaries & Urban

Sport activities Team sports: Basketball, volleyball, football

Individual sports: Swimming, running, yoga, hapkido (6 years certificated), kick-box (1 year certificated)

Photography

Art Interested in sculpture, painting, theatre, opera, cinema and gallery

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Group and team work

Talking and presenting in front of people

Responsibility

VOLUNTEERING

09/2020 – CURRENT

TEMA Foundation

ACADEMIC PARTICIPATION

Union for Mediterranean: Meeting Schools of Architecture and Urban Planning of the Euro-Mediterranean Region

Presentation with Assist. Prof. Dr. Ahmet Burak Büyükcivelek

Exploredraft: Tasarımda Yeni Yaklaşımlar Semineri

Seminar Topic: Sustainable Communities through Tactical Urbanism

2020

2nd Year Urban Design Final Project (Referred to)

Gedikli, B. (2020), Sürdürülebilir ve İklim Duyarlı Kentler İçin Planlama ve Tasarımda Yeşil Altyapının Rolü, *Kentsel ve Bölgesel Araştırmalar Ağrı: 7. Kentsel ve Bölgesel Araştırmalar Sempozyumu*, 86

LICENCES AND CERTIFICATIONS

05/2023

Sustain-IT Exhibition 2

Certificate for Participation by Embassy of Italy Ankara

Sustain-It Exhibition

Certificate for Participation by Embassy of Italy Ankara

Netcad 8.5.1 GIS

2021

Goethe-Institut e.V. - Teilnahmebestätigung - A2.1

A2.1 Degree Course Completion

10/07/2021 – 11/07/2021

Middle East Technical University - The Timbre of the Place

Workshop - Participation

27/05/2021 – 28/05/2021

METU Mech Society: Productive Design Challenge

Competitor

12/06/2021

DelftX: CLOG01x: Sustainable Urban Freight Transport: A Global Perspective

Course Completion - Valid Certificate ID: 90c5a9825eed47ff8cf6e0ea28676a54

2021

Goethe-Institut e.V. - Teilnahmebestätigung - A1.2

A1.2 Degree Course Completion

06/06/2021

DAS Bilkent - tB Talks: Webinar Series, Panel III

Participation

03/05/2021

Global AI Hub: Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Course Completion - Valid Certificate ID: 69406324349440

25/04/2021

Global AI Hub: AI and Art Workshop with Refik Anadol

Workshop - Participation - Valid Certificate ID: 47247405567495

17/04/2021

DAS Bilkent - tB Talks: Webinar Series, Panel II

Participation

10/04/2021

DAS Bilkent - tB Talks: Webinar Series, Panel I

Participation

31/03/2021 – 04/04/2021

TÜBİTAK 2237-A: Nature-Based Solutions in Urban Expansion Areas in the Adaptation Process to Climate Change

Course - Workshop

20/03/2021

DAS Bilkent - tB Talks: Kerenza Harris

Participation

2021

Goethe-Institut e.V. - Teilnahmebestätigung - A1.1

A1.1 Degree Course Completion

15/12/2020 – 02/03/2021

Boğaziçi University: Climate 2030: Climate Change with Children and Youth

Course - Participation - <https://buyem.boun.edu.tr/sertifika-sorgulama.html?uye=furkan-erdem-sozeri&sert=.323>

11/12/2020

DAS Bilkent - tB Talks: Refik Anadol

Participation

2019

Middle East Technical University - ARCH 517: Evolving the Paradigm of Universal Design: Design for All People - Design Your Fun

Workshop - Participation

2019

Middle East Technical University - the Voice of the Place

Workshop - Participation

2017

Yaşamartı Personal Development Summit - "The Power of Knowledge"

Participation

2017

Yaşamartı Personal Development Summit - "Don't Worry About Everything About Life"

Participation

2017

Yaşamartı Personal Development Summit - "Future Business Life"

Participation

2017

Yaşamartı Personal Development Summit - "Simplicity in Communication: Effective Listening and Correct Interpretation"

Participation

COMPETITIONS

Küçükçekmece Lagünü Havzası Fikir Projesi Yarışması

Link <https://konkur.istanbul/projeler/43-sira-numarali-proje-964750/>

Türkiye Ay Üsleri Ulusal Fikir Yarışması

2nd Degree

Link <https://www.arkitera.com/proje/2-odul-profesyonel-kategorisi-turkiye-ay-usleri-ulusal-fikir-yarismasi/>

01/09/2021 – CURRENT

Bodrum: Two Square One Street Competition

Competitor

27/05/2021 – 28/05/2021

METU Mech Society: Productive Design Challenge

Student Design Competition - Participation

WORKSHOPS

COST: (Co)Designing For Quality Of Life In Middle-Class Mass Housing: Exploring Challenges & Opportunities

Sustain-It Workshop & Exhibition

Sustainable Communities through Tactical Urbanism

10/07/2021 – 11/07/2021

Middle East Technical University - The Timbre of the Place

The sites were visited, and it is tried to be founded the timbre of the place while developing ourselves in an artistic way.

31/03/2021 – 04/04/2021

TÜBİTAK 2237-A: Nature-Based Solutions in Urban Expansion Areas in the Adaptation Process to Climate Change

The Nature-Based Solutions are presented for the context of Eymir - Mogan - İmrahor.

2019

Middle East Technical University - ARCH 517: Evolving the Paradigm of Universal Design: Design for All People - Design Your Fun

There are designs and models which comes from children's minds and adapt them to space creating process.

2019

ŞPO Ankara - Yarım Kalan Yeni Şehir (Unfinished New City)

Typophoto Workshop

2019

Middle East Technical University - the Voice of the Place

It is aimed to visit places (METU and Maidan) to find the rhythm and the voice that a place has. After that music had been made according to the rhythm that those places have.

EXHIBITIONS

İstiklal Mahallesi: Mekan Deneyiminin Sanatsal Arayüzleri

The Decimation

ŞPO Ankara - Duygular Coğrafyası Ankara

E/SPA/S (Event-Space Syntax-Sense) Atölyesi-Geleneksel Modern Kentsel Mekânlar Arakesitinde Duyguların İzdüşümü

06/2021

ŞPO Ankara - Yarım Kalan Yeni Şehir (Unfinished New City)

Typophoto Exhibition named Yarım Kalanın ABC'si. (ABC of Unfinished) @Çağdaş Sanatlar Merkezi - Ankara

04/04/2021 – 11/04/2021

TÜBİTAK 2237-A: Nature-Based Solutions in Urban Expansion Areas in the Adaptation Process to Climate Change

Online Exhibition

2019

Middle East Technical University - ARCH 517: Evolving the Paradigm of Universal Design: Design for All People - Design Your Fun

@Tevfik Fikret Private School

2020

Sinop Planning Studio: Thematic Sketch Problem: Monument and City

@Sinop Culture Center

2020

Sinop Planning Studio: 1/100.000 - 1/25.000 Plans

@Sinop Culture Center

2019

Basic Design Studio: Final Assignment - Reshaping the Topography: Pergamon

@TED University

2018

Basic Design Studio: Rhythm

@Tevfik Fikret Private School

2018

Basic Design Studio: Balance - Asymmetry

@Middle East Technical University