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Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

September 2013 - Present, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychology, Bilkent University

ACADEMIC DEGREES

Inter-University Council, Turkey

Associate Professor (Docent), 2016

Cornell University, U.S.A.

Ph.D. in Psychology (Social and Personality Psychology Concentration, Minor in Cognitive Science), 2013

Middle East Technical University (METU), Turkey

B.S. with honors in Business Administration, 2002

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Interpersonal Relationships, Mental Representations, Emotion Regulation, Person Perception

FUNDING

Accepted:

The Role of Responsiveness Variability and Average Responsiveness in Relational Outcomes, The Science and Technology Institute of Turkey (TUBITAK) 1001 Scientific and Technological Research Projects Funding Program, *Principal Investigator*, 01.11.2018-01.11.2021, Estimated Budget: 359.174,97 TL.

Ongoing:

The Role of Idiosyncratic Experiences in Mental Representations of Relationship Partners, Turkish Academy of Sciences Outstanding Young Scientist Award Program (TÜBA-GEBIP), *Principal Investigator*, 01.05.2016-01.05.2019, Budget: 60,000.00 TL.

Adult Attachment Formation: Development of Vocal and Physiological Synchrony, The Science and Technology Institute of Turkey (TUBITAK) 3501 Career Development Program, *Investigator*, 01.03.2017-01.03.2020, Budget: 360,726.00 TL.

Completed:

Formation and Development of Attachment Mental Representations in Adulthood, The Science and Technology Institute of Turkey (TUBITAK) 3501 Career Development Program, *Principal Investigator*, 01.05.2015-01.04.2018, Budget: 262,087.00 TL.

Developing a Game Engine for Mobile Devices to Facilitate Social Interaction, 1507 Small and Medium-Sized Enterprises Research and Development Program, The Science and Technology Institute of Turkey (TUBITAK), *Consultant*, 01.05.2015-31.10.2016, Budget: 433,147.90 TL.

PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

Bayraktaroglu, D., **Gunaydin, G.**, Selcuk, E., & Ong, A. D. (in press). A daily diary investigation of the link between television watching and positive affect. *Journal of Happiness Studies*. doi:10.1007/s10902-018-9989-8

- Gunaydin, G.,** Selcuk, E., Yilmaz, C., & Hazan, C. (2018). I have, therefore I love: Status quo preference in mate choice. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, 44*, 589-600. doi: 10.1177/0146167217746339
- Tasfiliz, D., Selcuk, E., **Gunaydin, G.,** Slatcher, R. B., Corriero, E., & Ong, A. D. (2018). Patterns of perceived partner responsiveness and well-being in Japan and the United States. *Journal of Family Psychology, 32*, 355-365. doi: 10.1037/fam0000378
- Gunaydin, G.,** Selcuk, E., & Zayas, V. (2017). Impressions based on a portrait predict, one-month later, impressions following a live interaction, *Social Psychological and Personality Science, 8*, 36-44. doi: 10.1177/1948550616662123
- Gunaydin, G.,** Selcuk, E., & Ong, A. D. (2016). Trait reappraisal predicts affective reactivity to daily positive and negative events. *Frontiers in Psychology, 7*, 1000. doi: 10.3389/fpsyg.2016.01000
- Selcuk, E., **Gunaydin, G.,** Ong, A. D., & Almeida, D. A. (2016). Does partner responsiveness predict hedonic and eudaimonic well-being? A 10-year longitudinal study, *Journal of Marriage and Family, 78*, 311-325. doi: 10.1111/jomf.12272
- Gunaydin, G.,** & DeLong, J. E. (2015). Reverse correlating love: Highly passionate women idealize their partner's facial appearance. *PLoS ONE, 10*, e0121094. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0121094
- Selcuk, E., Zayas, V., **Gunaydin, G.,** Hazan, C., & Kross, E. (2012). Mental representations of attachment figures facilitate emotional recovery following upsetting autobiographical memory recall. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, 103*, 362-378. doi: 10.1037/a0028125
- Gunaydin, G.,** Zayas, V., Selcuk, E., & Hazan, C. (2012). I like you but I don't know why: Objective facial resemblance to significant others influences snap judgments. *Journal of Experimental Social Psychology, 48*, 350-353. doi: 10.1016/j.jesp.2011.06.001
- Selcuk, E., **Gunaydin, G.,** Sümer, N., Harma, M., Salman, S., Hazan, C., Dogruyol, B., & Ozturk, A. (2010). Self-reported romantic attachment style predicts everyday maternal caregiving behavior at home. *Journal of Research in Personality, 44*, 544-549. doi: 10.1016/j.jrp.2010.05.007

BOOK CHAPTERS & COMMENTARIES

- Selcuk, E., Karagobek, B., & **Gunaydin, G.** (in press). Responsiveness as a key predictor of happiness: Mechanisms and unanswered questions. In M. Demir & N. Sumer (Eds.), *Close Relationships and Happiness*. New York: Springer.
- Zayas, V., **Gunaydin, G.,** & Shoda, Y. (2015). From an unknown other to an attachment figure: How do mental representations change with attachment formation? In V. Zayas & C. Hazan (Eds.), *Bases of Adult Attachment: Linking Brain, Mind and Behavior* (pp. 157-183). Springer.
- Gunaydin, G.,** Selcuk, E. & Hazan, C. (2013). Finding the one: A process model of human mate selection. In C. Hazan & M. Campa (Eds.), *Human Bonding: The Science of Affectional Ties* (pp. 101-131). New York: Guilford.
- Zayas, V., **Gunaydin, G.,** & Pandey, G. (2013). Key lessons from research on self-regulation and delay of gratification [Commentary]. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences, 36*, 706-707. doi: 10.1017/S0140525X13001490
- Zayas, V., Tabak, J. A., **Gunaydin, G.,** & Robertson, J. M. R. (2009). A social-cognitive model to human behavior offers a more parsimonious account of emotional expressivity [Commentary]. *Behavioral and Brain Sciences, 32*, 407-408. doi: 10.1017/S0140525X09990094

PUBLICATIONS IN TURKISH

- Imamoglu, E. O., **Gunaydin G.,** & Selcuk E. (2011). Özgün benliğin yordayıcıları olarak kendileşme & ilişkililik: Cinsiyetin & kültürel yönelimlerin ötesinde. *Türk Psikoloji Dergisi, 26*, 27-43.

Gunaydin, G., Selcuk, E., Sumer, N., & Uysal, A. (2005). Ebeveyn & Arkadaşlara Bağlanma Envanteri Kısa Formunun psikometrik açıdan değerlendirilmesi. *Türk Psikoloji Yazıları*, 8, 13-23.

Selcuk, E., **Gunaydin, G.,** Sumer, N., & Uysal, A. (2005). Yetişkin bağlanma boyutları için yeni bir ölçüm: Yakın İlişkilerde Yaşantılar Envanteri-II'nin Türk örnekleminde psikometrik açıdan değerlendirilmesi. *Türk Psikoloji Yazıları*, 8, 1-11.

CHAIRED SYMPOSIA

July 2018. Show me the love: A nuanced view of antecedents and correlates of attachment representations. International Association for Relationship Research Conference (co-chair: Sarah C. E. Stanton), Fort Collins, CO.

May, 2013. The many faces of person perception: From static images to online profiles to live interactions. Annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science (co-chair: Vivian Zayas), Washington D.C.

May, 2011. Formation and development of adult attachment: From brain to mind to behavior. Annual meeting of the Association for Psychological Science (co-chair: Vivian Zayas), Washington D.C.

HONORS & AWARDS

Turkish Academy of Sciences Outstanding Young Scientist Award, 2016

Travel Award, Society for Social and Personality Psychology (SPSP), 2013

Dallenbach Fellowship for Outstanding Scholarship, Cornell University, Department of Psychology, 2013

Conference Travel Grant, Cognitive Science Program at Cornell University, 2011; 2012

Small Research Grant, Cornell University, Department of Psychology, 2011

Conference Travel Grant, Cornell University, 2008; 2009; 2010; 2011; 2012

Fulbright Visiting Student Researcher Fellowship, 2007-2008

Research Fellowship, Project name: The impact of attachment, caregiving, and family dynamics on child's development in infancy and middle childhood, Grant no: 105K102, The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TUBITAK), 2005-2007

Conference Travel Award, The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey, 2006

Middle East Technical University Merit Scholarship, 1998-2002

Turkish Education Association Prof. Rüstü Yüce Excellence in Education Award, 1998

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Member, Association for Psychological Science (APS)

Member, Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)

Member, International Association for Relationship Research (IARR)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

June 2016-present Member of Graduate Fellowships Evaluation Panel
Fulbright Commission of Turkey

February 2016-October 2017 Associate Editor
Frontiers in Psychology, Personality and Social Psychology Section

December 2014-present Member of Program Committee
International Symposium on Brain and Cognitive Science

2014-2015 Member of Social Psychology Grant Evaluation Panel
The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TÜBİTAK)

2011-present Ad-hoc reviewer
Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, Journal of Happiness Studies,
Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, Plos One, Frontiers in Psychology,
Social Psychological and Personality Science

INVITED TALKS

“Person perception from new encounters to close relationship partners” 20th Annual Convention of Turkish Psychological Association, Invited Talk, November 2018.

“Relationship formation and functioning: From new encounters to affectional bonds” University of Cologne, Institute of Sociology and Social Psychology, Invited Talk, October 2017.

“Mental representations of newly met acquaintances and close relationship partners” Turkish Academy of Sciences, Outstanding Young Scientist Award Annual Meeting, Invited Talk, September 2017.

“How do I know you? Person perception from photographs to live interactions” Middle East Technical University, Department of Psychology, Invited Talk, April 2015.

TEACHING

Courses taught at Bilkent University, Turkey (2013-18)

PSYC 510 - Advanced Social Psychology

PSYC 438 - Interpersonal Relationships

PSYC 330 - Applied Social Psychology

PSYC 230 - Social Psychology

Courses taught at Cornell University, U.S.A. (2012)

PSYCH 3800 - Social Cognition

Guest lectures

2011, November. *Confession evidence*. Cornell University Psychology 2650 - Psychology and Law.

2010, October. *Stereotypes*. Cornell University Psychology 3800 - Social Cognition.

INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

2018-present Member of the University-Wide Traffic Committee, Bilkent University

2017-present Member of the Departmental Accreditation Work Group, Department of Psychology, Bilkent University

2016-present Member of the University-Wide Ethics Committee for Research Involving Human Subjects, Bilkent University

2016-present Member of PhD Qualifying Examination Committee, Department of Psychology, Bilkent University

2015-present Member of the Faculty Board, Faculty of Economics, Administrative and Social Sciences, Bilkent University

2014-present Member of the Psychology Graduate Admissions Committee, Department of Psychology, Bilkent University

Jan-June 2018 Acting Chair of the University-Wide Ethics Committee for Research Involving Human Subjects, Bilkent University

2014-2016 Director of Psychology Graduate Programs, Department of Psychology, Bilkent University

2014-2016 Member of the Ethics Sub-Committee for Course-Related Student Research, Bilkent University

2014-2015 Member of Psychology Chair Search Committee, Bilkent University

2014-2015 Member of Psychology Faculty Search Committee, Bilkent University

2013-2014 Member of Psychology Laboratories Planning Committee, Bilkent University