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Professor of International Relations,
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CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL DATA

Born July 26, 1945, İzmir, Turkey. Turkish citizen. Male. Married, three children. Fluent in Turkish, French, English.

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HIGHER EDUCATION AND DEGREES

- Ph.D, Faculty of Political Science (**SBF**) (1974).
- BA., SBF, Ankara University, Ankara, Turkey (1968)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Voluntary early retirement from the Faculty of Political Science while continuing to teach at SBF (2007)
- Visiting scholar, St. Antony's College, Oxford (2006)
- Lecturer (part time), Academy of the Turkish Foreign Ministry (1997-2005).
- Lecturer (part time), European Community Research Center, Ankara University (1991-2006);
- Lecturer (part-time), Faculty of Communications, University of Ankara (1997-2003);
- Full Professor of International Relations at Faculty of Political Science (SBF), Ankara University (July 1997);
- Visiting Associate Professor, University of Dokuz Eylül, İzmir, (1994-95);
- Associate Professor, SBF, Ankara University (1991);
- Returned to the SBF, Ankara University (upon the decision of the Supreme Administrative Court in September 1990);
- Redactor, *Encyclopaedia Britannica*, Turkish Edition (1983-1990);
- Research Associate, Institut Universitaire de Hautes Etudes Internationales (IUHEI), Geneva, Switzerland (1974-75);
- Assistant Professor, International Relations Department, SBF, Ankara University, 1969-82. (Dismissed from the university, along with 72 other scholars throughout Turkey, on the order of the military government in November 1982);

OTHER POSITIONS

- “National Liaison Officer” to Council of Europe’s European Commission Against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI) (since 1999).
- Chairman of the Minority and Cultural Rights Sub-committee, Advisory Council on Human Rights, State Ministry for Human Rights (since 2003).
- Head, International Relations chair, SBF, Ankara University (1998-2006).
- Political Commentator, Special Broadcasting Service (SBS) Turkish Edition, Australia (1999-2006).
- Political columnist in *Agos*, weekly newspaper published by the Armenian community in Istanbul (since February 2000).
- Political columnist in *Birgun*, daily newspaper (2004-2006)
- Political columnist in the weekly magazines/newspapers *Büyük Meclis*, *Yeni Gündem*, *İkibin’e Doğru*, *Tempo*, *Aydınlık* (1985-2000);

MAIN FIELDS OF INTEREST

- Nationalism,
- Minorities,
- Globalization,
- Turkish foreign policy,
- Religion-State relations.

COURSES TAUGHT (last three years):

BA level:

- Turkish Foreign Policy-1, 1919-45 (2nd year);
- Turkish Foreign Policy-2, 1945-1980 (3rd year);
- Turkish Foreign Policy-3, (1980-2001) (3rd year);
- Nationalism, Globalization, and Minorities (2nd year);
- Current Issues in International Politics (4th year);

MA and Ph.D level:

- Multiculturalism;
- Theories of Nationalism;
- Kurdish Nationalism in the Ottoman Empire and Turkey;
- The Armenian Problem in the Ottoman Empire and Turkey.

A detailed list of publications can be found at <http://baskinoran.com/>