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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

University of Glasgow, Glasgow, UK

October 2020 - Present

Postdoctoral Research Associate

School of Social & Political Sciences

Project DEMED: Democracy under Threat: How Education can Save it

EDUCATION

Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY

December 2020

Ph.D. in Political Science

Subfields: Comparative Politics, International Relations

University of Essex, Colchester, UK

2014

M.A. in Ideology & Discourse Analysis

Boğaziçi University, İstanbul, Turkey

2013

B.A. in Political Science & International Relations

B.A. in Economics

JOURNAL ARTICLES

“Whisper Sweet Nothings to Me Erdogan: Developmentalist Propaganda, Partisan Emotions, and Economic Evaluations in Turkey.” 2023. Accepted for publication at *Democratization*. <https://osf.io/thvba/>

“How to Improve Representativeness and Cost-effectiveness in Samples Recruited through Meta: A Comparison of Advertisement Tools.” Co-authored with Anja Neundorf. 2023. *Plos One*. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0281243>

“The Erdoğan government’s response to the COVID-19 pandemic: Performance and actuality in an authoritarian context.” Co-authored with Melis Laebens. 2022. *Government & Opposition*, 1-18. <https://doi.org/10.1017/gov.2022.16>

“When Does Backsliding Lead to Breakdown? Uncertainty and Opposition Strategies in Democracies at Risk.” Co-authored with Matthew R. Cleary. 2022. *Perspectives on Politics*, 20(1): 205-221. . <https://doi.org/10.1017/S1537592720003667>

“Partisanship and Autocratization: Polarization, Power Asymmetry and Partisan Social Identities in Turkey.” Co-authored with Melis Laebens. 2021. *Comparative Political Studies*, 54(2):245-279. <https://doi.org/10.1177/0010414020926199>

“Islamists Against the Class Cleavage: Identity Formation and Interest Representation in the Case of Hak-İş in Turkey.” 2018. *Middle Eastern Studies*, 54(3): 459-474. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00263206.2017.1419192>

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW

“Advertising Online Surveys on Social Media: How Your Advertisements Affect Your Samples.” Co-authored with Anja Neundorf. *Under review*. <https://osf.io/84h3t/>

“Recognition Paradox: Minority Language Recognition, Political Trust, and Ethnic Demands.” Co-authored with Sevinc Ozturk. *Under review*. <https://osf.io/rmy6v/>

"A loyal base? Authoritarian support in times of crisis: Evidence from Turkey." Co-authored with Anja Neundorff, Ksenia Northmore-Ball, Katerina Tertychnaya, and Johannes Gerschewski. *Under review*. <https://osf.io/an9q6/>

"How Refugees Respond to Anti-Refugee Elite Discourse: No Exit, But Less Voice" Co-authored with Sefa Secen. *Under review*. <https://osf.io/3tjey>

SELECTED GRANTS, AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

John Robertson Bequest Award, University of Glasgow. 2023.

The Mercury Project, Social Science Research Council - Invited for the Final Stage. 2022.

Research Grant, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung - Turkey Program. 2021.

College Research Fund, School of Social & Political Sciences, University of Glasgow. 2022, 2021.

Andrew Berlin Family Research Grant, Institute for Security Policy and Law. 2019, 2018.

Ketcham Award for the Study of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Department of Political Science, 2019.

Research Grant, Centennial Center for Political Science and Public Affairs, American Political Science Association (APSA). 2018.

Research Grant, Association for the Study of Middle East and Africa (ASMEA). 2018.

Short-Term Research Fellowship, Travel Grant, and Honorarium, Hoover Institution at Stanford University. 2018.

Summer Research Grant, Moynihan Institute of Global Affairs. 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017.

Koff Award for Best Graduate Student Paper in Comparative Politics, Department of Political Science. 2018, 2017.

Best Graduate Student Paper Award, Middle Eastern Studies Program, Moynihan Institute of Global Affairs. 2020, 2016.

Jean Monnet Scholarship Programme, Grant Scheme Programme for Promotion of the Civil Society Dialogue Between the European Union and Turkey, 2014.

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS

Invited talk at the University of Dundee: 2023

Political Science Association (PSA) Annual Meeting: 2023 (Scheduled), 2022.

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA) Annual Meeting: 2023 (Scheduled), 2019, 2018.

Western Political Science Association (WPSA) Annual Meeting: 2023 (Scheduled)

American Political Science Association (APSA) Annual Meeting: 2022 (Panel Organizer), 2021, 2019 (Panel Organizer).

European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR) Joint Sessions: 2022.

4th Annual UK Political Psychology Conference: 2022.

European Political Science Association (EPSA) Annual Meeting: 2021.

General Online Research Conference (GOR) Annual Meeting: 2021.

International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP) Annual Meeting: 2020, 2019.

NYU - CESS Experimental Political Science Conference: 2020.

Turkey Today: Issues in Turkish Politics Workshop, Yale University & Columbia University. 2019 (Organizer), 2017 (Organizer).

TEACHING

Independent Teaching Experience

Lecturer, PSC/MES 344 Politics of Middle East, Syracuse University, 2018.

Lecturer, Qualitative Data Analysis, Summer Methods School, Kadir Has University, 2018.

Faculty Sponsor, PAI 690 Independent Study, Syracuse University, 2018.

Lecturer, PSC 124 International Relations, Syracuse University, 2017.

Other Teaching Experience & Teaching Award

Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award, Syracuse University Graduate School, 2019.

Teaching Assistant for Comparative Politics, International Political Economy, International Relations, Religion and Politics in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict, Public Opinion and Electoral Behavior. Syracuse University. 2014-2020.

Future Professoriate Program, Syracuse University Graduate School. 2016-2018.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal Reviewer, *American Political Science Review*, *World Politics*, *American Journal of Political Science*, *Comparative Political Studies*, *British Journal of Political Science*, *Rethinking Marxism*, *Nations and Nationalism*, *South European Society and Politics*, *British Journal of Middle Eastern Studies*, *Southeast European and Black Sea Studies*, *Democracy & Security*.

Co-organizer, Social Media as a Research Tool Webinar Series, University of Glasgow (2022, 2021).

Member of Conference Organization Committee, Issues in Turkish Politics Conferences at Columbia University (2019), Northeastern University (2018), Yale University (2017).

Member of Organization Committee, Summer School on Methods, Kadir Has University, 2018.

President, Political Science Graduate Students Association of Syracuse University, 2018-2019.

Founding Member, Northeast Working Group on Turkish Politics, 2017-2020.

Member of Sherman Social Committee, Political Science Graduate Students Association of Syracuse University, 2016-2017.

Officer of Academic Relations, Turkish Students Association at Syracuse University, 2015-2017.

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

American Political Science Association (APSA)

Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA)

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Languages Turkish (Native), English (Fluent), Russian (Intermediate).

Software & Tools Stata, R, L^AT_EX, ATLAS.Ti.

REFERENCES

Anja Neundorf, Professor of Politics and Research Methods
Steven E. Finkel, Professor of Political Science
Brian D. Taylor, Professor of Political Science
Matthew R. Cleary, Associate Professor of Political Science

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