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**EDUCATION**

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- Aug. 2017 (expected)**      **PhD in Political Theory, University of Massachusetts Amherst, Department of Political Science**  
Dissertation: *Embodied, Rationed, Precarious: Conceptualizations of Sovereignty in Urban Food Regimes*  
Advisor: Nicholas Xenos
- May 2012**      **M.A. in Political Science, New School for Social Research, Department of Politics**  
Best MA Award 2012  
MA Thesis: *State, Autonomy, Distance: An Ethnography of Politics and Bureaucracy*  
Advisor: Timothy Pachirat
- May 2010**      **M.A. in Politics, New York University, Department of Politics**  
Fulbright Scholar  
MA Thesis: *Bringing the Constituent Power Back into Democracy: An Analysis of the Political and What to Do with It in Modern Constitutional Democracies*  
Advisor: Pasquale Pasquino
- June 2008**      **B.A. in Social and Political Sciences, Sabanci University, Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences**

**AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

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- Summer 2017**      University of Massachusetts Amherst Department of Political Science  
Summer Research and Writing Award
- Spring 2016**      University of Massachusetts Amherst Graduate School  
Dissertation Research Grant
- Summer 2013**      University of Massachusetts Amherst Department of Political Science  
Summer Research and Writing Award
- 2012 - 2013**      New School for Social Research Dean's Fellowship Award  
(Declined)
- 2011 - 2012**      Best MA Award 2012 for Department of Politics, NSSR
- 2010 - 2012**      New School for Social Research 50% Tuition Scholarship
- 2008 – 2010**      Fulbright Scholarship  
US Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs,  
Institute of International Education

**PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS**

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“Food, Power and Politics: An Excursion into the Bazaars of Istanbul”. In Food, Space and Place. CarlNita Greene (ed.). (**forthcoming**)

“What is Being Sustained? Sustainability and Food Exchange Sites: A Case Study of Istanbul”. In Women, Urbanization and Sustainability. Anita Lacey (ed.). (**forthcoming**)

How is the City Fed? Food, Biopower and Precarity (original title: Kent Nasıl Beslenir? Gıda, Biyoiktidar ve Güvencesizlik). (March 2016) *Modus Operandi* no.4: Istanbul, Turkey.

Secularization of the Politics of Law: On Roots of Liberal Democracy. (December 2011) *Central European University Political Science Journal* 6 (4): Budapest, Hungary

Pluralism, Democracy and Constitutional Politics: A Schmittian Analysis. (July 2011) *International Journal of Business, Humanities and Technology* 1 (1): Center for Promoting Ideas, USA

Secularization and Rule of Law: Schmittian Critique to Liberal Democracy and New Approaches to the Political Unity and Democracy. (March 2011). *Political Theory: Political Philosophy e-Journal* 4 (18)

Where is the Individual? Between Ideology and Utopia (March 2010). *Nota Bene* no.3: Sabanci University, Istanbul, Turkey

Review of Material Culture and Authenticity: Fake Branded Fashion in Europe, by Magdalena Craciun. (Fall 2014) *New Perspectives on Turkey* no.51

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

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Power of Appetite and Sugar at the cusp of Biopolitics (published as: Biyopolitikanın Kısıkcında İştah ve Şekerin İktidarı). *MetroGastro* 87, July-August-September 2016.

Right to Subsistence and Water (published as: Asgari Geçim Hakkı ve Su). *MetroGastro* 86: Special Issue on Water, April-May-June 2017.

Appetite as a Biological and a Social Concept (published as: Biyolojik ve Toplumsal Bir Kavram Olarak İştah). *MetroGastro* 85, April-May-June 2017. (co-authored)

Instigators of the First Murder: Desire and Food (published as: İlk Cinayetin Azmettiricileri: Arzu ve Gıda). *MetroGasro* 84, January-February-March 2017.

On Food and Philosophy: What are Hunger and Appetite? (published as: Gıda ve Felsefe Üzerine: Açlık ve İştah Nedir?). *MetroGasro* 83, October-November-December 2016

Cook-It-Yourself-Eat-It-Yourself Democracy (published as: Kendin Pişir Kendin Ye Demokrasisi). *MetroGastro* 82, July-August-September 2016

State, Society and Food: Looking at Food via Political Theory (published as: Devlet, Toplum ve Gıda: Siyaset Teorisiyle Gıdaya Bakmak). *MetroGastro* 81, April-May-June 2016 2016

“Hak Geçmesin”’: Neoliberal Political Economy of Food Destitution (published as: “Hak Geçmesin”’: Gıda Muhtaçlığının Neoliberal Siyasi Ekonomisi). *MetroGastro* 80, January-February-March 2016

Milk in 3 Generations: A Different Take on Generations and Milk Preferences (published as: 3 Nesilde Süt: Nesiller ve tercihler üzerinden farklı bir süt okuması). *MetroGastro* 79, October-November-December 2015

Why is Revenge Best Served Cold? An Essay on Carl Schmitt, Food and Revenge Movies (published as: İntikam Neden Soğuk Yenen Bir Yemektir? Carl Schmitt, Yemek ve İntikam Filmleri Üzerine Bir Yazı). *Yemek ve Kültür*, Spring 2015

*Eyes on the Street (F08); People Attract People (F09); Hawkers (F22)*. In *Istanbul Cards*. Hey! Imaginable Guidelines Istanbul by Sanal Architecture, 2015  
<http://sanalarc.prosite.com/96524/4443360/praxis/hey-igi>

Meat, Greens and Lives in a Lunchbox... (published as: Et, Ot ve Sefertasında Hayatlar...). *Yemek ve Kültür*, Summer 2014

Gender Dynamics in Bazaars of Istanbul (published as: İstanbul Pazarlarında İş, Aş ve Toplumsal Cinsiyet). *Yemek ve Kültür*, Spring 2014

Depictions of Food in Hayao Miyazaki's Spirited Away (published as: Hayao Miyazaki'nin Spirited Away Filmindeki Yemek Tasvirleri Üzerine). *Yemek ve Kültür*, Winter 2014

## SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

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### *Unbounding Ethnography*

**Panelist**, Conference organized by University of Massachusetts Amherst Department of Sociology; Nov. 4, 2016, Amherst, MA, USA

### *Advanced Feminist Certificate Graduate Student Conference*

**Panelist**, Conference organized by Women, Gender, Sexuality Studies University of Massachusetts Amherst; April 24, 2014, Amherst, MA, USA

### *Northeastern Political Science Association Annual Meeting*

**Panelist**, Conference organized by NPSA; Nov. 15-17 2012, Boston, MA, USA

### *Cultures of Resistance: Social Movements, Collective Action and Civil Society.*

**Panelist**, Conference organized by Sociology Student Association of the New School for Social Research; April 2, 2011, New York, NY, USA

### *Southwestern Political Science Association (SWPSA) Conference 2011*

**Panelist**, Conference organized by SWPSA; March 16-19 2011, Las Vegas, NV, USA

### *International Studies Association (ISA) Midwest Conference 2009*

**Panelist**, Conference organized by ISA and Creighton University; Nov. 6-8 2009, St. Louis, MO, USA

### *Student Conference on US Affairs (SCUSA 60)*

**Panelist on Counter-Terrorism**, Conference organized by West Point Military Academy; November 5-8 2008, West Point, NY, USA

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### **Political Theory**

Introduction to Political Theory, University of Massachusetts Amherst,  
Teaching Assistant, Fall 2016,

Instructor, Winter 2015  
American Political Thought, University of Massachusetts Amherst,  
Instructor, Summer 2017  
Teaching Assistant, Spring 2017

**Food Studies**

Topics in Film Studies: Food and Film, Sabanci University,  
Lecturer, Summer 2017- 2014  
Politics of Food and Civilization, Istanbul Aydin University,  
Lecturer, Fall 2015

**Political Science**

American Politics, University of Massachusetts Amherst,  
Teaching Assistant, Spring 2014  
Introduction to Comparative Politics, University of Massachusetts  
Amherst,  
Teaching Assistant, Fall 2013  
Teaching Assistant, Fall 2012  
World Politics, University of Massachusetts Amherst,  
Teaching Assistant, Spring 2013  
Public Policy, University of Massachusetts Amherst,  
Teaching Assistant, Fall 2012  
Junior Year Writing: Interpretation & Analysis, University of  
Massachusetts Amherst,  
Teaching Associate, Fall 2014  
Teaching Associate, Spring 2015

**UNIVERSITY SERVICES**

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**Research Experience**

Research Assistant, New School for Social Research, Eugene Lang  
College, Literary Studies Department, Spring 2011

Research Assistant, Education Reform Initiative, Sabanci University,  
Spring & Summer 2008

Research Assistant, Sabanci University, Research Project: Forced  
Migration: Return of the Internally Displaced Kurds and  
Reconstruction of the Post-Conflict Zones: Negotiation among Actors  
Involved in the New Phase, Summer 2006 – Spring 2007

**Certificates**

Graduate Certificate on Advanced Feminist Studies, University of  
Massachusetts Amherst, Department of Women, Gender, Sexuality  
Studies, 2013-2014

European Union Education, European Studies and Documentation  
Center, Galatasaray University, 2006-2007

**Visiting Positions**

Visiting Student, University of Minnesota Twin Cities, Department of  
Political Science, Spring 2016

**Conference Organizations**

Turkey – US Public Policy Initiative Workshop, Istanbul Policy  
Center in Collaboration with The German Marshall Fund of the US;  
June 18 2008, Istanbul

Leaving Places, Shaping Places: German-Polish-Turkish-Israeli  
Student Exchange, October 2007 - March 2008, Sabanci University

Köprü ve Araf Olmak (The Bridge and the Purgatory): European Union Conference Series, March 2006, Sabanci University

Turkish-German Exchange Program. Funded by Open Society Turkey. March 2006, Freie Universitat, Berlin/Germany; Dec. 2005, Sabanci University.

## **WORK EXPERIENCE: NON-ACADEMIC**

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<b>Nov. 2011 – Dec. 2011</b> <b>Mar. 2014 – May 2014</b>	<b>Transparency International, London/UK</b> <b>International Defence and Security Programme</b> <b>Defence Index Project</b> Peer-Reviewer for Turkey Country Index
<b>Feb. 2011 – Nov. 2011</b>	<b>Republic of Turkey Office of the Prime Minister Directorate</b> <b>General of Press and Information New York Branch</b> <b>New York NY/USA</b> Communication Specialist to the Press Counselor
<b>Jan. 2011 – June 2011</b>	<b>Canon: The Interdisciplinary Student-Run Journal at The New School, New York/USA</b> Assistant Editor
<b>Feb. 2008 - July 2008</b>	<b>İletişim Publishing, Istanbul/Turkey</b> Assistant Intern

## **REFERENCES**

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