## Curriculum Vitae



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### **EDUCATION**

- M.A., Communication and Media Studies, Faculty of Communication and Media Studies, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, (2016-present)
- The Certificate in Computers and Teacher Development (CCTD), offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2004.
- RSA Cambridge Diploma for Overseas Teachers of English (DOTE), offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1997.
- RSA Cambridge Examinations in English for Language Teachers Level Two (CEELT II), offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1995.
- RSA Cambridge Certificate for Overseas Teachers of English (COTE), offered by Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1993.
- B.A., English Language Teaching, Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey, 1992.

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

# Courses and Workshops Attended

- "EPS Portfolio", given by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).
- "Using Smart Boards", given by Erkan Arkin, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).
- "Standardizing Grading of Exam Writing Papers", given by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2014).
- "Critical Thinking in Practice", given by Lindsay Clandfield, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2012).

- "Language Teaching in the 21st Century (Creative Skills)", given by Grant Kempton, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2012).
- "Using Stories and Jokes in the Classroom", given by Devrim Özdemir, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2011).
- "Body Language", given by Ahmet Şerif İzgören, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2002).
- "Creative Writing", given by Mario Rinvolucri, Ataturk Cultural Center, Nicosia, North Cyprus (2002).
- "London Chamber of Commerce and Industry International Qualifications (LCCI) Examinations Board Workshop", The British Council Office, Nicosia, North Cyprus, (2001).
- "The Power of Stories in Language Teaching: For All Ages and All Levels", given by Andrew Wright, Nicosia, North Cyprus (2000).
- "New Teachers' Course", given by Edward Cassassa and Zehra Sınal, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus (1992-1993).

## Research Grants, Training Grants and Scholarships

- Specialist Program in Teacher Training "Principles and Practices in Teaching Young Learners" offered by Oxford University Press Department for Continuing Education and Oxford University Press, Famagusta, North Cyprus (2008).
- Specialist Course in Teacher Training "From Teacher to Trainer" offered by Pearson, Bodrum, Turkey, (2007).

### ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Senior Instructor, English Teacher of Academic English, English Preparatory School Modern Languages Division (MLD), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2014present.
- Senior Instructor, English Teacher of General English, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1998 -2014.
- Instructor, English Teacher of General English, Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School (FLEPS), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1992 1998.

## **COURSES TAUGHT** (in the last three years)

- ENGL 201, Technical Report Writing, 2015-2016 Spring Semester.
- ENGL 192, Communication Skills II (English for Academic Purposes II), 2015-2016 Spring Semester.

- ENGL 201, Technical Report Writing, 2015-2016 Fall Semester.
- ENGL 192, Communication Skills II (English for Academic Purposes II), 2015-2016 Fall Semester.
- ENGL 191, Communication Skills I (English for Academic PurposesI), 2014-2015 Spring Semester.
- ENGL192, Communication Skills II (English for Academic Purposes II), 2014-2015 Spring Semester.
- ENGL192, Communication Skills II (English for Academic Purposes II), 2014-2015 Fall Semester.

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

- ENGL 192 Course Organiser, Modern Languages Division, Eastern Medirterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2015-present.
- Portfolio Working Group Member, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2013-2014.
- Projects Working Group Member, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2012-2013.
- Curricular Team Member, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2011-2012.
- Speaking Test Working Group Member, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2010-2011.
- Teacher Trainer for ICELT, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2006-2008.
- Teacher Trainer for New Teachers, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1997-2000.
- Syllabus and Material Design Team Member, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1997-1998.
- Colleague Mentor, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1996-1997.
- Teacher Representative in EMU FLEPS Council, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1996-1997.
- Designer and Member of a Pilot Project of 'The Integrated Skills Program for Real Beginners', English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1994-1996.

### CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS ATTENDED (if any)

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual ELT Conference Theoretical and Practical Applications of Emergent Technology in ELT Classroom, Girne American University, Kyrenia, North Cyprus, 2011.
- 1st International Education Conference: Challenge the Change, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2002.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> International ELT Conference: Practical Issues for Practicing Teachers, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2001.

- 2nd International ELT Conference: Bringing Textbook to Life, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2000.
- International ELT Conference, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 1999.
- Oxford University Press Seminar, Nicosia, North Cyprus, 1998.

## PRESENTATIONS AT CONFERENCES, CONGRESSES AND SYMPOSIUMS (if any)

- Oguz, E. (2010) ", The Vienna ConneXion, Vienna, Austria.
- Oguz, E. (2010). EgypTesol 11th Annual Convention, Cairo, Egypt.
- Oguz, E. (2010). IATEFL Testing, Evaluation and Assessment SIG Conference 'Recent Approaches to Teaching and Assessing Speaking', Famagusta, North Cyprus.
- Oguz, E. (2009). 30th Annual TESOL Greece Convention, Athens, Greece.
- Oguz, E. (2009). 43rd IATEFL Annual International Conference, Cardiff, UK.
- Oguz, E. (2008). IATEFL SIG Budapest Conference, Budapest, Hungary.
- Oguz, E. (2006-2008) International Certificate for English Language Teachers (ICELT) Workshops, English Preparatory School, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus.
- Oguz, E. (2008) 2<sup>nd</sup> FLEPS ELT Seminar, Famagusta, North Cyprus.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

• Oguz, E. (2010), "Some Dressing Suggestions for a Mixed Salad", ELT News.

### RESEARCH/PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS

- Effects of Mass Media on Societies
- Bi-communal Activities and Their Contributions to Peace

#### SERVICES TO THE UNIVERSITY AND TO THE COMMUNITY

- Executive Board Member, Yarınlara Bir Umut Derneği, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2013-present.
- Executive Board Member, Faculty Union (DAÜ-SEN), Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2008-2013.
- Instructor, Evening Course for Adults, School of Foreign Languages, Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus, 2003 to 2005.
- Member and Instructor, Evening Courses for Adults, Cyprus Turkish-English Cultural Association, Nicosia, North Cyprus, 2000-2005