**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**PERSONAL DETAILS**

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**Birth Date:** 07/09/1991

**Place of Birth:** Famagusta

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**Nationality:** Turkish Cypriot

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**EDUCATION**

August 2013 to June 2015 **Master of Developmental Psychology (M.S)**

Department of Psychology

Faculty of Arts and Sciences

Eastern Mediterranean University Famagusta, North Cyprus

February 2009 to June 2013 **Bachelor of Science in Psychology (B.Sc.)**

Faculty of Arts and Sciences

Eastern Mediterranean University

Famagusta, North Cyprus

Top Student of Faculty of Arts and Sciences and Psychology Department (CGPA: 3.94/4.00)

July 2010 **Bromley Language Centre**

Practical English Course

15 hour per week (3 weeks)

Bromley/England

September 2005 to June 2009 **Graduate**

Namık Kemal High School

Famagusta, North Cyprus

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

(September 2013- February 2015) **Part-time Research Assistant**

Psychological Counseling, Guidance and Research Center (EMU-PDRAM)

Eastern Mediterranean University

(March 2014-June 2014)  **Intern**

Under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Biran Mertan

Compulsory, unpaid, 150 hours

Alasya Primary School

Famagusta, North Cyprus

(July-August) 2012  **Intern**

Volunteer, unpaid

Barış, Ruh ve Sinir Hastalıkları Hastanesi

Nicosia, North Cyprus

(April-May) 2013 **Intern**

Volunteer, unpaid

Mickey Mouse Anaokulu ve Etüt Merkezi

Famagusta, North Cyprus

**CERTIFICATES, CONFERENCES, SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS, PROJECTS**

**High Honor’s Certificates:**

* High Honor’s Certificate, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring, 2012-2013)
* High Honor’s Certificate, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Fall, 2012-2013)
* High Honor’s Certificate, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring, 2011-2012)
* High Honor’s Certificate, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Fall, 2011-2012)
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* High Honor’s Certificate, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Fall, 2010-2011)
* High Honor’s Certificate, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring, 2009-2010)

**Certificate of Appreciation:**

* Certificate of Appreciation for participation to 9th EMU Psychology Days entitled “Psychology at Work”, Eastern Mediterranean University, (11-13 May, 2015).
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to Departmental Research Project as a Research Assistant, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring, 2013)
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to Departmental Research Project as a Research Assistant, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring, 2012)
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to the Psychology Department of Newsletter as a Member of Editorial Board, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring, 2012-2013)
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to the Psychology Department of Newsletter as a Member of Editorial Board, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department ( Fall, 2012)
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to the Peer Mentoring Program, Eastern Mediterranean University, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring 2012)
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to the Peer Mentoring Program, Eastern Mediterranean University, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Fall, 2011-2012)
* Certificate of Appreciation for contribution to the Peer Mentoring Program, Eastern Mediterranean University, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Department (Spring 2011)

**Certificate of Attendance:**

* Certificate of Attendance to “Kuzey Kıbrıs-Türkiye Ergen Günleri Sempozyumu” organized by Kıbrıs Türk Tabipleri Odası and Türkiye Çocuk ve Genç Psikiyatrisi Derneği Ergen Komisyonu (December 13-14, 2014)
* Certificate of Attendance to “Philomena Film Screening and Discussion” organized by EMU-PDRAM and EMU Psychology Students Club in commemoration of the 25th November International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women (November 25, 2014)
* Certificate of Attendance to 8th EMU Psychology Days, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Student’s Club (May 14-16, 2014)
* Certificate of Attendance to “The Role of Different Writing Systems on Literacy Acquisition” by Assoc. Prof. Dr. İlhan Raman, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Student’s Club (April, 2014)
* Certificate of Attendance to 7th EMU Psychology Days, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Student’s Club (April 24-25-26, 2013)
* Certificate of Attendance to “25 Kasım Kadına Yönelik Şiddetle Mücadele ve Dayanışma Günü Belgesel Film Gösterimi ve Paylaşım Toplantısı” by Doç. Dr. Biran Mertan, EMU-PDRAM ( December 23, 2012)
* Certificate of Attendance to 6th EMU Psychology Days, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Student’s Club ( May 9-11, 2012)
* Certificate of Attendance to “Second Language Acquisition- How & Why” by Assoc. Prof. Dr. İlhan Raman, Assist. Prof. Dr. V. Doğu Erdener and Senior Instructor Christine Kannur, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Student’s Club ( December 21, 2011)
* Certificate of Attendance to “Bağımsız Psikologlar İnisiyatifi II. Psikoloji Bahar Kampı” by Psk. Dr. Sedat Işıklı, Uzm, Psk. Mehin Akhun, Uzm. Psk. Sinem Ceral, and Psk. Dr. Fatih Bayraktar ( October 1-2 , 2011)
* Certificate of Attendance to Workshop “EMDR’a Giriş” by Uzm. Psk. Emre Konuk (July 21-24, 2011)
* Certificate of Attendance to XVI. Ulusal Psikoloji Öğrencileri Kongresi “İçimizdeki Sınırları Aşmak” ( July 21-24, 2011)
* Certificate of Attendance to 5th Psychology Days, Eastern Mediterranean University, Psychology Student’s Club (April 21-22, 2011)
* Certificate of Attendance to “21. Yüzyılda Lider Bir İnsan Olabilmek”, Eastern Mediterranean University, Social Services Club (April 18, 2011)

**COMPLETED RESEARCH PROJECTS**

* **M.S Thesis: “**Extended Contact through Story Reading in Turkish Cypriot Children” supervised by of Assoc. Prof. Dr. Şenel Hüsnü Raman.
* Mertan, B. Husnu, S. & Çicek, O. (2015). Improving outgroup attitudes and enhancing intentions toward contact with Greek Cypriots using an extended contact intervention in Turkish Cypriot children. European Conference of Developmental Psychology (ECDP), Prague, Portugal.
* Husnu, S., Mertan, B., & Çicek, O. (2015). Reducing Turkish Cypriot children’s prejudice toward Greek Cypriots: Extended contact through story telling. Manuscript under review.

**RESEARCH POSTER**

* 8th EMU Psychology Days (May 14-16, 2014)

Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta

*“Intergenerational Transmission of Perceived Attachment with Mothers”*

**LANGUAGES**

* Native Turkish
* Fluent English

**COMPUTER SKILLS**

* Computer literate such as familiarity with Windows packages (e.g. MS Word, MS PowerPoint, MS Excel, Internet Explorer)
* Statistical Packages for Social Sciences (SPSS)

**PERSONAL SKILLS**

* Good communication skills such as using verbal and nonverbal skills when expressing ideas.
* Thinking skills such as gathering, analyzing, and applying information.
* Good time management skills such as setting priorities and predicting how much time things will take, recording and complying with to do list daily and weekly.
* Valuable interpersonal and human skills such as being able to relate well other people and work cooperatively negotiate with others to reach agreement.
* Able to work individually or in a team.
* Attention to details.
* Goal-oriented.
* Punctual.
* High energy levels.
* Good listener, loyal and calm.
* Study hard and eager to learn.
* Having driving license.

**EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

* Member of Psychology Students Club (2009-2015)
* Editorial Board Member of Psychology Department of Newsletter (2012-2013)

**HOBBIES**

* Doing physical activities (plates).
* Reading book.
* Going to cinema and theatres.

**REFERENCES**

* Prof. Dr. Biran Mertan

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