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- Over 30 years of experience in Turkish<>English interpreting and translation
- Published author and translator in English and Turkish
- Washington State Registered Court Interpreter
- Extensive experience working with high profile clients and VIPs
- Interpreting for high profile felony court cases, depositions
- Project management expertise for World Bank funded projects
- Qualified for Simultaneous Interpreting, Consecutive Interpreting, Sight Translation
- Available for specialized legal, medical, educational requirements
- Delegation hosting and on-demand cultural experience excursions
- American Translators Association Member and NOTIS Member

Professional Experience

Washington State Registered Court Interpreter	2019 - present
Freelance interpreter and translator	1992- present
Executive Director American Turkish Academy of WA (ATA-WA), Seattle, WA	2013 - 2015
Adjunct Faculty Saint Martin's University, Seattle, WA	2011 - 2016
Assoc. Professor Yeditepe University, Istanbul, Turkey Assoc. Dean, College of Education, acting-chair Dept. of Educational Sciences Department of English Language Teaching	2004 - 2011
Assoc. Professor Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey Department of American Culture and Literature	1999 - 2004
Educational Programs Director Arizona State University, Mesa, Arizona	1995 - 1998
Communications Unit Coordinator Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey	1998-1999
English as a Second Language Instructor, Curriculum & Comm. Head Istanbul Technical University	1982-1986

Education

PhD The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH <i>Educational Policy and Leadership in Global Ed.</i>	1997
MS Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana <i>Instructional and Educational Technology (in ESL)</i>	1989
BA Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey <i>Western Literature and Languages, Linguistics</i>	1983
HS Robert College, Istanbul, Turkey (<i>founded in 1863</i>) (https://website.robcol.k12.tr/en/home-page)	