

## Asst. Prof. ÇİĞDEM PEKAR

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### Biography

Assistant Professor Çiğdem Pekar has a BA degree from the Department of International Relations at Ege University, Turkey, an MA degree on 'European Studies' from the University of Exeter, UK and her PhD degree in International Relations from Çanakkale Onsekiz Mart University. She has spent one academic year at the Center for Non-Proliferation Studies, Monterey, US as a Fulbright researcher. Dr. Pekar's research areas include nuclear nonproliferation regime, The Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons (NPT), Turkey's nuclear policy and nuclear history.

### Education Information

Doctorate, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, Uluslararası İlişkiler, Turkey 2010 - 2016

Post Graduate, University of Exeter, Politics And International Relations, Ma İn European Studies, United Kingdom 2007 - 2008

Under Graduate, Ege University, İİİB, Uluslararası İlişkiler, Turkey 2000 - 2005

### Foreign Languages

English, C1 Advanced

### Certificates, Courses and Trainings

Education Management and Planning, Academy Certificate on Nuclear Security with Specialization in Communication with Civil Society, World Institute for Nuclear Security, 2016

Education Management and Planning, 14th ESARDA Course on Nuclear Safeguards and Non-Proliferation (fully funded participation), European Commission, Joint Research Center, 2015

Education Management and Planning, Joint ICTP-IAEA School of Nuclear Knowledge Management (fully funded participation), Uluslararası Atom Enerjisi Ajansı (IAEA), 2015

### Dissertations

Doctorate, "NPT Rejiminde Yayılmanın Önlenmesi ve Barışçıl Kullanım İlişkisi", Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, Uluslararası İlişkiler Abd, 2017

Post Graduate, "Soft Balancing Against the United States: Analysis Of "Old" Europeans' Policies During the Iraq Crisis Of 2002-2003", University of Exeter, Politics And International Relations, Ma İn European Studies, 2008

## Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities, Political Science, International Relations

## Academic Titles / Tasks

Assistant Professor, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Siyasal Bilgiler Fakültesi, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2018 - Continues  
Assistant Professor, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Siyasal Bilgiler Fakültesi, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2017 - 2018

## Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Nükleer Silahların Yayılmasının Önlenmesi Anlaşması Çerçevesinde Nükleer Teknolojinin “İki Yüzlü” Yapısı**  
PEKAR Ç.  
Yönetim Bilimleri Dergisi, vol.15, no.29, pp.319-337, 2017 (Refereed Journals of Other Institutions)

## Books & Book Chapters

- I. **Turkey’s Nuclear Energy Strategy and Akkuyu Nuclear Power Plant Project**  
PEKAR Ç.  
in: Prospects for Arms Control Disarmament and Nonproliferation 70 Years after the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Atomic Bombings, Nikitin, A.I.; Korzun P.A., Editor, IMEMO, Moscow, pp.53-58, 2016
- II. **Japonya-Rusya İlişkileri**  
DÖNMEZ KARA C. Ö. , PEKCAN C., ÇİÇEKÇİ C., PEKAR Ç., ARSLAN İ., Tuna İ. K.  
in: Japon Dış Politikası, Prof. Dr. A. Mete TUNCOKU, Editor, Nobel Akademik Yayıncılık, pp.153-200, 2013

## Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy and Non Proliferation Pillars in the NPT ReviewCycles**  
PEKAR Ç.  
74th The Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Chicago, United States Of America, 7 - 10 April 2016
- II. **Turkey s NPT Evolution and Nuclear Energy Strategy**  
PEKAR Ç.  
2015 ISYP Conference:Prospects for Arms Control, Disarmament, and Nonproliferation: 70 years after the Hiroshima and Nagasaki atomic bombings, Nagasaki, Japan, 30 - 31 October 2015
- III. **Disarmament And Non Proliferation Link A Shift Of Balance**  
PEKAR Ç.  
25th IPRA GeneralConference on “Uniting for Peace: Building Sustainable Peace Through Universal Values”, İstanbul, Turkey, 10 - 15 August 2014
- IV. **The EU Effect Democratization Efforts in Turkey**  
PEKAR Ç.  
World Congress for Middle Eastern Studies, Barcelona, Spain, 19 July 2010 - 24 July 2014
- V. **Emerging Challenges to Global Nuclear Security Governance and the Role of the UN System**  
PEKAR Ç.  
2014 ACUNS Annual Meeting; Global Governance: Engaging New Norms and Emerging Challenges, İstanbul, Turkey, 19 - 21 June 2014
- VI. **Middle East Impact on the Global Non Proliferation Regime Spread of Nuclear Energy vs Nuclear Weapons**  
PEKAR Ç.

International Student/Young Pugwash Conference: Conflict and Cooperation: The Global Impact of National and Regional Security Issues, İstanbul, Turkey, 30 - 31 October 2013

VII. **The Role of the EU s Conditionality in Turkey s Kurdish Problem Exeter Centre for Ethno Political Studies**

PEKAR Ç., ÇOBAN F.

Ethno-Politics and Intervention in a Globalized World, Exeter, Canada, 27 - 30 June 2010

VIII. **Soft Balancing Against the United States Analysis Of Old Europeans Policies During the Iraq Crisis Of 2002 2003**

PEKAR Ç.

Fifth Pan-European Conference on EU Politics, Porto, Portugal, 23 - 26 June 2010

IX. **Treaty of Lisbon An Institutional Re balance Between Small and Big States in the EU**

PEKAR Ç., SAYGIN D.

University of Glasgow 3rd Annual Research Symposium, Assessing the Accession, BUCHAREST, Romania, 21 - 22 May 2010

## **Memberships / Tasks in Scientific Organizations**

Institution Representative for the IAEA International Nuclear Security Education Network (INSEN), Member, 2016 - Continues

World Institute for Nuclear Security (WINS), Member, 2015 - Continues

International Nuclear Law Association (INLA), Member, 2015 - Continues

## **Edit Congress and Symposium Activities**

74th The Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Panelists, Illinois, United States Of America, 2016

2015 ISYP Conference: Prospects for Arms Control, Disarmament, and Nonproliferation: 70 years after the Hiroshima and Nagasaki atomic bombings, Nagasaki, Japan, Panelists, Nagasaki, Japan, 2015

2014 ACUNS Annual Meeting; Global Governance: Engaging New Norms and Emerging Challenges, İstanbul, Turkey, 19-21 June 2014, Panelists, İstanbul, Turkey, 2014

International Student/Young Pugwash Conference: Conflict and Cooperation: The Global Impact of National and Regional Security Issues, İstanbul, Turkey, Panelists, İstanbul, Turkey, 2013

## **Scholarships**

Fulbright Doktora Araştırma Bursu, Fulbright Program, 2015 - Continues

MEB Yurtdışı Yüksek Öğrenim Bursu, Ministry of Education, 2007 - Continues

TEV Yurtiçi Lisans Öğrenim Bursu, Foundation, 2002 - Continues