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### Education Information

Doctorate, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Eğitim Bilimleri Enstitüsü, İngilizce Öğretmenliği, Turkey 2011 - 2016

Post Graduate, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, İngilizce Öğretmenliği, Turkey 2004 - 2007

Under Graduate, Bogazici University, Eğitim Fakültesi, İngilizce Öğretmenliği, Turkey 1994 - 1999

### Foreign Languages

English, C1 Advanced

### Certificates, Courses and Trainings

Foreign Language, Professional Development Program Within The Process of Accreditation, ÇOMU, Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu, 2017

Foreign Language, Suggestopedia Dil Öğretim Metodu, ÇOMÜ-Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu, 2011

Other, Certificate of Contribution and Assistance in World Universities Congress, Çanakkale Onsekiz Mart University Rectorate, 2010

Foreign Language, Developing Writing Skills, Oxford University Press, 2010

Foreign Language, Teacher Refresher Course in England-Methodology and Language Skills, Oxford House College, 2010

Foreign Language, Certificate of Attendance at The Fifth International ELT Research Conference, Çanakkale Onsekiz Mart University, 2008

Foreign Language, Certificate of Attendance at The First Dünya Aktüel A.Ş. & Cambridge University Press ELT Symposium, Cambridge University Press, 2006

Foreign Language, Poster Certificate at The Fourth International ELT Research Conference, Çanakkale Onsekiz Mart University, 2005

Foreign Language, Certificate of Attendance at The Third International ELT Research Conference, Çanakkale Onsekiz Mart University, 2003

### Dissertations

Doctorate, Effects of Synectics Model on Learners' Writing Skills in Tertiary Level English Class, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Eğitim Bilimleri Enstitüsü, İngiliz Dili Eğitimi, 2016

Post Graduate, An investigation into the effects of learner training and awareness building activities on learners' perceptions of responsibility in learning English, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, Yabancı Diller Eğitimi Anabilim Dalı/İngilizce Öğretmenliği Programı, 2007

## Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities, Education, Education in Foreign Languages, Education in English

## Academic Titles / Tasks

Assistant Professor, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu, Yabancı Diller Bölümü , 2020 - Continues

Lecturer PhD, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Yabancı Diller Yüksekokulu, Hazırlık Eğitimi, 2016 - Continues

Instructor, Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Yabancı Diller Yüksek Okulu, Modern Diller, 2002 - Continues

## Courses

Main Course, Under Graduate, 2018 - 2019

Skills, Under Graduate, 2016 - 2017, 2017 - 2018

Main Course, Under Graduate, 2016 - 2017, 2017 - 2018

## Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Synecotics as a prewriting technique: Its effects on writing fluency and lexical complexity**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., TOPKAYA E.  
EURASIAN JOURNAL OF APPLIED LINGUISTICS, vol.3, no.2, pp.325-347, 2017 (Journal Indexed in ESCI)
- II. **Exploring pre-service English language teachers' locus of control orientations**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., YAVUZ A.  
ELT Research Journal, vol.6, no.3, pp.236-249, 2017 (Refereed Journals of Other Institutions)
- III. **Exploring the Effects of Learner Training on Motivation**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., TOPKAYA E.  
Asian EFL Journal, vol.37, pp.1-15, 2009 (Refereed Journals of Other Institutions)

## Books & Book Chapters

- I. **The Use of the Synectics Model as a Prewriting Technique in a Tertiary Level Writing Course**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., TOPKAYA E.  
in: Energizing Teacher Research, Kenan Dikilitaş, Mark Wyatt, Anne Burns, Gary Barkhuizen, Editor, IATEFL, Kent, pp.153-163, 2019

## Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **The Role Synectics as a Prewriting Technique in EFL Learners'xx Writer'xxs Block**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., TOPKAYA E.  
2nd International Symposium on Social Sciences, 30 October - 01 November 2018
- II. **The Impact of the Synectics Model on Learners' Creative Ideational Level in L2 Writing**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., ZEHİR TOPKAYA E.  
The Second International Symposium on Social Sciences Education, Çanakkale, Turkey, 30 October - 01 November 2018
- III. **The Use of Synectics Model as a Prewriting Technique in a Tertiary Level Writing Course**  
BAYRAKTAR BALKIR N., ZEHİR TOPKAYA E.

IATEFL ReSIG, İstanbul, Turkey, 8 - 09 June 2018

## **Scientific Refereeing**

Journal of Foreign Language Education and Technology, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017