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ABOUT ME

I am an Economics student focusing on the intersection of artificial intelligence, sustainability, and social equity. My background in economics and complex systems has shaped my interest in the environmental costs of AI, especially the energy and water consumption of large-scale models. Through my Erasmus experience in Poland and my visits to Estonia, I gained insight into digitally advanced societies and became motivated to explore responsible, resource-efficient AI development. My work as a mathematics tutor and my volunteer efforts with earthquake-affected students strengthened my commitment to fairness and inclusive digital transformation. I aim to contribute to the development of sustainable and human-centered AI systems.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Hacettepe University – B.A. Economics

Hacettepe University [20/09/2022 – Current]

City: Ankara | **Country:** Turkey | **Website:** https://iibf.hacettepe.edu.tr/en | **Field(s) of study:** Economics | **Final grade:** 3.32/4

Erasmus+ Exchange (Business Administration)

WSB Merito University, Wrocław [10/10/2024 – 25/07/2025]

City: Wroclaw | **Country:** Poland | **Field(s) of study:** Business Administration | **Final grade:** 4.5/5

VOLUNTEERING

[10/10/2023 – Current] Ankara

Math Tutor for Earthquake-Affected Students

Provided free mathematics education for students impacted by the 2023 earthquakes, supporting equitable access to learning.

[05/09/2019 – Current] Ankara

TEMA Foundation Volunteer

Engaged in environmental awareness and sustainability-focused initiatives.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sport Center Academy – Ankara , Turkey

Human Resources Intern

[01/07/2023 – 15/08/2023]

- Observed digital hiring workflows and socio-technical processes.
- Developed understanding of human-centered organizational systems.

Freelance – Ankara, Turkey

Mathematics/Physics Tutor

[30/10/2019 – Current]

- Supported high-school students in exam preparation.
- Developed insights on educational inequality and digital learning barriers.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

[14/05/2017] MEV Foundation
Top 15 in Türkiye – Aziz Sancar National Science Competition Project Tiger1: Generating electricity from atmospheric energy.

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): Turkish

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C1 **READING** C1 **WRITING** B2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B2 **SPOKEN INTERACTION** B2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

SKILLS

adapt teaching to student's capabilities / cooperate with colleagues / Phython / Painting

TECHNICAL SKILLS

mathematics / Stata / R (basic analysis) / Python

RESEARCH INTERESTS

[10/10/2022 – Current]
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- Environmental footprint of AI systems
- Digital inequality and inclusive technology
- Complex systems & socio-technical systems