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EDUCATION

Sept 1999 –   June 2004: Ph.D. in Linguistics, Department of Linguistics, Harvard University.
Ph.D. Dissertation: *Case, Referentiality and Phrase Structure*
Committee: C. T. James Huang (co-advisor), Cedric Boeckx (co-advisor), Shigeru Miyagawa (external member – MIT)

1996 – 1999:   M.A. in Linguistics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey.
M.A. Thesis: *Turkish as a non-pro-drop language*
Committee: A. Sumru Özsoy (advisor), Eser Taylan, Aslı Göksel

1992 – 1996:   B.A. in Translation and Simultaneous Interpreting, Boğaziçi University.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Caucasian Languages: Syntax of South Caucasian Languages
Structure of Laz
Structure of Anatolian Dialects of Georgian
Case and Agreement, Applicatives, Verb Classes, Transitivity and Subjecthood in Laz

Altaic Languages: Morpho-syntax of Turkic Languages
Word order in Japanese and Mongolian
Argumenthood in Japanese

Turkic Languages: Morphological and Syntactic analyses of Turkic languages (Uyghur, Kirghiz, Turkmen, Azeri, Uzbekh)

Theoretical Syntax: NP structure, Pro-drop, Case, Agreement, Referentiality, Configurationality, (Pseudo-)Incorporation, Scrambling, Rightward Movement, Argument Structure, Spatial Categories

Semantics: Indefinites, Bare Nouns

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2019- up to date   Professor of Linguistics, Department of Linguistics, Boğaziçi University

2014-2019:   Associate Professor of Linguistics, Department of Linguistics, Boğaziçi University

October 2013- 2014   Associate Professor of Linguistics, Department of Western Languages and Literatures, Boğaziçi University

2004-2013:   Assistant Professor of Linguistics, Department of Western Languages and Literatures, Boğaziçi University

2003-2004:   Tutor at the Bureau of Study Counsel, Harvard University

2001-2004:   Teaching Fellow, Department of Linguistics, Harvard University

1998-2000:   Instructor of Turkish, Turkish Language and Culture Program for Foreigners, Boğaziçi University Language Center

1996-1999:   Research Assistant, Department of Western Languages and Literatures, Boğaziçi University

1996-1997:   Teaching Assistant, Turkish Language and Culture Program for Foreigners Language Center, Boğaziçi University

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

June 2020- up to date: Department Chair, Department of Linguistics

January 2019 – June 2020:   Vice Chair, Department of Linguistics

January 2018- June 2020:   Vice Director, Language Center, Boğaziçi University.

2017 – 2019:   MA Program Advisor, Department of Linguistics

2014 – 2019:   Erasmus/Exchange Advisor, Department of Linguistics

2014 – 2019:   Coordinator for Caucasian Languages, Department of Linguistics

November 2014 – 2017:   Member of the Academic Counsel for the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Boğaziçi University.

May 2014 – 2018:   Director, Language Center, Boğaziçi University.

2007- 2014:	Advisor for the incoming Erasmus Students for linguistics, Department of Western Languages and Literatures, Boğaziçi University.
2012-2014:	Vice Director, Language Center, Boğaziçi University.
Summer 2012:	Co-director, Boğaziçi University, Turkish Language and Culture Program

AWARDS, HONORS AND GRANTS

Spring 2007:	Boğaziçi Üniversitesi Vakfı (BÜVAK) Award for Excellence in Research in Social Sciences (*Araştırmada Üstün Basarı Ödülü*)
Spring 2007:	BÜVAK Award for Excellence in Teaching (*Ögretimde Üstün Başarı Ödülü*)
Spring 2004:	Harvard University Hanson Award for Special Service to Graduate Students
Fall 2003:	Harvard University Graduate Student Council Travel Grant
January - June 2003:	Harvard University Graduate Society Fellowship (Arthur Lehman Fellowship)
Fall 2002:	Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching – awarded by Derek Bok Center for Teaching and Learning (for TAing the course: Introduction to Linguistics)
Spring 2002:	Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching – awarded by Derek Bok Center for Teaching and Learning (for TAing the course: Introduction to Linguistics)
Fall 2001:	Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teaching – awarded by Derek Bok Center for Teaching and Learning (for TAing the Course: Introduction to Syntactic Theory)
Sept 2000-June 2004:	Harvard University, Dudley House Fellow Position and Stipend
June 1996:	Boğaziçi University, Istanbul Turkey: Award for Highest Achievement in the School of Foreign Languages.
June 1996:	Boğaziçi University, Istanbul Turkey: Award for Highest Achievement at the Department of Translation and Simultaneous Interpreting

FUNDED RESEARCH PROJECTS

European Research Council Project (ERC-2019-SyG 856421):
  LeibnizDream - Realizing Leibniz's Dream: Child Languages as a Mirror of the
  Mind "
  Position: Local Collaborator

Boğaziçi University Research Fund 2020 (BAP: R kodlu Bilimsel Araştırma Projesi):
  Dilbilim Temelli Türkçe Doğal Dil İşleme Platformu
  Position: Researcher

TÜBİTAK: 2018 (1005 Kodlu TÜBİTAK Projesi) A Deep Learning based Turkish Dependency
  Parser
  Position: Researcher

Boğaziçi University Research Fund 2018 (BAP: S kodlu Bilimsel Araştırma Projesi):
  Language-Contact in Turkey: Documentation and Analysis
  Position: Researcher

Boğaziçi University Research Fund 2017 (BAP: D kodlu Bilimsel Araştırma Projesi-):
  Argument - Adjunct Distinction in Mus Kurmanji
  Position: Leader

Boğaziçi University Research Fund 2012 (BAP: S kodlu Bilimsel Araştırma Projesi):
  Thematic Suffixes and Verb classes in Laz
  Position: Leader

Boğaziçi University Research Fund (BAP: S kodlu Bilimsel Araştırma Projesi) 2007:
  The Morphological and Syntactic Properties of Case and Agreement in Laz.
  Position: Leader

TÜBİTAK: 2007: Inferring the Evolutionary History of Turkic Languages using Answer Set
  Programming
  Position: Researcher

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Öztürk, Balkız (2005) *Case, Referentiality and Phrase Structure*. Linguistik Aktuell
  77, John Benjamins, Amsterdam, 268 pp.

Journal Articles

Özateş, Betül, Balkız Öztürk, Tunga Güngör and Arzucan Özgür (accepted) A Hybrid Approach
  Enhanced with Rules and Morphology: A Case Study for Turkish. *IEEE Access*
  [**Q1** indexed in: Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE) and others]

Dikmen, Furkan, Ömer Demirok, and Balkız Öztürk (2022) How can a language have double passives but lack antipassives? *Glossa 7*(1). DOI: 10.16995/glossa.6553
[**Q1** indexed in: Social Science Citation Index (SSCI) and others]

Öztürk, Balkız. (2021) Transitive Unergatives in Pazar Laz. *Glossa 6: 1-23.*
[**Q1** indexed in: Social Science Citation Index (SSCI) and others]

Türk, Utku, Atmaca, Furkan, Şaziye Betül, Özateş, Berk, Gözde, Bedir Seyyit Talha, Köksal, Abdüllatif, Öztürk, Balkız, Güngör, Tunga and Arzucan Özgür (2021). Resources for Turkish dependency parsing: introducing the BOUN Treebank and the BoAT annotation tool. *Language Resources & Evaluation.*
[**Q1** indexed in: Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE) and others]

Öztürk, Balkız and Ömer Eren. (2021) Pazar Laz as a weak verb-framed language. *Linguistic Variation.* John Benjamins.
[**Q3** indexed in: Emerging Sources Citation Index (ESCI), SCOPUS and others]

Öztürk, Balkız (2019) The Loss of Case System in Ardeshen Laz and its Morphosyntactic Consequences. *STUF: Language Typology and Universals 72:*
[**Q2** indexed in: Emerging Sources Citation Index (ESCI), SCOPUS and others]

Öztürk, Balkız (2019) Possessor Datives in Pazar Laz. *Revue Roumaine de Linguistique (Romanian Review of Linguistics)*
[**Q2** indexed in: Social Science Citation Index (SSCI) and others]

Öztürk, Balkız and E. Taylan (2016) Possessive Phrases in Turkish. *Lingua* 182: 88-108. (DOI: 10.1016/j.lingua.2015.08.008)
[**Q1** indexed in: Social Science Citation Index (SSCI) and others]

Demirok, Ömer F. and B. Öztürk (2015) The Logophoric Complementizer in Laz. *Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi* 2015/2: 45-69.
[indexed in: Scopus and others]

Taylan, E. and B. Öztürk. (2014) The Notorious *-(s)I(n)* in Turkish: Neither an Agreement Nor a Compound Marker. *Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi 2014/*1:181-199.
[indexed in: Scopus and others]

Taylan, E. and B. Öztürk (2014) Transitivity in Pazar Laz. *Acta Linguistica Academica* (formerly: *Acta Linguistica Hungarica*) 61: 271– 296. (DOI: 10.1556/ALing.61.2014.3.2)
[**Q2** indexed in: Social Science Citation Index (SSCI) and others]

Öztürk, B. (2009) Incorporating Agents, *Lingua* 119: 334-358.
(DOI:10.1016/j.lingua.2007.10.018*)*
[**Q1** indexed in: Social Science Citation Index (SSCI) and others]

Öztürk, B. (2010) Subjects in Pazar and Ardeshen Laz. *Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi* 2010/2: 33-50.
[indexed in: Scopus and others]

Book chapters

Demirok, Ö. and B. Öztürk. (in press) "On the significance of Laz for theoretical research in linguistics", In *Lazuri*: *An Endangered Language of the Black Sea*, ed. Züleyha Ünlü. Vernon Press.

Demirok, Ö. and B. Öztürk. (2022) "Agreeing complementizers may just be moody", In Discourse particles: syntactic, semantic, pragmatic and historical aspects, eds. Xabier Artiagoitia, Arantzazu Elordieta, Sergio Monforte, Linguistik Aktuelle Series, John Benjamins.

Demirok, Ö. F. and B. Öztürk (2021) A Typology for Correlatives: A View from the Languages of the Caucasus. In Polinsky, M. (ed.), *Handbook of Languages of the Caucasus.* Oxford University Press.

Öztürk, B. and Ö. Eren (2021) The Nominal Domain in Caucasian Languages. In Polinsky, M. (ed.), *Handbook of Languages of the Caucasus*. Oxford University Press.

Akar, D. and B. Öztürk (2020) The discourse particle *hani* in Turkish. In Pierre-Yves Modicom and Oliver Duplâtre (eds.), *Discourse Particles and Information Structure.* Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

Göksel, Aslı and B. Öztürk (2019) Conditions on Prominent Internal Possessors in Turkish. In Irina Nikolaeva, András Bárány, Oliver Bond (eds.) *Towards a typology of Prominent Internal Possessors.* Oxford University Press.

Öztürk, B. and E. Taylan Eskişehir (2018) Türkçede iyelik yapıları ve geçişli adlar. In Ü. D. Turan, H. K. Yavuz and A. Balcı (Eds.), *Dilbilimde Güncel Tartışmalar*. Ankara: Dilbilim Derneği Yayınları.

Öztürk, B. and E. Erguvanlı Taylan (2017) Omnipresent little vP in Pazar Laz. In *The Verbal Domain*, Roberta D'Alessandro, Irene Franco and Angel Gallego (eds.). Oxford: Oxford University Press.

Taylan, E. and B. Öztürk (2017) Türkçe ve Lazcada Çatı Uyuşmazlıkları. In Kansu-Yetkiner, N. and M. Şahin (eds*.) Lütfiye Oktar Armağan Kitabı*. Ankara: Anı Yayıncılık, 93-108.

Öztürk, B. (2013) Postverbal constituents in SOV languages. *Theoretical Approaches to Disharmonic Word Orders*, M. Sheehan and M. T. Biberauer (eds.), Oxford University Press.

Öztürk, B. (2013) Rightward Movement, EPP and Specifiers: Evidence from Uyghur and Khalkha. *Rightward Movement from a Cross-linguistic Perspective*, Webelhuth, Gerth, Manfred Sailer and Heke Walker (eds.), Linguistik Aktuell, John Benjamins, Amsterdam, pp. 175-210.

Öztürk, B. (2012) Low, High and Higher Applicatives: Evidence from Pazar Laz. *Information Structure and Agreement*, Camacho Tabaoda, Maria Victoria, Jimenez Fernandez, Angel, Martin Gonzalez, Javier and Reyes Tejedor, Mariano (eds.), Linguistik Aktuell 197, John Benjamins, Amsterdam, pp. 275-295.

Demirok, Ömer, Emgin, Betül, Kaya, Neşe, Öztürk, Balkız, Sarıgül, Özge and Eser Taylan (2011) Morphology. *Pazar Laz*. Öztürk, Balkız and Markus Pöchtrager (eds.), LINCOM: Languages of the World Materials 484, LINCOM EUROPA, Münich, pp. 23-118.

Atlamaz, Ümit, Emgin, Betül, Göksel, Aslı, Gündoğdu, Songül, Öztürk, Balkız and Eser Taylan (2011) Syntax. *Pazar Laz*. Öztürk, Balkız and Markus Pöchtrager (eds.) LINCOM: Languages of the World Materials 484, LINCOM EUROPA, Münich, pp. 119-159.

Öztürk, Bakız (2008) Non-Configurationality: Free Word Order and Argument Drop in Turkish. *The Limits of Syntactic Variation*, M.T. Biberauer (ed.), Linguistik Aktuell 132, John Benjamins, Amsterdam, pp. 411-440.

Öztürk, Balkız (2006) Case-driven Agree, EPP and Passive in Turkish. *Passivization and Typology.* Abraham, Werner and Larisa Leisiö (eds.) Typological Studies in Language 68, John Benjamin, Amsterdam, pp. 383-402.

Öztürk, Balkız (2006) Null Arguments and Case-driven Agree in Turkish. *Minimalist Essays.* Cedric Boeckx (ed.) Linguistik Aktuell 91, John Benjamins, Amsterdam, pp. 268-287.

Amand, Gorm, Gülşat Aygen, Mary Ann Cockerill, Ju-Eun Lee, Balkız Öztürk (2002) Syntax. *Ndebele*, eds. Bowern, Claire and Victoria Lotridge (eds.), LINCOM: Languages of the World Materials 416, LINCOM EUROPA, Münich, pp. 53-79.

Öztürk, Balkız (2001) Turkish as a non-pro-drop language. *The Verb in Turkish*, E. Erguvanlı-Taylan (ed.), Linguistik Aktuell 44, John Benjamins, Amsterdam, pp. 239-260.

Edited Volumes

Gürer, A., Uygun Gökmen, D., Öztürk, B. (editors) (2020) *Morphological Complexity within and Across Boundaries: In Honor of Prof. Aslı Göksel.* Amsterdam: John Benjamins.

Güven, Mine, Akar, Didar, Öztürk, Balkız and Meltem Kelepir (editors) (2016) *Exploring the Turkish linguistic landscape: Essays in honor of Prof. Eser Erguvanlı Taylan*. Studies in Language Companion Series. John Benjamins: Amsterdam.

Öztürk, Balkız and Markus Pöchtrager (editors) (2011) *Pazar Laz*. LINCOM: Languages of the World Materials 484, LINCOM EUROPA, Münich, 167 pp.

Kelepir, Meltem and Balkız Öztürk (editors) (2007) *Proceedings of Workshop in Altaic Formal Linguistics II* (Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, October 2004), MIT Working Papers in Linguistics, Cambridge, 393 pp.

Journal Editing

Zeyrek, D., Ü. D. Turan, M. Aksan, B. Öztürk and S. İşsever (editors) *Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi*, Boğaziçi University Press.

Guest Editor for a Special Issue:
Arslan Kechriotis, Ceyda, Akar, Didar, Kelepir Meltem and Balkız Öztürk (2014) *Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi 2014/2: Prof. Dr. A. Sumru Özsoy Özel Sayısı.*

Articles in proceedings

Bedir, Seyyit Talha, Karahan Şahin, Onur Güngör, Suzan Üsküdarlı, Arzucan Özgür, Tunga Güngör, Balkız Öztürk. (2021). Overcoming the challenges in morphological annotation of Turkish in universal dependencies framework. *Proceedings of the 15th Linguistic Annotation Workshop.*

Türk, Utku, Furkan Atmaca, Şaziye Betül Özateş, Abdullatif Köksal, Balkız Öztürk Başaran, Tunga Güngör, Arzucan Özgür. 2019. Turkish Treebanking: Unifying and Constructing Efforts. In Proceedings of the 13th Linguistic Annotation Workshop, edited by Annemarie Friedrich, Deniz Zeyrek, Jet Hoek, 166–177, Florence, Italy.

Türk, Utku, Furkan Atmaca, Şaziye Betül Özateş, Balkız Öztürk Başaran, Tunga Güngör, Arzucan Özgür. 2019. Improving the Annotations in the Turkish Universal Dependency Treebank. In Proceedings of the Third Workshop on Universal Dependencies (UDW, SyntaxFest 2019), edited by Alexandre Rademaker, Francis Tyers, 108–115, Paris, France.

Özateş, Ş. B., A. Özgür, T. Güngör and B. Öztürk. (2018) A Morphology-based Representation Model for LSTM-based Dependency Parsing of Agglutinative Languages. *Proceedings of CoNLL-18 Shared Task.*

Akkuş, F. and B. Öztürk (2017) On Cognate Objects in Sason Arabic. In Kajsa Djärv and Amy Goodwin Davies (eds), *Proceedings of Penn Linguistics Conference 40.* University of Pennsylvania Working Papers in Linguistics, Vol.23: 1.

Öztürk, B., Taylan, E. E. & Zimmer, K. (2015). Possessive-free Genitives in Turkish. In D. Zeyrek, Ç. S. Şimşek, U. Ataş & J. Rehbein (Eds.), *Ankara Papers in Turkish and Turkic Linguistics.* Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz Verlag, pp. 189-204.

Emgin, Betül and Balkız Öztürk (2011) Infinitival Clauses in Pazar Laz. In *Languages and Cultures in the Cau*casus: *Proceedings of Current Advances in Caucasian Studies* (University of Macerata, Macerata, January 2010), Tomelleri, Vittorio, Topadze, Manana and Anna, Lukianowicz (eds.), Verlag Otto Sagner, Münich, 245-257.

Öztürk, Balkız (2011) Türkçe Ortaç Yapılarında Kullanılan Eklerin Seçimi. *24. Ulusal Dilbilim Kurultayı Bildiri Kitabı* (ODTÜ, Ankara, Mayıs 2010), Sağın-Şimşek, Çiğdem and Çiler Hatipoğlu (eds.), ODTÜ, Ankara, 233-243.

Öztürk, Balkız. (2008) Relativization strategies in Turkish, *Proceedings of Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics 4* (Harvard University, Cambridge, May 2007), Boeckx, Cedric and Süleyman Ulutaş (eds.), MITWPL, MIT, Cambridge, pp. 241-253.

Oded, İlknur and Balkız Öztürk (2008) Türkçe'de Taşıma Denetim Altında mı? *20. Ulusal Dilbilim Kurultayı Bildirileri* (Maltepe Üniversitesi, İstanbul, Mayıs 2006) Çotuksöken, Yusuf and Nafi Yalçın (eds.), Maltepe Üniversitesi, İstanbul, 255-263.

Öztürk, Balkız (2008) Is there agent incorporation?, *Proceedings of Chicago Linguistic Society Meeting 40* (University of Chicago, Chicago, April 2004), Adams, Nikki, Adam Cooper, Fey Parrill and Thomas Wier (eds.), Chicago Linguistic Society, Chicago, pp. 279-289.

Öztürk, Balkız (2007) Asymmetry in Double-object Constructions in Turkish, *Proceedings of Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics 2* (Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, October 2004), Kelepir, Meltem and Balkız Öztürk (eds.) MITWPL, MIT, Cambridge, pp. 305-316.

Öztürk, Balkız (2006) Incorporation of agents in Turkish. *Advances in Turkish Linguistics: Proceedings of the 12th International Conference on Turkish Linguistics* (Dokuz Eylül University, Izmir, August 2004), Yağcıoğlu, S. and A. C. Deger (eds.), Dokuz Eylül University Press, İzmir, pp.235-248.

Gürcanlı, Özge and Balkız Öztürk (2005) Türkçe'de "ne…ne" öbekleri ve çift geçişli eylem yapıları. *19. Ulusal Dilbilim Kurultayı Bildirileri* (Harran Üniversitesi, Şanlıurfa, Mayıs 2005), Sarı, Mustafa and Halef Nas (eds.), Harran Üniversitesi, Şanlıurfa, pp. 54-65.

Öztürk, Balkız (2005), Asymmetry in Double-object Constructions in Turkish, *Proceedings of Western Conference on Linguistics 2004*, (University of Southern California, Los Angeles, November 2004), Temkin Martinez, Michal, Asier Alcazar and Roberto Mayoral Hernandez (eds.), California State University, Fresno, pp. 248-262.

Öztürk, Balkız (2005) Pseudo-Incorporation of Agents, *Proceedings of PLC 28 (Penn Linguistics Colloquium)* (University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, February 2004), Arunachalam, Sudha, Tatjana Scheffler, Sandhya Sundaresan and Joshua Tauberer (eds.), University of Pennsylvania Working Papers in Linguistics, Philedelphia, pp. 213-226.

Öztürk, Balkız (2004) DPs in Turkish. *Current Research in Turkish Linguistics: Proceedings of the 11th International Conference on Turkish Linguistics* (Eastern Mediterranean University, Gazimağusa, August 2002), İmer, Kamile and Gürkan Doğan (eds.), Eastern Mediterranean University, Gazimağusa, pp. 57-66.

Öztürk, Balkız (2003) Complex Predicates in Turkish. *Proceedings of GSAS/Dudley House Workshop on Light Verbs: Harvard University Working Papers in Linguistics 9* (Harvard University, Cambridge, November 2003), Aygen, Gülşat, Claire Bowern and Conor Quinn (eds.), Cambridge, pp. 171-192.

Öztürk, B. (2003) Adjunct Clauses in Turkish. *Proceedings of the 10th International Conference on Turkish Linguistics* (Boğaziçi University, İstanbul, August 2000), Özsoy, A. Sumru, Didar, Akar, Mine, Nakipoğlu-Demiralp, E. Erguvanlı-Taylan and Ayhan Aksu-Koç (eds.), Boğaziçi University Press, Istanbul, pp.143-150.

Öztürk, B. (2001) Genitive Phrases in Turkish. *HUMIT 2000: Proceedings of the First Harvard-MIT Student Conference in Language Research* (Harvard University, Cambridge, August 2000), Matushansky, Ora, Albert Costa, Javier Martin-Gonzalez, Lance Nathan and Adam Szczegielniak (eds.), MITWPL 40, MIT, Cambridge, pp. 205-216.

Encyclopedia Entries

Öztürk, B. (to appear) Voice. Generative Grammar Approaches to Turkish, Functional heads/projections, Clausal functional projections, *Encyclopedia of Turkic Languages and Linguistics.* Leiden: Brill.

Özsoy, S. and B. Öztürk (2019) Languages of the Caucasus. *The SAGE Encyclopedia of Human Communication Sciences and Disorders.* New York: Sage Publications.

Working Papers

Öztürk, Balkız (2004) Case, Referentiality and Non-configurationality. *Harvard University Working Papers in Linguistics*, Claire Bowern (ed.), Volume 10, Harvard University, Cambridge, pp. 117-157.

Öztürk, Balkız (2003) Pseudo-incorporation in Turkish. *Harvard Working Papers in Linguistics*, Boeckx, Cedric, Claire Bowern and Jay Jasanoff (eds.), Volume 8, Harvard University, Cambridge, pp. 139-158.

ACADEMIC PRESENTATIONS

Conference and Workshop Presentations

2022 - The Emergence of Clausal Nominalizations in Laz. Formal Approaches to Contact in/with Turkish, University of Tromsø (with Ömer Faruk Demirok)

2022 - Enhancements to the BOUN Treebank Reflecting the Agglutinative Nature of Turkish. The International Conference on Agglutinative Language Technologies, Primorska University (with Buşra Marşan, Salih Furkan Akkurt, Muhamed Şen, Merve Gürbüz, Şaziye Betül Özateş, Suzan Üsküdarlı, Arzucan Özgür, Tunga Güngör).

2022- Two Possessor Applicatives in Pomak. Formal Approaches to Slavic Linguistics 31(with Sercan Karakaş)

2021- Compounding with a polymorphic deverbalizer in Turkish. *9th Workshop on Nominalizations (JENom9)*, Brown University/Online (with Furkan Dikmen and Ömer Demirok)

2021 - Thematic suffixes in Şavşat Georgian. *Theme Vowels and V(P) Structure and Beyond (ThV2021)* University of Graz/Online (with Reyhan Okumuş and Ömer Demirok)

2021 - Classifying lexically transitive verbs in Laz, *Lexical Restrictions on Grammatical Relations (LexGR),* University of Amsterdam & University of Leiden /Online (with Ömer Demirok)

2020 - Attitude sensitive complementizers in Laz. Talk at InDisPart. University of the Basque Country. (with Ömer Demirok)

2019 - Improving the Annotations in the Turkish Universal Dependency Treebank. The Universal Dependencies Workshop, SyntaxFest 2019. August 29-30 2019. Sorbonne Université. Paris. (with Utku Türk, Furkan Atmaca, Şaziye Betül Özateş, Tunga Güngör, Arzucan Özgür)

2019 - Turkish Treebanking: Unifying and Constructing Efforts. Poster presented at LAW XIII 2019: The 13th Linguistic Annotation Workshop. August 1 2019. Florence, Italy. (with Utku Türk, Furkan Atmaca, Şaziye Betül Özateş, Abdullatif Köksal, Tunga Güngör, Arzucan Özgür)

2019 - Improving the Annotations in the Turkish Universal Dependency Treebank. Talk given at 33rd National Linguistics Conference in Turkish. May 9-10 2019. Mersin University, Turkey (with Utku Türk, Furkan Atmaca, Şaziye Betül Özateş, Balkız Öztürk Başaran, Tunga Güngör, Arzucan Özgür)

2018 - A Morphology-based Representation Model for LSTM-based Dependency Parsing of Agglutinative Languages. CoNLL-18 Shared Task, Brussels. (with Betül Özateş, Arzucan Özgür, Tunga Güngör)

2018 – Complementizers in Laz are attitude sensitive. North East Linguistics Society 2018, Cornell University. (with Ömer Demirok and Deniz Özyıldız)

2018 – Transitive Unergatives in Pazar Laz. Workshop on Unergative Predicates: Architecture and Variation, University of Bilbao.

2018 – Cognate Objects as a diagnostics for unergatives: A Case Study of Sason Arabic. Workshop on Unergative Predicates: Architecture and Variation, University of Bilbao. (with Faruk Akkuş)

2018 – The Discourse Particle *Hani* in Turkish. Workshop on Discourse Particles and Information Structure. Societas Linguistica Europaea 2018, University of Tallin. (with Didar Akar)

2018 – Possessor Datives in Pazar Laz. Datives in Discourse Workshop. University of Cologne.

2017 - Türkçede iyelik yapıları ve geçişli adlar. 31. Ulusal Dilbilim Kurultayı. Anadolu Üniversitesi, Eskişehir. (with Eser Erguvanlı Taylan)

2017 - Spatial Prefixes in Pazar Laz. Morphosyntactic Variation in Adpositions Workshop. University of Cambridge. (with Ömer Eren)

2017 - Spatial Preverbs Pazar Laz. Neglected Aspects of Motion Event Descriptions. CNRS-ENS Paris. (with Ömer Eren)

2017 - Multiple Constituents in the Postverbal Domain in Turkish: a PF account. 18th International Conference on Turkish Linguistics. Çukurova University. (with Simge Topaloğlu)

2016 - Conditions for Prominent Internal Possessors in Turkish. Workshop on Prominent Internal Possessors. SOAS, University of London. (with Aslı Göksel)

2016 - Applicatives in Pazar Laz. South Caucasian Chalk Circle, University of Chicago Research Center, Paris.

2016 – On Cognate objects in Sason Arabic. Penn Linguistics Conference. University of Pennsylvania. (with Faruk Akkuş)
2015 – The Logophoric Complementizer in Laz. Societas Linguistica Europaea, Leiden. (with Ömer F. Demirok)

2015 - Agreeing complementizers and logophoricity in Laz. Linguistic Approaches to Endangered Languages. Boğaziçi University (with Ömer F. Demirok)

2015 - Cognate objects in Sason Arabic. Linguistic Approaches to Endangered Languages. Boğaziçi University (with Faruk Akkuş)

2014 - Higher Applicatives in Pazar Laz. Linguistics and Language Conference. Istanbul.

2014 - Possessive Phrases in Turkish: PPs in disguise. (with Eser Erguvanlı Taylan) GLOW 37, Belgium.

2013 - Omnipresent Little vP in Pazar Laz (with Eser Erguvanlı Taylan) Little v workshop. University of Leiden.

2012 - Possessive Free Genitives in Turkish. (with Karl Zimmer and Eser Erguvanlı Taylan), International Conference on Turkish Linguistics, ODTÜ.

2012 - Transitivity in Pazar Laz. Workshop on Argument Structure, University of Debrecen, Hungary.

2011 - Low, High and Higher Applicatives: Evidence from Pazar Laz. Colloquium on Generative Grammar 21, University of Seville.

2011- Applicatives and Statives in Pazar Laz. Workshop on Functional Categories. Boğaziçi University.

2011- Implications of case and agreement patterns in three Caucasian dialects spoken in Turkey: Pazar Laz, Ardesheni Laz and İnegöl (Acharian) Georgian. Workshop on the Languages of the Caucasus, University of Leipzig. (with Ö. Demirok and A. Göksel)

2010 - Türkçe Ortaç Yapılarında Eklerin Seçimi. 24. Dilbilim Kurultayı. ODTÜ.

2010 - Infinitival Clauses in Pazar Laz. Current Advances in Caucasian Studies. Macerata, Italy. (with Betül Emgin)

2009 - Postverbal constituents in SOV languages. Theoretical Approaches to Disharmonic Word Orders. Newcastle University. England.

2008 - The Loss of Case System in Ardesheni Laz and its morphosyntactic consequences. Morphological Variation and Change in the Languages of the Caucasus. 13th International Morphology Meeting. University of Vienna. Austria.

2008 - Postverbal constituents in Khalka Mongolian and Uyghur Turkic. Rightward Movement in a Comparative Perspective (DGfS). University of Bamberg, Germany.

2007- Relativization Strategies in Turkish. Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics, Harvard University, Cambridge.

2006 - Agent Incorporation in Turkish. Noun Incorporation Conference, University of Ottawa, Ottawa.

2006 - Raising in Turkish and English. IDEA, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul.

2005 - Null Arguments in Turkish. Sounds of Silence Conference, University of Tilburg, Tilburg.

2005 - Accusative Subjects in Turkish. Mediterranean Syntax Meeting, University of Rhodes, Rhodes.

2005 - Türkçe'de "ne…ne" bağlacı ve çift geçisli eylem yapıları. 14. Ulusal Dilbilim Kurultayı, Harran Üniversitesi, Urfa.

2004 - Asymmetry in Double-object constructions in Turkish. Western Conference on Linguistics, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.

2004 - Passivization and Double-object constructions in Turkish. Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul.

2004 - Incorporation of Agents in Turkish. The XII. International Conference on Turkish Linguistics, Dokuz Eylül University, İzmir.

2004 - Narrow Scope Indefinites and Pseudo-Incorporation. Georgetown University Roundtable on Languages and Linguistics, Georgetown University, Washington D.C.

2004 - Is there Agent Incorporation? Chicago Linguistic Society, University of Chicago, Chicago.

2004 - Agent Incorporation. ECO5: Syntax Workshop, University of Maryland, College Park.

2004 - Agent Incorporation in Turkish. Penn Linguistics Colloquium, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

2003 - Configurationality: A Typology based on case and referentiality. CASTL Conference, Center of Advanced Studies in Theoretical Linguisitics, University of Tromso, Norway.

2003 - Agent Incorporation. Michigan Linguistic Society, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

2003 - Case, Referentiality and Configurationality. The 32nd Annual Meeting of LASSO (Linguistic Society of the South-West), University of Texas, Pan American, Edinburg.

2002 - Complex Predicate Formation in Turkish. Light Verb Workshop, Harvard University, Cambridge.

2002 - DPs in Turkish. The Eleventh International Conference on Turkish Linguistics, Eastern Mediterrenean University, Cyprus.

2000 - Possessive Phrases in Turkish. HUMIT (Harvard University-MIT Joint Conference on Linguistics), Harvard University/MIT, Cambridge.

2000 - Adjunct Clauses in Turkish. The Tenth International Conference on Turkish Linguistics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey.

1999 - Bir Adıl Düsürme Dili olarak Türkçe. XIII. National Conference on Turkish Linguistics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey.

1999 - Turkish as a non-pro-drop language. I. International Workshop on Turkish Linguistics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey.

Invited Presentations

2022- Thematic Suffixes in Laz and Georgian – Dokuz Eylül University.

2022- Relativization Strategies in Laz. Paris CNRS – Structures Formelles du Langage (with Ömer Faruk Demirok)

2022 – Doğal Dil İşlemede Dilbilimcilerin Katkısı Nedir?. Yapay Öğrenme Yaz Okulu. Özyeğin Üniversitesi ve Bilim Akademisi (Ümit Atlamaz ile birlikte)

2021 – Transitive Unergatives in Pazar Laz. TU+6 Workshop. University of Toronto.

2017 - High and Higher Applicatives in Pazar Laz. Workshop on Broader Perspectives on Word Order in the VP. University of Bielefeld.

2014 - Initiation vs. Delimitation: An Event Structure Perspective, Yeditepe University, Cognitive Science Program, Istanbul.

2005 - Case and Movement in Turkish. ODTÜ, Ankara.

2003 - A Typology based on case and referentiality. Boğaziçi University, Istanbul.

2001 - DPs in Turkish. Harvard University Ford Foundation Talks, Department of Linguistics, Harvard University, Cambridge.

2000 - Genitive Phrases in Turkish. Harvard University Ford Foundation Talks, Department of Linguistics, Harvard University, Cambridge.

1999 - Turkish as a non-pro-drop language. Harvard University Ford Foundation Talks, Department of Linguistics, Harvard University, Cambridge.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2014-up to date: Boğaziçi University, Department of Linguistics

> LING 202: Morphology
> LING 203: Syntax
> LING 206: Typology
> LING 314: Syntax and Semantics of Turkish
> LING 541: Syntactic Theory
> LING 572: Readings in Linguistics
> LING 58H: Syntax of Voice

2004-2014: Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and
Literatures.

LING 111: Introduction to Language and Linguistics I
LING112: Introduction to Language and Linguistics II
ENGL 201: Structure of Modern English
TK 204: Structure of Modern Turkish
EL 412: Research and Writing
LING 541: Syntactic Theory
LING 572: Readings in Linguistics
LING 587: Case and EPP in Generative Framework
LING 593: Field Methods
LING 612: Morphological Theory

2001-2004: Harvard University, Department of Linguistics

LING 97r/98a: Junior/Sophomore Tutorial: Language Acquisition
and Linguistic Theory (Instructor)
LING 112a: Introduction to Syntactic Theory (Teaching Fellow)
SA 34: Social Analysis: Knowledge of Language (Teaching Fellow)
LING 97r/98a: Junior/Sophomore Tutorial: Structure of Noun Phrases
(Instructor)
LING 110: Introduction to Linguistics (Teaching Fellow)

1998-up to date: Boğaziçi University, Language Center, Summer Program in
Turkish Language and Culture for Foreigners (Instructor of Turkish)

1996- 1997: Boğaziçi University, Language Center, Summer Program in Turkish
Language and Culture Program for Foreigners, (Teaching Assistant)

STUDENT SUPERVISION

PhD Theses

Tacettin Turgay (2020) - Turkish Classifier Constructions in Relation to Number.

Songül Gündoğdu (2019) - Argument-Adjunct Distinction in Kurmanji. Boğaziçi
University. (co-advisor: A. Sumru Özsoy)

MA Theses

Sercan Karakaş (2022) – Applicative Voice in Pomak

Furkan Dikmen (2020) – Impersonal passives in Turkish

Müge Gedik (2019) – The deverbal and deadjectival verbs in Turkish

Reyhan Lütfiye Okumuş (2019) – Verb Glasses in Şavşat Georgian

Duygu Göksu (2018) – Subject infinitives in Turkish

Ömer Eren (2016) – Spatial prefixes of Pazar Laz: a nano-syntactic approach

Nil Tonyalı (2015) – Dative in Turkish. Boğaziçi University.

Feyza Balakbabalar (2015) – Anticausatives in Turkish. Boğaziçi University.

Akkuş, Faruk (2014) – Functional Categories in Sason Arabic. Boğaziçi University

Demirok, Ömer Faruk (2013) – Agree as a unidirectional operation: Evidence from
        Pazar Laz. Boğaziçi University.

Atlamaz, Ümit (2012) – Ergative as Accusative Case: Evidence from Adiyaman Kurmanji.
        Boğaziçi University.

Gündoğdu, Songül (2011) – The phrase structure of two dialects of Kurmanji Kurdish: standard
        dialect and Muş dialect. Boğaziçi University.

Akan, Tamer (2009) – On scrambling in Turkish. Boğaziçi University.

Emgin, Betül (2009) – Finiteness and Complementation Patterns in Pazar Laz. Boğaziçi
        University.

Oded, İlknur (2006) – Control in Turkish. Boğaziçi University.

Undergraduate Senior Theses

Anıl Özer (2021) Transitivity in Abkhaz: A Lexical Aspect Study, Boğaziçi University.

Nilay Güventürk (2009) Result Nominals in Turkish, Boğaziçi University.

Didem İkizoglu (2007) Islands in Turkish, Boğaziçi University.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Editorial Boards
Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi (member of the main editorial board)

Reviewing for Journals
Natural Language and Linguistic Theory - Springer
Journal of Linguistics – Cambridge University Press
Lingua - Elsevier
Linguistic Variation – John Benjamins
Canadian Journal of Linguistics – University of Toronto Press
Language and Linguistics – John Benjamins
Poznan Studies in Contemporary Linguistics – De Gruyter
Turkic Languages - Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz
Linguistische Berichte - Springer
Ampersand - Elsevier
Glossa – Ubiquity Press
Open Linguistics – De Gruyter
Dilbilim Araştırmaları Dergisi – Boğaziçi University Press
Belleten – Türk Dil Kurumu
Languages - MDPI

Reviewing for Book Series
Oxford Studies in Theoretical Linguistics – Oxford University Press
Language Acquisition and Language Disorders - John Benjamins
Linguistik Aktuell – John Benjamins
Trends in Language Acquisition Research – John Benjamins
Typological Studies in Language – John Benjamins

Reviewing for conferences and workshops
Chicago Linguistics Society
Workshop on Altaic Formal Linguistics
Tu +: Turkic and Languages in contact with Turkic
International Conference on Turkish Linguistics
Ulusal Dilbilim Kurultayı (National Conference of Linguistics)

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

Endangered Languages Colloquium – Bilgi University, June 19-20, 2022.
Theoretical Linguistics and Languages of the Caucasus – Bilgi University, June 18-19, 2022
Typology, Theory: Caucasus, Boğaziçi University, November 29-December 1, 2012.

TEACHING INTERESTS

Syntax of South Caucasian Languages
Structure of Laz
Structure of Turkic Languages
Introduction to Linguistics
Theoretical Syntax
Morphology (Distributed Morphology – Nanosyntax)
Field Methods
First Language Acquisition
Syntax and Semantics of (Pseudo-)Incorporation,
Issues in Non-configurationality
Issues in Argument Structure and Event Structure
Structure of Noun Phrases
Structures of SOV Languages

LANGUAGES

Non-Indo-European: Turkish (native), Uzbek (elementary)
Indo-European: English (fluent), German (good reading, fair speaking),
                    French (elementary).
Languages of Interest: Laz (South Caucasian), Georgian (South Caucasian), Uyghur (Turkic),
                     Mongolian (Altaic) and Ndebele (Bantu)