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Education Information

Post Doctorate, İhsan Doğramacı Peace Foundation, Center for Foreign Policy and Peace Research, Turkey 2018 - 2019
Post Doctorate, Columbia University in the City of New York, Arnold A. Saltzman Institute of War and Peace Studies, Comparative Defense Studies Program, United States Of America 2015 - 2017
Post Doctorate, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Security Studies Program, United States Of America 2012 - 2013
Doctorate, Middle East Technical University, Graduate School Of Social Sciences, Department of International Relations, Turkey 2008 - 2013
Postgraduate, University of London-Kings College London, School of Security Studies, Department of War Studies, United Kingdom 2006 - 2007
Undergraduate, İhsan Doğramacı Bilkent University, Faculty Of Economics, Administrative And Social Sciences, Department Of International Relations, Turkey 2002 - 2006

Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities, Political Science, International Relations

Academic Titles / Tasks

Assistant Professor, Abdullah Gul University, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Fakültesi, Siyaset Bilimi Ve Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2021 - Continues
Visiting Lecturer, İhsan Doğramacı Bilkent University, Faculty Of Economics, Administrative And Social Sciences, Department Of International Relations, 2018 - 2021
Visiting Lecturer, Baskent University, Institute Of European Union And International Relations, Department Of Political Science And International Relations, 2019 - 2019
Visiting Lecturer, Cankaya University, Faculty Of Economics And Administrative Sciences, Department Of Political Science And International Relations, 2017 - 2018
Research Assistant, Middle East Technical University, Faculty Of Economic And Administrative Sciences, Department Of Political Science And Public Administration, 2010 - 2013

Academic and Administrative Experience

Head of Department, Abdullah Gul University, Fen Bilimleri Enstitüsü, -, 2023 - Continues

Bölüm Akademik Teşvik Değerlendirme Komisyonu Üyesi, Abdullah Gul University, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Fakültesi, Siyaset Bilimi Ve Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2023 - Continues

Bölüm Tanıtım ve Mezunlarla İlişkiler Komisyonu Başkanı, Abdullah Gul University, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Fakültesi, Siyaset Bilimi Ve Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2022 - Continues

Internship Committee Member, Abdullah Gul University, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Fakültesi, Siyaset Bilimi Ve Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2021 - Continues

Courses

Introduction to International Relations, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022

Political Economy of Conflict, War and Peace, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023

Career Planning, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022

Theories of International Relations, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022

Turkish Foreign Policy, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024, 2022 - 2023

Seminar, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024

Foreign Policy Analysis, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024, 2021 - 2022

International Security, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022

Capstone I, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024

AGU Ways, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024

AGU Ways II, Undergraduate, 2021 - 2022

Political Economy of Defense, Postgraduate, 2022 - 2023

Introduction to Peace Studies, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023

International Security, Undergraduate, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020

Security and Strategy, Undergraduate, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020, 2018 - 2019

Introduction to World Politics, Undergraduate, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020, 2018 - 2019, 2017 - 2018

Jury Memberships

Post Graduate, Post Graduate, İhsan Doğramacı Bilkent Üniversitesi, September, 2023

Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi, August, 2022

Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi, June, 2022

Post Graduate, Post Graduate, İhsan Doğramacı Bilkent University, June, 2022

Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Ankara Üniversitesi, January, 2022

Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Stellenbosch University, June, 2021

Published journal articles indexed by SCI, SSCI, and AHCI

I. No Strings Attached: Understanding Turkey's Arms Exports to Africa

KURÇ Ç.

Journal of Balkan and Near Eastern Studies, vol.26, no.3, pp.378-395, 2024 (SSCI)

II. Taking production relations seriously: the role of defence firms in armaments cooperation

Kurc Ç., Oktay S.

EUROPEAN SECURITY, vol.27, no.4, pp.469-489, 2018 (SSCI)

Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Defense industries in the 21st century: A comparative analysis—The second e-workshop**
Kurç Ç., Bitzinger R. A.
Comparative Strategy, vol.37, no.4, pp.255-259, 2018 (Scopus)
- II. **The puzzle: Multi-vector foreign policy and defense industrialization in central Asia**
KURÇ Ç.
Comparative Strategy, vol.37, no.4, pp.316-330, 2018 (Scopus)
- III. **Defence industries in the 21st century: a comparative analysis**
Kurç Ç., Neuman S. G.
Defence Studies, vol.17, no.3, pp.219-227, 2017 (Scopus)
- IV. **Between defence autarky and dependency: the dynamics of Turkish defence industrialization**
KURÇ Ç.
Defence Studies, vol.17, no.3, pp.260-281, 2017 (Scopus)
- V. **Conclusion: the need for continuous in-depth and comparative study**
Neuman S. G., KURÇ Ç.
Defence Studies, vol.17, no.3, pp.317-325, 2017 (Scopus)
- VI. **Turkey's strategic choice: buy or make weapons?**
BAĞCI H., KURÇ Ç.
Defence Studies, vol.17, no.1, pp.38-62, 2017 (Scopus)

Books & Book Chapters

- I. **Local, National and Untouchable: Securitization of Defense Industry in Turkey**
Kurç Ç.
in: Critical Security and Turkey: Alternative Approach in International Relations, Berk Esen, Başar Baysal, Editor, İletişim Yayınevi, İstanbul, pp.363-400, 2022
- II. **Global Weapons Production Networks and Defense Industry**
Kurç Ç.
in: Security in International Relations, Başar Baysal, Editor, İstanbul Bilgi Üniversitesi Yayınları, İstanbul, pp.343-354, 2022
- III. **Savunma Çalışmaları**
Kurç Ç.
in: Savaş Çalışmaları El Kitabı, Mesut Uyar, Editor, Kronik Kitap, İstanbul, pp.109-140, 2021
- IV. **A Shift of Axis or Business as Usual?: Turkey's S-400 Procurement Decision and Defence Industry**
Kurç Ç.
in: Turkey's New State in the Making: Transformations in Legality, Economy and Coercion, Pınar Bedirhanolu, Funda Hülagü, Özlem Kaygusuz, Çağlar Dölek, Editor, Zed Books, London, London, pp.80-94, 2020

Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **The Effect of Defense Industrialization on Military Adaptation: Finding the Missing Link**
Kurç Ç.
Second Hitit International Congress on Security Studies, Çorum, Turkey, 9 - 11 December 2022, pp.52-53
- II. **Technification of Weapons: How Weapons are desecuritized?**
Kurç Ç., Baysal B.
IX. Uluslararası İlişkiler Çalışmaları ve Eğitimi Kongresi, Mersin, Turkey, 26 - 29 May 2022, pp.25-26
- III. **Yerli ve Milli: The Persistence of Autarky in Turkish Defense Industry**
Kurç Ç.
Dijitalleşen Dünyada Birey, Toplum, Siyaset Kongresi, İstanbul, Turkey, 26 May - 27 August 2022, pp.6
- IV. **Sustainability, Ecosystem, and International Structures: The Rise, Fall, and Legacies of TOMTAŞ,**

Hürkuş and Demirağ

Kurç Ç.

Türk Harp Sanayii Tarihi Sempozyumu, İstanbul, Turkey, 12 - 14 May 2022, pp.63-65

V. The Uneven and Combined Development of Defense Industries: A Comparative Analysis of Emerging Countries

Kurç Ç.

First Hitit International Congress on Security Studies, Çorum, Turkey, 24 December 2021 - 27 August 2022, pp.186-187

Episodes in the Encyclopedia

I. Coups and Mutinies

Kurç Ç.

Oxford University Press, London , pp.1-10, 2021

II. Halliburton

Kurç Ç.

Sage, London/New Delhi , pp.617-618, 2013

III. Operations, Air

Kurç Ç.

Sage, London/New Delhi , pp.1018-1020, 2013

IV. Saudi Arabia

Kurç Ç.

Sage, London/New Delhi , pp.1249-1252, 2013

Expert Reports

I. Enabling Technology of Future Warfare: Defense AI in Turkey

Kurç Ç.

Universitaet der Bundeswehr Hamburg, pp.42, Hamburg, 2023

Supported Projects

Kurç Ç., Waldwyn T., Güvenç S., Egeli S., Mevlütoğlu A., Giegerich B., Mcgerty F., Jo H., Hackett J., Civil Society Organizations of Other Countries Supported Project, National Defence Industry: From an Enabler of Turkey's Pursuit of Strategic Autonomy to a Bridge between Turkey and Europe, 2023 - 2024

Activities in Scientific Journals

All Azimuth, Assistant Editor/Section Editor, 2018 - 2019

Scientific Refereeing

Journal of Defense & Security Analysis, Journal Indexed in ESCI, November 2023

Uluslararası İlişkiler, Journal Indexed in SSCI, October 2023

Journal of Balkan and Near Eastern Studies, Journal Indexed in SSCI, July 2023

Cogent Economics and Finance, Journal Indexed in ESCI, May 2023

Türk Savaş Çalışmaları Dergisi / Turkish Journal of War Studies, National Scientific Refreed Journal, April 2023

Güvenlik Stratejileri Dergisi, National Scientific Refreed Journal, June 2022
All Azimuth, Journal Indexed in ESCI, March 2022
TERRORISM AND POLITICAL VIOLENCE, Journal Indexed in SSCI, March 2022
ULUSLARARASI ILISKILER-INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, Journal Indexed in SSCI, December 2021
Project Supported by Public Organizations in Other Countries, Czech Science Foundation, Czech Republic, September 2021
EUROPEAN SECURITY, Journal Indexed in SSCI, April 2020
Insight Turkey, Journal Indexed in ESCI, October 2019
JOURNAL OF EUROPEAN INTEGRATION, Journal Indexed in SSCI, September 2019
DEFENCE AND PEACE ECONOMICS, Journal Indexed in SSCI, July 2019

Scientific Research / Working Group Memberships

Unıdır Expert Network On Security Priorities And Public Spending, United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research, Switzerland, <https://unidir.org/unidir-expert-network-on-security-priorities-and-public-spending/>, 2023 - Continues

Metrics

Publication: 22
Citation (WoS): 5
Citation (Scopus): 67
H-Index (WoS): 1
H-Index (Scopus): 4

Congress and Symposium Activities

Defense AI Conference, Panelists, Berlin, Germany, 2023
ISA 2022 Annual Convention, Panelists, Tennessee, United States Of America, 2022
1. Militarizmden Arındırılmış Bir Dünya Ütopyası Sempozyumu, Panelists, Ankara, Turkey, 2021

Scholarships

Fulbright Visiting Researcher , Fulbright Program, 2012 - 2013
Turkish Education Foundation - British Chevening Joint Graduate Scholarship, Official Institutions of Foreign Countries, 2006 - 2007