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Interests:

Architectural Design
Architectural Research/Theory
Gender and Sexuality in Architecture
Politics/Poetics of Space
Rhetorics of Space
Design Fiction
Spaces of/for Art

Languages:

Turkish
English
French

Technical Skills:

AutoCad
Rhinoceros 3D
(grasshopper + vray)
Revit
Sketchup
Adobe Creative Suite
(ps + ai + in)
MS Office
(doc + xcl + pp)
Cura
Arduino

Digital Fabrication Tools:

3D Printing
CNC Milling
Laser Cutting

Hobbies:

Writing
Playing Violin
Painting
Dancing
Scuba Diving
Volleyball

EDUCATION

- May 2017-May 2018** MS. Advanced Architectural Design | Columbia University
• Studio Critics: Nahyun Hwang and David Moon, Mabel Wilson, Sarah Dunn and Martin Felsen
• Classes by: Enrique Walker, Mark Wigley, Steven Holl, Mary Mcleod, Troy Therrien
- Sept 2012-June 2016** Bachelor of Architecture | Istanbul Bilgi University
• Academic Achievement Scholarship
• High Honor Student (Ranked 1st amongst 120 students)
• GPA: 3.80

WORK

- 2019-current** Senior Designer | Solomonoff Architecture Studio
- 2018-2019 (9m)** Junior Designer | Solomonoff Architecture Studio
- 2018-current** Guest Critic | Columbia University
- 2018 (3m)** Teaching Associate | Columbia University
• Advanced Architectural Design Studio with Nahyun Hwang and David Moon
• Provided course materials and logistical support or coordination as needed for coursework.
• Conducted teaching sections, tutorials, and design critiques individually.
- 2016-2017** Jr. Architect + Participant | Future Anectodes Istanbul
• Designed the exhibition spaces for Van Abbemuseum, NL with a team of four.
• Orchestrated the architectural typologies inventory research.
• Developed the project across all phases from conceptual design through to construction documentation.
- 2015 (5w)** Office Internship | Mimarlar + Han Tumertekin
• Operated in 6 different projects of various scales
• Composed and improved 3D models using Rhino and Revit.
• Produced scale models for one urban and one residential project.
- 2014 (4w)** Construction Internship | Dogus Oto Kartal Project
• Studied fundamental on site knowledge.
• 3D modeled sales and service facilities on an area of 14.736 m² on Sketchup
• Organized, maintained and archived construction documents

OTHER EXPERIENCES

- 2019** Women, Design and Space Symposium | Istanbul Technical University
as panel speaker, "Socio-spatial Exposure of Odalik's Body"
- 2018** "SHE" Interview | KooZA/rch
published article
- 2016** Tectonic Symbiosis | AA Istanbul Visiting School
workshop w/ Elif Erdine + Alexandros Kallegias
- "Brief Encounters" | Design Publishing
published book w/Asli Altay and D.P students
- Babel: "Menhir" | NY Outsider Art Fair
exhibited work c/Leah Gordon
- 2015** Cellular Re-Visions | AA Istanbul Visiting School
workshop w/ Elif Erdine + Alexandros Kallegias
- "Interfaces of a City" | Match-up Mag
published writing
- "Slenderizing Turkish Modernism" | Tectonic Translations
published writing
- 2014** Civic Engagement | BILGI Vernal Workshops
workshop w/ Justin Mcguirk + Can Altay
- 2013** Augmented Structures | BILGI Vernal Workshops
workshop w/ Refik Anadol + Alper Derinbogaz

AWARDS

- 2018** Honor Award For Excellence in Design | Columbia University
- 2016** Short Listed | Archiprix Turkey
Honorable Mention | Communal Kitchen, Istanbul Bilgi Uni.
2nd Prize | "New Ideas For Office Design", Business Istanbul
- 2015** 3rd Prize | Natural Stone Design Competition, IMMIB
- 2013** Jury's Special Award | Architectural Edu. Ins. Turkey
1st Prize | Void By Subtraction, Istanbul Bilgi Uni.