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Education

- Graduate Certificate Program Central European University,
Summer University, Postgraduate Study Abroad Program, Culture as Resource: Cultural Practices and Policies After '89 Course, Budapest, Hungary
July 2010
Full SUN Scholarship Student
- Master of Arts Sabancı University,
Master of Arts, Visual Arts and Visual Communication Design Department, Istanbul, Turkey
September 2005-July 2007
Tuition Waiver Scholarship Student
Thesis: Soduz, Audio Visual Noise Project
Advisor: Inst. Selcuk Artut
- Bachelor of Fine Arts Bilkent University,
Bachelor of Fine Arts, Graphic Design Department, Ankara, Turkey
September 1998-June 2005

Teaching Experience

- Part-Time Instructor Kadir Has University, Department of Communication Design, Istanbul, Turkey
January 1012 - Present
- Introduction to Communication Design
- Instructor Digital Film Academy, Istanbul, Turkey
December 2011- February 2012
- Adobe After Effects Class
- Part-Time Instructor Izmir University of Economics, Department of Visual Communication Design, Izmir, Turkey
October 2008-June 2011
- Basic Photography
Art and Design Studio I
Art and Design Studio II
Understanding New Media
Introduction to Visual Communication
Computer Aided Graphic Design
Multimedia Applications in Design
Visual Communication
Visual Communication Design Studio I
- Instructor Historical Coal Air Factory Cultural Center, Moving Images and Animation Spring Term Children Workshop, Izmir, Turkey
February-June 2011

Teaching Assistant Sabancı University, Visual Arts and Visual Communication Design Program, Istanbul, Turkey
September 2005-June 2007

Visual Language I (Supervisor: Erdag Aksel)
Sound and Image (Supervisor: Selcuk Artut)
Sound Project (Supervisor: Selcuk Artut)
Design Project Studio III (Supervisor: Elif Ayiter)

Professional Experience

November 2011-Present Freelance Motion Director, Istanbul, Turkey

Motion Graphics
3D Animations

November 2011-Present Colorful Youth Children Workshop, EU Youth Project, Istanbul, Izmir, Turkey
Coordinator, Supervisor

Workshop Concept Design
Interactive Stage Design
Event Organization

September-November 2011 E-Nocta E-learning Systems, Istanbul, Turkey
AudioVisual Designer

Educational Web Portal Interfaces
Educational Motion Infographics
Sound Design

June - November 2006 Sibername, Electronic Information Services, Istanbul, Turkey
Interactive Designer

Web Design
Presentational DVD
Banners, Wallpapers, E-cards and Screensavers

November 2005- February 2006 DANdadaDAN Music Album, Istanbul, Turkey
Recording Assistant

March - July 2005 IXIR Visual Communication Design, Ankara, Turkey
Visual Communication Designer

Corporate Identities
Packaging
Brochures
Presentational Movies

January - March 2005 Deep Advertising Agency, Ankara, Turkey
Graphic Designer

Corporate Identities
Packaging
Brochures

June - July 2003 Düş Sokağı Production, Ankara, Turkey
1 Mouth Trainer, 1 Mouth Jr. Art Director

Corporate identities
Posters and Brochures

June- September 2002 Üner Publishing House, Ankara, Turkey
1 Mouth Trainer, 3 Mouths Graphic Designer

Book illustrations
Book Covers
Corporate Identities

Academic Honors and Credentials

May 2011 "Soundscape: from noise to acoustic ecology" Presentation at Izmir University of Economics, Design Studies Graduate Program

July 2010 Central European University, Summer University, Budapest, Hungary.
Postgraduate Study Abroad Program full SUN scholarship and awarded by Letter of Appreciation

February 2010 Personal portfolio presentation at University of Pecs (Hungary), Fine Arts and Music Faculty

September 2005-July 2007 Sabancı University
Master of Arts, Visual Arts and Visual Communication Design, Tuition Waiver Scholarship Student

January-June 2004 Bilkent University
Spring Semester High Honor Student

July 2007 ArtExperience -Domus Academy-SantralIstanbul workshops and seminars participation

April 2005 "Fahrenheit 451" Movie Title Sequence Screened and Presented in İstanbul Technical University, Design- Cinema Conference

March 2001 Certificate of PTT Stamp Competition

January 2004 Icograda Design Week - Building Bridges, Bilgi University, workshops and seminars participation

May 2000-2004 Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University- Grafist workshops and seminars participation

Publications

Monsters International Exhibiton Book, Montreal, Canada, November 2011
Turkish Graphic Designers 6 Book, İstanbul, Turkey, January 2011
Interviewed by Streaming Festival, The Hague, The Netherlands, November 2011
Interviewed by SoundLAB Interview Project, 2009
KSER Radio 90.7 located in Washington, USA, June and October 2007
Yasakmevye Magazine, "An example to Dadaist influenced in today's music: Replikas"
March 2007
Radikal (2) Newspaper "Made in Turkey Movie Posters", 12 February 2005
Radikal (2) Newspaper "Non-Concept Designs", 15 August 2004
Radikal (2) Newspaper "Copy Design Movement", 13 June 2004

Skills

Computer Adobe Creative Suite 5.5 Master Collection, Propellerhead Reason, Ableton Live, Steinberg Wave Lab, Digidesign Pro Tools, Garageband, Sony Sound Forge, Acid Pro, Cycling 74 Max Msp / Jitter (Intermediate), Processing, Maxon Cinema 4d, Action Script 3.0.

Language Turkish, English

Exhibiton and Festivals

Occupy the Walls, Group Exhibiton, AC Institute, New York, USA, December 2011
Streaming Festival, The Hague, The Netherlands, November 2011
Monsters International Art Group Exhibition, Montreal, Canada, 2011
"Soundscape Awareness Workshop " Ankara Desing Week, Turkey, November 2011
"What did you see in your dream last night? Tell me" Performance with Eser Selen for Fluxus Exhibition, Cer Modern, Ankara, Turkey, May 2011
"Vacuum" audiovisual performance with Cem Guney, Hayalbaz-Izmir, Turkey, May 2011
Radio Zero, Radio Festival, Portugal, July 2010
FILE - Electronic Language Festival, Sao Paulo, Brazil, 2009
SoundLAB, SoundPool Project VI, 2009
Design Works Exhibition (with Cem Ocalan and Gokhan Okur), Sabancı University, Fassart Gallery, Istanbul, May 2007
Technology Exhibition at T.B.A. Ankara, Turkey, May 2003
Bilkent University 1., 2., 3.and 4. - Year Student Exhibitions, Ankara, Turkey
Bilkent University, Peace Exhibition participation and designer, Ankara, Turkey
March 2003
Work and Worker Safety Week Poster Exhibition, Ankara, Turkey, 2002

“Little Red Riding Hood-“. (Soundtrack of short animated film)Directed by Gökhan Okur
MediaWave, Hungary, 2009
5. Akbank Short Film Festival, Turkey, 2009
İstanbul Independent Film Festival, Turkey, 2009
METU GISAM, Turkey, 2009
Kargart, Turkey, 2009
Turk-English Association, Turkey, 2009
Istanbul Animation Film Festival, Turkey, 2008

“Little Red Riding Hood Audiovisual Performans” with Gökhan Okur
Galata Perform Visibility Project 3, İstanbul, Turkey, November 2007

“Aman Sulukule Canım Sulukule” (Sound design of short documentary film), Directed by
Hoy Cheong Wong
10th Istanbul Biennale, Turkey, 2007

“Mobilization Exercises” (Soundtrack of short animated film), Directed by Gökhan Okur
Second Place award at NYCR 2006 International Film Festival, Istanbul, Turkey
New York, USA, 2007
Honorable Mention Prize, Rotaract Film Festival Istanbul, Turkey, 2009
5th Ofensiva International Film Festival, Wraclow, Poland, 2007
Terminal 00, Balkan Art Festival, Ljubljana, Slovenia, 2007
Animatu Digital Animation Festival, Portugal, 2007
Festival Miden - Contemporary video art, Kalamata, Greece, 2007
İstanbul Independent Film Festival 2007, Turkey, 2007
Arcipelago, 15th International Festival of Short Films and New Images, Rome,
Italy, 2007
ReAnimacija Festival, Lodz, Poland, 2007
18th Ankara International Film Festival, Ankara, Turkey, 2007

“Lutrilisona” (Soundtrack of short animated film), Directed by Gökhan Okur
Akbank Short Film Fest, Turkey, 2007
Mestre Film Fest - Ninth Edition, Venice, Italy , 2006
Streaming Festival, The Hague, The Netherlands, 2006

“Noci” (Soundtrack of short animated film), Directed by Gökhan Okur
6th Torino Flash Festival, Torino, Italy, 2007

“3 Kofte 25 / Koyunu Sev”
İstanbul Independent Film Festival Short Film Competition finalist, Turkey,
2005
İstanbul Independent Film Festival, Turkey, 2005
Sabancı University Short Film Festival,(SINEK), Turkey, 2005
Kargart Perform House, Turkey, 2005
Diyarbakır Film Festival, Turkey, 2005
Videoartimuzik 05-Roxy Music Days, Turkey 2005

“Life and Death of a Dummy”
Videoartimuzik 05-Roxy Music Days, Turkey 2005

Social Activities

Official Designer-Amnesty International Turkey, 2006-2007
Sonic Art, Soundscapes, History of Music, Physical Interaction, Sound Studio
Technologies, Film Sound, Video Art, Motion Graphics, Stencil and Sticker.
Drums player, Musician
January- May 2005, Reggae/Dub DJ in Locus Solus, Ankara, Turkey