

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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## CURRENT POSITION

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02/2019–Present  
Equality Adviser  
KUN Centre for Equality and Diversity, Steigen, Norway

**Working areas**  
International work, Qualitative research & document analysis, Intersectionality, Gendered and Sexualized violence, Social inclusion, Transnational migration, Human Trafficking, Mental health among minority groups

## PROJECT INVOLVEMENTS

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05/2019 – present  
Work with establishing a regional network against human trafficking in Salten.

09/2019 – present  
Social control and psychological consequences among minority young men in Norway  
Initiated by Mental Health Youth

05-09/2019  
Analysis of Municipalities` (Women) Shelter Services in Norway.  
Initiated by The Directorate for Children, Youth of Family Affairs

02-05/2019  
Knowledge Summary of Nordic Research on children and youth`s media practices in a gender perspective.  
Initiated by The Ministry of Children and Equality

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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02/2011–not fulfilled  
International PhD Program (IPP Transnational)  
Democracy, Knowledge, and Gender in a Transnational World  
PhD candidate in Sociology  
Goethe University, Frankfurt am Main, Germany

### Ph.D. courses

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07/2011  
Feminist Health Politics by Kathy Davis, Goethe Uni. IPC., Frankfurt, Germany

07/2011  
Academic writing in gender studies, Kathy Davis, Goethe University, IPC,  
Frankfurt, Germany

06/2011  
Intergender Course 'Contextualizing Gendered Violence: Interconnections of

Violence, Nation and Masculinity', Swedish Research Institute (SRI) and Inter Gender Research School in Interdisciplinary Gender Studies, Linköping University, Sweden.

- 11/2010 Moving Gender from the margin to the Centre of comparative politics. Understanding gendered processes of politics and power, Nordic-Arab Network of Research on Women's Empowerment, Gender and Politics' (WEP) Kick-off Seminar, Aalborg University, Denmark.
- 10/2008–07/2010 MA. (Master of Philosophy) in Women's Studies  
University of Istanbul, Istanbul Turkey  
Master thesis: Masculine Power's Masculine Violence: Trafficking in women for sexual purposes and Discussions on Swedish Example'
- 01-02/2010 Visiting Research Fellow  
REMESO Graduate School in Migration, Ethnicity and Society  
Linköping University, Sweden
- 01-02/2010 'International Migration, Ethnicity and Gender: International Perspectives on Labor, Power and Citizenship', REMESO for Research on Migration, Ethnicity and Society, Linköping University, Sweden
- 09/2002–06/2008 Bachelor of Translation and Interpretation (German-Turkish)  
Double Major; Social Anthropology,  
Istanbul University, Faculty of Literature, Turkey  
BA thesis: Honor related violence among Turkish minorities in Germany, and court documents dealing with honor related killings.
- 02-06/2006 Exchange student, EU Erasmus Program, Institute of Translation and Interpretation Karl Franzens University Graz, Faculty of Philosophy, Austria
- 10/2002-06/2003 Language Preparatory year (German)

## ACHIEVEMENTS

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- 5/2011 Discussion paper submitted 'Unmasking what is Masked behind Prostitution: The case of Turkey' at Intergender Course, 'Contextualizing Gendered Violence: Interconnections of Violence, Nation and Masculinity' organized by Swedish Research Institute (SRI) and Inter Gender Research School in Interdisciplinary Gender Studies, Linköping University, Sweden.
- 10/2010 Paper submitted, 'Masculine Power's Masculine Violence: Trafficking in women for sexual purposes and Discussions on Swedish Example', The first "Dicle Koğacioğlu Article Awards" held by Sabancı University, Istanbul.
- 11/2010 Paper Submitted, Social Construction of Migrant Prostitution and Possible Application of the Swedish Examples of Prostitution Regimes in Turkey, at 'Nordic-Arab Network of Research on Women's Empowerment, Gender and Politics' (WEP) Kick-off Seminar: Moving Gender from the margin to the center of comparative politics. Understanding gendered processes of politics and power' organized by Aalborg University, Denmark.
- 03/2009 Paper submitted "Masculine State's Masculine Justice; analyzing the Judicial Decisions on Violence against women in new Turkish Penal Code through media", 2<sup>st</sup> Graduate Conference, University of Bosphorus

10/2008 Volunteer training in Women Shelter', Purple Women Shelter, Istanbul, Turkey

## FIELDWORK

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01-02/2010 Remeso, Linköping University, Sweden; conducted interviews with NGOs and academicians who work with the issue Trafficking in women; as part of my MA thesis titled "Irregular Migration and Trafficking in Women; The case of Turkey and Discussions on Swedish Model."

11/2009 The Oral History Project 'Once Upon a Time in my Street in Istanbul' executed by Young Lives Foundation with the contributions of Istanbul 2010 European of Culture Agency.

06-07/2009 Frankfurter Verein Frauenhaus, Germany; 'Oral history of female migrants'; conducted interviews with 9 female migrants

03/2009 Documentary project 'Filming Feminist Candidate for Beyoglu Municipality, Local Election 09', Istanbul, Turkey

## WORK EXPERIENCES

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2017-2018 Social worker, Childcare services, Municipality of Horten, Norway

2017-2018 Kalem Literary Agency, Freelance translator

2015-2017 Social worker, Childcare services, Human Care / Løft AS, Norway

2013- 2014 Interpreter, Hero Tolk, Norway

06/07. 2009 Social worker, Internshiptraining  
Frankfurter Verein die Kanne, Women Shelter in Frankfurt, Germany

2009-2010 Volunteer/Social worker, Purple women shelter, Istanbul, Turkey  
2007-2008 Coordinator, Velux Istanbul, Turkey

2007-2008 Freelance translator, Istanbul, Turkey

05-06/2006 Translator, Internship training  
Star Group, Istanbul, Turkey

1999- 2001 Receptionist, Hotel & Tourism, Antalya, Turkey

## OTHER

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2017- 2018 Post-graduate education in interdisciplinary psychosocial work with children and young people, University of South-Eastern Norway, Norway

2016-2018 Applied Psychology, Bjørknes University College, Oslo, Norway

2014-2015 International Advanced Training in identity Oriented Psychotraumatheory and -therapy (IOPT), Oslo, IOPT Norway, Institute for Trauma Work

2012-2014

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(IOPT), Oslo, IOPT Norway, Institute for Trauma Work

## LANGUAGES

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Norwegian

English

German

Turkish