

ÖZLEM ALTINKAYA GENEL

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

- Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Cambridge, MA, 2012-2016 Doctor of Design Degree in Urban Planning and Design.
Dissertation Title: “*Shifting Scales of Urban Transformation: The Marmara Urban Region between 1990 and 2015*”
Committee: Peter Rowe (primary advisor), Hashim Sarkis, Sibel Bozdogan, Murat Güvenç.
- Istanbul Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey, 2006-2008
Master’s Degree in Architectural Design.
- Mimar Sinan University of Fine Arts, Istanbul, Turkey, 2000-2006 Bachelor’s Degree in Architecture.

Academic Awards:

- Aga Khan Student at Harvard University Graduate School of Design, 2012-2016.
- Graduated *summa cum laude* from Istanbul Bilgi University in 2008.
- Istanbul Bilgi University Scholarship, (full funding), 2006-2008.

Teaching:

- MEF University, Fall 2016
Studio Instructor: First Year Design Studio, Architectural Design 1 - ARC 101
- MEF University, Fall 2016
Instructor: Visual Communication 1 – Freehand Drawing as an Act of Making
- Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Spring 2014
Teaching Fellow: Cities by Design, Rahul Mehrotra
- Harvard University Graduate School of Design, Fall 2013
Teaching Fellow: Urbanization in South East Asian Region, Professor Peter Rowe

Research & Exhibitions:

- Research assistant at the Istanbul portal of Mellon project, 2014-2015.
Conducted research on the Pervititch and Goad Maps of Istanbul.
- Researcher in Europalia Arts Festival Turkey 2015, Port City Talks Exhibition, Streetscapes of İstanbul's Waterfront. Production of street-scale maps of İstanbul's waterfront based on the commercial landscape of the city.
- Kadir Has University Istanbul Studies Center Research Fellow, 2014, 2015.
- Research assistant in Istanbul Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey, 2009-2010:
Istanbul 1910-2010: City, Built Environment and Architectural Culture Exhibition, curator assistant to Prof. İhsan Bilgin, prepared the section on "Urban Implosion: 1950-1983".

Design Practice:

- Nevzat Sayin Mimarlik Hizmetleri, Istanbul, Turkey, 2006 Member of the project team.
- Tuncer Çakmaklı Architects, Istanbul, Turkey, 2008-2009 Member of the project team.
- Co-founded her own design practice, 2010-2012.

Architectural Competitions:

- Architectural Competition for the Urban Design of Kaplıkaya Valley, Bursa 2005: honorable Mention.
- Architectural Competition for the Conceptual Design of Hasanoğlan Village Institute, Ankara, Turkey, 2007: 3rd prize.
- Architectural Competition for the Conceptual Design of Ulucanlar Central Prison, Ankara, Turkey, 2007: honorable mention.

Conferences and Workshops:

- The Programme on Contemporary Turkish Studies at the London School of Economics and Political Science, London, UK, May 2016.
Invited participant: Shifting Scales of Urban Transformation: The emergence of Istanbul's city-region between 1990 and 2015 (forthcoming).
- Pluralism and Community Social Science and History Perspectives, Baltimore, US, Nov 2015.
Co-authored Paper presentation with Murat Güvenç: Methodologies to Decipher the Socio-Spatial Assemblages: The Case of Istanbul at the Turn of the 20th Century.

- International Water History Association Water History Conference, Delft, Netherlands, June 2015.
Paper presentation: Marmara Sea waterscapes of Istanbul in the Ottoman Era as "the Other": a perpetual geo-historical interaction.
- Wessex Sustainable Institute Sustainable Development and Planning 2015, Istanbul, Turkey, May 2015.
Paper presentation: From Urban Transformation to Regional Transformation: Rethinking Marmaray.
- Institute of Urban Studies, Urban Studies Congress 2015, Eskisehir, Turkey, April 2015.
Paper Presentation: Shifting Scales of Urban Transformation: The Emergence of the Marmara Urban Region between 1980 and 2000.
- Data Across Scales: Reshaping Design, Third Annual DDes Conference, Cambridge, MA, US, April 2015.
Member of the organization committee.
- Gezi Park: The Politics of Public Space between Event and Memory, The Aga Khan Program at the GSD, Cambridge, MA, Nov 2013.
Organizator of the event.

Conference Proceedings:

- Altinkaya Genel, Ö. (2015). From Urban Transformation to Regional Transformation: Rethinking Marmaray. In Ö. Özçevik, C.A. Brebbia & S.M. Şener (Eds.), *Sustainable development and planning VII: WIT transactions on ecology and the environment* (pp. 95-105). Southampton, UK: Wit Press.
- Altinkaya Genel, Ö. (2015). Shifting Scales of Urban Transformation: The Emergence of the Marmara Urban Region between 1980 and 2000. In M. Altunoğlu & Ş. Geniş (Eds.), *1. Uluslararası Kent Araştırmaları Kongresi Bildiriler Kitabı* (Vol. 1, pp. 286-308). Eskişehir: Anadolu Üniversitesi Matbaası.

Mother tongue:

- Turkish

Other Languages:

- English (Advanced)
- German (Basic)

Computer Skills:

- Autocad, Sketchup, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, ArcMap

References:

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