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## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

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## **PUBLICATIONS & ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE**

### **INTERNATIONAL**

#### **BOOK**

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**"Designing Institutions for Equitable Allocation of Transboundary Water Resources: The Euphrates-Tigris River Basin,"** Paper presented at the Bi-National Conference on Conflict and Cooperation in the Middle East With Reference to Water, 20 - 21 April 1998, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey;

**"Dispute over the Euphrates and Tigris: Institutions as Possible Responses,"** Paper presented at Water 98 Conference: Legal and Regulatory Issues, 08-12 June 1998, University of Dundee, Dundee, Scotland;

**"Turkish Experience in Irrigation Management Transfer"** Paper presented in the Conference on the Irrigation Reform Policy Process, organized jointly by the Irrigation and Water Engineering Group in the Department of Environmental Sciences at the University of Wageningen & the WORLD BANK & the Ministry of Water Resources of India, 11 - 14 December 1999, Hyderabad, India;

*"Institutions for Effective Use of the Euphrates-Tigris Waters"* Paper presented during the **Xth World Water Congress: Sharing the Waters of the Earth**, organized by the International Water Resources Association (IWRA), 12 – 17 March 2000, Melbourne, Australia;

*"Issues in Design and Management of Irrigation Systems: The Southeastern Anatolia Project (GAP) Experience,"* Paper presented in the **Conference on Water Resources Management: Traditional and Modern Irrigation Technologies in the Eastern Mediterranean**, organized jointly by International Development Research Center (IDRC) and the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU), 12 - 14 April 2000, Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus;

*"Building Institutions for Settling the Dispute in the Euphrates-Tigris River Basin"* Paper presented in the **Energy Conference in Stavanger 2000**, organized by the Center for Development Studies, University of Bergen, 03 – 05 August 2000, Stavanger, Norway;

*"Building Social Ingenuity at Farmers' Side: Management Operation and Maintenance Model of GAP-RDA"* Paper presented in the **Conference on Water in the Eastern Mediterranean: Social Capital in Regional Development Projects**, organized jointly by International Development Research Center (IDRC) and the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) & GAP - RDA, 2 – 6 May 2001, Sanliurfa, Turkey;

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*"Progress in the Management of Irrigation Systems: Turkey's Southeastern Anatolia Project (GAP) Experience,"* Paper presented at the International Water History Association (IWHA) 2<sup>nd</sup> **Conference on the Role of Water in History and Development**, 10 – 12 August 2001, Bergen, Norway;

*"Building Bridges Between Key Stakeholders in the Irrigation Sector: GAP-RDA's Management Operation & Maintenance Model"* Paper presented at the Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI) **The 11<sup>th</sup> Stockholm Water Symposium**, 13 – 16 August 2001, Stockholm, Sweden;

*"Third World Water Forum and the Thematic Center,"* Paper presented at the **Panel on Water For Development**, organized jointly by GAP-RDA and the Harran University on the occasion of the celebration of the World Water day, 21 March 2002, Şanlıurfa, Turkey;

*"A Cooperative Model for Effective Management and Allocation of the Water Resources in the Euphrates-Tigris River Basin"* Paper presented at the Natural Resources Law Center, University of Colorado School of Law, **23<sup>rd</sup> Summer Conference on Allocating and Managing Water for a Sustainable Future: Lessons from Around the World**, 11-14 June 2002, Boulder, Colorado, USA;



***"Settling the Dispute Over the Waters of the Euphrates-Tigris River Basin"***

Paper presented at the Conference titled **From Conflict to Co-operation in International Water Resources Management: Challenges and Opportunities**, jointly organized by UNESCO, Green-Cross, IHE, 20-22 November 2002, Delft, The Netherlands;

***"Water, Poverty and Development"*** Paper presented during the **Third World Water Forum**, 16-23 March 2003, Kyoto, Japan;

***"Water Resources Management in Turkey: Challenges and Opportunities"***

Paper presented at the **Conference on Regional Cooperation for Water Management** organized by University of Oklahoma, 13-14 February 2004, Damascus, Syria;

***"Contending Approaches to Water Disputes in Transboundary River Basins: What can International Relations Discipline Offer?"*** Paper presented at the **Workshop on Water and Politics: Understanding the Role of Politics in Water Management** organized by the World Water Council, 26-27 February 2004, Marseilles, France;

***"International Standards-Is Anybody Listening?"*** Paper presented at the **International Expert Workshop on Water, Development and Cooperation: Comparative Perspective: Euphrates-Tigris and South Africa** organized jointly by Center for Development Research (ZEF), University of Bonn and Bonn International Conversion Center, 1-2 March 2004, Bonn, Germany;

***"Transboundary Water Resources Management: Challenges and Opportunities,"*** Paper presented at the **Panel on Prospects of Water Issue in the Next Quarter Century** organized by the Turkish-American Association (TAD), 17 March 2004, Ankara;

***"Identifying Water Related Development Issues: GAP Experience and Building Networks Among Stakeholders: GAP-GOLD,"*** Paper presented at the **Conference on Regional Cooperation for Water Management** organized by University of Oklahoma, the International Programs Center, 11-12 June 2004, Istanbul, Turkey;

***"Water for Sustainable Development in the Euphrates-Tigris River Basin,"*** Paper presented at the **2<sup>nd</sup> Asia Pacific Association of Hydrology and Water Resources Volume II**, organized by the APHW 5-8 July 2004, Singapore;

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***“Hydropolitical History of the Euphrates-Tigris river basin,”*** Paper presented at the **Euphrates-Tigris Initiative for Cooperation Founding Meeting**, Kent State University, 19-21 May 2005, Ohio, USA;

***“Water Management Paradigm in the Euphrates-Tigris River Basin,”*** Paper presented at the **Fourth METU Conference on International Relations: Neighbourhood: Past, Present and Future**, 30 June-2 July 2005, Ankara;

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**“Transboundary Water Politics: Concepts, Theories and the Legal Framework,”** and **“Turkey’s Water Policy”** as the invited visiting scholar at the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, 29 April- 3 May 2015.

**“Example of a Successful Evaluator in the European Union Seventh Framework Program”** invited as the keynote speaker in the workshop entitled **“Women Researchers Horizon2020 Workshop,”** organized by the Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TÜBİTAK), 9 March 2015, Ankara.

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- International Conference on Advancing Cooperation in the Euphrates Tigris Region: Institutional Development and Multidisciplinary Perspectives, Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law, Okan University & Euphrates Tigris Initiative for Cooperation (ETIC), Okan University, Istanbul, Turkey, May 2-4, 2012.

- The High Level Forum on Blue Peace in the Middle East held at the MEF University campus on 19-20 September 2014. The Forum brought together approximately 90 opinion-makers and policy-makers from the Middle Eastern countries with a view to discussing various aspects of water as a means of promoting peace and cooperation in the region. The Forum was convened jointly by MEF University and the Strategic Foresight Group also in cooperation with the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation, and the Political Directorate of the Swiss Federal Department of Foreign Affairs.
- International Conference entitled "Water Resources Management in the Asi (Orontes) River Basin: Assessment of Issues and Opportunities," which was held at MEF University on 13-14 November 2014. The Workshop was co-organized by MEF University and the Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies based in Geneva with the support of the Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation. The ultimate objective of the Workshop, which was attended by decision-makers, technocrats, water experts and leading academics from Turkey, Syria, Switzerland, Germany and Holland, was to produce a much needed synthesis of academic works and technical studies that are conducted on the Asi River basin.
- International conference on *Women, Water and Peace in the Middle East*, which was convened at MEF campus on 18-19 March 2016 was co-hosted by MEF University, Istanbul and the Strategic Foresight Group (SFG), Mumbai with support from the Swedish International Development Agency, Stockholm. The meeting brought together 60 thought leaders and women opinion makers from Iraq, Jordan Lebanon and Turkey as key participants, including former Ministers, Members of Parliament, government officials, academics and editors of newspapers.

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