

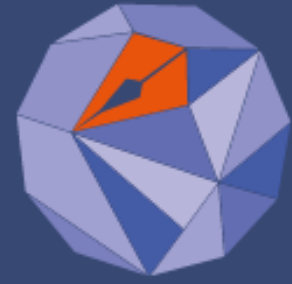
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IRST founded as a student-based organization

2008

2011

Became legal entity as 'International Relations Studies Association'

Established TUIÇ AKADEMİ

2012

2013

Conducted first Internship Program

Established first University Representativeness

2014

2016

Conducted first Online Internship Program

Established first IR Wikipedia-UliWiki

2017

2020

Took steps to ensure continuity by carrying out internships and activities to digital platforms

About Us

As youth, the future of Turkey, our aim is, within the social, cultural, economic, and political frame, to participate in politics that have been and will be formed regarding the problems and agenda of Turkey, notably politics, and to take an active role in this process. Policymaking processes include many sides such as experts, academicians, media, government agencies, political parties, think tanks, capital-based interest groups, and cultural-based interest groups. We are aiming at having a comment on our future as a student-based organization. Our Anatolian-based organization, whose aim is to treat all establishments equally during policy-making processes, is expecting those foundations to show the same sensitivity. We are describing us as a non-partisan and civil organization, which is trying to carry on its works within the frame of analysis and trying to be neutral to all political fragmentations and be pragmatist instead of ideologist. We prefer to approach all kinds of problems in civil cooperation and democracy-based, peaceful and pluralistic manners, thinking that it is permanent and brings long term benefits. Our aim is, by paving the way for democratic constructions, to offer solutions to the issue addressing large masses which is the biggest problem that civil initiative has in Turkish Universities.

2013

On 22nd March 2013, “Being an International Relations Graduate in Turkey” was published. The book was written by the associations’ members who study IR and contains 14 foreign policy and International Relations professors’ interviews and thoughts. The negative and positive sides of studying International Relations were also covered in depth since the study program do not allow students to specialize in any field as in the case of engineering or law, the difficulty of finding a job since there is a lot of degree holders in the field more than the market demands and identity problem that fresh graduates and students faces. The book can be considered as a great guide or compass for students who are willing to study IR. We are planning to release the updated and expanded new edition in December,2020.



2015



TUIÇ's 8th field trip was held on 26-27 November in Ankara. During the field trip, ministries, headquarters of political parties, different institutions, The Grand National Assembly of Turkey and United Nations was visited by participants.

2017

TUİÇ's 5th Winter Camp was held in Eskişehir. The camp's theme was Energy. The subjects that were covered during the camp were adaptations of Energy and Turkey, The Law of Energy between Turkey and the World and so on.



2017



TUIÇ arranged seminars and workshops in 9 universities about 'Being IR Student in Turkey'.

The subject of the seminars was mainly about the discipline of IR, pros and cons of studying IR, and the main principles and aims of TUIÇ.

2017



TUIÇ Representatives Summit, held with the participation of 50 representatives from 35 universities. Representatives carried out various activities to develop the goals and objectives of TUIÇ. Thanks to this event, a big step was taken to develop our TUIÇ family and to increase the cooperation between us.

2018



Our university representatives joined the Global Leadership Programme which was held by the School of Government and Leadership of Bahcesehir University. Almost all of the TUIÇ team including intern students came together thanks to the organization.

2019

Rada Trajkovic attended as speaker to TUIÇ's seminar on the topic 'Relations between Serbia and Kosovo on Land Swap Issue and Protests in Serbia'.



2020

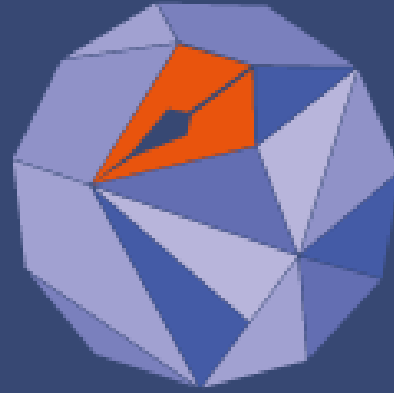


TUIÇ Round-table Meetings has become a traditional type of meeting among TUIÇ members. Several round-table meetings have been held by TUIÇ from its establishment to today. These meetings are generally held in series and on different topics. The subject of this meeting 'Foreign Policy of Iran and USA Crisis' held in January 2020. Nowadays, TUIÇ still has the concept of round-table; however, with the transition to digitalization and pandemic processes around the world, the meetings continue to be prepared generally online.

2020

At the stage of adapting new normal after Covid-19, we held our third online internship program. The idea of carrying out an online internship program was adopted by us long before the pandemic in 2016 since we sought to make the program accessible to everyone in the country who does not have an opportunity to conduct an on office internship. Furthermore, we carry out and organize online roundtable meetings and conferences on current developments that are open to the public on our Youtube channel.





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