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LANGUAGES

TURKISH (NATIVE)

ENGLISH (TOEFL IBT: 102, YDS:91/A)

CHINESE - MANDARİN (BA)

GERMAN - A2

VOLUNTARY WORK

- BİROY, TURKISH ACTORS COLLECTİNG SOCIETY,
BOARD MEMBER, INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS TEAM MEMBER (ACTIVE)

- OYUNCULAR SENDİKASI, TURKISH ACTORS UNION, MEMBER, UNIT OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (FORMER)

EDUCATION / EĞİTİM

(2021- 2025) Ankara University, Sinology, MA / Sinoloji, YL

(2018 - 2022) İstanbul University, Child Development, BA / Çocuk Gelişimi, Lisans

(2015 – 2017) Atatürk University, Child Development, As. D. / Çocuk Gelişimi, Önlisans

(2013 - 2017) İstanbul University, Translation Studies, MA / Çeviri Bilim, YL

(2008 - 2012) İstanbul University State Conservatory, Theatre, BA / Devlet Konservatuvarı, Tiyatro, Lisans

(2004 – 2005) Beijing Language and Culture Uni., Beijing Normal Uni., visiting student in Chinese Studies / Çin Dili, ziyaretçi öğrenci

(2002 – 2006) Ankara University, Sinology, BA / Sinoloji, Lisans

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Project Coordinator and Trainer / Proje Koordinatörü, Eğitimci:

(2012 - 2025) Utopia Education and Art Organisation

(2020 - 2025) Oba Nature and Education Association

- Interpreter / Çevirmen (English, Mandarin)

Ref: Dr. Abishek Joshi, Dr. Yatrik Kheradia, Conde-Nast Traveler, IKSV, sagliklayasamak.com, Microsoft.

- Pre-K Teacher / Okul Öncesi Eğitimci :

(2020-2021) Nar İmece Waldorf Kindergarten

- Research Ast. / Araştırma Gör.: (2006-2010) Okan University, Translation Studies Dep.

-Actress for Theatre and Television (freelance, project-based) (2004-2025)

PROJECTS

(2024-2025) 'Resilience in Nature' with Flourish in Nature NL and Oba Nature Assc. TR, ongoing project.

(11.2024) 'Young Urban Gardeners-Introduction to Permaculture' Training Course by Oba Nature Association in Antalya - training coor.

(4.2023) 'Peace at Education' Training Course by Utopia in Antalya – trainer.

(1.2021-1.2023) 'Step UP - Establishment of a transnational network of adult education providers for the promotion of social inclusion of vulnerable groups' Int. KA-3 Project - researcher, trainer and local coordinator.

(03.2022-02.2023) 'Empowering Young Children to Act on Climate Change' Int. KA-210 Project - content editor and interpreter.

(04/05.2022) 'Kids Yoga' Training Course by Utopia in Antalya - trainer.

(03.2022) 'Creative Drama as an Educational Tool' Training Course by Utopia in Antalya - trainer.

(02.2022) 'Creative Drama as a Tool for Prevention of Bullying', Training Course by INCA & Utopia in Barcelona - trainer.

(9.2021) 'Culture Caravan' Youth Exchange by Antalya Yörükler Assoc. Antalya - facilitator.

(8.2021) 'Youth 2.0' Youth Exchange by B612 YOUTH, Antalya - facilitator.

(7.2021) 'School Without Walls' Training Course by EGUSAD, Antalya - trainer.

(2021) 'Waldorf Pedagogy Foundations' 1 year seminar by Nar İmece - coordinator and interpreter.

(1.2020) 'Creative Drama Against Peer Bullying' Training Course by INCA&Utopia in Barcelona - trainer and interpreter.

(9.2015) 'Back to Nature' Training Course by Utopia in Mudurnu - trainer.

(8.2013) 'Photo Intercultural Marathon' Training Course by Utopia in Beyşehir - trainer.

SEMINARS

(10.2024) Three Treasures Qi Gong TC, Origó Műhely, Hungary.

(2022- 2025) IASWECE/ESDD Waldorf Pedagogy TT, Türkiye.

(2023) Connecting Across Diversity – Non-Violent Communication TC, Freedom Universe, Poland.

(2021- 2023) LCH UK, Diploma Prog. for Homeopathy (online).

(2021-2024) Creative Drama Leadership / Yaratıcı Drama Liderlik Programı, Stages 1-5. İstanbul.

(2022) Green and Inclusion Seminar hosted by Jeugdinstituut, Netherlands.

(2022) Experiential Learning for Inclusion TC, hosted by jINT, Belgium.

(05.2023) 'Drama for Special Needs' with Şeniz Turan, Antalya.

(2021) Introduction to Waldorf Pedagogy- 1 year program with Cavit Yeşildağ and Lena Merkle.

(2019-2020) Non-Violent Communication Intensive Year Program / Şiddetsiz İletişim, Kalp Diliyle Yaşamak & Deniz Spatar.

(2019) Homeopathy for Acutes and Emergencies with Arzu Bilgili.

(2018) YogaCici by Başak Yüksel, Yoga for Children.

(2015 - 2023) Zeynep Aksoy Reset Yoga, Yoga Alliance TT.