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Applied Micro, Health Economics, Economics of Nonprofit Organizations

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Ph.D., Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois

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MA in Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 1998-2000.

BA in Economics, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, 1993 -1998.

Galatasaray Lisesi, Istanbul, Turkey, 1985-1993.

#### EMPLOYMENT

##### *Current Position*

Associate Professor,

Department of Economics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, 2012 – present

Assistant Professor,

Department of Economics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey, 2005 – 2012

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Center for Economics and Econometrics, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey,  
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Research Assistant

Department of Economics, Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, 08/99 – 12/04

#### OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Advisor on social exclusion in Turkey, European Union, 2009-

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Northwestern University Fellowship, 1998-2004

Graduate Fellow, Northwestern University Institute for Policy Research, 2000-2004  
Best Paper Award, MENA Health Policy Reform Conference, 2010

## **PUBLICATIONS**

“Health Policy for the Poor: An Exploration on the Take-Up of Means-Tested Health Benefits in Turkey”, 2014, (revise and resubmit, *Social Science and Medicine*) (with B. Yakut-Cakar, S. Cali, F. Adaman).

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## **WORKING PAPERS**

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“Malpractice Liability and Physician Location Choice”, 2005.

“Malpractice Liability and Composition of Physician Workforce”, 2005.

## **REFERENCES**

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