

CURRICULUM VITAE

NAFIA AKDENIZ

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EDUCATION

- 2015 - Present Eastern Mediterranean University, Ph.D. (in progress)
Major: Communication and Media Studies.
- 2004 - 2006 Eastern Mediterranean University, M.A.
Major: English Studies.
- 2000 - 2003 European University of Lefke, M.A.
Major: English Language Teaching.
- 1995 - 1999 Eastern Mediterranean University, B.A.
Major: English Literature and Humanities.

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- 2003 - Present Senior Instructor, School of Foreign Languages,
Eastern Mediterranean University.
- 2000- 2003 Instructor, School of Foreign Languages,
Eastern Mediterranean University.
- 1999 - 2000 Instructor, School of Foreign Languages,
Cyprus International University.

PUBLICATIONS

ACADEMIC - SSCI

Akdeniz, N. (2019). From participant observation to participant action (-to-be): Multi-sited ethnography of displacement in Cyprus. *Ethnography*, 1466138119829151.

LITERARY

Akdeniz, N. (2013– (2016 2nd Ed). *Yok/Absence* – Poetry Collection. Khora Publications. Nicosia, Cyprus.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS _____

INTERNATIONAL

Akdeniz, N. (2012). *Enhanced Creativity, Enhanced Writing, Enhanced Learning*. EDULEARN12, International Conference on Education and New Learning Technologies – Spain.

Akdeniz, N. (2009). *Where Do Babies Come From? Where Do They Go To? Maternal Body in the Reproductive Politics of the Brave World*. Gender at the Crossroads: Multi-disciplinary Perspectives - Eastern Mediterranean University, Cyprus.

CERTIFICATES _____

2002 Overseas Teachers of English, University of Cambridge.

1999 Teacher of English, Eastern Mediterranean University.

MEMBERSHIP _____

2013- Present Cyprus Writers and Artists Union, Cyprus.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE _____

RECENT

Spring 2019 Introduction to Literature (ENGL 212) Faculty of Education, Foreign Language Education Department, EMU.

2012-2017 Communication Skills for Culinary Arts (ENGL 107). School of Foreign Languages, Modern Languages Division, EMU.

2012-2017 Communication Skills for Tourism and Recreation Industry I & II (ENGL 105- ENGL 106). School of Foreign Languages, Modern Languages Division, EMU.

Spring 2012	Academic English for Post-Graduate Students (ENGL 515), School of Foreign Languages, Modern Languages Division, EMU.
Fall 2012	Advanced English TOEFL – IBT (ENGL 401), School of Foreign Languages, Modern Languages Division, EMU.
2011-2012	Communication in English 1 & 11 (ENGL 191-ENGL 192), School of Foreign Languages, Modern Languages Division, EMU.
Spring 2011	Cultural Studies (ENGL 251), Faculty of Art and Sciences, Department of English Literature and Humanities, EMU.
Spring 2011	Novel Analysis and Teaching (ENGL 432), Faculty of Art and Sciences, Department of English Literature and Humanities, EMU.
Fall 2011	Introduction to Theater (ENGL 262) Faculty of Art and Sciences, Department of English Literature and Humanities, EMU.
Fall 2010	Poetry and Teaching (ENG 322) Faculty of Education, Foreign Language Education Department, EMU.
Spring 2010	Gender and Feminism (ENLH 271) Faculty of Art and Sciences, Department of English Literature and Humanities, EMU.
Fall 2010	Introduction to Literary Studies (ENG 211) Faculty of Education, Foreign Language Education Department, EMU.
Fall 2010	Concepts in Literary Studies (ENG 242) Faculty of Education, Foreign Language Education Department, EMU.

SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY _____

2010 - Present	Co-organizer of Tourism Days, School of Tourism and Hospitality.
Spring 2012	Project Designer – Integrating Creativity and Critical Thinking via English Literature into the School of Foreign Languages syllabus – a pilot course, 2012.
Spring 2012	Online Extra Curricular Project Designer - ‘Club Creative’ via Facebook - Extra Curricular online support for EPS 104 students, intermediate level – MLD, School of Foreign Languages, 2012.
Fall 2012	Post-Graduate Course Designer (ENGL 522): Advanced English for TOEFL-IBT – MLD, School of Foreign Languages, 2012.

- 2010-2012 International Exams and Promotion Working Group Member.
- Fall 2006 In-house Trainer, *Integrating Literature into English Language Teaching (Advanced English)* workshop.

SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY _____

RECENT

- 2019 Representative of Turkish Cypriot poetry –Poetry Recital in Cyprus House, Athens, Greece.
- 2019 Representative of Turkish Cypriot poetry – Poetry Recital in Fulbright Hall, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 2019 Representative of Turkish Cypriot poetry – ‘Poetry of a World Without Wall’, Poetry Recital at the Bandabuliya Stage, Nicosia, Cyprus.
- 2019 Representative of Turkish Cypriot poetry – Poetry Recital in Nicosia, Goethe Institute, Cyprus.
- 2017 Representative of Turkish Cypriot poetry – ‘Will Literature Bring Peace’, Panel Discussion and Poetry Recital in Izmir, Turkey.
- 2014 Representative of Turkish Cypriot poetry – Poetry Recital of Cypriot Artists Platform, London, England.