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Education

Simon Fraser University — M.A. in Philosophy, 2016 - 2018 (expected)

AOI: Philosophy of Mind, Cognitive Science, Neurophilosophy. Thesis: *Externalism in Philosophy of Perception and the Argument from Dreaming*.

Bilkent University, Ankara — B.A. in Philosophy, 2011 - 2015

Studied with a 4-year merit scholarship in the form of tuition waiver granted by the Turkish Council of Higher Education (YÖK). Graduated with honours.

Eastern Mediterranean University — Attended to Joint Degree B.S. program in Mathematics and Computer Science, 2005 - 2010

Left after finishing the CS curriculum of the program to co-found the tech startup *CodeVille Interactive*.

Skills

Programming Languages: C/C++ (coursework), C#/.NET, PHP, Java SE (professional), Python (personal), MATLAB (teaching)

Web Languages and Frameworks: XML, HTML, CSS, Javascript (jQuery, AJAX), JSON, PHP; Symfony, Bootstrap, Linked Data, SEO Optimization (freelance jobs)

IT Skills & Methodologies: Unified Modelling Language 2.0; Project Life-Cycle Models (master course)

Office Tools: Proficient in MS Office packages, particularly in Excel and Project; Experience with Visual Paradigm and Balsamiq Mockups; Basic Photoshop skills

Awards

Graduate Minor Travel Award, Graduate Studies, SFU (2018)

Philosophy Summer Graduate Fellowship, Graduate Studies, SFU (2017)

O.H. Sorilla Memorial Award, Graduate Studies, SFU (2016)

Special Graduate Student Entrance Award, Graduate Studies, SFU (2016)

Honoured for Service by Department of Electrical Engineering, EMU (2008)

Languages

Turkish (native)

English (TOEFL iBT 109)

German (basic)

References

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Work Experience

Digital Fellow, Digital Humanities Lab (SFU) Vancouver — 2017-Present
Automated testing with PHPUnit Testing Framework. Project documentation with Sphinx. Source control with GitHub. Various maintenance tasks related to Symfony applications.

Digital Marketing Associate, London Creative, Ankara — 2012-2014
Ad prep. for online ad services: Adwords, Direct, Bing etc. HTML, XML and JSON tweaking for better SEO performance. Writing high quality articles to increase organic search results. Identifying hot keywords and phrases of various search engines. Managing social media accounts and operations.

Project Analyst, CodeVille Interactive, Istanbul — 2010-2012
Analysis and documentation of the company's cloud based B2B software SDK project targeting gamification market. Preparation of funding proposals and securing several national innovation fundings, including Teknogirişim, KOSGEB AR-GE and TÜBİTAK 1507/1512.

Application Developer, Falcovis Technology, Famagusta — 2009 (Summer)
Project based work. C#/.NET development -worked with various network libraries. Developed a video conference application as a test host for the company's secure communication prototype.

Publications and Presentations

Dreaming as Embodiment - SFU Cognitive Science Workshop, June 2017

Review of the book *Dreaming* - Philosophical Psychology, May 2017

Publications in various national popular science and philosophy magazines in Turkey

Volunteer Work

Bilkent Philosophy Society: Founding Chair (2012-2015)

Organized various seminars and workshops on , including a big AI conference (*Bilkent AI Day'14*) bringing together researchers from different fields. Wrote publication materials for newspapers and magazines promoting the society and its activities. Managed a team of 12 people.

IEEE EMU SB & EESTEC LC Famagusta: Co-founding Vice-chair (2006-2009)

Organized various local and international events during my service, including two international workshops with participants from various European nations. Met with the president and various ministers of Northern Cyprus during fundraising and promotion campaign. Secured several sponsorship agreements with leading companies of the region. Oversaw a budget of approximately \$20.000 in sum.
