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SHORT BIOGRAPHY

Nilufer Saglar Onay is an architect and an academician with more than 17 years of teaching experience in the field of interior architecture. She has been an associate professor in Istanbul Technical University, Faculty of Architecture, Department of Interior Architecture until 2015. Since 2004 she has worked for developing the bachelor program of Interior Architecture in ITU as well as the International Master of Interior Architectural Design, IMIAD. She has contributed to IMIAD, organising international workshops and contributing to the program in one of the partner institutions, SUPSI Switzerland (2008). She has completed her PhD in ITU in 2010 with her thesis focusing on proportions of Interior Space. In 2011 and 2012 she has run a post-doctoral research in the University of Florence, Department of Technology and Design focusing on interventions on historic interiors. She was the leader of the first national research project in the field of interior architecture in Turkey. The project aimed to generate a user-centred model for flexible interior design and to apply the model to standard housing units in Istanbul. Her main research focus is wellbeing in interior environments with numerous apertures of the concept towards residential interiors, historic environments and museums. She has many international publications including books, book chapters and conference papers.

With her international background fed from different cultural environments, her main intend is to create a long- lasting platform of sharing between institutions in terms of research, education and practice in the field of interior architecture.

EDUCATION

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| 2004-2010 | Ph.D. Architectural Design , ITU Institute of Science and Technology
Thesis: Proportions of the Spatial Envelope in Architectural Interiors and The Case Study of Shopping Centres |
| 1999-2001 | Master of Architecture (M.Sc.) , Architectural Design, ITU Institute of Science and Technology
Thesis: Building Activities and Housing Groups Developed after 1980 in Istanbul |
| 1995-1999 | Bachelor of Architecture , ITU Faculty of Architecture
Graduation with the highest Faculty GPA (3.86/4.00) |

TEACHING POSITIONS AND RANKS HELD

Institution	Rank	Date	Major Subject
The Italian Ministry of Education, Universities and Research (MIUR)	Italian Scientific Qualification (Abilitazione Scientifica Nazionale) for Associate Professors (Professori di II Fascia)	April 2018	Architectural Design (Interior Architecture)
Politecnico di Torino Department of Architecture and Design	Adjunct Professor/ Collaboratore Didattico	2019-2022	Interior Architecture
Politecnico di Torino Department of Architecture and Design	Visiting Researcher	Jan-Apr 2016	Architectural Design
Politecnico di Milano Department of Design	Visiting Researcher	Sep-Dec 2015	Interior Architecture
Inter-Universities Council of Turkey	Turkish Scientific Qualification	March 2015	Interior Architecture
ITU	Assistant Professor	2011-2018	Interior Architecture
UNIFI / Florence, Italy	Cultore della Materia	2010-2011	Architectural Elements and Materials, Restoration
ITU	Research Assistant	2008-2010	Interior Architecture
SUPSI / Switzerland	Teaching Assistant	March-Sep 2008	Interior Architecture
ITU	Research Assistant	2004-2008	Interior Architecture

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Language	Reading	Writing	Oral Fluency
English	very good	very good	Fluent
Italian	good	good	Proficient
Turkish	perfect	perfect	Native Speaker

INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATIONS

International Books

- Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2020). *Well-being design and frameworks for interior space*. Pennsylvania: IGI Global. ISBN 9781799842316.
- Saglar Onay, N., Garip, B., Garip, E. (2019). *Re-coding homes through flexible interiors: Emerging research and opportunities*. Pennsylvania: IGI Global. ISBN 9781522589587.
- Vaudetti, M., Minucciani, V., Canepa S., Saglar Onay, N. (Eds.) (2018). *Suspended living in temporary space*, Siracusa: Lettera Ventidue, ISBN 978-88-6242-252-9.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2017). *Analysing spatial potentials of historic buildings*. Milan: Maggioli Editore, ISBN: 978-88-916-2417-8.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2017). *Proportion in interior architecture (Mimari İç Mekanda Oran)*. Saarbrücken: Lambert Academic Publishing, ISBN: 978-3-330-35260-5.
- Saglar Onay, N., Lonardo, E. (Eds.) (2016). *MilanIstanbul_ Transforming living spaces*. Milan: Maggioli Editore, ISBN: 978-88-916-1517-6.

International Book Chapters

- Saglar Onay, N. (2021). Well-Being concept and interior design process. *Research Anthology on Environmental and Societal Well-Being Considerations in Buildings and Architecture*. Pennsylvania: IGI Global. ISBN: 9781799872542.
- Minucciani, V, Saglar Onay, N. (2021). Wellbeing, age and space. In T.G. Townshend (Ed.) *Urban design and human flourishing: Creating places that enable people to live healthy and fulfilling lives*. New York: Routledge. ISBN: 9781000374902.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2020). Well-Being concept and interior design process: The intersection between humanities and architecture. In B. Garip, E. Garip (Ed.) *Handbook of Research on methodologies for design and production practices in interior architecture*. Pennsylvania: IGI Global. ISBN: 9781799872542.
- Garip, B., Saglar Onay, N. Garip, E. (2020). Re-Coding homes as a flexible design approach for living environments. In L. Crespi (Ed.) *Cultural, theoretical, and innovative approaches to contemporary interior design*. Pennsylvania: IGI Global. ISBN: 9781799828235.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2018). Interior solutions for standard emergency architecture. In M. Vaudetti, V. Minucciani, S. Canepa and N. Saglar Onay (Ed.) *Suspended living in temporary space*. Siracusa: Lettera Ventidue, ISBN 978-88-6242-252-9.
- Saglar Onay, N., Garip, B., Belek Fialho Teixeira, M. (2016). Searching for flexible interior design solutions: Mass housing units in Istanbul. In L. Crespi (Ed.) *Design innovations for contemporary interiors and civic art*. Pennsylvania: IGI Global, ISBN: 9781522506669.
- Saglar Onay, N., Crespi, L. (2016). A comparison of flexible solutions for residential interiors | Neotopie in Milan – Re-coding homes in Istanbul. In N. Saglar Onay, E. Lonardo (Ed.), *MilanIstanbul_ Transforming living spaces*, Milan: Maggioli Editore, ISBN: 978-88-916-1517-6.
- Saglar Onay, N., Garip, B. (2016). Background stories, the changing environment as a result of urban transformation. In N. Saglar Onay, E. Lonardo (Ed.), *MilanIstanbul_ Transforming living spaces*, Milan: Maggioli Editore, ISBN: 978-88-916-1517-6.
- Saglar Onay, N., Garip, B. (2016). Living in mass housing and need for flexibility. In N. Saglar Onay, E. Lonardo (Ed.), *MilanIstanbul_ Transforming living spaces*, Milan: Maggioli Editore, ISBN: 978-88-916-1517-6.
- Saglar Onay, N., Garip, B., Belek Fialho Teixeira, M. (2016). Re-coding homes, explanation of the method. In N. Saglar Onay, E. Lonardo (Ed.), *MilanIstanbul_ Transforming living spaces*, Milan: Maggioli Editore, ISBN: 978-88-916-1517-6.

International Journal Papers

- Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2022). Architectural Space and Emotions: Evaluation of responses to different spatial characteristics. *Quaderni/Notebook of Abitare la Terra, Agenda 2030 SDG 3 "Good Health and Well-being"* (accepted May 2022).
- Garip, E., Saglar Onay, N. and Garip, S.B. (2021), "A model for mass customization and flexibility in mass housing units", *Open House International* (ISSN: 0168-2601). <https://doi.org/10.1108/OHI-02-2021-0053>
- Saglar Onay, N. (2020). The change in interior space and the concept of well-being in relation to the new Coronavirus. *Inner Magazine*, 4, 58-71.
- Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2020). Well-being age and space. *Journal of Urban Design*, 25:2, 275-286. DOI: 10.1080/13574809.2019.1667758.
- Saglar Onay, N., Minucciani, V. (2018). Wellbeing framework as a contributor to sustainability. *WIT Transactions on Ecology and the Environment (ISSN: 1743-3541)*, Vol. 217, 699-710.
- Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2018). Evaluation of design approaches for wellbeing in interiors. *INNER (ISSN: 2611- 3872)*, No 3, 6-19.
- Saglar Onay, N., Garip, B., Garip, E. (2017). A flexible user centered design model for social housing units. *Tafter Journal (ISSN: 1974-563X)*, Volume 97.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2017). A contemporary approach to interior architecture education by the ITU Interior Architecture Department. *American Journal of Educational Research (ISSN:2327-6126)*, 5(7), 732-738.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2017). Changing shopping spaces in Istanbul. *World Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities (ISSN: 2474-1426)*, 3(3), 56-60.
- Saglar Onay, N., Yazicioglu, D.A. (2015). Functional continuity in adaptive reuse of historic buildings: Evaluating a studio experience. *American Journal of Educational Research (ISSN:2327-6126)*, 3(6), 674-682.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2015). Interiors Seeking a New Design Language. *The International Journal of Architectonic, Spatial, and Environmental Design (ISSN: 2325-1662)*, 8(2), 21-30.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2014). Evaluating partial reuse of antique buildings as commercial interiors: A case study in Florence. *The International Journal of Architectonic, Spatial, and Environmental Design (ISSN: 2325-1662)*, Vol. 8, 21-30.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2014). Industrialization and interior space. *Mimarlık (ISSN: 1300-4212)*, 376, 55-58.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2013). Commercial use of antique interiors: Dialectics of the contemporary and the conservative. *IJAR (ISSN: 2075-4124)*, 5(4), 162-169.
- Saglar Onay, N., Ricci, M. (2013). Stone as a determinant of architectural identity in the Florence of Renaissance. *AZ ITU Journal of the Faculty of Architecture (ISSN: 1302-8324)*, 9(2), 121-134.
- Saglar Onay, N., Ugurlu, A.H. (2010). A public meeting point: Sebil of Nuruosmaniye. *AZ ITU Journal of the Faculty of Architecture (ISSN: 1302-8324)*, 7(1), 38-53.
- Şener, H., Saglar Onay, N. (2006). Interior architecture education and an evaluation of the ITU Model", *Arkitekt Dergisi*, No. 2006, 14-21.

International Conference Papers

- Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2022). The valorisation of cultural heritage to preserve Biodiversity in lifestyles, XX International Forum World Heritage and Ecological Transition, Capri, 16/06/2021 - 18/06/2021. (Accepted April 2022)
- Benente M., Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2021). The Role of Cultural Heritage for the quality of life of all citizens, Faro Convention, Heritage Communities as Commons: relationships, Participation and Well-Being in a Shared Multidisciplinary perspective, Naples and Virtual, 16-17 December 2021
- Minucciani, V., Saglar Onay, N. (2021). Rethinking the well-being framework in the current scenario, Environments By Design: Health, Well-being And Place, AMPS, Virtual Conference, 1-3 December, 2021
- Saglar Onay, N., Minucciani, V. (2019). Interior space as communicator of cultural significance, XVII International Forum World Heritage and Legacy, Capri, 07/06/2019 - 08/06/2019.
- Garip, B., Saglar Onay, N., Garip, E., Berber, C., Berber, A., Guuzelci, O. (2017). A user-centered model for flexible interiors in the case of Istanbul-Basibuyuk Social Housing, ENHR Conference 2017, Tirana, 04/09/2017- 06/09/2017.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2015). A framework to analyse historic buildings and interiors, STREMAH 14th International Conference on Studies, Repairs and Maintenance, Coruna, Spain, 7/13/2015 - 7/15/2015.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2015). Spatial potentials and functional continuity in historic buildings, Re-Cond'15 International Conference: Re-Evaluating Contemporary Design, Istanbul, 7/22/2015 - 7/24/2015.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2015). An analytical approach for analysing and evaluating historic buildings, 9th International Conference on Design Principles and Practices, Chicago, 3/12/2015 - 3/14/2015.
- Saglar Onay, N., Belek Fialho Teixeira, M., Fialho Teixeira, F., Garip, B., Ozkan, T., Cincik, B., Ozdemir, E. (2015). A user-centered research model for flexible interior spatial design in mass housing units: Urban renewal housing, 9th International Conference on Design Principles and Practices, Chicago, 3/12/2015 - 3/14/2015.
- Kılıc, E.C., Saglar Onay, N. (2015). A framework to determine the appropriate use for historic buildings: Analysing a Han in Istanbul, 9th International Conference on Design Principles and Practices, Chicago, 3/12/2015 - 3/14/2015.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2014). Interiors seeking a new design language, 8th International Conference on Design Principles and Practices, Vancouver, Canada, 2/24/2014 - 2/24/2014.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2013). Evaluating the partial reuse of historical buildings as commercial interiors: A case study in Florence, 7th International Conference on Design Principles and Practices, Chiba, Japan, 3/6/2013 - 3/8/2013.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2011). Evaluation of spatial proportions in architectural interiors by using 3d models, WCIT Second World Conference on Information Technology, Antalya, 11/23/2011 - 11/26/2011.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2011). Commercial spaces of the Ottoman and Renaissance cities during the 15th and 16th Century; Istanbul and Florence, METU Symposium of Graduate Studies on History of Architecture VII, Ankara, 12/1/2011 - 11/2/2011.
- Atasoy, A., Saglar Onay, N., Gorgul, E., Numan, B. (2007). Experiences and observations from the IMIAD San Bernardino Workshop: Seeking an international platform for sharing interior architecture education knowledge, Connected International Conference on Design Education, Sydney, 7/9/2007 - 7/12/2007.
- Sener, H., Saglar Onay, N. (2007). A platform based on sharing and interaction in design education: The ITU Model, Connected International Conference on Design Education, Sydney, 7/9/2007 - 7/12/2007.

- Sener, H., Saglar Onay, N. (2006). Interior architecture education and an evaluation of the ITU Model, ArchEd Forum3, Istanbul, 10/15/2006 - 10/17/2006.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2005). Traces of cultural aspects in contemporary public interiors In Turkey, 2nd H&Mh International Conference, Kos, Greece, 10/3/2005 - 10/5/2005.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2002). The cultural heritage under the threat of earthquake in Istanbul, 1st H&Mh International Conference, Rhodes, Greece, 4/3/2002 - 4/5/2002.

NATIONAL PUBLICATIONS (TURKEY)

National Journal Papers

- Saglar Onay, N. (2011). The secret of Brunelleschi's Dome: A contemporary theory justified by experiment. *Yapı Dergisi*, 357, pp. 106-111, YEM Publications.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2010). The examination of proportion in architectural interiors, ITU Journal A; Architecture, Planning, design, 10:2, Cenkler Publishing.
- Saglar Onay, N., Ugurlu, A. H. (2007). Bir Kamusal Bulusma Noktasi: Nuruosmaniye Sebili, *Yapı Dergisi*, 307, pp. 104-109, YEM Publications.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2007). Public Interiors and Communal Identity. *Mimarist*, pp. 39-43, 2007, Chamber of Architects Publications.

National Conference Papers

- Akkaya, B., Saglar Onay, N. (2016). Cultural interaction in commercial spaces: The proposal of Pera Passage, 06/2016, Interior Architecture Graduate Studies Symposium, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul, 16-17 June 2016. ISBN: 978-975-561-472-4
- Saglar Onay, N., Belek Fialho Teixeira, M. (2015). The evaluation of cultural and functional data for interventions on historic interiors, 09/2015, 1st National Interior Architectural Design Symposium, Karadeniz Technical University, Trabzon, 12-13 October 2015.
- Belek Fialho Teixeira, M., Saglar Onay, N., Yazicioglu, D.A. (2015). A design studio in ITU Interior Architecture Department: Proposals for Kadikoy Yeldegirmeni District, 10/2015, 1st National Interior Architectural Design Symposium, Karadeniz Technical University, Trabzon, 12-13 October 2015.
- Saglar Onay, N., Ozkan, T., Ozgan, S.Y. (2015). The examination of master thesis of interior architecture completed in Turkey in terms of main research areas and topics, 1st National Symposium of Graduate Education in Interior Architecture, ITU Faculty of Architecture, 26-27 February 2015. ISBN: 978-975-561-453-3.
- Saglam, N., Onal, P., Saglar Onay, N. (2015). The methodological examination of IMIAD master thesis' in terms of the holistic education process, 1st National Symposium of Graduate Education in Interior Architecture, ITU Faculty of Architecture, 26-27 February 2015. ISBN: 978-975-561-453-3.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2013). The change in interior components with Industrialization and discussions on architectural identity, 3rd National Interior Architecture Symposium, Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University, Istanbul, 3-5 April 2013.
- Saglar Onay, N. (2012). The use of natural stone in the Renaissance City as a contributor to architectural identity, Natural Life; Natural Stone Symposium, Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University, Istanbul, 29-30 March 2012.
- Saglar Onay, N., Sener, S.M. (2010). An evaluation on housing groups that have developed after 1980 in Istanbul, National Housing Conference: Gated Communities: New Lives, New Spaces, New Borders, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul, 4-5 March 2010.

- Saglar Onay, N., Yurdakul, C. Garip, B. (2007). Different approaches to interior architecture education and the example of ITU, 1st National Conference on Interior Architecture Education, Istanbul Technical University, 24-26 October 2007.
- Gorgul, E., Saglar Onay, N., Atasoy, A. (2007). The search for international platforms for sharing interior architecture education knowledge: IMIAD San Bernardino Workshop, 1st National Conference on Interior Architecture Education, Istanbul Technical University, 24-26 October 2007.

National Books / Chapters

- Saglar Onay, N. (2014). The shopping spaces of Istanbul in times. In: CORDAN O., IMIAD Istanbul 2013 Workshop. p. 22-27, Revolta Graphics & Publishing, ISBN: 978-975-561-441-0
- Saglar Onay, N. (2007). "IMIAD Istanbul Workshop 2007 Process", IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) Istanbul 2007 Workshop Scientific Report, Cenkler Publishing, Istanbul.

TEACHING

Undergraduate Courses

Institution	Course
ITU_ Istanbul Technical University, Turkey	Interior Architecture Studio I-II-III-IV
	Interior Architecture Graduation Project
	Survey for Interior Architecture
	Advanced Representation Techniques
POLIMI /Milan, Italy	Interior Architecture Studio (with Luciano Crespi)
POLITO /Turin, Italy	Atelier Architettura degli interni (with Valeria Minucciani)
UNIFI / Florence, Italy	Constructional elements and Materials in Architecture (with Massimo Ricci)
SUPSI / Switzerland	Interior Architecture Studio I (with Thomas Plüss and Lorenza Boschetti)
	Interior Architecture Graduation Project (with Thomas Plüss)

Graduate Courses

Institution	Course
ITU	IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) Graduate Course, Master Thesis Preparation
POLITO /Turin, Italy	Master Course in Architecture Construction and City, Inside the Museum (with Valeria Minucciani)
SUPSI / Switzerland	IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) Graduate Course, Interior Architecture Studio (with Lukas Meyer)

International Seminars as Invited Speaker

EMU (Eastern Mediterranean University)	"Adaptive Re-use in Interior Architecture" International Workshop ITU_EMU Parallel Studios and Practices, Istanbul and Cyprus, 05-03-2012 - 05-03-2012
ITU	"Shopping Spaces of Istanbul in Times" IMIAD International Workshop, Istanbul, 01.09.2013 - 14.09.2013
POLITO	"Evaluating Reuse of Historic Buildings" Laurea Magistrale in Architettura per il Restauro e Valorizzazione del Patrimonio, 11-04-2016 - 21-04-2016
POLITO	A Framework to Analyse Historic Buildings and Interiors Laurea Magistrale in Architettura per il Restauro e Valorizzazione del Patrimonio, 27-03-2017 - 27-03-2017

THESIS_SUPERVISOR

- Begüm Akkaya, "Cultural Interaction in Spaces of Exchange and a Proposal for Pera Passage" Master Thesis, International Master of Interior Architectural Design, ITU Institute of Social Sciences, 05/2015.
- Nazlı Sağlam, "Stratification in Interiors and a Case Study in the Old Bedesten of Istanbul", Master Thesis, International Master of Interior Architectural Design, ITU Institute of Social Sciences, 05/2014.
- Pinar Onal, "Investigating the Perception of Interior Atmosphere in Metro Station Circulation Areas: The Sample of Istanbul Levent Metro Station", Master Thesis, International Master of Interior Architectural Design, ITU Institute of Social Sciences, 05/2014.
- Enes Can Kılıç, "Adaptive Reuse Criteria for Historic Buildings: The Example of Ali Pasa Han", Master Thesis, International Master of Interior Architectural Design, ITU Institute of Social Sciences, 08/2015.
- Co-supervisor_ Ioana Beatrice Iacob (Relatore: Valeria Minucciani), "Spazi sensibili: Museografia e neuroscienze". Corso di Laurea Magistrale in Architettura Costruzioni e Città, 02/2021.

ORGANIZATIONS/ EVENTS

- STREMAH 2021_17th International Conference on Studies, Repairs and Maintenance of Heritage Architecture, Member of International Scientific Advisory Committee, E-conference 26.05.2021-28.05.2021.
- STREMAH 2019_16th International Conference on Studies, Repairs and Maintenance of Heritage Architecture, Member of International Scientific Advisory Committee, Seville, 07.10.2019-09.10.2019.
- Suspended Living in Temporary Space International Conference, Member of Scientific and Organisation Committee, Politecnico di Torino, Italy, 09.10.2017.

- STREMAH 2017_15th International Conference on Studies, Repairs and Maintenance of Heritage Architecture, Member of International Scientific Committee, Spain, 09.05.2017-11.05.2017.
- 2nd International Conference on New Trends in Architecture and Interior Design (2nd ICNTAD 2016), Member of International Scientific Advisory Committee, Zagreb, 19.04.2016-22.04.2016.
- "Luigi Agnelli Exhibition/ Workshop/ Seminar", Organisation, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul, 20.04.2015-22.05.2015.
- "Franco La Cecla, Against Architecture Seminars", ITU Faculty of Architecture, Member of Organisation Committee, Istanbul, 01.10.2013- 07.10.2013.
- "IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) Istanbul 2013 Workshop, Shopping Culture and Spaces of Exchange" Member of Organisation Committee, Istanbul, 01.09.2013-14.09.2013.
- "IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) Lugano 2012 Workshop", Member of Tutors, Switzerland, 09.09.2012- 15.09.2012.
- KOCTAS National Competition on Interior Architectural Design, Member of Jury, 2012, Istanbul.
- KOCTAS National Competition on Interior Architectural Design, Member of Jury, 2013, Istanbul.
- "ITU EMU Workshop_ Interior Architecture Departments Parallel Studios and Practices", Member of Organisation Committee, EMU and ITU Faculties of Architecture, Cyprus and Istanbul, 05.03.2012 - 11.05.2012.
- "Tour de Swiss", Architectural tour for SUPSI Graduate and Undergraduate Students, Member of IMIAD Committee, Switzerland, March 2008.
- "IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) 2007 Workshop", Member of Organisation Committee, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul, 21.09.2007 - 06.10.2007.
- "ICMEK I (1st Interior Architecture Education Conference)", Member of Organisation Committee, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul, 24.10.2007- 26.10.2007.
- "IMIAD (International Master of Interior Architectural Design) Istanbul 2006 Workshop", Member of Responsible Tutors, San Bernardino, Switzerland, 29.09.2006- 14.10.2006.
- Architectural Education Forum 3 (ArchEd 3), Member of Organization Committee, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul, 15.11.2006-17. 11.2006.
- "ITU- Coburg Wokshop "Idea+ Material= Project", Member of Organization Committee, 26.09.2005 - 30.09.2005, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul.
- "ITU- Coburg Wokshop, "Interior Architecture in Germany", Member of Organization Committee, 27.09.2004 - 08.10.2004, ITU Faculty of Architecture, Istanbul.

ADMINISTRATION

- Vice Department Head of ITU Department of Interior Architecture (2011-2014)
- Member of the Faculty Board of ITU Faculty of Architecture as the representative of Assistant Professors (2011-2014)

- Department Education Committee, Preparation of the new bachelor program in Interior Architecture in ITU Faculty of Architecture (2011-2014)

RESEARCH PROJECTS AND FUNDS

- Project Leader_ National Research Project_ A User-centred Research Model for Flexible Interior Spatial Design in Mass Housing Units: Urban Renewal Housing_ Funded by TUBITAK_ The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey, 01.12. 2014- 01.02 2018.
- Project Leader_ ITU Matching Fund for the National Research Project “A User-centred Research Model for Flexible Interior Spatial Design in Mass Housing Units: Urban Renewal Housing”, ITU Scientific Research Council, 01.12.2014- 01.12.2017.
- Post-Doc Research_ Interventions on Historic Buildings_ Funded by Turkey Council of Higher Education for research in UNIFI, Florence, Italy focusing on new interventions on antique buildings and adaptive reuse, 20.09.2010-20.09.2011.
- Doctoral Research_ Proportions of the Spatial Envelope in Interiors_ Funded by ITU Scientific Research Council, 01.03.2004- 01.06.2010.

ACADEMIC AWARDS

- Exhibition Design for the research project “ReCoding Homes” elected for “Turkish Architecture Yearbook 2018, ARKITERA”, National Competition aiming to elect best examples of national architecture finished during the year of competition, 2018.
- Third Prize for national competition “Eskisehir Municipality Building”, Turkey, 2004.
- Honorable Mention for national competition “Trabzon Municipality Building”, Turkey, 2006.
- Success (First) Prize, Architectural Conservation, TAC (Foundation for the Preservation of Turkey’s Monuments, Environment and Tourism), 1999.
- Graduation with the highest Faculty GPA (3.86/4.00) Bachelor of Architecture, ITU Faculty of Architecture, 1999.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- ArchEd, International Association of Architectural Education, Istanbul.
- Associazione Filippo Brunelleschi, Florence.
- IMIAD, Member of Academic Board for International Master of Interior Architectural Design with the collaboration of University of Applied Sciences Stuttgart UASS, Scuola Universitaria Professionale della Svizzera Italiana SUPSI, DAAP College of Design Architecture Art and Planning, University of Cincinnati, CEPT University and Istanbul Technical University.
- Chamber of Architects, Istanbul.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Architectural Projects

- Guney Plaza Business Center, Istanbul, 2005.
- Polaris Business Center, Istanbul, 2000.

Restoration Projects

- Feriye Palaces Restoration Projects, Bosphorus, Istanbul, 2001.
- Nuruosmaniye Sebili (Ottoman Fountain) Restoration and Reuse Project, Istanbul, 2000.
- Hakki Bey Building Restoration and Reuse Project, Istanbul, 1999.

Interior Projects

- Design and realization of the Kodev Exhibition presenting the final design model of the research project "Recoding Homes", 2018.
- ITU Faculty of Architecture Black Box Theatre, Istanbul, 2014.
- Interior Design Solutions for the ITU Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Istanbul, 2014.
- Yeditepe University Hospital Adaptive Reuse Project, 2002.