



EMU SIGNS COLLABORATION PROTOCOL WITH THE MINISTRY OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS

The Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) signed a collaboration protocol with the Ministry of Internal Affairs in order to provide educational support that will help guards to cope with their working conditions. The said protocol was signed at 11:00 on Thursday, the 11th of April 2019 at the Ministry of Internal Affairs by Minister of Internal Affairs Ayşegül Baybars and EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam.

"A Peaceful Working Environment Is Important"

Speaking at the signature ceremony, Minister of Internal Affairs Ayşegül Baybars relayed her belief that the prospective training will help prison guards to cope with their professions. Baybars stated: "Our guards have very heavy loads. They work with high commitment and face serious difficulties. Therefore, their mental health is very important to us as well as



their approach to prisoners and a peaceful working environment." EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam indicated that the training which will be provided within the scope of the protocol will contribute to the health,

efficiency and happiness of the guards. The protocol includes a six-week training period. Relevant training will be provided by EMU Psychological Counselling, Guidance & Research Centre.

EMU GRADUATE PAYS THANK YOU VISIT TO RECTOR

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam received EMU Education Faculty, Department of Foreign Language Education, English Language Teaching Master's Program graduate Shehu Yahuza Abbas in his office at 15:00 on Tuesday, the 9th of April 2019. The said visit took place after a meeting request from Abbas was accepted. During the visit, Abbas thanked Rector Prof. Dr. Osam for hosting him in his office stating: "The fact that I have graduated from our Rector's Department is a source of inspiration. I hope that other Nigerians like myself will come to study at EMU and benefit from the university."

"There was a very good learning environment"

Shehu Yahuza Abbas came to the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) after obtaining his undergraduate degree from Bayero University Kano located in Lafia,

Nigeria. Here, he completed his thesis on "The Beliefs of Parents Regarding Their Children Learning the Local Language and English: The Multilingual Example of Northern Nigeria" under the supervision of Assoc. Prof. Dr. Naciye Kunt. After graduating from EMU Shehu Yahuza Abbas had the following to say about the university: "I wanted to thank our Rector. I took a photo with him. I will always keep and cherish this photograph. One day it will be a source of inspiration for my children, too. My time in Cyprus and EMU was delightful. EMU has a very good learning environment. The university staff and local community were very hospitable. I promise that when I return home I will relay my experiences to my community and work to bring people to the university."

EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam noted that he was very pleased by the visit from their graduate stating that he will definitely



meet with Abbas during his visit to Nigeria. Presenting Abbas his card, Prof. Dr. Osam promised to keep in touch before concluding by wishing Abbas the best of luck in his social life and academic career.

EMU AWARDS SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS



Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) rewarded the outstanding achievements of students from the Fall Semester of the 2018 – 2019 Academic Year. 130 students who managed to be in the top 10 of their Faculties

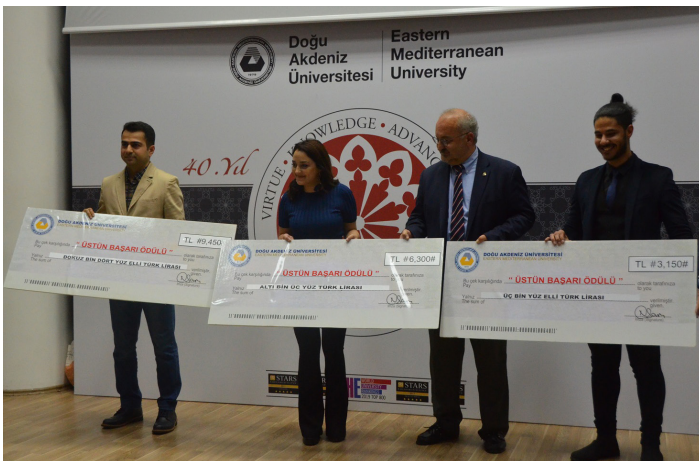
and Schools were awarded cheques at a ceremony which took place at the Mustafa Afşin Ersoy Hall on Monday, the 8th of April 2019 at 14:30. The ceremony was attended EMU Vice Rector for Academic Affairs Prof. Dr. Halit Tanju Besler and Vice Rector for Student Affairs Prof. Dr. Sonuç Zorlu Oğurlu.

“Congratulations to all of the Students”

The opening speech of the ceremony was delivered Prof. Dr. Sonuç Zorlu Oğurlu who welcomed everyone to the event and underlined that many students from different Faculties and Schools achieved outstanding success. Prof. Dr. Oğurlu congratulated the students and those who contributed to their success whilst indicating that they will be presenting cheques to those who managed to get into the top 10. Prof. Dr. Oğurlu concluded by relaying her wish that the students use

their prizes wisely. Faculty of Business and Economics student Suhayl Ahmed Miftah Alsawaydi, Faculty of Architecture student Ceylin Pınar Akartuna and Faculty of Pharmacy student Reza Mehrad were then presented their symbolic cheques by Vice Rector for Academic Affairs Prof. Dr. Halit Tanju Besler. The ceremony continued with students being presented their cheques in the company of Faculty Deans, School Directors, Department Chairs and members of academic staff.

Those who ranked first were awarded 3 times the gross minimum wage. Those who ranked second were given double the gross minimum wage. Those who ranked third were awarded the gross minimum wage. Many members of academic staff were present at the ceremony to share the joy of successful students.



EMU ATTENDS ANADOLUJET'S NEW FLIGHT DESTINATIONS CEREMONY

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and EMU Faculty of Tourism Dean Prof. Dr. Hasan Kılıç attended a ceremony to celebrate Turkish Airlines' subsidiary AnadoluJet's new flights from the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) to İzmir, Antalya, Adana and Gaziantep. The ceremony took place at the Nicosia Ercan Airport on Friday, the 5th of April 2019. EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Osam indicated that the new flights will greatly contribute to the country's tourism and higher education extending his best wishes to the airline.



EMU DR. FAZIL KÜÇÜK FACULTY OF MEDICINE ORGANIZES A CANCER AWARENESS EVENT WITH THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND THE MUNICIPALITY OF NICOSIA



The Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of Medicine organized a “Cancer Awareness Symposium” in collaboration with the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) Ministry of Health and the Municipality of Nicosia. The opening speeches of the symposium held at Bedesten, Nicosia were delivered by Nicosia Mayor Mehmet Harmanacı and Minister of Health Dr. Filiz Besim.

The symposium got under way after the opening speeches. Within the scope of the symposium presentations were delivered by EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of Medicine Dean Prof. Dr. Nahide Gökçora, Ankara University Engineering Faculty, Department of Physics Engineering academic staff member Prof. Dr. Doğan Bor, EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of Medicine academic staff member Asst. Prof. Dr. Bülent Sezgin, EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of Medicine academic staff member psychologist Naife Sevdalı Zaim and Turkish Cypriot Dietitians Union President Dietician Dr. Ayşe Okan.

“Early diagnosis saves lives”

In her speech, Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of

Medicine Dean Prof. Dr. Nahide Gökçora highlighted the importance of early cancer diagnosis and treatment. Focusing on the symptoms and risk factors of breast cancer which is commonly seen in women, Prof. Dr. Gökçora also informed the participants about common misconceptions regarding breast cancer.

“Low volumes of ionizing radiation contain a very low cancer risk”

Ankara University Engineering Faculty, Department of Physics Engineering academic staff member Prof. Dr. Doğan Bor informed participants about the cancer risk that arises from radiation whilst touching upon common misconceptions about radiation and doses of radiation used in clinical investigation.

“Self-examination is very valuable in the early diagnosis of breast cancer”

In his presentation, EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of Medicine academic staff member Asst. Prof. Dr. Bülent Sezgin provided theoretical knowledge about how women can carry out self-examination for breast cancer, later demonstrating it on a dummy. Prof. Dr. Sezgin emphasized that regular self-

examination can lead to the early diagnosis of breast cancer.

“The best treatment for cancer patients is that which combines physical, psychiatric and psychosocial treatment.”

EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Faculty of Medicine academic staff member psychologist Naife Sevdalı Zaim delivered a presentation titled “Good State in Cancer Patients” during which she highlighted psychological conditions that individuals with cancer may face whilst underlining the components needed for them to reach a “good state”.

“Have a good diet to be protected from cancer”

The closing presentation of the symposium was delivered by Turkish Cypriot Dietitians Union President Dietitian Dr. Ayşe Okan who underlined the importance of a good diet in being protected from cancer. Dietitian Dr. Ayşe Okan informed participants about what to look out for in order to have a healthy daily diet. A question and answer session took place after the presentations.

LITERARY EDITOR ALİ ÖMER TÜRKEŞ MEETS WITH STUDENTS AT EMU



Ayrıntı Publishing House Literary Editor Ali Ömer Türkeş came to the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) within the scope of Career Week organised by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Alumni Communication and Career Research Directorate (MİKA) in scope of the Directorate's collaboration with EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences. Ali Ömer Türkeş delivered a seminar in front of a large audience in the ASA Amphitheatre

at 10:30 on Friday, the 5th of April 2019. The seminar was attended by EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences academic staff and students. During the event Ali Ömer Türkeş delivered a presentation on "The Publication Process of Translated Novels and Novel Reviews at Publishing Houses". Providing information about translation, proofreading, final readings and preparations that take place before typesetting and publishing Türkeş touched

upon common mistakes that take place during translation, the wording of the writer and the translator, the translator's command of the original language and the language he or she is translating to as well as how imagery can be translated. At the end of his presentation Türkeş summarized how he arrived at this point of his career before providing advice to EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences students.

WORKSHOP FROM EXPERT PSYCHOLOGISTS DENİZ ERKAL AND SELEN ÜSTÜNER



Cognitive and Behavioral Therapy Center Expert Psychologists Deniz Erkal and Selen Üstüner came to the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) within the scope of Career Week organised by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Alumni Communication and Career Research Center (MİKA) as a result of their collaboration with

the EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences. The duo delivered a seminar in front of a large audience at the Prof. Dr. Mehmet Tahiroğlu Conference Hall at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, the 5th of April 2019.

The seminar was attended by EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences academic staff and students.

During the event, expert psychologists Deniz Erkal and Selen Üstüner carried out a workshop titled "Cognitive Behavioral Therapy". After the said workshop, Erkal and Üstüner summarized how they arrived at this point of their career before providing advice that EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences students can follow.

GRADUATE OF EMU AND KAYSERİ ULAŞIM A.Ş. GENERAL DIRECTOR FEYZULLAH GÜNDOĞDU IN EMU

In scope of the 7th International Career Week activities hosted by the Eastern Mediterranean University Alumni Communication and Career Research Directorate, EMU graduate and Kayseri Ulaşım A.Ş. General Director Feyzullah Gündoğdu, who visited our university with the aforesaid directorate's collaboration with EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences, came together with the students of EMU at ASA Amphi at 2:30 p.m., on Friday, 5 April 2019.

The event was attended by EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Physics Chair Prof. Dr. İzzet Sakallı and students of EMU Physics Department. Gündoğdu, who graduated from EMU in 1996 after obtaining his double major from EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Physics and EMU Faculty of Engineering, Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, also got his master's degree in 1998 from EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Physics. During the said event, Feyzullah Gündoğdu delivered a presentation on "Transportation in the Future". Having been working as the General Director of Kayseri Ulaşım A.Ş. since July, 2014, Gündoğdu



shared information on his career path and also provided some recommendations for

the students of EMU Faculty of Arts and Sciences..

EMU ACADEMIC STAFF MEMBER PROF. DR. İZZET SAKALLI IS SELECTED AS AN OUTSTANDING REVIEWER

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Arts and Sciences Faculty, Departments of Physics and Chemistry Chair Prof. Dr. İzzet Sakallı has been selected as an 'Outstanding Reviewer' for 2018 by "IOP (Institute of Physics) Publishing" which is one of the world's most prestigious scientific publishers.

Prof. Dr. İzzet Sakallı was seen as worthy of the award for the second consecutive time after his high-quality refereeing in the Web of Science SCI & Q1 category "Classical and

Quantum Gravity" journal. In a letter from IOP Publishing Prof. Dr. Sakallı was informed that he was selected as an outstanding reviewer because of his constructive as well as directive reviews and criticism.

Prof. Dr. Sakallı who is the only reviewer from Turkey or the TRNC to receive this award in 2018, indicated that he is proud to see EMU on the list amongst world-famous academic institutions.



JOURNALIST AGNIESZKA RAKOCZY WAS AT EMU FOR CAREER WEEK



Within the scope of Career Week organised by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Alumni Communication and Career Research Center (MİKA) in collaboration with faculties and academic units, experienced journalist Agnieszka Rakoczy came together with students at the Communication Faculty.

Agnieszka Rakoczy, who attended Career Week after receiving an invitation from the EMU Communication Faculty, Department of New Media and Journalism, shared her experiences with students. Touching upon the roads she had to cross before becoming a journalist, Rakoczy delivered an interactive

presentation during which she answered questions from students and members of academic staff.

In relation to a student question regarding the path she follows to make good pieces of news, Rakoczy stated: "I find sources in addition to the facilities provided to me in order to obtain their ideas and views." Indicating that sources are important, Rakoczy noted that it is vital to evaluate and filter all information in order to be an impartial journalist.

Rakoczy concluded by stating: "If you want to do journalism correctly you need the help of other people which you can get by meeting and obtaining their thoughts. It is important to be careful about the anonymity of sources."

DR. GÜLEN ADDİS MEETS WITH EMU STUDENTS



Within the scope of the 7th Career Week organised by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Alumni Communication and Career Research Center (MİKA) Buckinghamshire New University academic staff member Dr. Gülen Addis came together with EMU students at the Health Sciences

Faculty Amphitheatre at 13:30 on Tuesday, the 9th of April 2019. Dr. Gülen Addis came to the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) in scope of a collaboration settled with EMU Health Sciences Faculty. The turnout to the event was significantly high. The event which was attended by EMU Health Sciences

Faculty academic staff and students featured Dr. Gülen Addis's presentation titled "The Changing and Developing Roles of Nurses in England". At the end of the presentation Dr. Addis summarized how she has reached this point in her career and provided advice for EMU Health Sciences Faculty students.

EMU DR. FAZIL KÜÇÜK MEDICINE FACULTY HOLDS A SEMINAR ON “ETHICS IN HEALTH”



Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty continues to offer informative seminars. The last seminar held by the aforesaid faculty was delivered by EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty academic staff member Prof. Dr. Şefik Görkey at Famagusta State Hospital Conference Hall at 12:30 p.m. on Friday, 5 April 2019. Titled “Ethics in Health”, the seminar started with the history of the topics discussed in the patient-doctor relationship. Prof. Dr. Görkey pointed out that in the past, some doctors used their powers for a number of ideologies and following a number of court cases which took place after the world wars, the evidence confirming the application of some immoral practices for the sake of the science surfaced. With the loss of doctor’s authority as a result of this, the whole world was faced with the fact that a doctor’s behavior is, in fact, questionable. Prof. Dr. Görkey went on to state that since then, many medical and non-medical professionals used patient-doctor relationship problems for the sake of their own interests.

“Female Doctors in Our Country Encounter Serious Problems”

Prof. Dr. Görkey put forth that in poorly educated societies, those affected from this area which is open to abuse and political violation are usually the doctors and patients. According to Prof. Dr. Görkey, patients should be well-informed and kept away from being misdirected. Prof. Dr. Görkey added that based on the principle that doctors in developed societies should be well-educated, kept away from financial problems and removed from a stressful life, they are provided with enough time

and material-environment to deal with a patient. Indicating that doctors are also granted permission for self and professional development, Prof. Dr. Görkey added that workload of female doctors in developed countries are kept to minimum after pregnancy and postpartum periods. Prof. Dr. Görkey indicated that in our country, female doctors experience serious problems and emphasized that doctors’ working hours and wages should be adjusted in such a way that they will be able to receive and maintain their rightful place in the society. Prof. Dr. Görkey also indicated that the purpose of this is to enable the doctors to do their job correctly and, at the same time, demonstrate respect towards their patients.

“Respect for Privacy”

Prof. Dr. Görkey added that having been provided adequate context and environment, the doctor could then easily provide this delicate balance between the two sides. On the other hand, easy access to doctors, allocation of sufficient time, having a positive attitude, avoiding negative behavior posing harassment towards body and soul, obtaining permission for treatment, and respecting privacy and decisions are marked as highly important issues in respecting patients’ rights. While talking about the rights of patients and doctors, Prof. Dr. Görkey indicated that having one-sided accusations in the event of problems would be a deliberate self-interest. Prof. Dr. Görkey also stated that sometimes, just because someone wants to change the agenda, without any scientific basis, doctors or medical equipment or instruments, methods of treatment and similar issues are brought into the forefront.

“There are Books on How Doctors Should Act”

Prof. Dr. Görkey added that patient rights do not cover harassing the doctors regarding his/her educational status, social status, beliefs and private life and, similarly, doctors’ rights do not feature turning the patient adrift, misdirecting the patient or discrimination. Prof. Dr. Görkey put forth that the physician-patient relationship is actually the most concrete, the most sensitive and the most common form of relationship in which human rights should be applied and added that freedom of religion, conscience, thought and expression are also among the fundamental human rights. Reminding that everyone has the right to equal access to health care, Prof. Dr. Görkey indicated that these relations are more likely to get more accurate results if they are oriented to the principles as far as possible from being open to interpretation. From this point of view, in some countries, doctors are supported with some books giving information on how to act correctly in different cases of conflict. Prof. Dr. Görkey also noted that it is forbidden to work in these countries without being well-informed or aware of these rules. Prof. Dr. Görkey added that unfortunately such a practice is not observed in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus or Turkey. Prof. Dr. Görkey concluded the seminar by stating that the hospitals’ own ethics committee can help the doctors regarding the correct attitude expected to be demonstrated in the face of difficult cases encountered, but unfortunately, this is also not possible in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus.

SEMINAR DELIVERED BY EMU'S ACM STUDENT CHAPTER

The “Association for Computing Machinery” (ACM) Student Chapter of the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) operating under the Social and Cultural Activities Directorate delivered a seminar on the 3rd of April 2019. The seminar was delivered at the Computer Engineering Amphitheatre by Emrah Mete who works as a solution architect and senior data engineer at Turkcell. During the seminar, Mete touched on the topics of

machine learning, artificial intelligence and their application.

The participants of the seminar obtained information about the industrial application of the current technologies. The event came to an end with a question and answer session which was followed by ACM Student Chapter President Hasan Erbilin presenting Emrah Mete a plaque of appreciation.



EMU-PDRAM STARTS WORK GROUP ON “EFFECTIVE TIME MANAGEMENT”

The Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Psychological Counseling Guidance and Research Center (PDRAM) has started a work group on “Effective Time Management”.

The first module of the work group aimed towards EMU students was completed on the 3rd of April 2019. The first module of the work group ran by EMU-PDRAM expert psychologist Sila Berfin Saklıca touched upon the subject of “Time Management and Awareness”. The second module included theoretical knowledge on “Approaches and Techniques of Time Management”. Following the second module of the work group which took place on the 10th of April 2019, the third and final module will be taking place on



the 17th of April 2019. This module aims to ensure that participants apply the knowledge they have obtained in previous modules.

EMU-PDRAM will be delivering certificates of participation to those who complete all modules of the work group.

NEW JOURNAL FROM THE EMU FACULTY OF PHARMACY

The Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Faculty of Pharmacy published the first EMU Journal of Pharmaceutical Sciences-EMU JPharmSci on the 40th anniversary of the university's foundation.

The language of the Journal which has been dubbed as the Faculty of Pharmacy's gift to EMU is English and it will feature scientific publications relating to Pharmaceutical

Sciences. The peer reviewed open access journal will be published three times a year. Pharmaceutical chemistry, pharmacology, toxicology, biochemistry, pharmacognosis, pharmaceutical botany, microbiology, history of pharmacy, phytotherapy, ethnobotany and sports pharmacy are the main topics of the journal. Research will be published as original articles, short articles and review papers.



EMU TOURISM FACULTY'S CULINARY COURSES IN COLLABORATION WITH EMU-CEC COMMENCE

After a period of 4 years, "Culinary Workshops with Arzum" have recommenced under the collaboration of the Eastern Mediterranean University Continuing Education Center (EMU-CEC) and EMU Tourism Faculty. Taking place with the slogan "Let's Cook and Eat Together", the courses are being offered by EMU Tourism Faculty, Gastronomy and Culinary Arts Department Chefs. In this scope, the first session of the courses took place under the title "Italian Cuisine (Mamma Mia) on Sunday, 7 April 2019. The courses will continue during the upcoming days under the following headings: French Cuisine, Artisan Bread Making, World Cuisine, Spanish Cuisine, Vegetarian Cuisine, Far East Cuisine, Delicious Desserts, the Art of Chocolate and Gluten-free menus.

With an array of certificate programs and accreditations gained by its different programs and departments, EMU Tourism Faculty delivers high quality education with the support of professional and award winning chefs. Courses and certification programs offered by EMU Tourism Faculty with the concept of EMU CHEF will continue in collaboration with EMU-CEC.



Workshops in Professional Kitchens

"Culinary Workshops with Arzum" which will regularly take place between April and June will be offered in 3 to 4 hours and enable the integration of the university with the community. Registration to the courses which will offer different delicacies and combinations will be via EMU-CEC. The courses will take place in professional kitchens at EMU Tourism Faculty. Participants of the courses which will be

comprised of 10 different workshops will receive different certificates depending on the number of courses they partake. After a period of 4 years, the courses will enable the members of the community to benefit from the accumulation of award-winning chefs. For application, members of public can contact EMU-CEC at 630 2471 or 630 2482. Further information is also available at <http://sem.emu.edu.tr> and <http://tourism.emu.edu.tr/en/gastronomy>.

EMU HOSTS A MAGNIFICENT VIOLONCELLO CONCERT

Organised by the Eastern Mediterranean University, Faculty of Education, Department of Fine Arts Education, a violoncello concert took place at EMU Music Teaching Department Building at 1:00 p.m. on 5 April 2019. Among those who attended the event were EMU Education Faculty, Fine Arts Education Department academic staff members and students of the aforesaid department.

Prepared by Department of Fine Arts Education academic staff member Assist. Prof. Dr. Başak Gorgoretti, the concert hosted the following pieces by the 1st year students accompanied by Maka Rotheru: Serhat Selçin Folk Song – French Folk Song, Nurseli Soylu Folk Song - May Song, Ceren Müezzini S. Suzuki – Allegro, Göktürk Eşer S. Suzuki – Allegretto and Feyza Reçber G.



Chinzer – Sonata op. 1 no: 6 in G Minor. The concert continued with the following second year students' performances: Yüksel Özbey P. Garinger – Shepherd's Hey, Ahmet Demirhan Aladağ, Şinasi Çilden – Katibim, Evrim Akarsu accompanied by Maka Rothery A. Vivaldi – Sonata in E Minor Largo & Allegro. The concert came to a close after

the performances of the third year students, namely Almıla Demirdoğan accompanied by Nadir Akgün Şinasi Çilden's composition, Ediz Özgür accompanied by Şefkat Sağlamer G. Jacop – Robot's March and Özgü Onurlucan accompanied by Şefkat Sağlamer C. Saint-Saens – Allegro Appassionato.

EMU-SCT VISITS FAMAGUSTA NAMIK KEMAL HIGH SCHOOL

The Eastern Mediterranean University School of Computing and Technology (EMU-SCT) carried out a visit to the Famagusta Namik Kemal High School to increase collaboration in vocational education between the schools as well as to provide information to students.

During the visit, EMU-SCT Director Prof. Dr. Mustafa İlkan delivered a presentation titled “Possibilities, Opportunities and Guidance in Vocational Education”. In the said presentation Prof. Dr. İlkan emphasized the importance of vocational education and relayed future projections. Prof. Dr. İlkan also expressed the possibilities, opportunities and advantages of registering to EMU-SCT after the completion of high school.

Famagusta Namik Kemal High School officials also highlighted the importance of collaboration, indicating that they are very



pleased to be collaborating with EMU to improve vocational education in the country as to bring it to the desired level. In addition, Prof. Dr. İlkan contributed by providing students with information on the Electrical and Electronics Technology and the Biomedical Equipment Technology programs. Senior Instructor Ahmet Burak Keşkek provided

information about the Mapping and Cadastral Survey program whilst Asst. Prof. Dr. Ece Çelik provided information about the Construction Technology program. Computer Programming and Information Technology Coordinator Akile Oday and Vice-Coordinator Şensev İlkan also provided extensive information about their programs.

UNFORGETTABLE GAMBIAN NIGHT TAKES PLACE AT EMU

Gambian students had an unforgettable time at Gambian Night hosted by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) International Office which took place at the EMU Beach Club. The said event was also attended by students from Near East University and Lefke European University

who travelled by bus to take part in the event. The night featured unique Gambian music and dance performances. Traditional Gambian food was also available to those in attendance who participated in fun games and activities throughout the night.



MAGNIFICENT LIBYAN NIGHT IN EMU

Organised by the International Office operating under the Eastern Mediterranean University Vice Rector's Office for International Affairs and Promotion, “Libyan Night” was held at Rauf Raif Denktaş Culture and Congress Center with the participation of students from Libya and from other cultures. In scope of the event, the participants were served special cocktails and Libyan food. An exhibition featuring the photos from Libya also gathered the interest of the participants.

Thanks to EMU Administration

Following the Libyan National Anthem, President of the Libyan Students'

Association Sadeq Elfaituri delivered a speech and thanked all firms sponsoring the event. Thanking EMU administration for supporting the organisation of the event, Elfaituri relayed his special gratitude to EMU International Office for their valuable contributions. Elfaituri also advised Libyan students to maintain their cultural values and respect the rules of the community in which they are currently living. Following the speeches, theatre and dance shows took place. The event came to a close after successful members of the Libyan Students' Association and those who contributed the event were presented plaques of appreciation.



THIS WEEK'S PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES IN TURKEY



A seminar on "Advanced Methods of Productive Studying" was delivered by Education Specialist Süleyman Beledioğlu in Antalya on the 8th of April 2019. Before the seminar, our university's promotional presentation was delivered by Antalya Liaison Office Personnel Tufan Otuzaltı.



The Antalya Özel Envar Anatolian Science High School Promotion Day took place on the 10th of April 2019. Our university was represented by Antalya Liaison Office Personnel Tufan Otuzaltı.



The Batman Eket Fair took place at the Batman Culture Center on the 12th of April 2019. Our university was represented by Şanlıurfa Liaison Office Personnel Mehmet Bozanoğlu.



Education seminars aimed towards students took place in Konya from the 8th to the 10th of April 2019. The seminars were on "Methods of Dealing with Anxiety."



The Mardin Eket Fair took place at the Mardin Hilton Garden Inn on the 10th of April 2019. Our university was represented by Şanlıurfa Liaison Office Personnel Mehmet Bozanoğlu.



The İzmir Bilgence Anatolian Science High School Promotion Day took place on the 12th of April 2019. Our university was represented by İzmir Liaison Office Personnel Cansu Okyay.

A RAM event took place in Ankara's Yenimahalle District on the 11th and 12th of April 2019. Sertan Kağan delivered seminars on "Rational Emotional Behavioral Therapy."

THIS WEEK'S PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES IN TRNC



The Atatürk Vocational High School Promotion Day took place on the 9th of April 2019. Our university was represented by İklim Durna from the Promotion Office as well as Deniz Alkaner and Zalihe Oza from the Registrar's Office.



A group from the Necat British College comprising of 21 people visited our university on the 11th of April 2019.

This Week's Academic Publications

Source: Web of Science

Faculty of Business and Economics

1- Andrew Adewale Alola, and Uju Violet Alola. "The dynamic nexus of crop production and population growth: housing market sustainability pathway." *Environmental Science and Pollution Research* 26, no.7(2019): 6472-6480.

2- Parvaneh Shahnoori, and Glenn P. Jenkins. "Valuation of the Quality Attributes of Online Banking Services by Small and Medium Enterprises Engaged in International Trade." *South African Journal of Economics* 87, no. 1 (2019): 65-81.

Faculty of Tourism

1- Hungchen Hsieh, and Osman M. Karatepe. "Outcomes of workplace ostracism among restaurant employees." *Tourism Management Perspectives* 30 (2019): 129-137.

Faculty of Pharmacy

1- Serpil Kayiran Demirci, Neriman Özhata, and Erdal Kaya. "Muscari tauricum (Asparagaceae, Scilloideae), a new species from Turkey." *Phytotaxa* 399, no. 2 (2019): 109-118.

Faculty of Health Sciences

1- Sila Gildir, Emine Handan Tüzün, Goncağül Eroğlu, and Levent Eker. "A randomized trial of trigger point dry needling versus sham needling for chronic tension-type headache." *Medicine* 98, no. 8 (2019).

Faculty of Arts and Sciences

1- Başak Gorgoretti. "The use of technology in music education in North Cyprus according to student music teachers." *South African Journal of Education* 39, no. 1 (2019).

Faculty of Engineering

1- Ibrahim Sefa, Saban Ozdemir, Hasan Komurcugil, and Necmi Altin. "An Enhanced Lyapunov-Function Based Control Scheme for Three-Phase Grid-Tied VSI with LCL Filter." *IEEE Transactions on Sustainable Energy* 10, no.2 (2019):504-513.

2- Omar Ramadan. "Hybrid implicit-explicit FDTD implementation of graphene using generalized dispersive model." *Computer and Electrical Engineering* 74 (2019): 760-767.

3- Hasila Jarimi, Devrim Aydin, Zhang Yanan, Gorkem Ozankaya, Xiangjie Chen, and Saffa Riffat. "Review on the recent progress of thermochemical materials and processes for solar thermal energy storage and industrial waste heat recovery." *International Journal of Low-Carbon Technologies* 14, no. 1 (2019): 44-69.

EMU ROCK FESTIVAL APPROACHES

Organised annually by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Social and Cultural Activities Directorate, 9th "Rock'n EMU" event will be commencing at 17:00 at the EMU Stadium on Friday, the 26th of April 2019.

This year's rock festival is highly anticipated event as is the case every year. The night will feature performances from Turkey's

famous rock groups/musicians Duman, Hayko Cepkin, Pentagram and Evrencaan Gündüz. The popular Cypriot group Force Awakens and the EMU Music Club will be giving concerts before the rock groups/musicians stated above. A statement released by the EMU Social and Cultural Activities Directorate indicated that the general public is invited to the event where entrance will be free of charge.



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