



EMU RECTOR PROF. DR. NECDET OSAM PAYS A SERIES OF VISITS IN GAMBIA



also provided information about Gambian students at EMU. At the end of the visit Prof. Dr. Osam presented Barrow a silver plate for his support to the university.

During his time in Gambia, Prof. Dr. Osam also visited Banjul's Turkish Ambassador İsmail Sefa Yüceer. During this visit Prof. Dr. Osam relayed the latest developments at EMU. At the end of the visit Prof. Dr. Osam presented Yüceer, EMU's 40th Year plate.



Visit to University of Gambia Rector

Prof. Dr. Osam then visited University of Gambia Rector Prof. Dr. Faqir Muhammad Anjum Chaudhry in his office. Ideas were exchanged regarding potential collaborations between the two universities.

Prof. Dr. Osam also visited Gambia's Minister of Basic and Secondary Education Iyana Cole. During the visit Prof. Dr. Osam indicated that he is very happy to be in Gambia. The duo discussed higher education in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) and Gambia, later touching upon student exchange between two countries. During his time in Gambia, Prof. Dr. Osam also delivered a promotional seminar aimed towards prospective students and their families. The seminar included extensive information about EMU. Prof. Dr. Osam was accompanied by our Gambian and Senegalese students during the visits.



Prof. Dr. Osam Attends TV Program

Prof. Dr. Osam also appeared on Gambia Radio and Television Services (GRTS) morning television program the "AM Show" where he provided information about EMU and touched upon higher education in TRNC. Finally, Prof. Dr. Osam also issued a statement to Gambian Presidency press members regarding EMU's academic achievements and world ranking.

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam travelled to Gambia where he carried out a series of visits. Prof. Dr. Osam visited Gambian President, Banjul's Republic of Turkey Ambassador, Gambian Minister of Basic and Secondary Education and University of Gambia Rector on the 18th and 19th of July, 2019.

Visit to Gambian President and Turkish Ambassador

Prof. Dr. Osam visited Gambian President Adama Barrow in his office where he provided information about EMU. Touching upon EMU's place on the world rankings, Prof. Dr. Osam stated that it is an institution which provides education at an international standard. Prof. Dr. Osam

COLLABORATION PROTOCOL BETWEEN EMU AND EMAA



A collaboration protocol was signed between Eastern Mediterranean University Center for Cyprus Studies (DAÜ-KAM) and European Mediterranean Art Association (EMAA). Signing ceremony for the protocol took place on Tuesday, 16th of July, 2019 at 10:30 at EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam's chamber. EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and, EMAA Director and also the Vice Rector of Cyprus American University Prof. Dr. Gökçe Keçeci signed the protocol. The ceremony

was attended by EMU Vice Rector for Administrative and Technical Affairs and DAÜ-KAM Director Prof. Dr. Naciye Doratlı, DAÜ-KAM Visual Arts Project Coordinator Zehra Şonya, authorities from EMAA and press members.

Touching on the fact that EMU has always been cherishing art and artists, EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Osam also stated that the recently signed protocol is to extend the scope of the already existing collaboration between

EMAA and DAÜ-KAM. EMAA Director Prof. Dr. Keçeci mentioned that the protocol involves amendments on partnerships that exist within the framework of 15 April World Art Day celebrations. Keçeci also shared the pleasure of continuing the collaborations between the institutions.

The Scope of the Protocol

Theme and content of the events (exhibition, book, etc.) will be specified with respect to the co-decisions of DAÜ-KAM and EMAA. During the event selection process, the event's sufficiency to meet the needs of the art environment, its content being related to the non-existing matters rather than the existing ones and, event being innovative will be the criteria to be taken into consideration. Holding the exhibitions with a catalogue or a book or, increasing the number of art publications is aimed within the scope of the protocol. The events are to be organized at least in two cities; Famagusta and Nicosia. Moreover, the promotion, publication or presentation processes of the events will be in cooperation of the institutions.

EMU SIGNS COLLABORATION PROTOCOL WITH RÜSTEM BOOKSHOP

A collaboration protocol has been signed between the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) and Rüstem Bookshop. The protocol between the two successful institutions was signed at 11:00 on Monday, the 15th of July 2019. The signature ceremony took place in the office of EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam who signed the protocol along with Rüstem Bookshop owner Ali Besim Rüstem. EMU Vice Rector for Administrative and Technical Affairs / Center for Cyprus Studies Director Prof. Dr. Naciye Doratlı, EMU Center for Cyprus Studies Visual Arts Project Coordinator Zehra Şonya and Rüstem Bookshop Culture and Art Consultant Halil Duranay were also present at the ceremony.



What Does the Protocol Entail?

The protocol signed by EMU and Rüstem Bookshop aims to promote academic, cultural and artistic activity between the institutions. Together the institutions will

develop research projects, later turning them into books that will be released as joint publications. With the permission of artists, pieces of art found in EMU's collection can be subcategorized into different themes and

genres before being displayed in the Rüstem Bookshop gallery area. In addition, Rüstem Bookshop Personal Archeological Museum will be supported academically by EMU and exhibitions can be hold at the university.

EMU SHOWS GRATITUDE TO RETIRED PERSONNEL



Three personnel who successfully rendered their services to the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) for many years have recently retired. Fergün Özbil worked at the Transportation Services Unit

operating under the Vice Rector's Office for Administrative and Technical Affairs between the 1st of December 1999 and the 28th of February 2019. Mustafa Erbayoğlu also retired after working at the

same unit between the 17th of May 2007 and the 30th of June 2019. In addition to Özbil and Erbayoğlu, Cahit Gamalı retired after working at the Environment Affairs Directorate between the 21st of July 1997 and the 31st of July 2019

Fergün Özbil, Mustafa Erbayoğlu and Cahit Gamalı were presented plaques of appreciation for their services to the university at 11:30 on Tuesday, the 16th of July, 2019. Their plaques were presented by EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and Vice Rector for Administrative and Technical Affairs Prof. Dr. Naciye Doratlı.

EMU ORGANIZED AN EVENT IN COMMEMORATION OF FIRAT ÇIRAK



Eastern Mediterranean University organized an event in commemoration of Fırat Çırak who passed away on the 9th of March, 2019. The said event took place on Sunday, the 14th of July 2019 at the EMU Beach Club. Çırak's high school friends, colleagues and family came together for the event organized by Kuzey Tarık which took the form of Çırak's dream beach party.

Fırat Çırak provided great service to EMU between 1999 and 2018 occupying a range of roles including Book Sale Centre Unit Manager, Dormitories & Cafeterias Directorate Unit Manager and Revolving Funds Director.

EMU CONTINUES TO MAKE AN IMPACT WITH ACADEMIC COLLABORATIONS



As a higher education institution that provides international standard quality education, Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) sees great value in the development of international collaborations to further improve the quality of education. In recent years, EMU has continued to add to its numerous academic collaborations with universities from different parts of the world.

EMU has established collaboration protocols with universities from the United States of America (State University of New York at Fredonia), Italy (University of Bologna, School of Law and High School of Legal Studies of the “Alma Mater Studiorum”, Sapienza University of Rome), Albania (Polytechnic University of Tirana) and Iran (Sharif University of Technology- International Campus-Kish Island, Tahrán University of Medical Sciences). EMU also runs joint programs in the fields of medicine and dentistry with Marmara University and University of Health Sciences.

According to a statement from EMU Rector’s Office, the university pays special attention to establishing collaboration

protocols with prominent institutions providing educational opportunities at international standards. The collaboration protocols settled with prestigious organizations have provided extensive research opportunities for the university’s academic staff in areas of science, medicine and technology. Through the settlement of the protocols, academic staff and student exchanges can take place whilst research and knowledge can be shared. The statement also underlined that joint diplomas can be obtained in the fields of Medicine, Pharmacy and Law as a result of certain collaboration protocols.

The Collaboration between EMU and the University of Warwick Continues

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) has extended its collaboration with Warwick University, number 8 in The Guardian 2019’s University Rankings, for another 6 years. In accordance with the agreement signed between the two universities in 2011, the “Supply Chain and Logistics Management Program” and “Engineering Business Management Program” will continue due to high demand and success. The two programs are graduate programs collaboratively run by Warwick

University Warwick Manufacturing Group (WMG) and EMU. In scope of the dual degree program, students can graduate from both universities’ masters programs in 2 years by taking 5 additional courses. Additionally, a flexible system allowing part-time student status is also available in the WMG programs, for those who wish to simultaneously maintain their professional career.

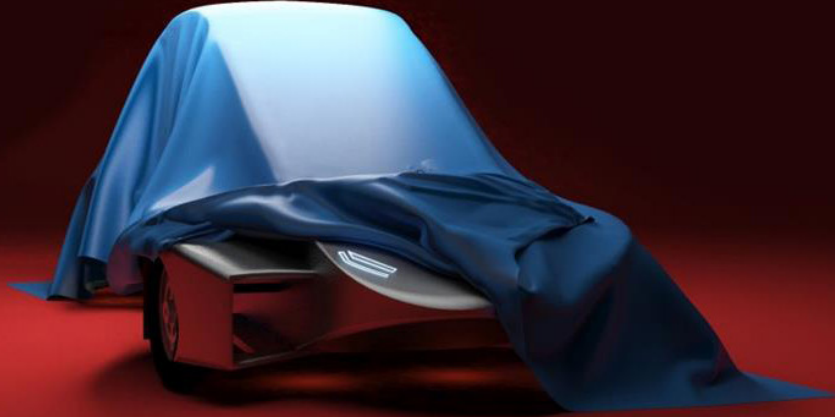
Education at Global-Standards

With real industrial experience, WMG provides study opportunities at global standards. These programs provide its candidates with the opportunity to get their graduate degree at one of the world’s best universities. These prestigious graduate (MSc) degrees, offered by experienced academicians from Warwick University, can be completed in one academic year. The students are also given an option to finish two of their modules in Warwick University, England; or Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand and China. For more detailed information and to apply for the submissions in March, you can visit the WMG-EMU Office on EMU campus or the website: <http://warwick.emu.edu.tr>

TEAM “ADA” COMPRISED OF EMU ENGINEERING STUDENTS WILL BE REPRESENTING THE UNIVERSITY AT THE ELECTROMOBILE 2019 COMPETITION



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The vehicle “Storm” designed and produced by the Electric Vehicle Development Center (EVDC) operating under Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Rector’s Office is going to represent the university at the Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey (TÜBİTAK) Efficiency Challenge competition taking place within the scope of TEKNOFEST. This year’s competition is going to take place at İstanbul Atatürk Airport between the 16th and 22nd of September, 2019. Team ADA is going to represent EMU for the third time in the 15th Annual Efficiency Challenge Competition.

In 2017, the Z-ZERO electric vehicle developed by the Faculty of Engineering, Department of Engineering attended the competition finishing in 20th place out of

74 teams. This project was also seen fit to receive the Mechatronic Design Award as a result of its superiority in mechanic and electronic design, engineering work and being locality. Meanwhile the vehicle “Mediterranean Shark” finished the Electromobile 2018 Competition organized by TÜBİTAK in ninth place.

EMU - The Only Representative of TRNC

As the only participating institution from the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) this year EMU will take part in the electro mobile category of the said competition with the “Storm” vehicle of team “ADA”. Team ADA’s project “Storm” is being led by EVDC President Asst. Prof. Dr. Davut Solyalı. The team is comprised of local and international

undergraduate and postgraduate students. The design, development and production of project “Storm” took place fully under the scope of EMU with students using the university’s facilities and laboratories.

The Efficiency Challenge is an annual competition for university students organized by TÜBİTAK since 2005. The Challenge aims to lead to the research of alternative and clean energy sources, to increase their use in the automotive sector and to raise awareness. The vehicles designed according to the city concept are examined in terms of high energy efficiency. The organization that greatly values local production requires 4 parts of the vehicle to be produced domestically since 2018.

EMU-KAM'S JOURNAL OF CYPRUS STUDIES HAS STARTED TO ACCEPT ARTICLES

Journal of Cyprus Studies

Kıbrıs Araştırmaları Dergisi

European Financial Crisis, Energy Cooperation, Natural Gas,
Disenfranchisement, Geo-politics, Self-determination,
Privatization, Welfare Loss, Cyprus Turkish Airlines,
Wage Equation, Conflict, Migration, Diaspora,
Community Building Activities,
Ecovillage, Alternative Tourism.
Monument, Memorial,
Landmark, Urban Space



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Doğu Akdeniz Üniversitesi Yayınevi
Eastern Mediterranean University Press

The Eastern Mediterranean University Center for Cyprus Studies (EMU-KAM) has started to accept articles for its Journal of Cyprus Studies which has established a new editorial board and mission. The Journal of Cyprus Studies was first published in 1995 and features original scientific articles relating to Cyprus, promotional texts, news about current scientific activities, reports and archival documents.

The fact that articles which go through evaluation to be published in the Journal of Cyprus Studies include articles relating to Cyprus in terms of art, history, literature, linguistics, music, theatre, architecture, archeology, cultural studies, communication, education, psychology, sociology, geography, ethnology, gender studies, politics, international relations, law, business, business management, finance, economy, tourism, medicine, health sciences, pharmacy, environment and engineering is indicative of the rich content of the journal. Interested scientists, researchers and writers can upload articles via the link "<https://dergipark.org.tr/cyprusstudies>".



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EMU HOSTING 800 STUDENTS FROM 17 COUNTRIES WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE 10TH INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL



Organized by Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Vice Rector's Office for International Affairs and Promotion with the sponsorship of Turkish Airlines, the 10th annual EMU International Summer School is taking place with the participation of more than 800 students from 17 different countries. Over 800 students with different age groups have travelled from Russia, Ukraine, Turkey, Germany, Kazakhstan, Turkmenistan, Egypt, Iran, Saudi Arabia, Azerbaijan, Moldova, Morocco, Belarus, England, Kirgizstan, Uzbekistan and Palestine to the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) where they will

be receiving English language education. The students will be participating in an enjoyable summer experience that will include numerous activities in addition to the courses delivered by EMU Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School academic staff.

The summer school students have the opportunity to witness university life and Cypriot culture first hand by participating in cultural, artistic and sporting activities in addition to the English language education they receive. The 10th International Summer School students get to enjoy the

clear blue sea and sun at EMU Beach Club as well as participate in weekly cultural trips to different regions of the island.

Gala Night Will Be Taking Place

Within the scope of the 10th EMU International Summer School, the "Gala Night 2019" will be taking place at EMU Beach Club on Wednesday, the 24th of July, 2019. The night will feature a range of dance and DJ performances. The 10th EMU International Summer School will be continuing until the 31st of August, 2019.



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Peace and Freedom Day



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This Week's Academic Publications

Source: Web of Science

Faculty of Business & Economics

1- **Korhan Gokmenoglu**, Dervis Kirikkaleli, and **Baris Memduh Eren**. "Time and frequency domain causality Testing: The causal linkage between FDI and economic risk for the case of Turkey." The Journal of International Trade & Economic Development 28, no. 6 (2019): 649-667.

2- **Abdulkadir Abdulrashid Rafidadi**, and **Ojonugwa Usman**. "Globalization, energy use, and environmental degradation in South Africa: Startling empirical evidence from the Maki-cointegration test." Journal of environmental management 244 (2019): 265-275.

3- **Ojonugwa Usman**, Osama Elsalih, and Osama Koshadh. "Environmental performance and tourism development in EU-28 Countries: the role of institutional quality." Current Issues in Tourism (2019): Early Access

4- **Mehmet Balçılar**, Zeynel Abidin Ozdemir, and Muhammad Shahbaz. "On the time-varying links between oil and gold: New insights from the rolling and recursive rolling approaches." International Journal of Finance & Economics 24, no.3 (2019): 1047-1065.

Faculty of Pharmacy

1- **Tanse Comoglu**, and **Emine Dilek Ozyilmaz**. "Orally disintegrating tablets and orally disintegrating mini tablets—novel dosage forms for pediatric use." Pharmaceutical Development and Technology 24, no. 7 (2019): 902-914.

Faculty of Engineering

1- **Tolga Çelik**, Yusuf Arayici, and Cenk Budayan. "Assessing the social cost of housing projects on the built environment: Analysis and monetization of the adverse impacts incurred on the neighbouring communities." Environmental Impact Assessment Review 77 (2019): 1-10.

2- **Mojtaba Aslmand**, Iradj Mahmoudzadeh Kani, and **Mehmet Cemal Genes**. "Efficient Dynamic Analysis of Foundation via a Coupled Axisymmetric SBFEM-3D FEM." Teknik Dergi 30, no. 4. (2019):9327-9352

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Faculty of Arts & Sciences

1- **Cassandra N. Spracklen**, **Tugce Karaderi**, Hanieh Yaghootkar, Claudia Schurmann, Rebecca S. Fine, Zoltan Kutalik, Michael H. Preuss et al. "Exome-Derived Adiponectin-Associated Variants Implicate Obesity and Lipid Biology." The American Journal of Human Genetics 105, no.1 (2019):15-25.

2- **Ali Övgün**, Galin Gylulchev, and Kimet Jusufi.

"Weak Gravitational lensing by phantom black holes and phantom wormholes using the Gauss-Bonnet theorem." Annals of Physics 406 (2019): 152-172.

3- **Suzan C. Buranay**, and **Ovgu C. Iyikal**. "Approximate Schur-Block ILU Preconditioners for Regularized Solution of Discrete Ill-Posed Problems." Mathematical Problems in Engineering 2019 (2019).

Faculty of Medicine

1- **Davut Pehlivan**, Yavuz Bayram, Nilay Gunes, Zeynep Coban Akdemir, Anju Shukla, Tatjana Bierhals, Burcu Tabakci, **Nursel Elçioglu** et al. "The Genomics of Arthrogryposis, a Complex Trait: Candidate Genes and Further Evidence for Oligogenic Inheritance." The American Journal of Human Genetics 105 (2019):132-150.

2- **Umit S. Sehirli**, Ozlem KIRAZLI, Kutluhan Tezcan, Eren SAKALLI, and O. N. A. T. Filiz. "Differences in Neurodegeneration Between Kainic Acid-Injected GAERS and Wistar Rats." Turkish neurosurgery 29, no. 4 (2019):478-485.

Faculty of Communication and Media Studies

1- **Hanife Alifendioğlu**, and **Pembe Behçetoğulları**. "Displacement, memory and home (less) identities: Turkish Cypriot women's narratives." Gender, Place & Culture (2019): Early Access.



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