



Happy 99th Anniversary of 30 August Victory Day.



**Eastern Mediterranean
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Prof. Dr. Aykut HOCANIN
Rector

EMU SIGNS A COLLABORATION PROTOCOL WITH ARTIST TURGAY HİLMİ



A cooperation protocol has been between Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) and Turkish Cypriot Artist Turgay Hilmi to carry out academic, cultural and artistic activities. EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Aykut Hocanın and Artist Turgay Hilmi signed the said agreement at a ceremony held at 11:00 am on Tuesday, 24 August, 2021, at the EMU Rector's Office Meeting Hall. EMU Board of Trustees President Dr. Erdal Özçenk and EMU Vice Rector

for Social and Cultural Affairs Prof. Dr. Deniz İscioglu were also present at the said event. The aforementioned cooperation protocol aims to ensure the development and organisation of the academic, cultural and artistic cooperation between the University and the artist.

In his speech, EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Aykut Hocanın stated that he is extremely pleased with the cooperation protocol

signed. Stating that as a state university EMU is trying to do its part in education, research and community service, Prof. Dr. Hocanın underlined that notable work is being carried out for the planning of cultural and artistic activities in the context of community involvement. Stating that they take care to work at the highest level, Prof. Dr. Hocanın said that with the protocol signed, a general understanding has been achieved. Wishing the protocol to be beneficial, Prof. Dr. Hocanın underlined that, as EMU, they are ready to contribute so that artists can reflect their talents and meet with the society.

EMU Board of Trustees President Dr. Erdal Özçenk stated that Turgay Hilmi is a unique artist and that they closely follow Turgay Hilmi's artistic activities in Germany with pride. Dr. Özçenk wished the said cooperation protocol to be beneficial for both parties.

Speaking during the ceremony, Turgay Hilmi said, "I am honored to feel as part of the EMU family so quickly. I have been living in Germany for 42 years and I am very happy to be able to transfer the experience I gained there both to university students and the society through the support of EMU."

DOYEN JOURNALISTS METE ÇUBUKÇU AND OĞUZ HAKSEVER TO TEACH IN EMU

By strengthening its staff day by day, Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Communication Faculty, New Media and Journalism Department offers its students the opportunity of being trained by the people who are successful in the field of media. EMU Communication Faculty, New Media and Journalism Department, which keeps up with the developments in the field and keeps up with the times, has recruited journalists Mete Çubukçu and Oğuz Haksever to teach in the upcoming semester.

During 2021-2022 Academic Year Fall Semester, the Investigative Journalism course will be taught by Mete Çubukçu and, Oğuz Haksever will be the instructor of the Video Journalism course. Prominent journalists will share their experiences with the students. They will teach students on issues such as the transformation of traditional media and how they can better use new media in the field. EMU Communication Faculty, New Media and Journalism Department Head Assoc. Prof. Dr. Metin Ersoy expressed the department's happiness at bringing Turkey's doyen journalists together with students. Stating that as the New Media and Journalism Department, they know the value of the industry's experiences, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Metin Ersoy noted that before graduating, the students take their professional experience to the next level and become ready to practice the profession.

“I am waiting with Baited Breath”

Mete Çubukçu made a statement on the matter and said: “It excites me to teach young individuals in the Communication Faculty. I am excited to get a sense on how the students perceive the world, their political views as well as their opinions regarding Turkey and Cyprus. It will be nice to share my 35 years of field experience, how conventional media keeps up with new media and how I use them in my own programs. By conveying how I blend my experiences in journalism and investigative journalism with the possibilities of digital media; I believe that I will contribute to the young friends to create more efficient, fast and accurate news in the future. Most of my 35 years of experience has been spent in the field. I have been running an ongoing program for 10 years, working mainly as an investigative journalist in the Middle East, Central Asia and crisis regions. I look forward to being able



to convey new forms of journalism to young friends by asking them to benefit from this experience and ask their curiosity.

“I believe that it will be Beneficial for Students”

Oğuz Haksever also touched on the topic by expressing his views; “I started my professional career in television. I continue my profession by doing television journalism in the new media environment. In upcoming academic semester, we will deal with television journalism in a way to cover almost all its dimensions with fellow students. Although television journalism is a tool of the old media, that is, television comes to mind; this is not the case, it can be easily

understood from the visual news on internet news portals, YouTube and similar channels and social media. In other words, a journalist candidate who wants to be visible in the New Media must also be knowledgeable about television journalism. For instance, students who aim to make presentations on YouTube and prepare videos for social media; Being knowledgeable and equipped in the grammar of the image, cinematography, language and organization of the broadcast news, articulation and presentation in voiceovers will provide them with significant advantages in the career race. With this perspective, I believe that EMU Communication Faculty students will benefit from our cooperation”.

JOINT PANEL FROM EMU CPC AND EURO POLITICS JOURNAL AND THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN ASSOCIATION



A panel titled “Turkey’s New Policy in Cyprus and Global Regional Balances” was held with the cooperation of Eastern Mediterranean University Cyprus Policy Center (EMU KPM), Euro Politics Magazine and Eastern Mediterranean Policy Association and the main sponsorship of Merit International Hotels. Participating at the said panel held in Kyrenia on Friday, 13 August, 2021 were the Former Prime Minister of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) Ferdi Sabit Soyer, National Unity Party Nicosia Deputy Hasan Taçoy, the People’s Party President and Nicosia Deputy Prof. Dr. Kudret Özersay, Retired Ambassador Daryal Batibay, EMU CPC President Prof. Dr. Ahmet Sözen and Dialogue Media Group Editor-in-Chief Reşat Akar.

Solution Policies Evaluated

EMU CPC President Prof. Dr. Ahmet Sözen emphasized that the uncompromising stance of the Greek Cypriot side was effective in Turkey’s return to the two-state solution policy. Prof. Dr. Sözen stated that he was not sure whether this policy change was really a break from the traditional Turkish foreign policy or was part of a tactical strategy that would force the Greek Cypriot side to a bi-communal federation, and that he thought the timing of the new policy was made at the most wrong time, considering Turkey’s image in the international community.

Former Prime Minister of the TRNC Ferdi Sabit Soyer stated that for the first time in history, with the 1960 Cyprus Republic Treaties, the Turkish Cypriot people were given an equal social status in the future of the island, and Turkey was given a position with the right to be a guarantor in determining the future of a geography outside the borders of the National Pact after the National War of Independence. Soyer said that Turkey is the guarantor of the island’s territorial integrity and constitutional order, and that it is not clear where it will stop if it starts to ignore these principles, and that it has already taken the United Nations (UN) against it.

National Unity Party Nicosia Deputy Hasan Taçoy reminded that today a new opening is mentioned, and in fact it is not new, and that the joint declaration of 11 February 2014 includes the transition to single sovereignty and single citizenship formed by the emerging sovereignty of the Turkish Cypriot State and the Greek Cypriot State. Taçoy stated that the Greek Cypriot administration will never accept the disruption of an administration governed by the Greek Cypriot side

alone in any way and make the Turkish Cypriot people partners in the rotating presidential system.

Diplomatic Methods Discussed

People’s Party Nicosia Deputy Prof. Dr. Kudret Özersay pointed out that from 1968 to date, all diplomatic methods with different techniques and in different places have been tried and exhausted with the participation of leaders from different political views. Prof. Dr. Özersay said that the Greek Cypriot political leadership said that they were ready to discuss a different solution with their own opinion and that the UN could say “If you have a different solution proposal, let’s talk” for the first time, but that the Turkish side does not consider the status that can be achieved with a solution as a precondition.

Reşat Akar, Dialogue Media Group Editor-in-Chief, stated that Turkey’s policies regarding Cyprus are unstable, that the Turkish Cypriot Federated State, which was established in 1975, was not seen as a separatist anywhere in the world, and that the 1977 and 1979 Peak Agreements could be signed because of this. Akar went on to state that with these agreements, the solution of Varosha problem has been considered as a priority, while today’s discussions focusing on whether Varosha is Varosha Foundation property are actually self-deception and an attitude towards domestic politics.

Retired Ambassador Daryal Batibay said that the political inequality that emerged in Cyprus in 1963 has grown stronger against the Turkish side. Batibay said that while the Greek Cypriot side entered the European Union on behalf of Cyprus, the increase in Turkey’s problems with the West and its regional isolation provided a wide area of action for the Greek side, and that instead of talking about the federation, the Greek Cypriot side is trying to transform the Cyprus to a problem not between the two communities on the island, but a problem of the Turkish side with the West. He added that the Greek Cypriot side also tries to maintain this status quo that works in their favor.

Varosha Issue Discussed

EMU CPC President Prof. Dr. Ahmet Sözen mentioned that it is possible to solve the Varosha issue with a comprehensive solution, under the umbrella of the UN, with UN resolutions or by effectively running the Immovable Property Commission, without taking the cases to the European Court of Human Rights. Prof. Dr. Sözen stated that he believes that a comprehensive

package containing the opening of Varosha, direct flights to Turkish Cypriots, hydrocarbons and the opening of Turkey’s sea and airports to the Greek Cypriot side will contribute to the solution.

Former TRNC Prime Minister Ferdi Sabit Soyer said that the main magic word is a mutually acceptable solution model that depends on UN parameters, includes political equality and two constituent states with two regions. Soyer pointed out that the Varosha issue should be handled in a coordinated manner with the UN, through respecting international law. The status and legal security of the people who will come here and operate their properties, how they will participate in the administration and which administration mechanism they will depend on should be well planned.

Pointing out that an example of the Varosha issue is the lawsuits filed against foundation properties in Egypt, National Unity Party Nicosia Deputy Hasan Taçoy said that it is essential to open this place both in order to return back the rights to those who lost their rights and to ensure economic developments. Taçoy said that this opportunity provided to individuals should be taken one step further and their rights should be made more applicable, more visible and more livable.

Highlighting the fact that instead of an approach that categorically rejects any other form of partnership, a description of cooperation without harming the status of the parties to each other can be a much more realistic and much more applicable model, People’s Party Nicosia Deputy Prof. Dr. Kudret Özersay said that this cooperation model can be shaped, for example, through an international unofficial natural gas conference or international companies. Prof. Dr. Özersay stated that he thinks that such a cooperation will lead to the formation of trust over time and that it can lead to an evolutionary partnership.

Dialogue Media Group Editor-in-Chief Reşat Akar, on the other hand, stated that despite the Summit Agreements, which stated that neither ENOSIS (annexation to Greece) nor a partition to Turkey is possible, a solution has not been reached, due to the fact that both parties actually evaluate the solution in their own internal fronts in line with their political interests. Akar said that he can see what we are experiencing right now, that the policy of playing to the inner tribes was a blow against us, and that in fact, Turkey needs to develop policies that would compel the Greeks to a federal solution.

Retired Ambassador Daryal Batibay questioned whether “We can change the status quo with unilateral behavior or not?”. Batibay said that the Immovable Property Commission should be used to Turkify and expropriate Greek-owned properties, that Maraş should be transferred to the Commission by removing it from being a military zone under Turkish rule, and that Maronites should be allowed to return to their villages. Batibay drew attention to the need for a short-term, non-open-ended negotiation process in which the restrictions on the Turkish side will be lifted if there is no compromise.

EMU FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE, THE ONLY NAAB ACREDITED FACULTY IN THE TRNC, AWAITS NEW STUDENTS

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Faculty of Architecture awaits its new students in the 2021-2022 Academic Year. EMU Architecture Faculty, which is the only faculty holding NAAB- (The National Architectural Accrediting Board) International Certification Equivalency in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) provides education through the Department of Architecture and Department of Interior Architecture, both of which have AQAS (Agency for Quality Assurance through Accreditation of Study Programs). The Faculty of Architecture, which started to provide education as the Department of Architecture under the Faculty of Engineering in 1991, was transformed into a faculty with the Departments of Architecture and Interior Architecture in 1997. EMU Faculty of Architecture, in addition to its Architecture (English) and Interior Architecture (Turkish-English) undergraduate programs, also provides postgraduate study opportunities in Interior Architecture (Thesis-Non-Thesis), Urban Design (Thesis-Non-Thesis), Conservation and Restoration (Thesis-Non-Thesis), Architecture (Thesis-Non-Thesis) and Cultural Heritage Studies with Thesis, and doctorate in Architecture.

Awaits Its Students with Rich Programs

Standing out with its quality education in many different branches of architecture, EMU Faculty of Architecture also has the unique quality of being the leading architecture faculty of the TRNC and Turkey with its international accreditations and memberships. The Architecture Department has MIAK (the Turkish National Architectural Accreditation Board) and NAAB International Certification Equivalency. Interior Architecture Department has AQAS (Agency for Quality Assurance through Accreditation of Study Programs) accreditation. In addition, EMU Faculty of Architecture is a member of EAAE (the European Association for Architectural Education), ENHR (the European Network for Housing Research), ACSA (the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture) and EMU Interior Architecture Department is a member of IFI (the International Federation of Interior Architects/Designers). EMU Faculty of Architecture contributes to the education of students while taking into account international qualifications, universal principles and goals in order to raise creative and inquisitive individuals who are aware of the technical, ethical, aesthetic, social and cultural responsibilities of being an architect and interior architect.



"We Boast Many Successful Achievements"

Giving a statement on the subject, EMU Faculty of Architecture Dean Prof. Dr. Uğur Ulaş Dağlı expressed that the Faculty of Architecture has achieved many successes since its establishment. Prof. Dr. Dağlı said, "But perhaps the most important achievement of our faculty is a special, friendly, warm and professional educational environment that has been achieved by its academic, administrative staff and students. Our faculty constantly develops its programs with an understanding of participatory education in which students have a say and the needs of the day are captured and shaped together. Our faculty also monitors the quality assurance of its programs through independent institutions. Architecture Department Undergraduate Program has MIAK and NAAB International Certification and Interior Architecture Department Turkish and English Undergraduate Program also holds AQAS accreditation. Our departments are also working hard to constantly renew their accreditations."

Graduates can Find Jobs Worldwide with Ease

Prof. Dr. Dağlı continued her statement as follows: "The fact that our academic staff previously worked in many different institutions and undertook different positions / duties acts as an important factor in our becoming a multidimensional / diverse Faculty. In addition, our faculty has taken its place as a pioneer in this field in our nearby geography, as our faculty members have published papers in respected national and international journals. While the individual differences of our students are supported, opportunities are also created for them to have the current and universal



competence of the profession and to open up to the world; It is ensured that they come together with successful local and international designers on different platforms. In short, our graduates can easily pursue job opportunities in the world's leading institutions and organizations with their versatile accumulation. Here, the Faculty tries hard to ensure an environment where everyone can express themselves on every platform with a management approach without walls. Our faculty always develops ideas to catch up with the present and the future with the participation of a wide stakeholder group. I am proud to be a part of the EMU Faculty of Architecture, which has such a dynamic and vibrant environment, and to have worked there for a long time."

EMU DR. FAZIL KÜÇÜK MEDICINE FACULTY AWAITS ITS NEW STUDENTS



Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty which started its education life as a Joint International Medicine Program with Marmara University in the 2012-2013 Academic Year is waiting for its new students in the Fall Semester of the 2021-2022 Academic Year. With its advanced student-oriented education and research opportunities, EMU has a strong corporate culture and identity, and provides education with the vision of being the leading and preferred medical faculty in its region and the world. Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty trains high-quality physicians who are aware of global health problems, closely follow the developments in science, contribute to the production of universal knowledge, are ethically conscious, have high analytical thinking skills, and are able to turn technology into knowledge.

Student-oriented Education

EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty has educational environments where education and training activities are carried out, is architecturally designed in accordance with the requirements of student-oriented education, has research and training laboratories equipped with the most up-to-date scientific equipment required by contemporary medicine. There is a state-of-the-art anatomy laboratory consisting of a cadaver pool, dissection table and models closest to living things, a cell culture laboratory, an advanced multidisciplinary laboratory where each student will have a screen and microscope, a computer laboratory and reading rooms, and a cafeteria.

Social and Scientific Activity Opportunities

At EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty, students are encouraged to participate in scientific research during the education program. Within the scope of the introduction to clinical practice program, which spanned the first three years of the education process, students have the opportunity to conduct research and statistical analysis and present their findings in oral or poster presentations at national or international medical student congresses every year. In addition, students can publish their studies in national or international scientific journals before they graduate. Moreover, DAUBAT (Eastern Mediterranean University Scientific Research Society), founded by faculty students, organizes DAUTOK (Eastern Mediterranean Medical Students Congress) with many foreign and local participants each year. Our students can benefit from student exchange programs in other countries through MSANC (Medical Students Association of Northern Cyprus) during their studies.

Dynamic and Experienced Team of Academic Staff Members

Graduates of EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty can practice medicine and general practice in the Republic of Turkey and all over the world. Graduates can also continue their specialization education in medicine or participate in doctoral programs to become a scientist. EMU Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty Dean Prof. Dr. Nahide Gökçora made a statement on the matter and said: "Our dynamic and experienced teaching staff in our faculty offer a high quality education in state-of-the-art multidisciplinary laboratories, small learning rooms and lecture halls. From the first day, our students gain skills in the practical applications of the profession of medicine. Problem-Based Learning modules and research projects provide both personal and professional development of our students. In this way, our students develop their skills in analytical and critical thinking, teamwork and leadership, and learn social concepts in medicine. Our curriculum includes courses in the basic medical sciences as well as evidence-based medical practice, research methodology, ethics and humanities. In addition, throughout their education, our students develop their clinical preparation practices through simulated patient exercises".

Listed in the World Database of Medical Schools

Prof. Dr. Gökçora continued her words with; "As Dr. Fazıl Küçük Medicine Faculty, our main aim is to create a world-renowned medical school that embraces advanced research and science, contemporary and continuing education. Our graduates receive a joint diploma approved by the Higher Education Institution (YÖK). Our program is listed in the World Database of Medical Schools (WDOMS) and our students can take the USMLE exams with ECFMG certification. In addition, our faculty has entered the accreditation process as of this year. This situation accelerates our rightful rise among international medical faculties. Today we welcome students from many parts of the world. At EMU, our students have the opportunity to be a part of and contribute to a multicultural environment, which improves their empathy skills by improving their perception and respect for difference and diversity. Medicine requires lifelong learning. Our goal is to train physicians who adopt good medical practices, make a difference with their quality and set an example. Our graduates will lead the way in health issues, demonstrate the highest ethical and analytical standards, and adopt cutting-edge technology in their daily practice."

EMU FACULTY OF PHARMACY AWAITS NEW STUDENTS

Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Faculty of Pharmacy awaits to welcome its new students in the 2021-2022 Academic Year Fall Semester. Established in the 2011-2012 Academic Year, EMU Faculty of Pharmacy offers study opportunities through B.Pharm. program consisting of 10 semesters and Pharm.D. program consisting of 12 semesters. EMU Faculty of Pharmacy brings up qualified pharmacists and scientists who understand the principles and ethics of the pharmacy profession, are equipped with high-level international skills to provide first-line health counseling in public health, and have the ability to follow the latest scientific and technological developments in the profession. EMU Faculty of Pharmacy contributes to scientific research in the field of pharmacy at a global and regional level through using the information obtained for the benefit of society through pharmacy services. EMU Faculty of Pharmacy, which provides its students with the knowledge necessary to work in the international pharmaceutical industry and other branches of the profession, is among the best and respected Pharmacy faculties in the region with its quality academic staff and high-tech laboratories.

Study and Internship Opportunities Abroad

Having become an academic member of the "International Pharmaceutical Federation" (FIP), the most important international organization in the field of pharmacy, in 2012, EMU Faculty of Pharmacy is the first faculty in Cyprus to become a member of FIP and the second faculty among the Faculties of Pharmacy in Turkey. EMU Faculty of Pharmacy, represented in the International Pharmacy Students Federation (IPSF), provides its students with the opportunity to gain pharmacy experience in different countries and to do internships abroad through the student exchange program (SEP). At the same time, through this program, Faculty of Pharmacy students from all over the world come to EMU Faculty of Pharmacy.

Laboratories Equipped with the Latest Technology

The faculty hosts student laboratories equipped with the latest technological and educational infrastructure required for pharmaceutical sciences such as HPLC, GC-MS, FT-IR, UV spectrophotometer, laminar flow, microwave reactor, tablet machine, dissolution device,



granulator, homogenizer, viscometer, stabilized climate cabinet, incubators, particle size analyzer, powder mixer, grinder, water baths, microscopes, etc. While all laboratories have smart boards, a "Garden of Medicinal and Aromatic Plants" was established in front of the faculty building for Pharmaceutical Botany and Pharmacognosy studies. Despite its new establishment, EMU Faculty of Pharmacy has published approximately 50 scientific articles in famous journals covered by the Science Citation Index (SCI).

Offers Quality Education

Making a statement on the subject, EMU Faculty of Pharmacy Dean Prof. Dr. Müberra Koşar said, "The profession of pharmacy is among the primary health care professions. Pharmacy is a discipline that serves public health and is also included in the preventive health service group. Due to the fact that it contains many disciplines, the title of Pharmacist is obtained as a result of a multidisciplinary education. For this reason, it offers a wide range of knowledge and areas of work.

The years spent at the university have an important place in people's lives, and for this reason, they should be spent well. For this reason, it is ideal that the university and faculty you choose are both scientific and student-friendly. EMU is student-friendly with its large and functional campus facilities and its unique location within the city center. Although the Faculty of Pharmacy has been established recently, it offers quality education opportunities to students with its young and dynamic faculty members and infrastructure.



In addition, they will have the opportunity to communicate with international pharmacy students within the scope of the EMUPSS Student Community and will have the opportunity to participate in both social and scientific activities. You, our esteemed guests, who will be included in our structure, will also find many social opportunities in our city.

EMU Faculty of Pharmacy awaits young Pharmacist candidates like you, with its young, dynamic, hardworking and successful faculty members, modern infrastructure, facilities and social support. If you want to spend this important part of your life in a country with an idyllic nature, at a student-friendly campus and in a faculty that embraces you in every way, EMU Faculty of Pharmacy and we await you with excitement."

EMU TOURISM FACULTY AWAITS ITS NEW STUDENTS



Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Tourism Faculty continues to train high-level and intermediate-level qualified manpower who will contribute to the tourism sector economically and socially, and have the knowledge, skills and awareness level required by today, in our age where international competition is increasing, the economy is developing and technological developments are accelerating.

EMU Tourism Faculty is waiting for its new students for the 2021-2022 Academic Year. The faculty admits students to Culinary Arts, Pastry and Bakery, Civil Aviation Cabin Services, Tourism and Hospitality Management associate degree programs, Gastronomy and Culinary Arts, Recreation and Tourism Management undergraduate programs, Gastronomy, Hotel

Management, Tourism Management graduate programs and Tourism Management doctoral programs.

Among the Bests in the World

EMU Tourism Faculty is the only faculty from TRNC to be included in the list, ranking 38th in the field of Tourism and Hospitality Management in the World University Academic Ranking 2021 Field Rankings List of ShanghaiRanking, a China-based world university ranking institution. EMU Tourism Faculty ranks as the first faculty among the faculties included in the list both across the island of Cyprus and among Turkish universities.

On the other hand, EMU Tourism Faculty, Tourism and Hospitality Management undergraduate programs and Tourism Management Master's programs have been accredited by the Foundation for International Business Administration Accreditation (FIBAA), one of the most distinguished accreditation institutions in the world. At the same time, EMU Tourism and Hospitality Management programs have the Quality Certificate in Tourism Education (TedQual) accreditation awarded by the World Tourism Organization (UNWTO).

Holds International Collaborations

EMU Tourism Faculty Gastronomy and Culinary Arts program and, Tourism and Hospitality Management program, in cooperation with the Italian Culinary Institute for Foreigners (ICIF) offer their students the chance to study in Italy in order for students to reach a better place in the globalizing world. In addition, within the scope of the educational cooperation agreement signed between Virginia

Tech University, students can go to the USA and complete their last semester courses at Virginia Tech University.

The Faculty of Tourism opens the doors of international knowledge sharing to its students by being included in the alliance formed by The Alliance by Institut Paul Bocuse, which consists of the most important world-renowned culinary arts, gastronomy, food service and hospitality institutions in France, which only accepts the institutions with high education quality.

Training Opportunity in Fully-Equipped Laboratories

With its 3 fully equipped computer laboratories within the faculty, students have the opportunity to support what they have learned in theoretical courses. In addition, students receive training for the Fidelio program, which is preferred by the world's largest hotel chains. With two fully equipped and technologically equipped demo kitchens under the roof of the faculty, students have the opportunity to understand the working and operating principles of a professional kitchen. Likewise, with the Tower Barista Cafe and Education Laboratory, students can conduct food and beverage service and management courses, and have the chance to learn by applying service techniques.

Prof. Dr. Kılıç: "We Train Graduates who are Experts in the Field"

By stating that the Tourism trains qualified and expert graduates, EMU Tourism Faculty Dean Prof. Dr. Hasan Kılıç emphasized that the programs have a multicultural structure and that they are at a sufficient level in terms of technological equipment. Underlining that EMU is the university with the best academic staff in tourism education, Prof. Dr. Kılıç pointed out that the quality of the faculty's education is also certified by international organizations such as FIBAA and TedQual.

Stating that the graduates have a wide range of jobs opportunities, Prof. Dr. Kılıç stated that the graduates can work in the fields of accommodation, front office, housekeeping, marketing, accounting, human resources, kitchen, bar, restaurant, as well as entertainment and leisure, transportation, travel agencies, food and beverage sector and tourism. Prof. Dr. Kılıç also stated that the graduate can work in any workplace related to the tourism.

EMU FACULTY OF EDUCATION AWAITS ITS NEW STUDENTS

Founded in 1999, EMU Faculty of Education awaits new students in the 2021-2022 Academic Year Fall Semester. EMU Faculty of Education, one of the best places to study for those who choose the teaching profession, offers its students many opportunities such as a rich database and library with tens of thousands of printed documents, unlimited use of the internet, large cultural events, meeting students from many different countries, and extensive success scholarships. EMU Faculty of Education hosts Department of Educational Sciences, Department of Special Education, Department of Elementary Education, Department of Turkish and Social Sciences Education, Department of Foreign Language Education, Department of Mathematics and Science Education, Department of Fine Arts Education, and Department of Computer Education and Instructional Technologies. With its 14 undergraduate, 10 masters and 3 doctorate programs, EMU Education Faculty trains the education experts of the future.

Successful Individuals

EMU Faculty of Education adopts and implements a functional education approach that reconciles the requirements of modern education with the expectations of the society from education while producing new models in teacher education in line with the needs of the society. The faculty contributes to the policies to be developed and the decisions to be made by conducting quality research in the field of education. With its education and training policy founded on academic excellence, intellectual freedom, self-sacrificing service, trust and equality, EMU Education Faculty aims to create a conscious public and society regarding education, to raise good people, good citizens, successful professionals and researchers to increase the prestige of education in the society.



Instructors with Vision

EMU Faculty of Education Dean Prof. Dr. Ahmet Pehlivan made a statement regarding the issue and said: "Developments in the 21st century have also affected education systems; necessitated re-examination of education in terms of both quality and environment. Students of our age should be raised as individuals who can solve problems, be entrepreneurs, be collaborative and have a lifelong learning approach. Undoubtedly, the most important factor that will provide this is the teacher. A system is only successful to the extent of the skill and quality of its teachers. Based on this understanding, our main aim is to train you, the teacher candidates in our faculty, as individuals who are in line with the requirements of the age, who put people at the core, who have freedom of thought, who can express themselves in any environment, who can criticize, who internalize our cultural values, who can follow the world, and who have a vision. We are working with our qualified instructors and students to achieve this goal by using all the possibilities of modern education".



EMU-ATAUM RELEASES STATEMENT ON THE OCCASION OF THE 30TH AUGUST VICTORY DAY

Eastern Mediterranean University Atatürk Research and Application Centre (EMU-ATAUM) President Asst. Prof. Dr. Turgay Bülent Göktürk released the following press release concerning the 99th Anniversary of the 30th of August Victory Day:

August is the victory month of the Turkish nation. During the Battle of Manzikert in August 1071, Alparslan conquered Anatolia, with the Battle of Mohacs Victory in August 1526 Suleiman the Magnificent expanded the Ottoman's land in Europe, in August 1922 Mustafa Kemal Atatürk once again made Anatolia home after the Great Offensive and in August 1974 Turkish Cypriots were brought freedom with the 2nd Peace Operation.

Amongst these victories the Battle of Dumlupınar victory on the 30th of August 1922 has a special place. Today is the day that the last step of the action phase of the National Liberation Struggle which commenced with Atatürk setting foot on Samsun took place. Today is the day that our nation commenced its national liberation struggle with the slogan "Independence or death..."

leading to success despite great poverty and difficulties, freeing the nation from imperialistic occupation forces. As stated by Atatürk: "The 30th of August victory is a vital turning point in Turkish History. Our national history is full of great victories however I do not remember a more decisive victory in a pitched battle not only in our history but history as a whole in terms of new global currents. It is clear that the strong foundations of the young but immortal Turkish Republic were set here. The spilled Turkish blood and the spirit of martyrs are the perpetual protectors of our state and republic."

After the success of the Great Offensive the Greek army was followed all the way to İzmir. With the Liberation of İzmir on the 9th of September 1922, occupation forces were completely removed from Turkish soil.

This victory showed the world once again that there is no force that can break the Turkish nation's struggle for existence. With the 30th of August victory, our nation gave an unforgettable lesson to those who united with the goal of erasing us from the stage of history by



establishing that no compromises will be made regarding our independence and liberty.

On this meaningful day I would like us to remember Atatürk's following words: "Victory is for those who can say 'Victory is mine'. Success is for those who can begin saying 'I will succeed' and say 'I have succeeded' in the end". Once again, we commemorate Mustafa Kemal Atatürk and his comrades as well as all martyrs that died for this land with great respect and gratitude. Happy 30th of August Victory Day!

2ND GÜLSİN ONAY PIANO FESTIVAL TO BE HELD WITH EMU'S SUPPORT



Gülsin Onay
2. Piyano Festivali
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In scope of the cooperation between the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) and Cyprus Polyphonic Choirs Association, the 2nd Gülsin Onay Piano Festival, to be held in memory of Turkish Pianist Verda Erman, will take place on 5-6-7 October 2021. The event will include competitions, festivals, panels, concerts and Gülsin Onay workshops. The festival will end on Thursday evening, 7 October, 2021 with the closing concert of pianist Gülsin Onay with the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) Presidential Symphony Orchestra at EMU Rauf Raif Denktaş Culture and Congress Center.

It will Contribute to the Cultural Life of Our Country

In a statement made by EMU on the subject, it was stated that the piano festival, which will be held for the second time in the TRNC, will contribute to the cultural life of our country and the city of Famagusta. The statement also put forth that amateur pianists of all ages who take piano training will also be offered the opportunity to take the stage. The festival aims to enable amateur

pianists to exhibit their skills, to increase their repertoire development by listening to other pianists, and to evaluate their competence in academic and artistic perspectives. Pianist Atakan Sarı will also give an online concert as part of the festival.

During the festival, which will end with the live closing concert of the famous pianist Gülsin Onay, many pianists and piano instructors from Turkey and Cyprus will serve as jury. Competition and festival presentations will be held online, and Gülsin Onay workshops will be held face-to-face in accordance with the pandemic rules. The festival will be organized by Pianist Atakan Sarı, Cyprus Polyphonic Choirs Association Choir Conductors Erkan Dağlı and Rana Uluçay, and Executive Board Member Esra Uluçaylı.

Those wishing to participate in the festival and take part in the events can apply via the link <https://gulsinonaypiyanofestivali.emu.edu.tr> or the e-mail address gulsinonaypiyanofestivali@emu.edu.tr.



KKTF DAÜ CUP PLAJ TENİSİ

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KKTF EMU CUP BEACH TENNIS TOURNAMENT COMMENCES ON 28 AUGUST

North Cyprus Tennis Federation (KKTF) and EMU Cup Beach Tennis Tournament organized with the collaborations of KKTF and Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Sports Affairs Directorate is to take place on 28-29 August 2021 at EMU Beach Club. Tournament will consist of 6 categories; Registered Double Women, Registered Double Men, Registered Double Mixed, Unregistered Double Women, Unregistered Double Men

and Unregistered Double Mixed. The tournament will be open to public and participation will be free of charge. Lunch will be provided to the athletes by EMU. The tournament will start on Saturday, 28 August 2021 at 10:00 and end the next day, Sunday 29 August 2021 with an award ceremony following the final matches. Participants who achieve to finish the tournament within top four will be awarded a cup and monetary award.



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Source: Web of Science

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