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EDUCATION

Ph.D. , Middle East Technical University	2021 - present
M.Sc. , Middle East Technical University	2019 - 2021
Thesis title: A comparative study of anisotropic hyperelastic models of biological soft tissues.	
B.Sc. , Izmir Institute of Technology	2013 - 2018
HSDG Bornova Anatolian High School	2009 - 2013

SKILLS

Software Skills	Matlab, Fortran, Abaqus, Siemens NX, Solidworks
Technical Skills	Continuum mechanics, finite element method, experimental material characterization

EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant Middle East Technical University	May 2019 - present <i>Ankara</i>
Research Assistant Izmir Institute of Technology	May 2018 - May 2019 <i>İzmir</i>
Project Intern TOFAŞ Türk Otomobil Fabrikası A.Ş.	June 2017 - August 2017 <i>Bursa</i>
Intern H.Çetin Makina Tasarım İmalat İnşaat ve Ticaret LTD. ŞTİ.	December 2016 - February 2017 <i>İzmir</i>
Intern Izmir Institute of Technology Mechanical Shop	June 2016 - July 2017 <i>İzmir</i>

PUBLICATIONS

- **Açan, A. K.**, Altun C., Dal, H. (2022). Dispersion-type Anisotropic Viscoelasticity: Model Validation for Myocardium. Proceedings in Applied Mathematics and Mechanics, accepted.
- Denli, F. A., Kaliske, M., **Açan, A. K.**, Tüfekçioğlu, M. E., Dal, H. (2022). Data driven constitutive modelling of rubberlike materials. In Constitutive Models for Rubber XII (pp. 105-111). CRC Press.
- Dal, H., Gültekin, O., Başdemir, S., **Açan, A. K.** (2022). Ductile–brittle failure of amorphous glassy polymers: A phase-field approach. Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 401, 115639.
- Dal, H., **Açan, A. K.**, Durcan, C., Hossain, M. (2022). An in silico-based review on anisotropic hyperelastic constitutive models for soft biological tissues. arXiv preprint arXiv:2207.13985