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### Education Information

Doctorate, University College London, Psychology And Language Sciences, Psychology, United Kingdom 1992 - 1996

Masters (Non-Thesis), University of London - The London School of Economics and Political Science, Psychological And Behavioural Sciences, Social Psychology, United Kingdom 1990 - 1991

Undergraduate, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, Turkey 1985 - 1989

### Foreign Languages

English, C1 Advanced

### Research Areas

Social Psychology, Natural Sciences

### Academic Titles / Tasks

Professor, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, 2008 - Continues  
Associate Professor, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, 2002 - 2008

Assistant Professor, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, 1999 - 2002

Lecturer, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, 1996 - 1999

Research Assistant, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, 1992 - 1996

Lecturer, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Psychology, 1991 - 1992

### Advising Theses

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Romantic break-ups in young adulthood: The connotations, predictors, and common reasons,

Doctorate, H.TERZİ(Student), 2022

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Multidimensional approach to link between trust and health before and after covid-19: Nationwide investigations based on social capital theory, Doctorate, A.FURKAN(Student), 2022

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Social representations of food and healthy eating during COVID-19 pandemic, Doctorate, E.KÖSEGİL(Student), 2022

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Does self-compassion involve non-avoidance? testing a revised self-compassion scale, Doctorate, G.KISA(Student), 2021

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Investigating relationship maintenance from the investment model and socio-ecological perspectives among dating young adults, Doctorate, E.GÜNGÖR(Student), 2021

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Mediating role of coping with stress styles in relation between mindfulness and basic psychological needs satisfaction, Doctorate, F.Yılmaz(Student), 2020

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Differences between trolling and cyberbullying and examination of trolling from self-determination theory perspective, Doctorate, E.Manuoğlu(Student), 2020

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Effect of social network sites on romantic relationships, Doctorate, B.Emre(Student), 2020

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Dishonesty in close relationships: the effect of the dark triad personality traits and adult attachment styles on the perceptions of infidelity, Doctorate, K.Özkul(Student), 2020

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., A Sociocultural approach to relationship flourishing: the role of relational mobility, Postgraduate, D.Selin(Student), 2020

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Complexity as a feature of interior design and place attachment, Postgraduate, A.Taheri(Student), 2019

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The Role of contact in locals` attitudes towards refugees in Turkey, Postgraduate, G.Kahya(Student), 2019

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Attitudes toward disabled people in the social context of dating, marriage and work: religiosity, religious orientation, conservatism and ambivalent sexism, Postgraduate, M.Mert(Student), 2019

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Gratitude interventions to reduce negative effects of extrinsic goals on psychological well-being, Postgraduate, T.BOZKURT(Student), 2019

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The moderating role of gender role attitudes on the relationship between self-compassion and body dissatisfaction, Postgraduate, S.HURŞİDİ(Student), 2019

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The Mediating effect of justice perception on the relationship between revenge behavior and basic psychological need satisfaction, Postgraduate, B.Şahin(Student), 2019

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., "What i need is more than a job": A Self-Determination Theory based profile of disconnected and working youth in Turkey, Doctorate, Ö.KANTAŞ(Student), 2018

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., "What I need is more than a job": a self-determination theory based profile of disconnected and working youth in Turkey, Doctorate, Ö.Kantaş(Student), 2018

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Self on Facebook: A social psychological investigation within uses and gratifications framework, Doctorate, N.ERCAN(Student), 2016

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Aggression and video games: The effect of justification of violence and presence of a stereotyped target, Postgraduate, B.KOÇER(Student), 2015

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Justification of domestic violence against teenage girls in Turkey, Postgraduate, Ö.ERSAN(Student), 2014

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Social representations of psychology of gender and women in Turkish novels, Postgraduate, F.Yılmaz(Student), 2014

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Türkçe romanlarda toplumsal cinsiyet ve kadın psikolojisinin sosyal temsilleri, Postgraduate, F.YILMAZ(Student), 2014

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., A preliminary analysis of non-material beliefs in Turkish sample with the predictability of locus of control, system justification, religious/spiritual coping and religiosity, Postgraduate, D.İSLAMBAY(Student), 2014

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Conscientious objection in Turkey: A study of social representations, Postgraduate, G.SAYILAN(Student), 2013

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Contents of Turkish identity,national-social identifications, and inter-group relations in Turkey, Doctorate, N.TAŞDEMİR(Student), 2013

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Personality traits and individual differences as the predictors of attitude toward motor insurance in Turkey, Postgraduate, E.Yalınçök(Student), 2012

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Disability salience as an indicator of loss anxiety: An alternative explanation for the fundamental fear of human beings, Doctorate, C.MÜJDE(Student), 2011

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Collective action and group attachment: interplay of free-riding behaviour and patriotism, Postgraduate, R.Kışloğlu(Student), 2010

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The effects of self-control and social influence on academic dishonesty: an experimental and correlational investigation, Postgraduate, C.Coşkan(Student), 2010

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Strategic national/ethnic identity construction: The case of Northern Cyprus, Doctorate, S.ARSLAN(Student), 2008

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Strategic constructions of national/ethnic identities: the case of Northern Cyprus, Doctorate, S.Arslan(Student), 2008

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Behavioral consequences of the third-person effect on Turkish voters, Postgraduate, B.İZ(Student), 2008

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Social representations of European Union, Postgraduate, E.SANDAL(Student), 2007

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Social representation of European Union, Postgraduate, E.Sandal(Student), 2007

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The effects of intergroup perceptions and ingroup identifications on the political participation of the second-generation Turkish migrants in the Netherlands, Doctorate, G.BAYSU(Student), 2007

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Institutional environment and place attachment as determinants of elder's life satisfaction, Postgraduate, M.KILINÇ(Student), 2006

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Predictors of parasocial interaction with the favorite and the least desirable characters portrayed in TV serials, Postgraduate, S.Arda(Student), 2006

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Perceived parental attitudes of Turkish college students towards dating and premarital sexual behaviors : the role of students' gender & parental marital status, Postgraduate, B.Şahin(Student), 2005

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Secure exploration: Conceptualization, types and relationships with secure attachment, self-construals and other self-related variables, Doctorate, S.İMAMOĞLU(Student), 2005

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Perceived parental attitudes of Turkish college students towards dating and premarital sexual behaviours: The role of students' gender and parental marital status, Postgraduate, B.ŞAHİN(Student), 2005

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Transmission of good news as an impression management tactic, Postgraduate, A.UYSAL(Student), 2004

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Trust and self-disclosure in the context of computer mediated communication, Postgraduate, T.ERDOST(Student), 2004

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The effectiveness of superimposed advertisements vs. traditional commercials, Postgraduate, P.Kocabıyıkoglu(Student), 2004

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The Effect of psychological preparation on preoperative and postoperative anxiety, and coping strategies in children and adolescents undergoing surgery, Postgraduate, E.SELMA(Student), 2003

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., The effect of psychological preparation on preoperative and postoperative anxiety, and coping strategies in children and adolescents undergoing, Postgraduate, S.Ercan(Student), 2003

## Published journal articles indexed by SCI, SSCI, and AHCI

- I. **Sarcastic and Deviant Trolling in Turkey: Associations With Dark Triad and Aggression**  
Manuoglu E., Oner-Ozkan B.  
SOCIAL MEDIA + SOCIETY, vol.8, no.3, 2022 (SSCI)
- II. **Political Orientations and Morality Judgments in the Turkish Context: Considering the Roles of the Needs for Cognition and Recognition**  
Tekes B., İMAMOĞLU E. O., ÖZDEMİR F., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORTS, vol.124, no.1, pp.318-347, 2021 (SSCI)
- III. **Indirect Relationship between Egoistic Relative Deprivation and Subjective Well-Being**  
ÖZDEMİR F., Tekes B., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
TURK PSIKOLOJİ DERGİSİ, vol.34, no.84, pp.50-53, 2019 (SSCI)
- IV. **The Mediator Role of Human Strength between Egoistic Relative Deprivation and Subjective Well-**

## **Being**

Ozdemir F., Islambay D., Tekes B., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.

INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.51, pp.1063-1064, 2016 (SSCI)

- V. **Definitions of Turkish in-group boundaries: national participation and essentialism as predictors of inter-group attitudes in Turkey**  
TAŞDEMİR N., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
NATIONS AND NATIONALISM, vol.22, no.1, pp.143-164, 2016 (SSCI)
- VI. **Loss Anxiety: An Alternative Explanation for the Fundamental Fears in Human Beings**  
Koca-Atabey M., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
DEATH STUDIES, vol.38, no.10, pp.662-671, 2014 (SSCI)
- VII. **Can party affiliation be predicted from personality? An examination of the predictive influence of authoritarianism and locus of control on party affiliation**  
BİLGİÇ R., Oner-Ozkan B.  
INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.47, pp.687, 2012 (SSCI)
- VIII. **DEFENSIVE OR EXISTENTIAL RELIGIOUS ORIENTATIONS AND MORTALITY SALIENCE HYPOTHESIS: USING CONSERVATISM AS A DEPENDENT MEASURE**  
Koca-Atabey M., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
DEATH STUDIES, vol.35, no.9, pp.852-865, 2011 (SSCI)
- IX. **Strategic National/Ethnic Identity Constructions: The Northern Cyprus Case**  
Akfirat S. A., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
BILIG, no.52, pp.1-32, 2010 (SSCI)
- X. **Known-groups validity of the translated version of self-monitoring: A comparison of conservatoire students and university students**  
Oener-Oezkan B.  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORTS, vol.100, no.3, pp.1113-1114, 2007 (SSCI)
- XI. **Future time orientation and religion**  
Oner-Ozkan B.  
SOCIAL BEHAVIOR AND PERSONALITY, vol.35, no.1, pp.51-61, 2007 (SSCI)
- XII. **A self-presentational approach to transmission of good and bad news**  
Uysal A., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
SOCIAL BEHAVIOR AND PERSONALITY, vol.35, no.1, pp.63-78, 2007 (SSCI)
- XIII. **Preliminary comparison of continuous versus noncontinuous programming and attitude toward and recall of advertisements**  
Akyamac O., Oner-Ozkan B.  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORTS, vol.98, no.2, pp.355-366, 2006 (SSCI)
- XIV. **Future Time Orientation in Romantic Relationships and the Minding Theory of Relating**  
Oner-Ozkan B.  
SOCIAL BEHAVIOR AND PERSONALITY, vol.32, no.8, pp.797-804, 2004 (SSCI)
- XV. **Visual perspective in causal attribution, empathy and attitude change**  
Onder O., Oner-Ozkan B.  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORTS, vol.93, no.3, pp.1035-1046, 2003 (SSCI)
- XVI. **Revised form of the belief in Good Luck Scale in a Turkish sample**  
Oner-Ozkan B.  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORTS, vol.93, no.2, pp.585-594, 2003 (SSCI)
- XVII. **Self-monitoring and future time orientation in romantic relationships**  
Oner B.  
JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.136, no.4, pp.420-424, 2002 (SSCI)
- XVIII. **Factors predicting future time orientation for romantic relationships with the opposite sex**  
Oner B.  
JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.135, no.4, pp.430-438, 2001 (SSCI)
- XIX. **Innovation and adaptation in a Turkish sample: A preliminary study**

- Oner B.  
JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.134, no.6, pp.671-676, 2000 (SSCI)
- XX. **Relationship satisfaction and dating experience: Factors affecting future time orientation in relationships with the opposite sex**  
Oner B.  
JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.134, no.5, pp.527-536, 2000 (SSCI)
- XXI. **Preferences and expectations of innovator-ritualist types in relation to sex of university students in a Turkish sample**  
Oner B.  
PSYCHOLOGICAL REPORTS, vol.87, no.1, pp.23-33, 2000 (SSCI)
- XXII. **Future time orientation and relationships with the opposite sex**  
Oner B.  
JOURNAL OF PSYCHOLOGY, vol.134, no.3, pp.306-314, 2000 (SSCI)

### Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Encouraging Environmental Sustainability in University Campuses: Evidence from Türkiye**  
Sari E., Oner-Ozkan B.  
SELÇUK UNIVERSİTESİ EDEBİYAT FAKÜLTESİ DERGİSİ-SELÇUK UNIVERSITY JOURNAL OF FACULTY OF LETTERS, pp.129-154, 2023 (ESCI)
- II. **Social networking sites and relationship social comparison: Effect of relational and individual factors**  
Gursoy B. E., Ozkan B.  
ONLINE JOURNAL OF COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA TECHNOLOGIES, vol.13, no.1, 2023 (ESCI)
- III. **ADAPTATION STUDY OF RELATIONSHIP SOCIAL COMPARISON SCALE**  
ÖNER ÖZKAN B., gürsoy b. e.  
Nesne Psikoloji Dergisi, vol.9, pp.30-41, 2021 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- IV. **How is Uniqueness Understood among International Students in Turkey? An Interpretative Phenomenological Analysis**  
Öner Özkan B., Koca Atabey M., Demir S.  
Mediterranean Journal of Humanities, vol.10, pp.143-151, 2020 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- V. **Türkiye’de Çalışan Annenin Sosyal Medyadaki Temsili**  
KOÇ G., Bakır Demir T., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
Karadeniz Sosyal Bilimler Dergisi, vol.11, no.21, pp.401-421, 2019 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- VI. **Türkçe Romanlarda Toplumsal Cinsiyet ve Kadın Psikolojisinin Sosyal Temsilleri**  
YILMAZ F., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
Nesne Psikoloji Dergisi, vol.6, no.13, pp.439-464, 2018 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- VII. **THE NATURE OF CRIME: DIFFERENT APPROACHES TOWARD THE CAUSES OF THE CRIMINAL ACT**  
ÖZDEMİR F., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
Nesne Psikoloji Dergisi, vol.5, pp.345-361, 2017 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- VIII. **SOCIAL REPRESENTATIONS OF SOCIAL MEDIA USERS TOWARD SYRIAN REFUGEES IN TURKEY**  
ÖZDEMİR F., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
Nesne Psikoloji Dergisi, vol.4, pp.227-244, 2016 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- IX. **Türk Kimliği İçerikleri Sosyal Psikolojik Bir Yaklaşım**  
TAŞDEMİR N., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
Turk Psiloloji Yzaları, vol.19, pp.35-49, 2016 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- X. **Sosyal temsil kuramına genel bir bakış**  
CİRİN LİOĞLU F. G., AKTAŞ V., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
Cumhuriyet Üniversitesi Edebiyat Fakültesi Sosyal Bilimler Dergisi, vol.30, no.2, pp.163-174, 2006 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)

## Books & Book Chapters

- I. **Relationship between preparatory information, preoperative and postoperative anxiety, and coping strategies in children and adolescents undergoing surgery.**  
Ercan S., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
in: Anxiety Disorders Research, C. M. Velotis, Editor, Nova Science Publishers, pp.263-275, 2005
- II. **The Image of Madness: Attitudes towards Psychiatry, Psychiatrists and Psychiatric Treatment**  
Eker D., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
in: The Image of Madness Attitudes towards Psychiatry Psychiatrists and Psychiatric Treatment, W. Fischer, G. Guimon, Editor, Karger-Medical and Scientific Publishers, pp.1-12, 1999

## Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **Ortak Öteki Suriyeli: Sosyal Kimlik Ve Gerçekçi Çatışma Bağlamında Suriyeli Temsili**  
ÇOKSAN S., ERDUGAN C., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
20. Ulusal Psikoloji Kongresi, Ankara, Turkey, 15 - 17 December 2018
- II. **How uniqueness is understood among international students in Turkey?**  
Demir S., ATABEY C. M., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
20. Ulusal Psikoloji Kongresi, Turkey, 15 - 17 November 2018
- III. **Türkiye deki Yol Kullanıcıları Gözüyle Trafik ve Ulaşımın Anlamı**  
ÖNER ÖZKAN B., KILIÇ N., YASAK Y.  
1. Sosyal Psikoloji Kongresi, Turkey, 17 - 19 November 2016
- IV. **The Mediator Role of Human Strength between egoistic relative deprivation and subjective well being**  
ÖZDEMİR F., TEKEŞ B., İSLAMBAY D., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
31 International Congress of Psychology, Yokohoma, Japan, 24 - 29 July 2016
- V. **Social representations toward Syrian refugees in Turkey**  
ÖZDEMİR F., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
14th European Congress of Psychology, Milan, Italy., 7 - 10 July 2015
- VI. **Examination of non material beliefs in Turkish sample with the predictability of locus of control and religiosity**  
İslambay D., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
The 14th European Congress of Psychology, Milan, Italy, 7 - 10 July 2015
- VII. **The relationship between basic personality traits attachment and time perspective orientation in a Turkish sample**  
BIÇAKSIZ P., GÜNDOĞDU AKTÜRK E., ÖNER ÖZKAN B.  
14th European Congress of Psychology (ECP 2015), Milan, Italy, 7 - 10 July 2015

## Supported Projects

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions, Kayıp Kaygısının Göstergesi Olarak Engelin Hatırlatılması Durumu. İnsanlığın Temel Korkusu Üzerine Alternatif Bir Açıklama., 2010 - 2010

ÖNER ÖZKAN B., Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions, Onur Kültürü Bağlamında "özgür Süvari" Etkisi Ve "vatanseverlik", "milliyetçilik", "militarisme Yönelim" İlintileri, 2009 - 2009

## Metrics

Publication: 42

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## **Non Academic Experience**

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