

# Güncel Vara

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Middle East Technical University</b> <i>Master of Science in Structural Engineering</i>	Ankara, Turkey Feb 2019 – Present
<b>Middle East Technical University</b> <i>Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering</i>	Ankara, Turkey Sep 2010 – Jan 2019
<b>Atatürk High School</b>	Ankara, Turkey Sep 2006 – Jun 2010

## EXPERIENCE

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<b>Research Assistant</b> <i>Middle East Technical University</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Providing assistance to the department in the conduct and monitoring of administrative affairs</li><li>• Providing teaching assistance in <i>CE101 - Civil Engineering Drawing</i> course</li></ul>	May 2019 – Present Ankara, Turkey
<b>Candidate Civil Engineer</b> <i>Tecta Project</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Conducted quantity takeoff tasks for the construction of the <i>Presidential Library Building</i></li></ul>	July 2018 – Sep 2018 Ankara, Turkey
<b>Content Editor</b> <i>UzakRota.com</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Written news articles related to tourism and travel industries</li></ul>	Jan 2016 – Jan 2018 Istanbul, Turkey
<b>Freelance Translator</b> <i>Aspiro, a.s.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Translation, proofreading and revision works of tender documents for subway projects in İzmir and Gaziantep provinces of Turkey</li></ul>	Aug 2016 – Mar 2017 Prague, Czech Republic
<b>Civil Engineering Intern</b> <i>CCN Construction</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Translation and revision works of several field inspection forms, contracts, preliminary geotechnical reports related to the construction of <i>Gaziantep Integrated Health Campus</i></li><li>• Preparation and revision of work-flow charts and activity breakdown pattern for various parts of the project</li></ul>	July 2016 – Aug 2016 Ankara, Turkey
<b>Civil Engineering Intern</b> <i>GAMA Power Systems Inc.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Supervision of various minor construction works in the construction of <i>Erzin CCGT 820 MW Power Plant</i></li><li>• Review of revision requests and liaison with structural inspection officers in the same project</li></ul>	June 2013 – July 2013 Hatay, Turkey

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Languages:** C/C++  
**Softwares:** Adobe Photoshop, ANSYS, Autodesk AutoCAD, Bentley WaterCAD, CSI SAP2000, Lindo Systems LINGO, Mathworks MATLAB, MS Office, MS Project, OpenSEES  
**Developer Tools:** MS Visual Studio

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

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**Turkish:** Native — **English:** Fluent — **French:** Beginner — **German:** Beginner

## INTERESTS

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Love listening to music and exploring music theory. Interested in fiction books and texts related to humanities. An avid video game player.