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### **Education Information**

Doctorate, City University of New York, The Graduate Center, Anthropology, United States Of America 2005 - 2014

Undergraduate, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Sociology, Turkey 1996 - 2002

### **Foreign Languages**

English, C2 Mastery

### **Dissertations**

Doctorate, Claiming the Right to the City: Towards the Production of Space from below, City University of New York, The Graduate Center, Anthropology, 2014

### **Research Areas**

Social Sciences and Humanities

### **Academic Titles / Tasks**

Assistant Professor, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Sociology, 2019 - Continues

### **Academic and Administrative Experience**

Fakülte Yönetim Kurulu Üyesi, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Sociology, 2019 - Continues

Deputy Head of Department, Middle East Technical University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Sociology,

2020 - 2022

## Courses

Theories in Urban Sociology , Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023  
Sociology of Everyday Life, Postgraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020  
RESEARCH METHODS IN SOCIOLOGY II, Undergraduate, 2021 - 2022  
Social Class and Mobility, Undergraduate, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021  
Nature, Labor and Global Social Formations, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021  
SOCIOLOGY OF CHANGE AND TRANSITION, Undergraduate, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020  
Introduction to Sociology, Undergraduate, 2019 - 2020

## Advising Theses

Kuymulu M. B., UNTIL THE DOOR IS CLOSED?: WOMEN'S FEAR OF CRIME IN ANKARA, Postgraduate, C.BECERİKLİ(Student), 2023  
Kuymulu M. B., Habitus as a critique of the subject-object dichotomy: A case of Ankara musicians, Postgraduate, U.MURAT(Student), 2021  
KUYMULU M. B., TOPAL Ç., Sociological imagination of Sigmund Freud: An attempt to locate Freudian psychoanalysis in social theory, Postgraduate, B.Taş(Student), 2020

## Jury Memberships

Doctorate, Doctorate, Middle East Technical University, December, 2022  
Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Middle East Technical University, September, 2022  
Doctoral Examination, Doctoral Examination, Middle East Technical University, May, 2022  
Doctorate, Doctorate, Middle East Technical University, January, 2022  
Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Hacettepe University, December, 2021  
Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Baskent University, August, 2021  
Award, Türkiye Genç Sosyal Bilimciler Ödülleri, Turkish Social Science Association, August, 2021  
Doctoral Examination, Doctoral Examination, Middle East Technical University, November, 2020  
PhD Thesis Monitoring Committee Member, PhD Thesis Monitoring Committee Member, Middle East Technical University, February, 2020  
Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Middle East Technical University, January, 2020  
Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Middle East Technical University, September, 2019  
Post Graduate, Post Graduate, Middle East Technical University, September, 2019

## Designed Lessons

Kuymulu M. B., Nature, Labor and Global Social Formations, Undergraduate, 2019 - 2020

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

- I. **The Vortex of Rights: 'Right to the City' at a Crossroads**  
Kuymulu M. B.  
INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF URBAN AND REGIONAL RESEARCH, vol.37, no.3, pp.923-940, 2013 (SSCI)

## Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Krizler Dünyasında Emek ve Ekonomi**  
Kuymulu M. B., Sargın G. A., Şengül H. T., Yalman O. G.  
Ege Mimarlık, vol.32, no.115, pp.44-53, 2022 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- II. **Growth and revolt: resisting urban redevelopment in turkey**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
SOCIOLOGIA URBANA E RURALE, vol.104, pp.44-66, 2014 (Scopus)
- III. **Reclaiming the right to the city: Reflections on the urban uprisings in Turkey**  
Kuymulu M. B.  
City, vol.17, no.3, pp.274-278, 2013 (Scopus)
- IV. **From US with Love: Community Participation, Stakeholder Partnership, and the Exacerbation of Inequality in Rural Jamaica**  
Kuymulu M. B.  
NEW PROPOSALS-JOURNAL OF MARXISM AND INTERDISCIPLINARY INQUIRY, vol.4, no.2, pp.45-58, 2011 (ESCI)

## Books & Book Chapters

- I. **İzmir: Kent Kimliği ve Kent Kültürü**  
Ayata S., Ergin N. B., Kuymulu M. B.  
Sosyal Denge ve Demokrasi Araştırma Merkezi, Ankara, 2024
- II. **Mikroskobik Küresel Coğrafya: Pandemi ve Coğrafi Ölçeğin Yeniden Üretimi**  
Kuymulu M. B.  
in: Salgın Halleri: Covid-19 ve Toplumsal Eşizlikler, Aykan Bahar, Bilginer Onur, Editor, Nika, Ankara, pp.51-76, 2021
- III. **Confronting 'Aggressive Urbanism': Frictional Heterogeneity in the 'Gezi Protests' of Turkey**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
in: Worldwide Mobilizations: Class Struggles and Urban Commoning, Kalb Don, Massimiliano Mollano, Editor, Berghahn Books, New York, pp.31-51, 2018

## Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **"We are Mourning as a Nation": Relational Space and the Classed Nature of Disaster**  
Kuymulu M. B.  
Royal Geographical Society Annual Conference, London, England, 30 August 2023
- II. **"Crazy Project": Methodological Conundrums of the Political Ecology of Contemporary Urbanization in Istanbul**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Spatial Methods for Urban Sustainability Conference Brazil 2022, Sao-Paulo, Brazil, 09 September 2022
- III. **Concrete Crisis: Desperate Production of Space and the Political Ecology of Contemporary Urbanization in İstanbul**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Economic Anthropology and the Sense of Environmental Crisis, Konstanz, Germany, 15 - 17 October 2020
- IV. **Struggle for Public Space and the Contested Spaces of Democracy**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Le Droit a la Ville au Sud: Expériences Citadines et Rationalités de Gouvernement, Inaugural Session, Paris, France, 15 November 2017
- V. **Rethinking Political Resistance and Spatial Appropriation through Gezi Protests**  
KUYMULU M. B.

The Emergence of Political Disobedience: Revisiting Political Resistance, Ankara, Turkey, 13 November 2015

- VI. **Dialectics of Claiming the Right to the City: From Spontaneous Appropriation of Space to Organized Resistance**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Repenser le droit à la ville depuis les villes du Sud, Paris, France, 08 December 2014
- VII. **From Taksim Commune to Park Forums: Towards a Politics of Value.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Departmental Colloquium of the Department of Town and Regional Planning, University of Sheffield, Sheffield, United Kingdom, 27 October 2014
- VIII. **Growth and Revolt: The 'Construction' of Gezi Protests in Turkey.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Ecologies of Protest Workshop at the Department of Geography, Durham University, Durham, Canada, 16 January 2014
- IX. **The Right to the City: The Politics of Scale and Scale of Politics.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
The 109th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, New Orleans, New Orleans, United States Of America, 17 November 2010
- X. **From US with Love: Decentralized Democracy, Local Participation and Nature Conservation in the Global South.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
The 108th Annual Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Philadelphia, Philadelphia, United States Of America, 04 December 2009
- XI. **What Does the Local Participate in? Governance of Neoliberal Nature Production in Jamaica.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Society For Applied Anthropology Annual Meeting, Santa Fe, New Mexico, Santa Fe, Argentina, 17 March 2009
- XII. **When Uneven Development Turns Green: The Production of Neoliberal Nature in Cockpit Country, Jamaica.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
"Interrogating Diversity: Representation, Power, and Social Justice," Washington, Kiribati, 21 March 2008
- XIII. **Conditional Respect in Other's Culture: Politics of Difference and Mixophobia in European Cultural Politics.**  
KUYMULU M. B.  
Annual meeting of Eastern Sociological Society, Washington, Kiribati, 17 March 2005

## Activities in Scientific Journals

PRAKSIS, Advisory Committee Member, 2022 - Continues

ACME : AN INTERNATIONAL E-JOURNAL FOR CRITICAL GEOGRAPHIES, Advisory Committee Member, 2016 - Continues

## Scientific Refereeing

CITY, Journal Indexed in SSCI, September 2022

Praksis, National Scientific Refreed Journal, June 2022

STRATA, National Scientific Refreed Journal, March 2022

METU JOURNAL OF THE FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE, National Scientific Refreed Journal, October 2021

## Tasks In Event Organizations

Kuymulu M. B., Hoşgör H. A., Özcan T., Challenging Rural Studies in Turkey: Present State and New Imaginaries, Scientific Congress, Ankara, Turkey, Haziran 2022

## **Metrics**

Publication: 21

Citation (WoS): 53

Citation (Scopus): 183

H-Index (WoS): 2

H-Index (Scopus): 2

## **Invited Talks**

Kent Cevre ve Gelecek Icin Acilimler, Conference, Cankaya Kent Konseyi, Turkey, October 2022