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EXPERIENCE

2018 - Present Freelance Senior Art Director | Visual Identity Designer 2016 - 2018 Rabarba, Istanbul Senior Art Director / Full-time Clients: Lipton Ice Tea, QNB Finansbank, Tazedirekt, Migros Sanal Market, LC Waikiki 2014 - 2016 Modiki, Istanbul Senior Art Director / Full-time Clients: Kale Group, Omsan, Solo, Selpak, Selin, Mapfre, Florence Nightingale Hospitals, Betek, Kelebek, Koç University 2010 - 2014 **BICOM-INC, Connecticut** Visual Identity Designer / Part-time Developed the brand identity guidelines, website interfaces, ad campaigns, print materials, technical and promotional illustrations for BICOM's consumer electronics products; playGo and zoet. Provided art direction for photo shoots. 2010 No Longer Empty, New York Visual Designer Coordinated with the design team. Developed design materials such as posters, flyers and web invites for the exhibitions and events. 2006 - 2009 McCann Erickson, Istanbul Art Director / Full-time Clients: GM-Opel, HSBC Advantage, Nestle, Siemens Corporate, Coca-Cola, KFC, L'Oreal, Maybelline, Algida

2022

The Cooper Union | Certificate in Type Design

Earned a certificate in type design through the completion of the five week intensive, Type@Cooper Condensed program.

2009 - 2010

Pratt Institute | Certificate in Electronic Imaging & Illustration

2002 - 2005

Hacettepe University | MFA in Graphic Design

Honors Cum Laude. Thesis on "Semiotic Analysis of Social Advertisement Campaigns"

1998 - 2002

Bilkent University | BFA in Graphic Design

Honors Cum Laude. Coursework focused on graphic design, typography and advertising

SKILLS

EDUCATION

Art Direction. Design. Typography. Silkscreen. Digital Illustration. Expert in Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop.

EXHIBITIONS

2010	Not an Art Show but Works so Far Solo Exhibition Pratt Manhattan CCPS Gallery, New York, USA
2008	27th Exhibition of Graphic Products Group Exhibition Istanbul, TR
2006	4th BLOCK International Triennial Exhibition of Eco Poster Group Exhibition Kharkov, UA
2005	Chateau-d'oex Baloon Festival Poster Exposition Group Exhibition Chateau-d'oex, CH

RECOGNITION

2017	Crystal Apple Award Best print ad in Financial Services Category with QNB Finansbank Bank Loan ad series
2016	Felis Achievement Award in Ambient, UI, Sponsorship, Social Campaign and Feature Intagration Categories
	with Sons of Gallipoli Interactive Exhibition Project
2016	Felis Award Omni-Channel UX Design Category with Sons of Gallipoli Interactive Exhibition Project
2016	Felis Award UX Design Category with Sons of Gallipoli Interactive Exhibition Project
2016	Felis Award Ambient Media Category with Sons of Gallipoli Interactive Exhibition Project
2016	Crystal Apple Award Most Creative Social Campaign with Sons of Gallipoli Interactive Exhibition Project
2012	Featured in the book Mastering Type by Denise Bosler with FuduMudu logotype
2011	Featured in the book Gastrommelerie; Food & Drink Design by Oscar Asensio with Nesquick 3in1 Packaging
2006	Featured in the book Artvisit1 by Turkish Design Society
2002	Secondary Price in IAA Univesities-wide Social Advertisement Campaign Competition