

PÜREN AKTAŞ

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EDUCATION

MA in Social Policy, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul, Turkey	Sept. 2017 – Present
BA in International Relations, Istanbul Bilgi University, Turkey	2013 – 2017
Lycée Français Notre Dame de Sion, Istanbul, Turkey	2008 – 2013

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Social Policy, Health Policy, Gender Studies

WORK EXPERIENCE

Researcher, Boğaziçi University Social Policy Forum	Feb. 2018 – Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Project: “Regulatory initiatives and challenges in pluralistic healthcare systems: the case of Turkey” (conducted by Asst. Prof. Volkan Yılmaz)- Assisting with academic research; preparing literature reviews, legal reviews, reports; conducting interviews for qualitative research	
Project Assistant, Istanbul Bilgi University Center for Migration Research	Oct. – Dec. 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Project: “Dimensions of Polarization in Turkey” (conducted by Assoc. Prof. Emre Erdoğan and Prof. Pınar Uyan-Semerci)- Assisting with academic research; preparing literature reviews; monitoring focus groups	

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

“An Analysis of Health Workforce Policy in the Context of Healthcare Reform in Turkey.” Paper presented at European Sociological Association Research Network 26: The Sociology of Social Policy and Social Welfare, October 4-5th 2018, University of Catania.

Using social science to understand the healthcare economy: Postgraduate training workshop, May 4-5th 2018, Boğaziçi University.

SCHOLARSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIPS

100% Scholarship, Istanbul Bilgi University	2013 – 2017
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SKILLS AND TRAINING

Software:	MS Office, NVivo, Mendeley
Languages:	English (IELTS: 7,5/9), French (DELFB2), Turkish (Native)

REFERENCES

Available upon request.