

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## EDUCATION

2012 **Ph.D.**, Turkish National Police University (TNPA), Department of Strategies of Security and Administration *Institute for Security Sciences*

2004 **M.A.**, Mersin University, Department of Sociology  
*Institute for Social Sciences*

2000 **B.A.**, Mersin University, Department of Sociology *Faculty of Social Sciences*

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

2024–present, **Assistant Professor**, Sul Ross State University, Department of Homeland Security and Criminal Justice, Texas, USA.

2020–2022, **Weisser Ring** - *Victim Supporter in Spandau Team & Member in Berlin*, Weisser Ring is the only nationwide active victim support organization in Germany.

2018–2020, **Guest Professor - Lecturer**, Berlin School of Economics and Law (HWR), Faculty of Police and Security Management, Berlin.

2016–2017, **Assistant Professor - Researcher and Lecturer**, Gazi University, Faculty of Arts, Department of Sociology.

2014–2017, **Assistant Professor - Researcher and Lecturer**, Ankara University, Institute of Forensic Science

2015–2016, **Assistant Professor - Researcher and Lecturer**, Kilis University, Faculty of Economics and Administration, Department of Political Science and Public Administration.

2012–2015, **Assistant Professor - Researcher and Lecturer**, Turkish National Police Academy, Faculty of Security Sciences.

2007–2012, **Research Assistant - Researcher and Teaching**, Turkish National Police Academy, Institute for Security Sciences.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2015–2015, **Transnational Crime Seminar - Education**, Ministry of Justice Investigation Bureau, Taipei, Taiwan.

2013–2014, **Board Member**, The Race Equality Centre (TREC) in Leicester, UK.

2012–2016, **Co-Editor**, The Journal of Turkish Criminology.

2013–2015, **Researcher**, Center for Criminological Research (CCR), Turkish National Police Academy.

2013–2014, **Visiting Professor**, - *Researcher*, University of Leicester, Department of Criminology, UK.

2009–2010, **Visiting Scholar** - *Researcher*, Kean University, Department of Criminal Justice, USA.

2005–2006, **Expert of the European Union**, - Education University of Ankara, European Research Center

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

### ***Undergraduate Level***

**September 2007-December 2012:** Police Ethics, Introduction to Sociology, Sociology of Crime, Turkish Security System.

**September 2012-December 2013:** Introduction to Criminology.

**September 2012-December 2014:** Social Control and Policing, Police Accountability, Research Method in Criminology.

**February 2015-March 2016-:** Turkish Criminal Justice System, Turkish Juvenile Justice System, Crime Statistics of Turkey.

**February 2015-December 2016:** Consumer Law, Social Entrepreneurship, Research Method in Social Sciences.

**September 2018-February 2019:** Social Control and Criminal Justice System

**May 2024-June 2024:** Immigration Law and Policy

**May 2024-June 2024:** Transnational Crimes

### ***Graduate Level***

**September 2012-December 2013:** Police Accountability

**September 2014-December 2015:** Criminological Theories, White Collar Crime, Police Crimes.

**September 2014-December 2016:** Victimology, Crime, Social Control and Social Order, Forensic Victimology, Forensic Sociology.

**September 2018-February 2019:** Police Accountability, Social Control and Policing.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Works in Progress:**

Balcioglu, Ercan & Dolu, Osman, (In submission process). “Correlates of Police Suicides in Turkey: A Multivariate Logistic Regression Analysis of Individual, Family & Professional Factors”, *Police Quarterly*. (In English).

### **Books**

Sözer, Alper M. and Balcioglu, Ercan. (2023). *Criminology (Kriminoloji)*. 2nd Edition, Ankara: Nobel Academic Publishing. (In Turkish).

Balcioglu, Ercan; Darcan, Emirhan; Sünger, Ercan, and Çelik, Önder. (2016). *Crime Analysis in Theory and Practice (Teori ve Uygulamada Suç Analizi)*. Ankara: Gazi Kitabevi Publishing. (In Turkish).

Balcioglu, Ercan. (2015). *Police Criminality in Turkey (Türkiye’de Polis Suçluluğu)*. Ankara: Adalet Publishing. (In Turkish).

Cerrah, I.; Çevik, H. H.,; Göksu,T.; Balcioglu, E., (2009). *Ethical Conduct in Law Enforcement*, Strasbourg: Council of Ethics for the Public Service & Council of Europe. (Both in English and Turkish) (<https://rm.coe.int/16806ee0aa> accessed: 29.06.2020)

### **Book Chapters**

Balcioglu, Ercan. (2021). “Human Rights in Turkey: Past, Present and Future” in Aydin H., Langley, W. (Eds.). *Human Rights in Turkey: Assaults on Human Dignity. Philosophy and Politics - Critical Explorations*, 23-48, New York: Springer Pub. Co. (in English). vol 15. Springer, Cham. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-57476-5\\_2](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-57476-5_2)

Balcioglu, Ercan. (2016). “Social Process Theories (Sosyal Süreç Teorileri)” in Sözer, Alper M., and Balcioglu, Ercan (Eds.). (2016). *Criminology (Kriminoloji)*. Ankara: Nobel Academic Publishing, pp.103-139. (in Turkish).

Büker, Hasan ve Balcioglu, Ercan. (2016). “Domestic Violence (Aile veya Ev İçi Şiddet)”, in Sözer, Alper M., and Balcioglu, Ercan (Eds.). (2016). *Criminology (Kriminoloji)*. Ankara: Nobel Academic Publishing, ss. 373-402. (In Turkish).

Balcioglu, Ercan. (2016). “Prisons in the Turkish Criminal Justice System (Türk Ceza Adalet Sisteminde İnfaz Kurumu)”, in Sözer, Alper M., and Balcioglu, Ercan (Eds.). (2016). *Criminology (Kriminoloji)*. Ankara: Nobel Academic Publishing. pp. 469-536. (In Turkish).

Balcioglu, Ercan ve Güney, Sevgi, (2016). “Victim's Rights in Turkey (Türkiye’de Mağdur Hakları)”, in Sözer, Alper M., and Balcioglu, Ercan (Eds.). (2016). *Criminology (Kriminoloji)*. Ankara: Nobel Academic Publishing. pp. 586-614. (In Turkish).

Balcioglu, Ercan, Yildirim, Ali, and Pala Erkan, (2015). Interprofessional Education for Security Professional, in *the Methods in Education of Security Professionals*, Ankara: Adalet Publishing. (In Turkish)

Sünger, Ercan and Balcioglu, Ercan, (2015). Education of Security Professional Conform with Social Change, in *the Methods in Education of Security Professionals*, Ankara: Adalet Publishing. (In Turkish)

Balcioglu, Ercan. (2014). Criminal Justice Ethics: Oversight and Control of Crime and Deviance Behaviors of Judges’ and Prosecutors’. In Atak, Selçuk ve Gül, S. Kenan. (Eds.) *Meslek Etiği Kavramları*. Ankara: Adalet Publishing. (In Turkish)

- Balcioglu, Ercan. (2014). Liberalism. In Oguzhan Basibuyuk (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Security and Terror*, Ankara: Seçkin Publishing. (In Turkish)
- Balcioglu, Ercan. (2014). White Collar Crimes. In Oguzhan Basibuyuk (Ed.), *Encyclopedia of Security and Terror*, Ankara: Seçkin Publishing. (In Turkish)
- Balcioglu, Ercan and Dolu, Osman (2014). "Police Deviance." In Heith Copes and Craig J. Forsyth (eds.), *Encyclopedia of Social Deviance*, SAGE Publications. (In English) ISBN 1452240337
- Balcioglu, Ercan and Sünger, Ercan (2014). "Infidelity." In Heith Copes and Craig J. Forsyth (eds.), *Encyclopedia of Social Deviance*, SAGE Publications. (In English) ISBN 1452240337
- Balcioglu, Ercan (2013). "White Collar Crimes." In Hüseyin Cinoglu ve Kübra Gültekin (eds.), *Criminology*, Erzurum: Atatürk University Publications. (In Turkish).
- Balcioglu, Ercan and Dolu, Osman (2013). "Domestic Violence." In Osman Dolu and Hasan Bükür (eds.), *Victimology: The Science of Victims*, Erzurum: Atatürk University Publications. (In Turkish).

#### **Papers Appeared in Refereed Journals**

- Akgul, A and Balcioglu, E. (2017). "Drug-related Deaths and Mortality of Drug Users in Turkey: A Retrospective Study", *The Turkish Journal of Occupational / Environmental Medicine and Safety*, 2(1): e10. ISSN: 2149-4711. (In Turkish).
- Balcioglu, Ercan and Pala Erkan (2016). "Community Policing in England, Wales, And European Union: Past, Present and Future", *The Ankara Review of European Studies*, 15(1): 173-199. (In English).
- Dücan, Engin; Atay-Polat, Melike and Balcioglu Ercan, (2016). "The Relationship between Turkey's Consumer Credits and Current Account Deficit as an Example of Consumer Society", *Research Journal of Politics, Economics and Management*, 4 (1): 153-177. (In Turkish).
- Balcioglu, Ercan, Yildirim, Ali, Pala Erkan, and Christopher, Stephen, (2015). "Embedding Interprofessional Education Paradigm into the Criminal Justice Systems", *Law & Justice Review*, Year: 6 (11): 113-128. (In English).
- Balcioglu, Ercan (2015). "Who Guards the Guards? Understanding Deviance and Corruption of Law Enforcement Officials", *Journal of Social Science of Gaziantep University*, 14(2): 353-369. (In Turkish).

- Balcioglu, Ercan and Pala Erkan (2015). "Police Accountability System in England and Wales", *Journal of Sociological Researches*, 18 (1): 30–56. (In English).
- Balcioglu, Ercan, Pala Erkan, and Yildirim, Ali (2015). "Developing Interprofessional Collaborative Practice in the Criminal Justice System in England and Wales", *Journal of Sociological Research*, 18 (2): 1-17. (In English).
- Sünger, Ercan; Balcioglu, Ercan ve Çağlar, Ali, (2015). "Relationship Between Educational Level and Criminality: The Case of Turkish Security Organization", *Hacettepe University Journal of Economics and Administrative Sciences*, 33 (4): 113-134. (In Turkish).
- Darcan, Emirhan, and Balcioglu, Ercan (2013). "Community Policing and Officers' Job Satisfaction", *Turkish Journal of Criminology and Criminal Justice*, 5(2): 1-18.(In English).

#### **PAPERS PRESENTED AT CONFERENCES & SYMPOSIA**

- Balcioglu, Ercan & Dolu, Osman, (In submission process). "Correlates of Police Suicides in Turkey: A Multivariate Logistic Regression Analysis of Individual, Family & Professional Factors", oral presentation at ICFSC 2020: 22th International Conference on Forensic Sciences and Criminology to be held in Berlin, Germany during May 21-22, 2020. (In English).
- Balcioglu, Ercan, Yildirim, Ali and Pala Erkan, (2014). "Interprofessional Collaboration in Criminal Justice System", *British Society of Criminology Conference 2014, Social Policy and Criminology, School of Law and Social Justice*, 10-12 July 2014, the University of Liverpool, Liverpool, UK. (In English).
- Balcioglu, Ercan, Yildirim, Ali and Pala Erkan, (2014). "Interprofessional Collaboration in Criminal Justice System", *British Society of Criminology Conference 2014, Social Policy and Criminology, School of Law and Social Justice*, 10-12 July 2014, the University of Liverpool, Liverpool, UK. (In English).
- Yildirim, Ali, and Balcioglu, Ercan, (2014). "Interprofessional education and Collaborative Practice in Criminal Justice System". NIPNET 2014 Conference, 2-3 October 2014, Karolinska Institute Stockholm, Sweden (In English).
- Büker, Hasan; Balcioglu, Ercan; Uludag, Sener, and Dolu, Osman, (2012). "Unraveling The Criminological Determinants of Police Crimes: Findings From A Qualitative Research", *Criminology in the 21st Century: a Necessary Balance Between Freedom and Security, 12th Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology*, 12 to 15 September 2012, Basque Institute of Criminology (University of the Basque Country) Bilbao, Spain. (In English).

Demircioğlu, Mehmet, and Balcioglu, Ercan (2010), “Information Seeking Behavior of Crime Scene Investigators in Turkish National Police”, *The Academy of Criminal Justice Science 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting*, 23-27th February 2010, San Diego, California, USA. (In English)

Demircioğlu, Mehmet and Balcioglu, Ercan (2010), “Death Penalty Debate in Turkey”, *The Academy of Criminal Justice Science 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting*, 23-27th February 2010, San Diego, California, USA. (In English).

## **PROJECTS AND ACADEMIC AWARDS**

### **Completed Projects**

2022-2023 **Researcher**—*Primary Investigator; Decoding the Latest Conversations of ISIS: Discovering Trending Topics in Extremist Social Media Accounts*. Funded by Texas A&M International University as part of a start-up project. (Budget \$ 25,580), Prima, Laredo, TX, USA.

2012-2015 **Researcher**—*New Crimes in Europe and Trust-based Policies*, European Union, 7<sup>th</sup> Frame Cooperation Program: Socio-economic and Human Sciences, Call No: FP7SSH-2011-2/Proposal No.290563 – FIDUCIA.

2012-2014 **Researcher**—*Joint Project on Improving the Efficiency of the Turkish Criminal Justice System*. Council of Europe, European Union, Ministry of Justice, and Justice Academy of Turkey, (Ref: TCJ/PR1).

2013-2013 **Co-Consultant**— “*First National Action Plan to Reduce Violence against Children in Turkey 2013-2018*” entitled the project of Ministry of Family and Social Policies.

2012-2013 **Researcher**—The project entitled “*Determination of Criminological Causes of Police Crimes and Police Disciplinary Crimes Committed by Police and Development of a Policy Model for the Prevention of Such Crimes*” which was funded by. The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey’s (TUBITAK) Social and Humanities Research and Support Group (SOBAG) (Project Ref. No: 110K463)

2007-2008 **Researcher**— “*A Study on the Law No. 4320 Protection of the Family and the Evaluation of the Applications of this Law*” entitled the project of Ministry of Family and Social Policies, General Directorate of Family and Community Services.

2008-2009 **Researcher**— “*The project on Improving the Management Skills of Middle and Upper-Level Police Officers' and Rank Promotion Courses*”, General Directorate of Security of Turkey.

2008-2009 **Researcher**— “*The project on "Ethics for the Prevention of Corruption in Turkey" (TYEC)*” the project of the Council of Europe and the Council of Ethics for Public Service at the Prime Ministry of Turkey.

2009-2011 **Researcher**—“*New Methods and Approaches in Improving Management Skills of Police Academy Graduates*” entitled the project of European Union, Turkey and the European Union Education and Youth Programs Directorate (National Agency of Turkey).

## **Awards**

2012—2013 **Research Fellowship**—The project entitled “*Determination of Criminological Causes of Police Crimes and Police Disciplinary Crimes Committed by Police and Development of a Policy Model for the Prevention of Such Crimes*” which was funded by. The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey’s (TUBITAK) Social and Humanities Research and Support Group (SOBAG) (Project Ref. No: 110K463)

2013—2014 **Research Abroad Awards**—from the Prime Ministry of the Republic of Turkey University of Leicester, in Department of Criminology as a Visiting Professor for 12 months at Leicester, UK.

2009—2010 **Study Abroad Awards**—from the Turkish Ministry of Interior Kean University, in Department of Criminal Justice as a Visitor Scholar for 5 months at New Jersey, USA.

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

The British Society of Criminology-2014

The European Society of Criminology – 2012

The Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences – 2009

The Turkish Society of Sociology-2015

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Crime, Deviance, and Socialization

Social Control, Gender, Race, and Inequality

Criminological Theories

Police and Criminal Justice Studies

## **MY PERSONAL REFERENCES**

The following is a very brief list of individuals with whom I worked or who know me and my work. Thus, they can be consulted about me, or they can provide professional feedback about me and about our joint past projects when necessary.

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