

CURRICULUM VITAE

I. General Data

Name Asli Ozlem TARAKCIOGLU
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Present employment Assistant Professor- Gazi Faculty of Education Gazi University
Education-Academic Degree 2001 Ph D American Culture and Literature-Hacettepe University
1994 MA English Language Teaching-Gazi University
1987 BA English Language and Literature-Ankara University

Language competences

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
Turkish	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
French	Intermediate	Elementary	Intermediate

Professional career

2004–.... Assistant Professor – Gazi University ELT Department
1993- 2004 Research Assistant – Gazi University ELT Department
1990 -1993 Instructor - TOMER Language School

II. Academic activity

Main fields of research and interest

- Women's literature
- Gender Studies
- Fairy Tales
- Folk Tales
- Children's Literature
- Ethnic Literature
- Contemporary American Poetry
- Comparative Literature
- Film Studies
- Cultural Studies
- Creative Writing
- Pragmatics
- Stylistics
- Teaching of Literature
- Theories of Literature.

Major publications

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (2007) "African Creation Myths" Paper Presented During an International Seminar – ICANAS 38 (International Congress of Asian and North African Studies)

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O (2004) ". . . And (Did) They Live Happily Ever After?" Fully Published Paper Presented during a National Seminar - Yeditepe University (An Interdisciplinary Meeting in the Women Studies) Volume 1/ 307-318

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (2004) "Devastating Effects of Slavery on Sethe's Motherhood in Toni Morrison's Beloved" *Littera Winter* / 29 -38

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (2004) "How to Teach Literature in EFL Classes" *Gazi University Journal of Gazi Faculty of Education* Volume 24 / 43-55

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (2003) "The Uses of Teaching Literature in EFL Classes" *Ekev Akademi Dergisi* Year 7 Issue 17 – Fall/ 213-222

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (2002) "The Film and the Play: A Comparative Study of Eugene O'Neill's and Alfred Santell's Mildred in The Hairy Ape" *Turkish Journal of Social Research* Volume 6 / 113-126

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (2001) "The Quest for Survival of the Female Heroines in the Plays of Eugene O'Neill and Tennessee Williams" (Doctoral Dissertation)

TARAKCIOGLU, Asli O. (1994) "Teaching Literature in Advanced EFL Classes Through Drama" (MA Thesis)

Projects

2007 – 2009

Lifelong Learning Programme (EU) – Comenius – Multilateral Project

"A Comparative Analysis of Folk Tales: A Multicultural Perspective" (Project Leader)

Works in Process

Mongolian Shamanism (Translation)

(It will be published before the end of 2007 by AKM)

Other administrative and professional activities (organising of conferences, participation in editorial boards, participation in various councils, professional associations, in legislative bodies, committees of experts etc.).

2007 – Member of National Executive Committee for ICANAS 38 (International Congress of Asian and North African Studies)

October 2006 – Visiting Professor – University of West Bohemia - Faculty of Education
Department of English Language Teaching (Erasmus Exchange Programme)

October 2002 – Participant – "Shadows That Stalk: Representations of Fear in American Culture and Literature" Conference – Hacettepe University / Ankara

November 2001 – Participant – "Speaking From the Margins: Multiple Identities in Contemporary America" Seminar – American Studies Association of Turkey / Antalya

November 1997 – Participant – "Freedom in America: The Principle, The Theme, The Reality" Seminar – USIS / Mersin

November 1996 – Participant – "Theory, Themes and Practice of American Studies in a Turkish Context" Conference – ASAT / Izmir

Other Skills:

Full computer literacy
Proven communication skills

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