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B.S. Dokuz Eylul University-İzmir/TURKEY Biology Education	2005-- 2010
M.S. Balikesir University- Balikesir/TURKEY Biology Education Dissertation: Investigating 10th Grade Secondary School Students Conceptions of And Approaches To Learning Biology In Terms Of Various Variables	2011- 2012
Ph.D. Balikesir University- Balikesir/TURKEY Biology Education Dissertation: The effect of formative assessment design activities on senior biology student teachers understanding of modern genetics and professional development	2012- Cont.

She was born in 1985 in İzmir. She went to Iowa State University while she was a senior student teacher at Dokuz Eylul University for “Turkish Student Teacher Internship Project” funded by Fulbright Commission. There, she prepared a curriculum Project after she taught biology for 10th graders at Ames High School for six weeks. After she had graduated from university, she worked as a biology teacher at a course for university preparation exams. She started to work as a research assistant at Balikesir University in 2010. She went to Wright State University as a visiting scholar for six months in 2015 to work for projects about her Ph.D. dissertation. Her early childhood and inclusive education experience started with “Talented Children and Talented Teachers: Competencies, Resilience & Culture (TACOREC)” which is funded by the European Union as an Erasmus Project and completed in 2014. She is working as a researcher for “Inclusive Education in Early Childhood: Developing Good Practices (GoPrince) Project since the beginning in 2015. Her interest areas are science teaching, especially Biology Education, learning progressions, formative assessments, curriculum and teaching methods, and inclusive education.