

Berkay Gülen

Address: 3801 Brooklyn Avenue NE Stevens Court K201-A Seattle, WA 98105 USA

Email: gulenb@uw.edu

Education

2015- ... The Henry M. Jackson School of International Studies, University of Washington, Seattle, WA

Doctorate of Philosophy in International Studies

Specialization in Turkey, Israel, identity politics, foreign policy analysis

2011-2012 School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London, London, United Kingdom

Master of Science in International Politics

Specialization in Middle East Politics

Dissertation Topic: A Research on Turkish Public Diplomacy Effort in reference to the Non-Profit Organizations Run by Turkish Immigrants in London

2008-2011 Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey

Master of Science in International Relations

Dissertation Topic: The Two U.S. Think Tanks on Turkey: The Brookings Institution and the Council on Foreign Relations' Perceptions on JDP's Foreign Policy (2002-2010)

2004-2008 Gazi University, Ankara, Turkey

Bachelor of Arts in International Relations

Work Experience

01/2014-07/2015 The Educational Volunteers Foundation of Turkey (TEGV), Istanbul, Turkey

Volunteer coordinator in charge of organizing regional meetings for volunteers and summer voluntary programs as well as corresponding for the European Voluntary Service (EVS) projects.

03/2013-05/2013 The Moshe Dayan Center for Middle Eastern and African Studies, Tel Aviv University, Israel

Research Intern who contributes to the publications of the Center as the Tel Aviv Notes

06/2012-07/2012 Associated Press (AP), Sunningdale Park, United Kingdom

Interpreter (Turkish to English and English to Turkish) in a training program on "Hostile Environment Conditions" organized for cameramen, photographers, interpreters and correspondents.

01/2010-07/2010 Sun Consulting, Ankara, Turkey

Project writer in grant projects funded by the European Union, World Bank, Turkish State Planning Organization, the Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey.

Papers

- (May 1st, 2013) *Why Erdoğan's Visit to Gaza should be a Multi-Leg One*, (co-authored with Gallia Lindenstrauss) (Hürriyet Daily News)
- (2011) *The Two Think Tanks on Turkey: The Brookings Institution and The Council on Foreign Relations' Perceptions on JDP's Foreign Policy (2002-2010)*, (Lambert Academic Publishing)
- (2010) *"Does Turkey Turn Its Back to the West?" An Analysis of AKP's Foreign Policy from The Brookings Institution's Publications*, Turkish Political Sciences Association Graduate Conference, December 4, 2010, Istanbul, Turkey

Grants and Seminars

- Kathryn Davis Fellows for Peace, Middlebury College, VT, June-July 2016
- 2016 Student Travel Grant, Stroum Center for Jewish Studies, University of Washington
- 2015-2016 Samuel and Althea Stroum Fellow, Stroum Center for Jewish Studies, University of Washington
- Jean Monnet Scholarship Program funded by the European Commission and Turkish Ministry for European Union Affairs for master degree at SOAS, University of London, 2011-2012
- Opportunity Grant Program, US Department of State and EducationUSA, 2010
- Istanbul-Ankara Exchange Program, Mideastwire.com and USAK, July 2010, Ankara, Istanbul, Turkey
- Developing Turkish Foreign Policy on Energy Issues Spring School, the Netherlands Institute for Higher Education (NIHAnkara) and Turkish Petroleum Corporation, September 2009, Ankara, Turkey
- The Relations between the European Union and Turkey Summer Academy Scholarship, Centre International de Formation Européenne (CIFE) and Istanbul Bilgi University, July 2009, Istanbul, Turkey

Language Abilities

- Intermediate Hebrew, Intensive Hebrew Summer Program, Middlebury College, VT, July-August 2016
- Elementary Hebrew, The Department of Near Eastern Languages and Civilization, University of Washington, WA, September 2015- June 2016
- Advanced French, Centre Internationales Etudes de Français (CIEF), Université de Bourgogne, Dijon, France, July- August 2007
- Intermediate French, Institut Français d'Ankara, Ankara, Turkey, September 2005- June 2007
- Ottoman Turkish, History Foundation of Turkey, Ankara, Turkey, February- March 2008
- Native Turkish speaker