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Date of Birth: January 3, 1968

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EDUCATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

LLB Faculty of Law, University of Istanbul, Turkey, 1992.;
Admitted to practice in the bar of Istanbul, 1994;
Admitted as a Trademark Attorney, 1996;
Admitted as a Patent Attorney, 1996;
Admitted as a European Patent Attorney, 2000;
IP Expert Witness- Before Turkish IP Courts since 2005.

LANGUAGES

Turkish and English

PRESENT POSITION

Founding Partner (since 1997) of Istanbul Patent & Trademark Consultancy Ltd; Member of the Administrative Board. Administrator of International Trademarks Department and Administrator ADR Department.

May 1, 2012

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE BEFORE PRESENT POSITION

Lawyer, Esen Law Office , Istanbul , 1994-97.
Practices primarily in the areas of intellectual property law and unfair competition law.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

Member, International Trademark Association (INTA);
Past Member of International Trademark Association (INTA) ADR Committee;
Current Member of Internet Committee;
Past Member INTA Panel of Neutrals Committee;
Member of the Association European Trademark Owners (MARQUES);
Member of the PTMG;
Board Member of AIPPI-Turkey;
Member, Istanbul Bar Association;
Member of IP Committee of TUSIAD (Turkish Industrialist and Businessman Association);
Member of KAGIDER (Women Entrepreneurs Association of TURKEY).

AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION

Trademark Law, Internet Law, IT Law, Domain Name Disputes, IP Litigations, IP Valuation.

EXPERIENCE IN INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Counseled several national and international corporations on matters IP Law, Domain Name Disputes, Internet Law.
Practiced in Turkish IP litigation.
Lectured at several seminars;
Seminar on "IP Litigation in Turkiye" for KOSID (Association of Small and Medium ized Industry Owners), Istanbul, March 2004.

EXPERIENCE WITH RESPECT TO DOMAIN NAMES

Has represented clients in numerous UDRP (Uniform Domain Name Resolution Policy) proceedings and acted as an attorney preparing and filing plaintiffs in domain name cyberquatting cases before the arbitration institutions such as the WIPO Domain Name Dispute Resolution Center and the NAF (National Arbitration Forum) as well as intellectual property courts in Turkey.

MAJOR PUBLICATIONS

Has contributed several articles for legal, scientific and business publications such as;

Magazin of IP Law;
Newspapers: Hürriyet, Finansal Forum;
Magazines:CHIP, BIYOTEK, IkiTelli Iletisim, Termodinamik;
DR, Para, UTA, Istanbul Bar Association.

Book Section: Bibliographia of IP Law and Competition Law 1727-2002.
World Trademark Review November/December 2007-The Trademark Expert's Expert;

Seminar on "Trademark Law" for KOSGEB (Association of Small and Middle Sized Enterprises), January 2004;

Seminar on "IP Practice in Turkiye" for MESS (Turkish Employers Association of Metal Industries), May 2000;

Seminar on "Effects of new laws relating to Pharmaceutical Patents in Turkiye" University of Galatasaray, January 1999;

Seminar on "Domestic and International Marks" for BIYOTEK- Bogazici University, September 2001.

February 20, 2010-PEM Internet Conference April 27, 2010 INTA Roundtable June 09, 2010-Workshop on Internet Law;

Tusiad Seminar June 2010-Internet Domain Name Disputes.

EXPERIENCE IN COURT LITIGATION

Court of Appeal, Turkish Commercial Courts, Turkish IP Courts and Arbitration Institutes work for clients ranging from international, substantial institutional clients and national clients.

EXPERIENCE IN ARBITRATION

Involvement as arbitrator and legal advisor in many arbitration proceedings.

ARBITRATION EXPERIENCE
SUMMARY TABLE

Type	Administering Institution		Role			
	Name	Number of Arbitrations	Presiding Arbitrator	Sole Arbitrator	Co-Arbitrator	Counsel
	Ad Hoc					
	Others : UDRP before WIPO and other Institutions	57	1	50	6	223
Number of Cases : Sub-Total		280				
	Nic.tr	30				30
Number of Cases Sub-total		30				
TOTAL		310				