



EDUCATION

2021 - Present	Koç University Ph.D. in Finance	Istanbul, Turkey
2019 - 2021	Boğaziçi University M.A. Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Department of Management • Graduate Degree, 4.00/ 4.00 GPA • Thesis Title: “An Empirical Investigation of Borsa Istanbul Single Stock Futures: A TVP-VAR Approach”	Istanbul, Turkey
2014 - 2019	Abdullah Gül University B. Sc. Faculty of Management Sciences, Business Administration • Undergraduate Degree, 3.71/ 4.00 GPA	Kayseri, Turkey

EXPERIENCE

2020 - Present	Koç University Research Assistant, Accounting and Finance, CASE & GSB	Istanbul, Turkey
December 2018- May 2019	Stryker Corporation Finance Intern	Kayseri, Turkey
August 2018	PricewaterhouseCoopers Audit Intern	Istanbul, Turkey
June 2018- July 2018	Türkiye İş Bankası Corporate Banking Marketing and Sales Intern	Istanbul, Turkey

HONORS & AWARDS

June 2019	Abdullah Gül University High Honor Student • Graduated with the highest grade in the Business Administration department.	Kayseri, Turkey
Fall 2017	The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey 2209/A- The Programme of Supporting University Student's Research Project	Ankara, Turkey

PUBLICATIONS

- Genc, O.F., & Kalkan, B. (2020). An empirical analysis of financial performance and indicators of acquisitions. *Uluslararası İktisadi ve İdari İncelemeler Dergisi*, (27), 1-14.
- Genc, O. F., & Kalkan, B. (2019). What are the outcomes of emerging markets mergers and acquisitions? Evidence from Turkey. *Journal for Global Business Advancement*, 12(1), 51-69.
- Genc, O. F., & Kalkan, B. (2018). Turkish mergers and acquisitions (M&As): A historical view of characteristics, trends, and directions. *International Journal of Management Economics & Business*, 14(3), 791-805.

CERTIFICATES

October 2016- **Global Collaboration Certificate, X-Culture** USA
November 2016 License 2016-2B

May 2015- **Erasmus Youthpass** Forres, Scotland
June 2015 License 5AD9-V3S2-13FG-AW5X

Membership/ Volunteering

2018 **TED Talks** Kayseri, Turkey
Volunteer and member of the founding team of *TEDxAGU*

2017 **Toplum Gönüllüleri Vakfı** Kayseri, Turkey
Volunteer of YouthBank

SKILLS

- **Languages**
 - Turkish (Native Language)
 - English (Professional Working Proficiency, TOEFL: 105/120, YDS Score: 96,25/100)
- **Digital Skills**
 - Microsoft Office Programs
 - SPSS
 - Stata
 - R