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I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Birth Date: 28 August 1980
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Sex: Male
Nationality: Turkish
Marital Status: Married

II. EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in English Literature, **Boğaziçi University**, Department of Western Languages and Literatures.

Date of graduation: July 2014

Specialization: Romantic and Modern Poetry

Title of Dissertation: Three Ways of Looking at Negative Capability: William Carlos Williams, John Berryman, Mark Strand

Master of Arts (M.A.) in English Literature, **Boğaziçi University**, Western Languages and Literatures.

Date of Graduation: June 2007

Dissertation Title: Negative Analysis: An Application of Negative Theology for the Analysis of Poetry.

Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) **Boğaziçi University**, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Sociology.

Date of Graduation: June 2004 (With Honors)

High School Diploma, Üsküdar American Academy, İstanbul (1991-1998)

Date of Graduation: June 1998

III. LANGUAGES

Turkish: Native
English: Excellent
French: Beginner
German: Beginner

IV. WORK EXPERIENCE

Instructor at Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2014-)

Research Assistant at Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2005-2014)

V. TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant at Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2005-2014)

Courses Assisted:

Survey of English Literature I (**EL 101**)
Survey of English Literature II (**EL 102**)
Introduction to Literary Scholarship I (**ENGL 101**)
Introduction to Literary Scholarship II (**ENGL 102**)
Survey of American Literature (**AL 201**)
Studies in Literature I (**LIT 211**)
Studies in Literature II (**LIT 212**)
Modern Poetry (**EL 408**)

Instructor at Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2014-)

Courses Taught:

Survey of English Literature I (**EL 101**)
Introduction to Literary Scholarship I (**ENGL 101**)
Introduction to Literary Scholarship II (**ENGL 102**)
Introduction to Literary Forms I (**ENGL 105**)
Survey of American Literature (**AL 201**)
Studies in Literature I (**LIT 211**)
Studies in Literature II (**LIT 212**)
The English Romantics (**EL 306**)
Survey of American Literature I (**AL 311**)
Survey of American Literature II (**AL 312**)
Modern Poetry (**EL 408**)
Senior Thesis (**EL 412**)
Hum. to Posthumanism: The Human Condition in Fiction (**EL 48C**)
Poetry and the Self (**EL 68P**)

VI. ADMINISTRATIVE & ACADEMIC DUTIES

Freshman Advisor, Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2016-2019)

Sophomore Advisor, Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2019 -)

Junior Advisor, Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2021 -)

Senior Advisor, Boğaziçi University, Department of Western Languages and Literatures (2021 - 2022)

Editorial board member of **METAFOR: The Boğaziçi University Journal of Literary Studies** published biannually by Boğaziçi University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences (2017-...)

Website designer and manager for the website www.metafor.boun.edu.tr of **METAFOR: The Boğaziçi University Journal of Literary Studies** published biannually by Boğaziçi University, Faculty of Arts and Sciences (2017-)

Website manager for the Department of Western Languages and Literatures website, Boğaziçi University (2008-2015)

VII. AWARDS, GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Art Certificate, Boğaziçi University (2004)

Selçuk Altun Literature Scholarship, Boğaziçi University (2006-2013)

Visiting Scholar at George Washington University, Washington, D.C., U.S. (April 1 – May 1, 2009)

VIII. CONFERENCES & WORKSHOPS

Intensive Program at Ca'Foscari University in Venice, Italy, "FRONTIERS AND CULTURES: New Perspectives in Euro- and Pan-American Studies" (October 25 – November 7, 2009)

Intensive Program at Ca'Foscari University in Venice, Italy, "FRONTIERS AND CULTURES: Europe and the Americas. Intra and Intercontinental Migrations" (March 13 – March 26, 2011)

"The Challenge Of Transforming The World Into Literature: A Theoretical Approach To Modern Poetry." 13th Annual International Cultural Studies Symposium "Change and Challenge", Ege University, İzmir (May 4-6, 2011)

“Reshaping the Past into an Art Object: Poems of Remembrance.” 4th International Interdisciplinary Memory Conference “Memory, Melancholy and Nostalgia”, Gdansk University, Gdansk, Poland (September 17-18, 2015)

Participation with excerpts from the novel *İlk Sabah*, “Bards on the Bosphorus: Creative Writers’ Roundtable” IDEA- 10th International “Studies in English Conference,” Boğaziçi University, İstanbul, Turkey, (April 14–16, 2016)

“The Expressions of the Traumatic in Adrienne Rich’s Poetry.” 16th International Cultural Studies Symposium, “Narratives of Trauma”, Ege University, İzmir (May 10-12, 2017)

IX. ACADEMIC AND NONACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Novel: *İlk Sabah*. İstanbul: Cinius: (2008), Print. (ISBN: 9786054034628)

Book Review: review of *50 Soruda Görelilik Kuramları*, İbrahim Semiz. Bilim Ve Gelecek, (2010). <http://www.radikal.com.tr/kitap/fizigin-heyecanli-ufuklarinda-1013588/>

Academic Article: “Borders of the Self and the ‘Other’ in Aleksandar Hemon’s *Nowhere Man*”. *FRONTIERS AND CULTURES: Europe and the Americas. Intra and Intercontinental Migrations* Ed. Ludovica Paladini and Cristina Tinelli. Venezia: Studio LT2: (2012). 62-66, Print. (ISBN: 9788888028996)

Poem: “Kelebek Doğsak” *Kıyı’da*, 3, February-March (2019). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Sarı Kemik” *Kıyı’da*, 4, April-May (2019). 26. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Masmavi” *Kıyı’da*, 5, June-July (2019). 28. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Sessizliğin Mucitleri” *Kıyı’da*, 6, August-September (2019). 28. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Fare Adam” *Kıyı’da*, 7, October-November (2019). 28. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Tanrı Talimleri” *Kıyı’da*, 8, December-January (2019-2020). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Zümrüdüanka” *Kıyı’da*, 9, February-March (2020).30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Kıyı Kasidesi” *Sizin Yaşamınızın Kıyısından*, edited by Cemre Kılıç, Eyobi Yayınları, 2020. 83-103. (ISBN:9786050690774)

Poem: “Erguvanlar” *Kıyı’da*, 10, June-July (2020).30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Köylüleri Zeytinleri Astı” *Kıyı 'da*, 11, August-September (2020). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Köprü” *Kıyı 'da*, 12, October-November (2020). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Düğün” *Kıyı 'da*, 13, December-January (2020-2021). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Article: “Güzel ve Genç Bir Kadının Ölümü” *Ecinniler*, 7, January-February (2021). 54-61. Print. (ISSN:2687511X)

Poem: “Kalp Gözü” *Kıyı 'da*, 14, February-March (2021). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Afreet Son.” 2021. *Statement of Record*, Statement of Record, <https://statorec.com/four-poems-by-cihan-yurdaun/>. Accessed 3 July 2021.

Poem: “Dangling Hearts.” 2021. *Statement of Record*, Statement of Record, <https://statorec.com/four-poems-by-cihan-yurdaun/>. Accessed 3 July 2021.

Poem: “Narcissus.” 2021. *Statement of Record*, Statement of Record, <https://statorec.com/four-poems-by-cihan-yurdaun/>. Accessed 3 July 2021.

Poem: “There’s No Reason to Like Your Body.” 2021. *Statement of Record*, Statement of Record, <https://statorec.com/four-poems-by-cihan-yurdaun/>. Accessed 3 July 2021.

Poem: “Kırlangıç” *Kıyı 'da*, 15, April-May (2021). 34. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Uyanış” *Kıyı 'da*, 16, June-July (2021). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Değirman” *Kıyı 'da*, 17, August-September (2021). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Article: “Balık Çiçeği” *Ecinniler*, 11, September-October (2021). 41-34. Print. (ISSN:2687511X)

Poem: “Dişi Aslan” *Kıyı 'da*, 18, October-November (2021). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “İğne” *Kıyı 'da*, 19, December-January (2021-2022). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Kış Akli” *Kıyı 'da*, 20, February -March (2022). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Baba Zaman” *Kıyı 'da*, 21, April-May (2022). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

Poem: “Tekne” *Kıyı 'da*, 22, June-July (2022). 30. Print. (ISSN:02645882)

X. OTHER WORKS

Designer and manager of the personal blog & website www.cihanyurdaun.com where poems written by Cihan Yurdaün are published online (2017- ...)