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PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Research Fellow, The American University, Washington, DC Research on Turkish politics & the Ataturk era	2009-
Research Fellow, Bilkent University, Ankara Research on Turkish Diplomats and Diplomacy	2006-2007 1999
Director, Office of Analysis for Near East and South Asia, INR, Department of State Direct political analysis of 20 professionals covering 25 countries for senior policymakers; brief and lecture on these countries	1979-1995
Professorial Lecturer, Middle East Program, School of Advanced International Studies, The Johns Hopkins University Courses on the history of the Middle East and Turkey	1968-1981
Director, Office of Research and Analysis for Western Europe, INR, Department of State Direct political analysis of 12 professionals covering 17 countries; brief and lecture on these countries	1977-1979
Special Assistant to the Director, Office of Research and Analysis for Near East and South Asia, INR, Department of State Prepare political analysis on selected Middle East topics	1974-1977
Professorial Lecturer, Department of Political Science, The George Washington University Courses on the politics and government of the Middle East	1976-1977 1971
Middle East Staff Officer, Office of National Estimates Prepare national level political analyses on Middle East topics	1971-1973 1962-1969
Special Projects Officer, Near East Division, Office of Analysis for Near East and South Asia, INR, Department of State Prepare book-length study of problems in Turkish-American relations	1969-1970
Political Officer, American Embassy, Ankara, Turkey Political reporting on developments in Turkey and the Middle East	1957-1962

EDUCATION

Ph.D. degree in History of the Middle East, Harvard University	1957
A.M. degree in History of the Middle East, Harvard University	1953
A.B. degree in History, Magna Cum Laude, Harvard College	1952

AWARDS

Presidential Rank of Distinguished Executive	1992
Presidential Rank of Meritorious Executive	1982 & 1988

ACTIVITIES

Ataturk Research Center International Conference, Ankara Presenter: "Ataturk and the Management of Diplomacy during the Struggle for Independence, 1919-1922"	2007
Middle East Studies Association Conference, Boston Presenter: "Restoring Turkish-American Relations after the First World War: The Turkish Side"	2006
Turkish Historical Society Triennial Conference, Ankara Presenter: "A Tale of Two Ambassadors"	2006
Conference on 200 Years of Turkish-American Relations, Ankara University, Presenter: "Turkish American Relations Since The Truman Doctrine"	2000
Annual Conference on World Affairs, University of Colorado, Plenary Speaker and panel member	1987-1996
Conference on Democracy and Identity, Strategic Research Foundation, Ankara, presenter	1995
Liechtenstein Colloquium on European and International Affairs, Vaduz Participant	1993
The Ditchley Foundation Conference on Turkey, Oxford, Participant	1993
Middle East Institute, Member	1962-1987
Middle East Studies Association, Founding Member	1967-1986

International Conference on State and Society, Deutsches Orient-Institut, Hamburg, Presenter	1985
Council on Foreign Relations Study Group on Turkey, Member	1984-1985
Columbia University Seminar on the Middle East, Member	1973-1979

PUBLISHED WORKS

Atatürk's Diplomats & Their Brief Biographies, (Istanbul: The ISIS Press, 2010), 421 p.

Studies in Atatürk's Turkey: The American Dimension (co-editor & contributor) (The Netherlands, Brill, 2009, 254 p.

The Communists and the Kadro Movement: Shaping Ideology in Atatürk's Turkey (Istanbul: The ISIS Press, 2002), 241p.

Law, Personalities, and Politics of the Middle East: Essays in Honor of Majid Khadduri, (co-editor & contributor) (Boulder, CO: Westview Press & Washington, DC: The Middle East Institute, 1987), 270 p.

Turkey: Coping with Crisis (Boulder, CO; Westview Press, 1985), 240 p.

The Middle East in Turkish-American Relations (editor), (Report of a Heritage Foundation Conference, Washington, DC: Heritage Foundation, 1985), 85 p.

MERI Report: Turkey (co-author), Middle East Research Institute, University of Pennsylvania & London: Croom Helm, 1985), 180 p.

Political Analysis of Turkey (Middle East Research Institute, University of Pennsylvania: Analysis & Data Papers - no.19, February 1984), 29 p.

Troubled Alliance: Turkish-American Problems in Historical Perspective, 1945-1971 (Washington, DC: American Enterprise Institute, 1972), 263 p.

The Origins of Communism in Turkey (Stanford: Hoover Institution Press, 1967), 215 p.

ARTICLES AND CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

"A Tale of Two Ambassadors: Ahmet Muhtar and Mehmet Münir in Washington," in XV. Türk Tarih Kurumu Kongresi Bildiriler, (Ankara: Turkish Historical Society Press, Ankara, 2010), 26 p.

"Climbing the Greased Pole: Turkey's Islamic Democracy," *Foreign Service Journal*, vol. 85, No. 4, April 2008, pp. 29-34.

"Turkish-American Relations Since the Truman Doctrine," in Mustafa Aydın and Çağrı Erhan (eds.), *Turkish-American Relations: Past, Present and Future* (London and New York: Routledge, 2004), pp. 66-88.

"Celal Bayar: Conspiratorial Democrat," in Metin Heper and Sabri Sayarı (eds.), *Political Leaders and Democracy in Turkey* (Lanham, MD: Lexington Books, 2002), pp. 45-63.

"Republic of Turkey," in David E. Long & Bernard Reich (eds.), *The Government and Politics of the Middle East and North Africa* (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 4th ed. [revised], 2002), pp. 9-46.

"Turkey's Foreign Policy: Independent or Reactive?," in L. Carl Brown (ed.), *Diplomacy in the Middle East* (New York: I. B. Tauris, 2001), pp. 259-277.

"U.S.-Turkish Relations," in Alan Makovsky and Sabri Sayari (eds.), *Turkey's New World: Changing Dynamics in Turkish Foreign Policy* (Washington, D.C.: The Washington Institute for Near East Policy, 2000), pp. 189-202.

"The Turkish Republic," in Bernard Reich (ed.), *Handbook of Political Science Research on the Middle East and North Africa* (Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 1998), pp. 227-248.

"Whither the Kurds," in Winston A. Van Horne (ed.), *Global Convulsions: Race, Ethnicity and Nationalism at the End of the Twentieth Century* (Albany: State University of New York Press, 1997), pp. 205-223.

"The Russian Federation and Turkey," in Alvin Z. Rubinstein & Oles M. Smolansky (eds.), *Regional Power Rivalries in the New Eurasia: Russia, Turkey, and Iran* (Armonk, NY & London: M.E. Sharpe, 1995), pp. 3-25.

"Ismet Inonu (1884-1973)," in Bernard Reich (ed.), *Political Leaders of the Contemporary Middle East and North Africa: A Biographical Dictionary* (Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, Inc., 1990), pp. 258-267.

"The Role of the Military in Turkey in the 1980s: Guardians or Decision-Makers?," in Metin Heper & Ahmet Evin (eds.), *State, Democracy and Military: Turkey in the 1980s* (Berlin & New York: Walter De Gruyter, 1988), pp. 177-200.

"The Gilan Soviet Revolution, 1920-1921," in James Piscatori & George S. Harris (eds.), *Law, Personalities, and Politics of the Middle East: Essays in Honor of Majid Khadduri* (Boulder, CO: Westview Press, and Washington, DC: The Middle East Institute, 1987), pp. 205-237.

"Kemalism and the Turkish Military," in the Institute for National Strategic Studies, Foreign Military Leadership Workshop: *Report of a Conference Held at Fort Lesley J. McNair, 15-16 December 1987* (Washington, DC: The Institute for National Strategic Studies, 1987), pp. 16-23.

"The United States and the Middle East Since 1941: The Northern Tier: Turkey," in Richard D. Burns (ed.), *Guide to American Foreign Relations Since 1970* (Santa Barbara, CA, and Oxford: ABC-CLIO Inc., 1983), pp. 981-983.

"The View from Ankara," *The Wilson Quarterly*, 6, no. 5 (Special Issue), 1982, pp. 126-135.

"Bureaucratic Reform: Atatürk and the Turkish Foreign Office," *Journal of the American Institute for the Study of Middle Eastern Civilization, Atatürk Centennial Issue*, 1, nos. 3 & 4, Autumn-Winter 1980-1981, pp. 39-51.

"The Left in Turkey," *Problems of Communism*, 29, July-August 1980, pp. 26-41.

"Islam and the State in Modern Turkey," *Middle East Review*, 11, no. 4, Summer 1979, pp. 21-26, 31.

"Ethnic Conflict and the Kurds," *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, 433, September 1977, pp. 112-124.

"The Kurdish Conflict in Iraq, 1958-1975," in Astri Suhrke & Lela Noble (eds.), *Ethnic Conflict in International Relations* (New York: Praeger, 1977), pp. 68-92.

"Turkey and the United States," in Kemal H. Karpat & Contributors, *Turkey's Foreign Policy in Transition, 1950-1974* (Leiden: E. J. Brill, 1975), pp. 51-72.

"The Soviet Union and Turkey," in Ivo J. Lederer & Wayne S. Vucinich (eds.), *The Soviet Union and the Middle East: The Post World War II Era* (Stanford, CA: Hoover Institution Press, 1974), pp. 25-54.

"Cross-Alliance Politics: Turkey and the Soviet Union," *Turkish Yearbook of International Relations*, 1972, 12 (Ankara, 1974), pp. 1-32.

"Turkey," in Witold S. Sworakowski (ed.), *World Communism: A Handbook, 1918-1965* (Stanford, CA: Hoover Institution Press, 1973), pp. 434-438.

"Ishtirakiyya," *Encyclopaedia of Islam*, fascicle 61-62, pp. 123-125.

"The Causes of the 1960 Revolution in Turkey," *The Middle East Journal*, 24, no. 4, Autumn 1970, pp. 438-454.

"The Role of the Military in Turkish Politics," *The Middle East Journal*, 19, no. 1, Winter 1965, pp. 54-66; no. 2, Spring 1965, pp. 169-176.

Book Reviews

The Turks of Central Asia, by Charles Warren Hostler; and *Turkey's New Geopolitics: From the Balkans to Western China*, by Graham Fuller et al., reviewed in *the Middle East Journal*, vol. 48, no. 3, Summer 1994, pp 552-3.