

## Assoc. Prof. Zehra Yılmaz

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### Biography

Ms. Zehra Yılmaz with a PhD degree in International Relations Department from Ankara University, has more than 10 years of work experience in different academic platforms. At present Ms.Yılmaz is an assistant professor in the Department of International Relations at Yüzüncü Yıl University in Van, Turkey. She spent one year of her doctorate period on research at Georgetown University, USA. Ms. Yılmaz has numerous academic articles and one published book naming "Feminine Piety: Transformation of Islamic Women Movement in Turkey" by İletisim Publications. Academically, her research interests are Political Islam, gender studies and migration policies.

In addition to her academic position, she was involved in two EU supported projects in 2017-2018. In the first project, she worked as a Domain Expert and was one of the report writers of "Monitoring Gender Equality at the Turkish Religious Institutions". Also, in this project she identified training contexts, designed and planned training curricula and conducted trainings for SMEs, NGOs. In the second project, she worked on women asylum-seekers in Van/Turkey. As a project's field coordinator, she prepared and analyzed two different survey questions both for the women asylum-seekers and the general public in Van. She also organized focus group meetings with women refugees and made interviews with NGOs and representatives of public institutions. On the basis of the data yielded in these two projects, she wrote the project report titled "Establishing a Rehabilitation and Consultancy Center for Women and Children Asylum Seekers in Van/Turkey".

### Education Information

Doctorate, Ankara University, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, Uluslararası İlişkiler, Turkey 2006 - 2013

Postgraduate, Social Sciences University Of Ankara, Siyaset Bilimi, Siyaset Bilimi, Turkey 2002 - 2005

Undergraduate, Baskent University, İktisadi Ve İdari Bilimler Fakültesi, Siyaset Bilimi Ve Uluslararası İlişkiler, Turkey 1998 - 2002

### Foreign Languages

English, B2 Upper Intermediate

### Dissertations

Doctorate, Küreselleşen İslam ve Türkiye'de İslamcı Kadınlar, Social Sciences University Of Ankara, Uluslararası İlişkiler, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2013

Postgraduate, 28 Şubat Sonrası İslamcı Kadınlar, Social Sciences University Of Ankara, Siyaset Bilimi, Siyaset Bilimi, 2005

## Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities, Political Science, International Relations, Middle East Research

## Academic Titles / Tasks

Assistant Professor, –Seçiniz–, İibf, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2018 - Continues

Assistant Professor, Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İibf, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2014 - 2018

## Academic and Administrative Experience

Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İibf, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2019 - Continues

Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İktisadi Ve İdari Bilimler Fakültesi, Uluslararası İlişkiler Bölümü, 2018 - Continues

Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İktisadi Ve İdari Bilimler Fakültesi, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2018 - Continues

Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İktisadi Ve İdari Bilimler Fakültesi, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2018 - Continues

Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İibf, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2018 - 2019

Van Yüzüncü Yil University, İibf, Uluslararası İlişkiler, 2014 - 2016

## Articles Published in Journals That Entered SCI, SSCI and AHCI Indexes

- I. **The AKP and Its Family Policy in the Re-establishment Process of Authoritativeness in Turkey**  
Yılmaz Z.  
AUTHORITARIANISM IN THE MIDDLE EAST: BEFORE AND AFTER THE ARAB UPRISINGS, pp.150-171, 2015  
(Journal Indexed in SSCI)

## Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Bir sınır Kenti Olarak Van'da Kadın Mülteciler**  
Yılmaz Z.  
Doğu Anadolu Sosyal Bilimlerde Eğilimler Dergisi, vol.3, no.2, pp.7-26, 2019 (National Refreed University Journal)
- II. **Eril Diplomasi Kültürüne Feminist Bir Eleştiri**  
Yılmaz Z.  
KÜLTÜR VE İLETİŞİM, vol.44, no.2, pp.99-120, 2019 (Refereed Journals of Other Institutions)
- III. **Postkolonyal Teori Bağlamında Sığınmacı Kadınlar: Suriyeli Kadın Sığınmacıların Türkiye'deki 'Geçici' Durumu**  
Yılmaz Z.  
Kadın 2000, vol.20, no.2, pp.65-90, 2019 (International Refereed University Journal)
- IV. **Din ve Kadın İlişkinin Kesişiminde Türkiye'deki Göçmenlerin entegrasyon Politikaları**  
Yılmaz Z.  
e-Fe Dergi, vol.11, no.1, pp.9-22, 2019 (National Refreed University Journal)
- V. **Bedenin "Normalleştirilmesi" Söylemi Üzerine Bir Analiz: Cinisayet Geçiş Ameliyatları**  
Yılmaz Z.  
ALTERNATİF POLİTİKA, vol.11, no.1, pp.290-318, 2019 (National Refreed University Journal)
- VI. **Critique of Isis' women policy**  
Yılmaz Z.  
Türkiye Ortadoğu Araştırmaları Dergisi, vol.4, no.2, pp.13-39, 2017 (Refereed Journals of Other Institutions)
- VII. **Neoliberal Küreselleşmenin Melez İzdüşümleri: İslamcı Feminizm**  
Yılmaz Z.

Yüzüncü Yıl Üniversitesi Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, no.34, pp.267-288, 2017 (International Refereed University Journal)

VIII. **Dindarlığın yeniden inşasında islamcı kadınlar**

Yılmaz Z.

MÜLKİYE, vol.37, no.4, pp.9-32, 2013 (International Refereed University Journal)

## **Books & Book Chapters**

I. **Yerelin Sivil Toplumla İlişkisi Üzerine Bir Tartışma: Van İli Örneği**

Yılmaz Z., Yaralı Akkaya A.

in: Sosyal Bilimlerde Akademik Araştırmalar, Zeki TAŞTAN, M.Zeki DUMAN, Güler YILMAZ, Editor, Hiperyayın, İstanbul, pp.172-203, 2019

II. **Taşra'da Kadın Olmak: Van Örneği**

Yılmaz Z.

in: Dünyada Van, Çağlayan E., Editor, İletişim Yayınevi, İstanbul, pp.355-376, 2019

## **Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings**

I. **Migrant Muslim Women Crossing Borders: The Role of Women and Religion in Turkey's International Policy on External Migrants**

Yılmaz Z.

ECPR, Hamburg, Germany, 22 - 26 August 2018, pp.1

II. **Mülteciler Arası Farklılıklar: Van'daki farklı Mülteci Profilleri**

Yılmaz Z.

Migration Movements and Changing Dynamics in the Middle East, Nevşehir, Turkey, 10 - 11 May 2018, pp.1

III. **A Comparative Analysis of State Discourses on Transsexuality in Iran and Turkey**

Yılmaz Z., Hazır A.

European Conference on Politics and Gender, Lozan, Switzerland, 8 - 10 June 2017, pp.1

IV. **Küresel ve Yerelin Kesişiminde Türkiye'de Sığınmacı Meselesi ve Kurumsal Çözümler**

Yılmaz Z.

Kayfor 14-Kamu Yönetimi Forumu, Van, Turkey, 27 April - 29 January 2017, pp.29

V. **Asylee Women as a part of Subaltern Discussions: Temporary Position of Eastern/Women Asylum Seekers in Turkey**

Yılmaz Z.

Conference on Gender Studies: Gender, Conflict, War and Peace, Gazimagusa, Cyprus (Kktc), 23 - 25 March 2017, pp.70

## **Supported Projects**

Yılmaz Z., EU Supported Other Project, Türkiye'de Katılımcı Demokrasinin Güçlendirilmesi: Toplumsal Cinsiyet Eşitliğinin İzlenmesi Projesi, 2018 - 2018

Tuncer S., Yılmaz Z., EU Supported Other Project, Van İli Kadın, Çocuk Mülteci/Sığınmacılar Danışmanlık ve Rehberlik Projesi, 2017 - 2018

Yılmaz Z., Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions, A Comparative Analysis of State Discourses on Transsexuality in Iran and Turkey, 2017 - 2018

## **Activities in Scientific Journals**

Sosyoloji Notları, Advisory Committee Member, 2017 - Continues  
Doğu Anadolu Sosyal Bilimlerde Eğilimler Dergisi, Evaluation Committee Member, 2016 - Continues  
YYU İİBF Dergisi, Publication Committee Member, 2016 - Continues  
Feminist Eleştiri, Publication Committee Member, 2012 - Continues

## Scientific Refereeing

Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
sosyoloji notları, National Scientific Refreed Journal, December 2017  
Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
Fe Dergi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
sosyal Bilimler Enstitü Dergisi, Other Indexed Journal, December 2017  
YYU İktisadi ve İdari Bilimler Fakültesi Dergisi , National Scientific Refreed Journal, June 2017  
YYU İktisadi ve İdari Bilimler Fakültesi Dergisi, National Scientific Refreed Journal, June 2017  
Fe Dergi, National Scientific Refreed Journal, June 2017  
Fe Dergi, Other Indexed Journal, June 2017  
YYU İİBF Dergisi , Other journals, December 2016  
Uluslararası Suriye: Politik Süreç ve İnsani Krizler (1914-2016), Other journals, November 2016  
Uluslararası Suriye: Politik Süreç ve İnsani Krizler (1914-2016), Other journals, November 2016  
Uluslararası Suriye: Politik Süreç ve İnsani Krizler (1914-2016), Other journals, November 2016  
Uluslararası Suriye: Politik Süreç ve İnsani Krizler (1914-2016), Other journals, November 2016  
Uluslararası Suriye: Politik Süreç ve İnsani Krizler (1914-2016), Other journals, November 2016  
YYU İİBF Dergisi , Other Indexed Journal, May 2016  
YYU İİBF Dergisi , Other journals, April 2016

## Edit Congress and Symposium Activities

Bacıyan-ı Rum Anma Etkinlikleri, Invited Speaker, Adana, Turkey, 2018  
ECPG, Attendee, Lausanne, Switzerland, 2017  
Kayfor 14-Kamu Yönetimi Forumu, Attendee, Van, Turkey, 2017  
6th International Conference on Gender Studies: Gender, Conflict, War and Peace, Attendee, Gazimagusa, Cyprus (Kktc), 2017  
Uluslararası Suriye: Politik Süreç ve İnsani Krizler (1914-2016), Attendee, Ankara, Turkey, 2016  
I.CIEG International Congress on Gender, Attendee, Lisboa, Portugal, 2016

## Citations

Total Citations (WOS):2  
h-index (WOS):1

## Awards

Yılmaz Z., scholarships for Turkish Faculty members to attend the ECPG conference, ECPG, June 2017