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- CONTACT Koç University
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- EMPLOYMENT *Assistant Professor of Philosophy* Koç University, September 2014-present
Fellow in Philosophy Harvard University, June 2013-July 2014
- EDUCATION Harvard University, Ph.D., Philosophy, May 2013
Harvard University, M.A., Philosophy, January 2005
Thesis: “Dummett and Davidson on the Dependence of Thought on Language”
Bogazici University, M.A, Philosophy, June 2002
Thesis: “On Hintikka’s Reconstruction of Kantian Intuitions and Ecthesis in Mathematical Reasoning”
Bogazici University, B.Sc., *second of the class*, Mathematics, June 1998
Thesis: “Some problems in Coding Theory”
- AREAS OF SPECIALIZATION Philosophy of Mind, Philosophy of Action
- AREAS OF COMPETENCE Logic, Kant’s Theoretical Philosophy, Early Analytic Philosophy, Philosophy of Language, Aristotle
- PUBLICATIONS “Practical Knowledge of What Happens: A Reading of §45” *Klesis Revue Philosophique* [forthcoming, Fall 2015]
“The Subject/Object use of “I” ” in *Mind, Language and Action: Contributions to the 36th International Wittgenstein Symposium*, edited by Daniele Moyal-Sharrock, Volker A. Munz, Annalisa Coliva, published by Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society, 2013.
“On the Reconstruction of Kantian Intuitions: Modern Logic” in *Recht und Frieden in der Philosophie Kants. Akten des X. Internationalen Kant-Kongresses*, Band 5, edited by Valerio Rohden, Ricardo R.Terra, Guido A. de Almolda, Margit Ruffing, published by Walter de Gruyter, 2008, pp.175-189.
- WORK IN PROGRESS

“Knowledge in Action as Practical Knowledge” *under review*
“Knowledge in Action & Knowledge of Perception”
“Two uses of ‘I’”
“Knowledge in Action and the Phenomenology of Skillful Coping”
“Self-knowledge as the Condition of Representation in General”

PRESENTATIONS

Commentary on Jonathan Way’s “Reasons and Guidance” ” *invited*
1st Southampton-Bogazici Workshop on Agency and Autonomy, May 16th,
2015

“Knowledge in Action & Knowledge of Perception” *invited*
the University of Porto, February 3, 2015

“Awareness of One’s Own Intentional Actions” ” *refereed*
ESPP, Noto, Italy, September 16-19 2014

“Knowledge in Action & Knowledge of Perception” *refereed*
Conference on Knowing and Acting, Potsdam University, July 2014

“Knowledge in Action: Less Like Pain, More Like Perception” *refereed*
APA Pacific Division Meeting, San Diego, April 2014

“Knowledge in Action & Knowledge of Perception” *invited presentation*
Koç University, February 2014

“Knowledge in Action & Knowledge of Perception” *invited presentation*
University of California, Santa Cruz, March 2014

“Knowledge in Action as Knowledge of What Happens” *refereed* Shared Agency:
International Master Class with Michael Bratman, University of Antwerp,
August 2013

“The Subject/Object use of “I” Distinction” *refereed* 36th International Wittgen-
stein Symposium: Mind, Language and Action, August 2013

“On Velleman on the Efficacy of Practical Knowledge” Metaphysics and Episte-
mology Workshop, Harvard University, January 2012

“The World-involvingness of Practical Knowledge” Metaphysics and Episte-
mology Workshop, Harvard University, March 2011

“Non-cognitivism and the Critique of traditional Metaphysics in Wittgenstein
and Heidegger”, *invited presentation*, Harvard Workshop in European
Philosophy, December 2010

“Practical Thought and I-talk” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Har-
vard University, September 2010

“On whether “I” refers” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard
University, March 2010

“Intention §45” Workshop in Moral and Political Philosophy, Harvard Univer-
sity, December 2009

“How do I know that I am doing something when I know that by doing it?”
Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard University, March 2009

“On Moran on Anscombe on Practical Knowledge” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard University, November 2008

“Are explanations of action by reasons causal explanations?” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard University, November 2007

“John McDowell on Second Nature” *invited presentation*, Professor Martha Nussbaum’s seminar on Virtue Ethics, March 2007

“Operativeness of reason in receptivity: Rationality as second nature” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard University, November 2006

“Is Language Necessary for Thought?” *refereed* International Conference on Philosophy of Athens Institute for Education and Research, June 2006

“Where do Davidson and Burge disagree?” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard University, May 2006

“On the Reconstruction of Kantian Intuitions in Modern Logic.” *refereed* 10th International Kant Congress in Sao Paulo, Brazil, September 2005

“Dummett and Davidson on the Dependence of Thought on Language” Metaphysics and Epistemology Workshop, Harvard University, March 2005

“Is Frege’s Logic Synthetic in Kant’s Sense?” Vienna International Summer University (VISU) Scientific World Conceptions, “Unity and Plurality in Science”, June 2001

“On the analytic/synthetic distinction in Kant and Frege” Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, May 2000

FELLOWSHIPS
AND AWARDS

Nominated The Star Family Prize for Excellence in Advising, Harvard University, May 2013

Graduate Society Dissertation Completion Fellowship, Harvard University, 2011-2012

Richard M. Martin Prize Fellowship, Department of Philosophy, Harvard University, 2010-2011

Travel grant for The Nature of Practical Intelligence Workshop at Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin, 28-30 May 2009, Department of Philosophy, Harvard University

Grant for language study in Munich, Germany, Philosophy Department, Harvard University, 2007

The Jens Aubrey Westengard Fund Travel Grant 2005, 2006

Graduate Student Prize Fellowship, Harvard University 2002-2007

Travel and tuition grant for VISU 2001, Institut Wiener Kreis, Austria

Honor Student, Department of Mathematics, Bogazici University, 1996-1998

ACADEMIC
SERVICE

Referee for Mind

Organizer Workshop: "Seeing and Disjunctivism" Koç University, May 22, 2015

Faculty Search Coordinator Koç University, 2014-15

Philosophy Department Representative Harvard University Mind/Brain/Behaviour Initiative Graduate Steering committee, 2006-2007

Co-organizer 2007 MBB Graduate Student Conference: "Finding Perfection: Perspectives on Optimality from Mind, Brain and Behavior"
<http://mbb.harvard.edu/grad/gradstudentconf.php>

Coach undergraduate MBB concentrators thesis presentations, 2006-2007

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

Full Responsibility at Koç University

Phil 338: Philosophy of Mind

Phil 315: History of Early Analytic Philosophy

Phil 131: Logic

HUMS 117: Rationality & Irrationality

Full Responsibility at Harvard University

Moral Psychology in Plato's *Republic*

Aristotle and Anscombe on Action

Anscombe's *Intention*

Teaching Fellow at Harvard University

Philosophy 139x: Heidegger: Being and Time (Instructor: Sean D. Kelly)

Phil 129 : Kant's Theoretical Philosophy (Instructor: Matthew Boyle)

Phil 144: Logic and Philosophy (Instructor: Warren Goldfarb)

Phil 137: The Later philosophy of Wittgenstein (Instructor: Warren Goldfarb)

MR66 : Are there moral truths? (Instructor: Niko Kolodny)

Quantitative Reasoning 22 (Instructor: Richard Heck)

Teaching Assistant at Bogazici University

Calculus I and II for Math Majors

Calculus I and II for Engineers)

Introduction to Mathematical Structures for Math Majors

Set Theory for Math Majors

MISCELLANEOUS Languages: Turkish (native), German (research)

REFERENCES Sean Kelly (sdkelly@fas.harvard.edu)
Professor of Philosophy, Harvard University

Richard Moran (moran@fas.harvard.edu)
Brian D. Young Professor of Philosophy, Harvard University

Matthew Boyle (boyle2@fas.harvard.edu)
Professor of Philosophy, Harvard University

Warren Goldfarb (goldfarb@fas.harvard.edu)
Walter Beverly Pearson Professor of Modern Mathematics and Mathematical
Logic, Harvard University

Martha Nussbaum (martha_nussbaum@law.uchicago.edu)
Ernst Freund Distinguished Service Professor of Law and Ethics, University of
Chicago

Charles Travis (c.s.travis@gmail.com)
Professor of Philosophy, King's College London

John Hyman (john.hyman@queens.ox.ac.uk)
Professor of Aesthetics, The Queen's College, Oxford University