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Biography

Dr. Damla Özer graduated from the Department of Industrial Design at the Middle East Technical University (METU) in 2001. She completed her master's study in 2004 in the same department with the title: "Origins, aims and methods of basic design courses in industrial design programs in Turkey"; and PhD thesis on "Sustainability and consumption through single-use disposable products" in 2017. Within her PhD studies, she conducted research in Kyushu University in Japan with Japanese Government Scholarship (Monbukagakusho) between September 2011 and October 2012. She worked as a research assistant at the Department of Industrial Design in METU from 2001 to 2008. Between the years 2008-2010, she worked as an instructor at the Department of Graphic Design in Bilkent University; and as a part-time instructor at the Department of Industrial Design in Anadolu University from 2013 to 2017. She taught various courses at bachelor level such as basic design studio, second and third year studios, technical drawing, and introduction to typography.

Currently, she continues her research on sustainability, consumption and basic design education; and has been working as an assistant professor in TED University at the Department of Industrial Design since April 2018.

Education Information

Doctorate, Middle East Technical University, Turkey 2014 - 2017

Postgraduate, Middle East Technical University, Turkey 2001 - 2005

Undergraduate, Middle East Technical University, Turkey 1997 - 2001

Foreign Languages

English
Japanese, A2 Elementary

Certificates, Courses and Trainings

Other, Monbukagakusho: MEXT, Kyushu University, 2011

Research Areas

Academic Titles / Tasks

Assistant Professor, TED University, Faculty of Architecture and Design, Department of Industrial Design, 2018 - Continues

2018 - Continues

Courses

Introduction to Industrial Design, Undergraduate

Introduction to Industrial Design, Undergraduate

Basics of Three Dimensional Design, Undergraduate

Basics of Design, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023

Sustainable Living and Design, Undergraduate, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020

Basics of Design, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020, 2018 - 2019

Visual Communication Techniques I, Undergraduate, 2022 - 2023, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020, 2018 - 2019

Basics of Three Dimensional Design, Undergraduate, 2021 - 2022, 2020 - 2021, 2019 - 2020, 2018 - 2019

Industrial Design V, Undergraduate, 2021 - 2022

Visual Communication II, Undergraduate, 2018 - 2019

Visual Communication Techniques II, Undergraduate, 2018 - 2019

Jury Memberships

Doctorate, Doctorate, Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi, August, 2022

September, 2021

July, 2021

January, 2021

August, 2020

July, 2020

December, 2019

November, 2019

August, 2019

May, 2019

May, 2019

May, 2019

September, 2018

Articles Published in Other Journals

I. "Çizgisel gelişme anlayışına angaje olmayan, tüketim odaklı bir ilerlemenin nihai amaç olarak görülmediği bir tasarım uğraşı mümkün müdür?"

Özer D.

Meltem, vol.Yaz/Summer, pp.117-119, 2021 (Non Peer-Reviewed Journal)

Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

I. Türkiye'de Sürdürülebilir Tüketim: Tek Kullanımlık Kullan-At Ürünler Örneği Üzerinden Bir İnceleme Özer D.

UTAK 2nd National Design Research Conference, Ankara, Turkey, 21 - 23 September 2016, pp.419-434

Activities in Scientific Journals

Yeniden Akdeniz, 2020 - Continues

Scientific Refereeing

UTAK, 4th National Design Research Conference at the Middle East Technical University, February 2020 UTAK, 3rd National Design Research Conference at the Middle East Technical University, February 2018

Tasks In Event Organizations

ÖZER D., "Understanding Composition Through Music" Workshop by Murat Örses, Aralık 2020 ÖZER D., "Understanding Composition Through Music" Workshop by Murat Örses, Aralık 2019 ÖZER D., Introduction to Typography Workshop by Funda Şenova-Tunalı, Kasım 2019