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Nationality: TURKISH

Year of birth: 1965

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Place of current employment: United Nations Combating of Desertification Secreteriat (UNCCD)

Position held: Regional Coordinator for Northern Mediterranean Region.

Type of organization: ☐ United Nations

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Education: Black Sea Technical University, Forestry Faculty

Post Graduate Training:

May – June, 2005, Cagliari, Italy “Workshop on “Economics and Environment”.

May 2005, Kardjali, Bulgaria “International Conference on Erosion Control, in Honor of 100 Anniversary-Bulgaria”.

May 2004, Grenoble, France “Seminar on Soil Conservation”.

October - November 2003, Japan “Participatory Integrated Watershed Development”.

1999-2000, Range Management and Improvement Training Course, Agriculture Faculty, Ankara University, Turkey.

April, 1999, Ankara, Turkey “World Bank Procurement Procedure Seminar”.

January-March 1997, Colorado State University and University of Wyoming, USA

“Watershed Management Course”.

Area of Specialization;

Designing and conduction of capacity building and training programs.

Preparation, conduction, monitoring and assessment of natural resources and community development projects.

Program and budget management.

Desertification combating, Soil Conservation and Erosion Control.

Rural Development.

Natural Resources Management (forest and pasture rehabilitation and management).

Integrated Participatory Watershed Rehabilitation and Management.

Afforestation and Nursery Development.

Participatory rural appraisals and planning.

Geographic area(s) of field of experience (countries/regions):

Turkey, Central Asia and Caucasus (Kyrgyzstan, Uzbekistan, Tajikistan, Azerbaijan), Africa (Senegal, Algeria, Namibia), South East Europe, North Mediterranean .

Languages in which you are fluent (list mother tongue first):

1. Turkish 2. English

Summary of the Work Experience:

2016- Regional Coordinator for Northern Mediterranean Region, UNCCD

2013 :2016 Team leader on the Government side for FAO-LADA project preparation on “Decision Support for Mainstreaming and Scaling up of Sustainable Land Management” (GCP /GLO/488/GFF).

2012-2013: Team leader on the Government side for NAP Alignment for UNCCD 10 years strategy project preparation (GCP/TUR/060/GFF).

From 2012 to 2016: Regional Project Coordinator for the “Capacity Building for Sustainable Management of Mountain Watersheds in Central Asia and the Caucasus Project”, supported under FAO-Turkey Partnership Program (GCP/SEC/002/TUR).

2011-2012: Team leader on the Government side for “FAO- Sustainable Land Management and Friendly Climate Agriculture Implementation” project preparation.

2013: Co-author of the “FAO Guidelines for Building Resilient Forest Landscapes to Global Changes in Dry lands”.

2010-2011: Short term FAO Consultant for “Home-Based Nursery Development for Improved Food Security and Environmental Protection in Tajikistan” (TCP/TUR/3102).

August 2011-May 2012: Head of the Department for Desertification Combating, Ministry of Forest and Water Affairs.

January-August 2011: Program Officer for Northern Mediterranean and Developed Countries, UNCCD Headquarters Bonn, Germany.

From 2007-2013: Member of the Team for preparation of the National Development Plan for Rural Development and Forestry Sector.

May 2007-2011: Vice President of The Drought Management Centre for South-Eastern Europe International Steering Committee, Slovenia.

From 2007-2009: Chair of the North Mediterranean Region, UNCCD.

June 2006-Present: National Focal Point of Turkey for UNCCD.

March 2006 to- 2011: Division Director for Combating of Desertification and Foreign Affairs.

March 2004-2009: Coordinator of Desert Watch Project in Turkey supported by European Space Agency.

From October 2004-2006: Procurement Specialist, Anatolia Watershed Rehabilitation Project, Supported by World Bank.

September 2003-March 2006: Director of the Erosion Control Division of the General Directory of Reforestation and Erosion Control, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Turkey.

May 2003-2005: Coordinator of The Master Plan Study for Participatory Integrated Watershed Rehabilitation Project for Coruh River Basin supported by JICA.

October 2001-September 2003: Director of the Soil Survey Division of the General Directory of Reforestation and Erosion Control, Ministry of Forests, Turkey.

June 1998-October 2001: Forest Engineer at the Coordination Unit of The Eastern Anatolia Watershed Management Project, General Directory of Reforestation and Erosion Control of the Ministry of Forest, Turkey.

1995-1998- TEMA foundation Vice Regional Coordinator for Eastern Anatolia.

1993-1998: Chief Engineer, responsible for the World Bank supported Eastern Anatolia Watershed Management Project’s implementations in Malatya and Elazig Provinces, Turkey.