



6th ALL AZIMUTH WORKSHOP

“THINK GLOBAL ACT LOCAL: THE GLOBALIZATION OF TURKISH IR”

November 6-7, 2021

WORKSHOP PROGRAM

Day 1: November 6, Saturday

09.00 – 09:30 Welcoming Remarks

Assessment of the Success/Failure of Turkish IR: Is Globalization a Way Out?
Ali L. Karaosmanoğlu and Ersel Aydınli

09.30 –12.00 PANEL I :GLOBALIZATION OF TURKISH IR: LIMITATIONS AND PROMISES

Turkish IR and Its Critics

Non-Western Theories in International Relations Education and Research:
The case of Turkey/Turkish Academy
Mehmet Akif Okur and Cavit Emre Aytakin

Reconstructing Turkish IR in the Turbulent Global Context
Atila Eralp and Fuat Keyman

Lessons Learned from the Development of Turkish IR: A View from Greece
Kyriakos Mikelis

A Quantitative Turn in IR Studies in Turkey?
Ebru Canan Sokullu

Sea Blindness in Turkish International Relations Literature
Levent Kirval and Arda Özkan

13.30 – 16.00 PANEL II : GLOBALIZATION OF TURKISH IR: CONCEPTS AND REFLECTIONS

Taking Stock and Moving Forward

Turkish IR Needs its Empire: The Empirical Riches of Ottoman Empire for
Theorizing IR
Ali Balci and Tuncay Kardaş

Exploring the Concepts of Morality and Ethics in Ottoman Empire:
A Case Study in Global International Relations
Birol Akgün and Zeba Khan

A Genealogy of the Concept of Civilization (Medeniyet) in Ottoman Political
Thought: A Homegrown Perception?
Mustafa Serdar Palabıyık

Teaching Geopolitics in Turkey: Disciplinary Boundaries and Methodological Issues
Cem Savaş

Searching Place in Global IR through Exceptionalism: Turkey and ‘Mediation for
Peace Initiative’
R. Funda Karadeniz and Gonca Oğuz Gök

Day 2: November 7, Sunday

09.00–11.30 PANEL III : TEACHING IR IN TURKEY

Pedagogy & In-Class Practices, Syllabi and Curriculum Studies

The Rise and Fall of Homegrown Concepts in Global IR: Anatomy of ‘the Strategic Depth’
Eyüp Ersoy

Does Language Matter?: The Impact of Language of Instruction on IR
Students in Turkish Universities
Onur Şen

IR Education in Turkey
İ. Erkam Sula and Buğra Sarı

The Trajectory of the Field of International Relations between 2000-2020:
An Evaluation of IR PhD Dissertations in Turkish Academia
Özge Özkoç and Pınar Çağlayan

Introducing the Anatomy of Terrorism Education Database (ATED):
Preliminary Findings on Terrorism Education in Turkey
Ersel Aydınli, Onur Erpul, and Efe Tokdemir

11.30–13.00 PANEL IV: TURKISH IR’s SOCIAL SCIENCE SOCIALIZATION

Socializing IR: Turkish IR Scholars and their Twitter Interactions
Hakan Mehmetçik, Eric Lease Morgan, Melih Koluk, and Galip Yüksel

Sömürgecilik in Academia: Turkish International Relations in the University
Ranking and Journal Indexing Complex
Mehmet Akif Okur and Mustafa Tetik

Quo Vadis Turkish IR? Mapping Turkish IR’s Footsteps within the Global
İrem Karamık and Erman Ermihan

14.00 –16.00 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

The workshop will be held at Zoom.
Registration required.

