# CURRICULUM VITAE

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#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Date of Birth: May 25, 1980

PLACE OF BIRTH: Hanak-Ardahan - Turkey

CITIZENSHIP: Turkish MARITAL STATUS: Married

## ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

Ph.D., Mathematics. Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, expected Fall 2009-2010

Dissertation: "Essential Cohomology and Relative Cohomology of Finite

Groups"

Supervisor: Ergün Yalçın

Junior Specialist. Friedrich-Schiller-University, Jena, Germany

Advisor: David J. Green

August 15, 2007- May 15, 2008, supported by TÜBİTAK BDP.

M.S., Mathematics. Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, 2004

Thesis: " $L_{\zeta}$ -modules and a theorem of Jon Carlson"

Supervisor: Ergün Yalçın

B.S., Mathematics. Dokuz Eylül University, Turkey, 2002

### ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

- TÜBİTAK BDP, (2006–2008).
- TÜBİTAK Research Fellowship, (2005–2006).
- Merit-based Full Scholarship, Bilkent University (2002–2005)
- Graduation Award from Dokuz Eylül University, 2002. (ranked first among Faculty of Arts and Sciences graduates of the bachelor's degree programs in the 2001-2002 academic year.)

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- A theorem of Jon F. Carlson on Filtrations of Modules,
  - J. Pure and Applied Algebra, 208 (2007) 15-28 (with Ergün Yalçın).
- Essential Cohomology for Elementary Abelian p-Groups,
  - J. Pure and Applied Algebra, in press (with David J. Green).
- Essential Classes and Relative Cohomology, in preparation.

#### CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

• Cohomology of Finite Groups

Essential Cohomology

Relative Cohomology of Finite Groups with respect to a finite G-set

- Homological Algebra
- Modular Invariant Theory

• Commutative Algebra (Varieties of Modules)

#### TALKS GIVEN IN SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

• May 2009, Antalya, Turkey

Antalya Algebra Days XI

Talk: Essential Cohomology of Elementary Abelian p-Groups.

• May 2009, Ankara, Turkey

Odtü-Bilkent Algebraic Geometry Seminars

Talk: Varieties of Modules and a Filtration Theorem.

• November 2008, Ankara, Tukey

Bilkent University, Algebra Seminar

Talk: Essential Cohomology of Elementary Abelian p-Groups

• May 2008, Jena, Germany

Friedrich-Schiller University, Jena

Talk: Essential Cohomology of Elementary Abelian p-Groups

• October 2007, Jena, Germany

Friedrich-Schiller University, Jena

Talk: Some Remarks on a Theorem of Jon F. Carlson on Filtrations of Modules

• May 2005, Antalya, Turkey

Antalya Algebra Days VII

Talk: Some Remarks on a Theorem of Jon F. Carlson on Filtrations of Modules

• May 2004, Antalya, Turkey

Antalya Algebra Days VI

Talk:  $L_{\zeta}$ -Modules and Induction From Elementary Abelian Subgroups

• 2003-2007, Ankara, Turkey

Bilkent University, Weekly Algebra Workshop

Selected Talks:

- ♦ Essential Cohomology of Finite Groups
- ♦ Varieties and Transfers
- $\diamond$  Varieties of Modules and  $L_{\zeta}$ -modules
- $\diamond$   $L_{\zeta}$ -modules in Group Cohomology of Finite Groups
- ♦ Periodic Cohomology of Finite Groups
- 2007-2008, Jena, Germany

Friedrich-Schiller University, Jena, Weekly Algebra Workshop

Talk: The maximal p-subgroups of  $GL(d, \mathbb{Z})$ 

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Recitation Instructor:
  - $\diamond\,$  Calculus I (Faculty of Engineering Bilkent University)
  - ♦ Calculus II (Faculty of Engineering Bilkent University)
  - ♦ Responsibilities: Preparing and presenting the material of the recitation, designing the quiz questions, assisting students on the individual basis through the office hours.
- Teaching Assistant:

- ♦ Algebra I-II (for Mathematics)
- ♦ Linear Algebra (for Mathematics )
- ♦ Linear Algebra(for Engineering)
- ♦ Calculus I-II (for Economics)
- ♦ Statistics for Social Science

Responsibilities: Grading weekly homeworks and quizzes, assisting students on the individual basis through the office hours.

- ♦ Help Center (For all calculus courses for engineering department)
- ♦ Responsibilities: Assisting students on individual basis during three houred help session, teaching the subjects that students have problems.

#### CURRENT PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Turkish Mathematical Society (TurkMath)
- American Mathematical Society (AMS)

#### REFERENCES

• Assoc. Prof Ergün Yalçın yalcine@fen.bilkent.edu.tr

• Assoc. Prof. Laurence Barker barker@fen.bilkent.edu.tr

• Prof. David J. Green green@minet.uni-jena.de

Particularly, for teaching:

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