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A Tatar-American poet who writes his poems in a peculiar dialect of English spoken by the first generation immigrants

Poetry Publications

The Passport You Asked For; The Aeolos Press, Cyprus 2004. Dislocation and diaspora poems collected in a volume together with Kenneth Rosen's *Cyprus' Bad Period*.

English Poems in *Prairie Schooner, Colere Magazine, Red Wheel Barrow, The Massachusetts Review, Out of Line, Off the Coast, Nidus, The Charles River Journal* and *International Poetry Review* (a translation from Turkish with Victor Howes)

Turkish Poems in Soyut, Yordam, Kardaş Edebiyatlar, Kırım and Dergah

Other Publications

TURKISH: A Dictionary of Delight, edited by Roger Conover; ZKM, Karlsruhe, Second Printing, 2006 – *VRRP, Increasing Reliability and Failover with Virtual Router Redundancy Protocol*, New York, NY, Addison-Wesley, 2003; with Ayikudi Srikanth – also scholarly work on philosophy, logic and linguistics.

In The News

Interviews with Ellen Steinbaum in Boston Globe, City Type: *Finding Words in a New Language*, November 13, 2002; *Writing about the World, One Year Later*, February 2, 2003

American Public Media, Speaking of Faith: Ramadan in Dunkin Donuts. 10th day of Ramadan 2009.

Readings

Stone Soup Poetry, Cambridge MA – Class Act, Wintrop MA – Barnes & Nobles, Cambridge MA – Special guest at *An Evening of Balkan Poetry* organized by MIT Organization of Serbian Students MA – First Church in Boston, *Artists Night*, Boston MA.

Awards

2007 New England Poetry Club Erikan Mumford Award, Honorable Mention 2011 Nazm Hikmet Poetry Award, Carry NC

Studied with

Victor Howes, Barbara Helfgott Hyett, Susan Donnelly

Education

Postdoctoral Research as Alexander von Humboldt Scholar, Frankfurt University; Topics: Action Theory and Hermeneutics – *Ph.D.* University of Istanbul; Major: Philosophy, Minor: General Linguistics – *B.A.* University of Istanbul; Major: Philosophy, Minor: Classical Studies

Work Experience

In Academe: various teaching and research positions: Middle East Technical University, Ankara University, University of Colorado at Denver, Colorado Women's College, Boston University.

In Industry: various technical and managerial positions: Tektronix, Racal-Milgo, Unysis-Timeplex, Fujitsu Nexion, Nortel Networks