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Education

Bogaziçi University (TR) - BSc in Psychology	2003-2008
University of Surrey (UK) – MSc in Research Methods in Psychology	2008-2009
Goldsmiths, University of London (UK) – PhD in Psychology	2010-2014

Experience

Part-time Instructor – Isik University & Yeditepe University	2014-2015
Full-time Faculty Member (Asst. Prof) – Isik University	2015-2019
Full-time Faculty Member (Assoc. Prof) – Sabanci University	2019-2024
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Publications

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Books and Book Chapters

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2. **Bagci, S. C.** & Birinci*, B. (2017). Religious and national identity levels predicting subtle and blatant prejudice towards Syrian refugees: Empathy and perspective-taking as mediators. In Arapgirlioğlu, H., Atik, A., Elliott, R. L. & Turgeon, E. (Eds.) *Researches on Science and Art in 21st Century Turkey*. Istanbul: Gece Kitaplığı.

3. **Bagci, S. C.** (2019). Immigrant status effects. In *Encyclopedia of Child and Adolescent Development*. Wiley-Blackwell.

4. **Bagci, S. C.** & Rutland, A. (2020). Ethnic majority and minority youth in multicultural societies. In Titzmann, P. F. & Juggert, P. (Eds.) *Youth in multicultural societies: New directions for future research and interventions* (p. 177-195). Routledge.

5. **Bagci, S. C.** & Turnuklu, A. (2020). Gruplararası temas kuramı ve okul uygulamaları. In Doğan, A. & Kağnıcı, D. Y. (Eds) *Göçmen çocuk ve ergenler: Kültürleşme, uyum ve eğitim* (pp. 161-181). Nobel Yayınevi.

6. **Bagci, S. C.,** Turner, R., & Cameron, L. (2021). Cross-group friendships: Predictors and implications for intergroup relations and beyond. In Altmann, T. (Ed.) *Friendship in cultural and and personality psychology: An international perspective* (pp. 57-93). Nova Science Publishers: New York.

7. **Bagci, S. C.** (2022). Acculturation and Children's Social Development in Europe: Recent Theoretical Perspectives and Empirical Findings. In Smith, P. K. & Craig, H. H. (Eds.) *Handbook of Childhood Social Development*, third edition. Wiley-Blackwell.

8. **Bagci, S. C.**, Stathi, S., & Acar*, B. (2022). Intergroup contact in Turkey: Challenges, opportunities, and application among majority and minority status groups. In Cakal, H. & Husnu, S. (Eds.) *Examining Complex Intergroup Relations: Through the Lens of Turkey,* Routledge.

9. **Bagci, S. C.** & Piyale*, Z. E. (2022). Ahlak ve Gruplararası İlişkiler. In Yilmaz, O. (Ed.). *Ahlakın "Yeni" Soykütüğü: Psikolojik ve Evrimsel bir Bakış*. Koç Üniversitesi Yayınları.

Books

1. **Bagci, S. C.** (in prep). *Yanlızca temas et*: Dünden bugüne gruplararası temas kuramı.

Conference presentations

1. **Bagci, S. C.** (March 2012). Ethnic and gender differences on academic self-concepts and outcomes in multiethnic secondary schools in London. Paper presented at the InLab International Conference of Individual Differences at Goldsmiths, University of London.

2. **Bagci, S. C.**, Kumashiro, M., Smith, P. K., Blumberg, H. & Rutland, A. (April 2013). Cross-ethnic friendships, are they really rare? Evidence from multiethnic secondary schools in London. Poster presented at the BPS Annual Conference in Harrogate, UK.

3. **Bagci, S. C.**, Rutland, A., Kumashiro, M., Smith, P. K., & Blumberg, H. (May 2013). Cross-ethnic friendships during secondary school years: How do they relate to well-being, resilience and academic outcomes? Paper presented at the 9th PhD Meeting in Social & Organizational Psychology in Lisbon.

4. **Bagci, S. C.**, Kumashiro, M., Smith, P. K., Blumberg, H. & Rutland, A. (July 2013). Cross-ethnic friendships, are they really rare? Evidence from multiethnic secondary schools in London. Paper presented at the 13th European Congress of Psychology in Stockholm.

5. **Bagci, S. C.**, Rutland, A., Blumberg, H., Kumashiro, M., Smith, P. K., & Blumberg, H. (September 2013). Cross-ethnic friendships among British children: How do they relate to ethnic diversity and positive developmental outcomes? Paper presented at the 16th European Developmental Psychology Conference in Lausanne.

6. **Bagci, S. C.**, Kumashiro, M., Rutland, A., Smith, P. K., & Blumberg, H. (September 2014). How do cross-ethnic friendships relate to positive psychological and academic outcomes? The role of self-disclosure and affirmation. Paper presented at the BPS Developmental Section Conference in Amsterdam.

7. **Bagci, S. C.**, Kumashiro, M., Rutland, A., Smith, P. K., & Blumberg, H. (February 2015). How do cross-ethnic friendships relate to positive psychological and academic outcomes? The role of self-disclosure and affirmation. Poster presented at the 16th SPSP conference in Long Beach, USA.

8. **Bagci, S. C.**, Kumashiro, M., Rutland, A. (May 2015). Think about a good cross-ethnic friend: Could cross-ethnic friendships increase ethnic minority youth's future academic motivations? Poster presented at the BPS Annual Section Conference in Liverpool, UK.

9. **Bagci, S. C.**, Rutland, A., Kumashiro, M., Smith, P. K., & Blumberg, H. (September 2015). Cross-ethnic friendships and perceived ethnic discrimination among South Asian British children: Links to psychological and academic outcomes. Paper presented at the 17th European Conference on Developmental Psychology in Braga, Portugal.

10. **Bagci., S. C.** (April 2016). Promoting self-efficacy among children: A classroom-based intervention strategy to promote positive outcomes. Paper presented at the BPS Annual Conference in Nottingham, UK.

11. **Bagci., S. C.** (April 2016). Does everyone benefit equally from self-efficacy beliefs? The moderating role of social support. Paper presented at the BPS Annual Conference in Nottingham, UK.

12. **Bagci, S. C.** (July 2016). Promoting self-efficacy among children: A classroom-based intervention strategy to promote positive outcomes. Poster presented at the 24th Biennial Meeting of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, in Vilnius, Lithuania.

13. **Bagci, S. C.** (July 2016). Cross-ethnic friendships and perceived ethnic discrimination among South Asian British children: Links to psychological and academic outcomes. Symposium paper to be presented at the 24th Biennial Meeting of the International Society for the Study of Behavioural Development, in Vilnius, Lithuania.

14. **Bagci, S. C.** & Çelebi, E. (July 2016). Interethnic friendships and outgroup attitudes among Turkish-Kurdish ethnic groups: Does perceived interethnic conflict moderate the friendship-attitude link? [Türk ve Kürt gruplarda gruplararası arkadaşlıklar ve dışgrup tutumları: Algılanan çatışmanın düzenleyici etkisi]. Symposium paper presented at 19th Turkish Psychological Association (Türk Psikoloji Derneği), İzmir, Turkey.

15. **Bagci, S. C.**, Piyale, Z. E. & Ebcim, E. (July 2017). Imagined contact in high-conflict settings: The role of group identification and the perspective of minority group members. Paper presented at the 18th General Meeting of the European Association of Social Psychology in Granada, Spain.

16. Turner, R., Cameron, L., **Bagci, S. C.**, & Carby, A. (July 2017). 'Cross-ethnic friendship self-efficacy': A new predictor of cross-ethnic friendship and attitudes among diverse adolescents. Paper presented at the 18th General Meeting of the European Association of Social Psychology in Granada, Spain.

17. **Bagci, S. C.**, Piyale, Z. E., & Ebcim, E. (November 2017). Imagined contact in conflict-ridden settings. The role of ingroup identification and the perspective of minority group members. 2nd Social Psychology Conference, Gazimagosa, Cyprus.

18. **Bagci, S. C**., Piyale, Z. E., Karakose, S., & Şen, E. (July 2018). Collective victimhood beliefs among Turkish and Kurdish group members in Turkey: Links to ingroup and outgroup attitudes and attribution of responsibility for conflict. Paper presented at the 41st ISPP Annual Meeting at San Antonio, USA.

19. **Bagci, S. C**. & Turnuklu, A. (November, 2019). Temasın beklenen, beklenmeyen ve bilinmeyen yönleri: Olumlu ve olumsuz gruplararası temasın tutumlar, kolektif eylem, ve psikolojik iyi oluş ile ilişkisi. Paper presented at the 20th Turkish Psychological Association Conference at Ankara, Turkey.

20. Bagci, S. C., **Piyale, Z. E.**, Sen, E., & Yildirim, O. (March, 2019). Beyond Shifting Intergroup Attitudes: Intergroup Contact's Association with Socio-Cognitive Skills and Group-Based Ideologies. Poster presented at the International Conference on Psychological Science in Paris, France.

21. **Bagci, S. C.** & Gungor, H. (July, 2019). Associations between perceived positive and negative parental contact and adolescents' intergroup contact experiences. Paper presented at ECP 2019 in Moscow, Russia.

22. **Bagci, S. C.**, Stathi, S., & Piyale, Z. E. (July, 2019). When imagining intergroup contact mobilizes collective action: The perspective of disadvantaged and advantaged groups. Symposium paper presented at 42nd ISPP Annual Meeting in Lisbon, Portugal.

23. **Bagci, S. C.** & Olgun, S. (December, 2019). Vegan/Vejetaryanlarda Meta-Kalıp Yargıları ve Et Yiyicilere Yönelik Önyargılarla İlişkisi. Blitz presentation presented at 3rd Social Psychology Congress in Istanbul (KHAS).

24. **Bagci, S. C.**, Verkuyten, M., & Canpolat, E. (July, 2020). Collective ownership threat: Links to national identification, intergroup contact and outgroup tolerance. Paper presented at Virtual ISPP Conference.

25. **Bagci, S. C.**, Verkuyten, M., & Canpolat, E. (July, 2021). Collective ownership threat: Links to outgroup tolerance, support for cultural diversity and Intergroup emotions. Paper presented at Virtual ISPP Conference.

Memberships

Society for Personality and Social Psychology (SPSP)

European Association of Social Psychology (EASP)

International Society of Political Psychology (ISPP)

Grants and Awards

University of London, conference travel award (£300)

16th SPSP Conference in Long Beach, Diversity Fund Graduate Student Award ($500)

Scientific Research Grant (Principal Investigator, BAP No: 15B101) Işık University

ISPP Annual Meeting, Diversity Travel Grant ($500)

TUBITAK 3501 Researcher Career Development Grant (Principal Investigator, Project No: 119K096, 2019-2022)

Sabanci University Integration Grant (Principal Investigator, 2020-2021)

Sabanci University Presidential Grant (Principal Investigator, 2022-2025)

TUBITAK 1001 (Researcher, Project no: 221K042, 2022-2025)

TUBITAK 1001 (Researcher, 'İstanbul'da Suriyelilerin yoğunlaştıkları kentsel alanlarda sosyal uyum uygulama ve süreçlerinin farklı disipliner bakış açıları ve yöntemleri ile araştırılması', 2023-2025)

TUBITAK 1002 (Advisor, Project No: 123K704, 2023)

TUBITAK 1001 (Principal Investigator, 2025-2028; 225K169)

BAGEP award (2021)
TÜBA-GEBİP award (2022)
TÜBİTAK TEŞVİK award (2022)

Professional services

Sections in journals:
http://www.bps.org.uk/news/londons-melting-pot-friends
http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-2536850/Ethnic-mixing-helps-children-Friendships-races-helps-youngsters-overcome-discrimination.html
http://www.theguardian.com/commentisfree/2014/jan/10/racist-bullying-children-media-white-black?CMP=fb_gu
http://fairadmissions.org.uk/ethnically-mixed-schools-help-pupils-overcome-discrimination-2/
https://www.nature.com/articles/s44159-022-00023-5

Editorial Board:
Journal of Community and Applied Social Psychology (Consulting Editor)
European Journal of Social Psychology (Associate Editor)
Cultural Diversity and Ethnic Minority Psychology (Consulting Editor)
British Journal of Social Psychology (Consulting Editor)

Ad Hoc Reviewer:
Group Processes and Intergroup Relations, Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin, American Psychologist, Journal of Personality and Social Psychology

Invited talks:

Bagci, S C. (February, 2021). Yaşçılık Önyargısını Azaltmaya Yönelik Kısa Süreli Sosyal Psikolojik Stratejiler. COVID-19 Pandemisinde Türkiye'de Yaşçılık ve Önyargı Farkındalığı Sempozyumu'da Davetli Konuşmacı.

Research skills

SPSS, PROCESS Macros and MPlus Softwares
Research Methods (Cross-lagged analyses, Structural Equation Modelling, Path analysis)

Courses Taught

Undergraduate level: Social Psychology (PSY 340), Group Processes (PSY 344), Introduction to Conflict Resolution (CONF 300).

Graduate level: Intergroup Relationships (PSY 444/544).

Theses and Committees

Thesis supervision:
Master's Theses:
*Afife Serra Tümer, 'Imagined Contact Among Minority Group Members: A Comparison of Majority and Interminority Contact' (2021)
*Ceren Kaval, 'Predictors of competitive victimhood beliefs in Turkey's Kurdish conflict: Turkish and Kurdish group context' (2021)
*Berfin Acar, 'Perception of majority group members in intergroup toleration' (2022)
*Faruk Tayyip Yalçın, 'Locating the Bias in empathy' (2023)
*Ayşenur Didem Yılmaz, 'Deeper look into deprovincialization hypothesis: the mediating role of ingroup identification in contact-prejudice association' (2023)
*Selen Akay (Co-supervise), 'WHEN AI DISCRIMINATES: COMPARING THE EFFECTS OF AI AND HUMAN DISCRIMINATION ON SUPPORT FOR WOMEN'S EQUALITY' (2025)
*İrem Kuyucu (Co-supervise), 'LOST IN PRONUNCIATION: THE INFLUENCE OF SOCIOLINGUISTIC CUES ON TRUTH JUDGEMENTS' (2025)
*Duygu Yurt, 'From Tension to Action: Understanding the Dynamics of Anti-Refugee Mobilization' (2025)

PhD Theses:
*İpek Güvensoy, 'DO THEY DISLIKE US AS MUCH AS WE THINK? INTERGROUP CONTACT AS A POTENTIAL RECTIFIER OF META-ATTITUDE INACCURACY IN INTERGROUP SETTINGS' (2025)

Member of FASS Ethics Committee (since 2020)
Member of Psychology Graduate Admission Committee (since 2021)
Programme Coordinator (since 2024)