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PERSONAL

Date of Birth: 4 October 1976
Place of Birth: Ankara, Turkey
Foreign Languages: English and French

RESEARCH AREAS

Cultural Heritage Management, Site Management, Archaeology, Tourism

EDUCATION

University of Newcastle, Newcastle upon Tyne, UK September 2006-November 2015
International Centre for Cultural & Heritage Studies
PhD

Thesis Title: 'Site Management and Cultural Tourism in Turkey: A Case Study on the Church of St Nicholas, Perge, Aspendos and Alanya Castle'

Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey September 1999- September 2003
Department of Archaeology & History of Art
Master of Arts

Thesis Title: 'A History of Archaeological Heritage Management in Turkey and in Europe'

Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey January 1996- May 1999
Department of Archaeology & History of Art
Bachelor of Arts

Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey September 1994- May December 1995
English Preparatory Class

Tevfik Fikret Lisesi, Ankara 1988-1994
High School

PROJECT WORK

Myra-Andriake Site Management Project, Demre/Antalya

September 2012-...

This project, which is still embryonic, has been under consideration since 2009 when Prof. Dr. Nevzat Çevik (Akdeniz University, Department of Classical Archaeology) started large-scale archaeological excavations at Myra and Andriake. The intention behind this project is to develop a comprehensive site management plan for a large archaeological territory including Myra, Andriake and the Church of St Nicholas.

FIELDWORK

PhD Research Fieldwork

July 2007- September 2008

This comprehensive fieldwork was carried out in Turkey (i.e. Antalya, Ankara, Istanbul) and in England. It consisted of archival research; in-depth interviews with individuals related to the research topic; and direct observations on the case-studies of the research.

Hacımusalar (Ancient Choma) Excavation Project, Elmalı/Antalya, Turkey

1996 - 2002

Archaeological expeditions at the mound of Hacımusalar have been conducted, since 1994, by the Department of Archaeology at Bilkent University.

PUBLICATIONS

Saraç, D. (2014) 'Site Management in Turkey' In *Public Participation in Archaeology. The Heritage Matters' Series*. S. Thomas, J. Lea and P. Richardson (eds.) Woodbridge: The Boydell Press: 161-174

Saraç, D. (2011) 'Site Management in Turkey: The Case of Antalya.' *Heritage Turkey. British Institute at Ankara Research Reports* 1, 11

CONFERENCE PAPERS & TEACHING

• Wednesday Seminars (2016) The Department of City and Regional Planning at Mimar Sinan University (02 November 2016) *Cultural Tourism and Site Management: Policies and Practices in Turkey*. D. Saraç. Istanbul

• RCAC Fellows' Symposia (2013) Research Centre for Anatolian Civilisations (17 May 2013) *Cultural Tourism: Using Heritage Sites in Destination Culture*. D. Saraç. Istanbul

- Engaging Communities (2009) International Centre for Cultural and Heritage Studies at Newcastle University (4-5 December 2009) *How to Manage Heritage Sites without Managing People?: Site Management and Local Communities*. D. Saraç. Newcastle upon Tyne
- International Young Scholars Conference I: Mediterranean Anatolia (2009) Suna & İnan Kıraç Research Institute on Mediterranean Civilisations (04-07 November 2009) *Do We Know What We Are Doing?: Site Management in Turkey*. D. Saraç. Antalya
- Module lectures, on heritage management and tourism, presented to graduate students at the International Centre for Cultural & Heritage Studies, Newcastle University (2008-2009)

SCHOLARSHIPS

- Koç University, Research Centre for Anatolian Civilisations, J.M. Kaplan Fund Fellowship (September 2012- June 2013)
- British Institute at Ankara, Study Grant (2011)
- Suna & İnan Kıraç Research Institute on Mediterranean Civilisations, Research Scholarship (2007)
- University of Newcastle, International Post-Graduate Scholarship (2006-2009)
- Bilkent University, Master of Arts Scholarship (1999-2003)

TRAINING

Introduction to Learning and Teaching in Higher Education (ILTHE)

2007

Training module/workshop attended, at Newcastle University, as part of the Postgraduate Research Training Programme