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### Education

Ph.D. Economics, Georgetown University, July 2009  
M.A. Economics, Georgetown University, June 2005  
M.A. Business Administration, Boğaziçi University, June 2003  
B.A. Economics, Boğaziçi University, June 2001

### Research Fields

Labor Economics, Development Economics

### Employment History

*Assistant Professor*, Işık University Department of Economics, January 2012 -  
*Instructor*, Işık University Department of Economics, March 2009 - January 2012  
*Teaching Assistant*, Georgetown University Department of Economics, 2003 - 2008  
*Short-term Consultant*, World Bank, Washington, DC, December 2007  
*Research Assistant*, Bogaziçi University Department of Management, 2002 – 2003

### Publications

Susanlı, Z.B. (2020). Türkiye’de beceri açığı: Firma verisi analizi. *Business and Economics Research Journal*, 11(1), 95-106.

Susanlı, Z.B. (2018). Life satisfaction and unemployment in Turkey: evidence from Life Satisfaction Surveys 2004–2013. *Quality & Quantity*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11135-017-0479-6> . (SSCI)

Susanlı, Z. B. (2017). Türkiye’de işgücüne katılım, istihdam ve beşeri sermaye dışsallıkları. *Yıldız Social Science Review*, 3(1), 47-57.

Susanlı, Z.B. (2017). Underemployment in the Turkish labor market. *Sosyoekonomi*, 25(3), 157-173. doi: 10.17233/sosyoekonomi.289218.

Susanlı, Z.B. (2016) Youth Unemployment in Turkey. Füsün Yenilmez ve Esin Kılıç (Ed.), Handbook of Research on Unemployment and Labor Market Sustainability in the Era of Globalization içinde bolum. Hershey, PA: IGI Global.

Susanlı, Z.B. (2016). Understanding the NEET in Turkey. *Eurasian Journal of Economics and Finance*, 4 (2), 42-57. doi: 10.15604/ejef.2016.04.02.004

Susanlı, Z.B., İnanç, Ö., & Kolođlugil, S., & (2016). Child domestic labor and mother's employment in Turkey. *Economic Research-Ekonomiska Istrađivanja*, 29(1), 967-979. (SSCI)

Susanlı, Z. B. & Kaytaz, M. (2015). Determinants of Student Evaluation of Teaching: Evidence from Turkey, *Journal of Business & Economic Policy*, 2(1).

Susanlı, Z.B. (2014). Allocation of Parents' Time to Child Care Among Turkish Families: Evidence From Time-Use Survey, *International Journal of Social Sciences and Humanity Studies*, 6(1), 129-138.

Almeida, R. K., & Susanlı, Z. B. (2012). Firing Regulations and Firm Size in the Developing World: Evidence from Differential Enforcement. *Review of Development Economics*, 16, 540-558. doi: 10.1111/rode.12003. (SSCI)

### **Research/Project Reports**

Kologlugil, S., İnanç, O. & Susanlı, Z.B. (2019). *Türkiye'de Üniversite Mezunlarının Gelir Düzeylerini Belirleyen Faktörler*. <http://acikerisim.isikun.edu.tr:8080/xmlui/handle/11729/1654>

### **Conference Proceedings**

Susanlı, Z. B. (2018, Oct. 28-6). "How do the unemployed search for a job? - Evidence from Turkey" Paper presented at the Fifth Annual International Meeting of the Sosyoekonomi Society, Milano.

Susanlı, Z. B. (2018, July 12-13). "An Empirical Test of the Oswald Hypothesis using Turkish Data" Paper presented at the Euro-Asia Forum In Politics Economics and Business, Croatia.

Susanlı, Z. B. (2015, Nov. 5-6). "Türkiye'de Bölgearası İşsizlik Oranı Farklılıkları ve Beşeri Sermaye Dışsallıkları" Paper presented at the EY International Congress on Economics II, Ankara.

Susanlı, Z. B. & Kaytaz, M. (2014, Oct. 19-21). "Determinants of Students Evaluation of Teaching: Evidence from Turkey" Paper presented at the 4th International Conference of Turkish Economics Association, Antalya.

Susanlı, Z. B. (2013, May 23-25). "Gender and Household Education Expenditure in Turkey", Proceedings of the 10<sup>th</sup> Eurasia Business and Economics Society Conference (EBES), pp. 271-281.

### **Work in Progress**

The Effect of College Quality and College Graduates' Academic Characteristics on Earnings: The Case of Turkey, joint with Serhat Kologlugil and Ozlem Inanc, (Under review).

Wellbeing differences among the employed: Evidence from the public and private sector employees in Turkey

Labor Market Outcomes and Job Finding Methods of the Youth in Turkey

The Oswald Hypothesis in Turkey

### **Courses Taught**

Managerial Economics, Macroeconomics and Central Banking (Finance Camp), Labor Economics, Game Theory, Introduction to Economics (1, 2), Monetary Economics. Public Finance, Statistics (1, 2)

### **Conference and Seminars**

Fifth Annual International Meeting of the Sosyoekonomi Society, Milano, 2018  
Fourth Annual International Meeting of the Sosyoekonomi Society, Vienna, 2017  
YEBKO 2017, Adana, 2017  
Second Annual International Meeting of the Sosyoekonomi Society, Amsterdam, 2016  
Annual International Conference in Social Sciences, Istanbul, 2015  
Ekonomik Yaklaşım EY International Congress on Economics II, Ankara, 2015  
INFER International Workshop on Applied Economics and Finance, N. Cyprus, 2015  
Euro-Asia Forum in Politics, Economics and Business-2015, Istanbul, 2015.  
Türkiye İşgücü Piyasası Araştırma Ağı Konferansı, Istanbul, 2014  
Fourth International Conference of the Turkish Economic Association, Antalya, 2014  
Eurasia Business and Economics Society Conference, Istanbul, 2014, 2013  
Eastern Economic Association Meetings, New York, 2013  
Sixth IZA/World Bank Conference on Employment and Development, New Delhi, 2011  
Southern Economic Association Meetings, Washington, DC, 2011  
İİBF Faculty Seminar, Işık University, 2010, 2008  
Third IZA/World Bank Conference on Employment and Development, Morocco, 2008  
Midwest Economics Association Meetings, Minneapolis, 2007  
Eastern Economics Association Meetings, New York, 2007

### **Referee**

International Journal of Hospitality Management, Oxford Development Studies, Educational Studies,  
International Journal of Economics and Finance  
UYK 2011: Uluslararası Yükseköğretim Kongresi: Yeni Yönelişler ve Sorunlar

### **Commission Memberships and Duties at Işık University**

Member, Scholarships Commission, 2018 –  
Erasmus Coordinator, Department of Economics, 2018 –

### **Memberships in Professional Organizations**

American Economic Association, Southern Economic Association, Turkish Economic Association

### **Skills**

Computer: Stata, SPSS, Gauss, E-views, Scientific Workplace  
Language: Turkish (native), English (advanced), German (basic)