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Education

- Middle Tennessee State University
MFA in Recording Arts and Technologies
- University of Stavanger
Continuing Education Program in
Music Production and Recording Techniques
- University of Istanbul
B.Sc. in Electronics Engineering

Murfreesboro, TN, USA
August 2008 - May 2011

Stavanger, Norway
August 2005 - June 2006

Istanbul, Turkey
August 1998 - July 2005

Professional Experience

- **Instructor**
New York Film Academy
- **Audio Engineer**
Independent Films
-*"Endless"* (Couch Fest Films 2011 Official Selection, 2011 Audience Choice Film Festival Official Selection, 2011 Gadabout Film Festival Official Selection, 2011 WNET/Thirteen's Reel 13 Short Film Contest Winner)
(*mixing, sound design*)
-*"Where do you go?"*
(*recording, editing, mixing, sound design - in progress*)
-*"Evil Eye"* by Ugur Becer
(*recording, editing, mixing, sound design - in progress*)
-*"The Wing Man"*
(*recording, editing, mixing, sound design - in progress*)
- **Instructor (Graduate Assistant)**
MTSU Department of Recording Industry
-RIM 4400-001 Recording Studio Techniques (Spring 2011)
-RIM 4400-002 Recording Studio Techniques (Fall 2010)
-RIM 4400-003 Recording Studio Techniques (Fall 2010)
- **Teaching Assistant**
MTSU Department of Recording Industry
-RIM 4400 Recording Studio Techniques
-Tutorial video production for RIM 4650
- **Teaching Assistant**
MTSU Department of Recording Industry
-RIM 4650 Multitrack Music Recording
- **Song Producer - "I'm Out!"**
The New, True, Charlie Wu (WorldFest Houston Best Short Film, Fifteen Minutes of Fame Film Festival Best Short Film, Smogdance Film Festival Best Short Film, Los Angeles Reel Film Festival Honorable Mention)

February 2012 – Present
New York, NY, USA

June 2011 - Present
New York, NY, USA
Taylan Sinan Yilmaz

Gretchen Skogerson

Ugur Becer

Ludovica Mauri

August 2010 – May 2011
Murfreesboro, TN, USA

Spring 2010 semester
Murfreesboro, TN, USA
Prof. Michael Fleming
Prof. Bill Crabtree

Fall 2009 semester
Murfreesboro, TN, USA
Prof. Bill Crabtree

Spring 2009 semester
Nashville, TN, USA
Dr. Bob Pondillo

- **Graduate Administrative Assistant**
[MTSU College of Graduate Studies](#) Spring 2009 semester
Murfreesboro, TN, USA
- **Midilab Assistant**
[MTSU Department of Recording Industry](#) Fall 2009 - Spring 2011
Murfreesboro, TN, USA
- **Second Lieutenant**
[Turkish Armed Forces](#) August 2007 – July 2008
Diyarbakir, Turkey
- **Artist Relations & Marketing Strategy Developer**
[Istanbul Agop & Alchemy Cymbals](#) 03.09.2007 - 05.25.2007
Istanbul, Turkey
- **Manager**
[Kirkalti](#) (Turkish Rock Band) 11.01.2006 - 02.01.2007
Istanbul, Turkey
- **Audio Engineer**
[Cilekes](#), [Bulutsuzluk Ozlemi](#) etc. (Turkish rock bands) 08.01.2006 – 11.01.2006
Istanbul, Turkey
- **Owner, Audio Engineer**
StudioCafe Recording Studio 08.01.2003 - 11.01.2004
Istanbul, Turkey

Work

- [Project Istanbul](#), master's thesis

Portfolio: www.umutermec.com/work.html
Supervisor: Prof. [John Merchant](#)

Awards, Grants & Honors

- **Graduate Assistantship (Full)**
[MTSU](#) (January 2009 – May 2011)
- **International Student Ambassador**
[MTSU](#) (Spring 2009 semester)
- **Secretary of Activities**
[International Students' Union](#), Stavanger, Norway (August 2005 – February 2006)

Workshops & Training

- AES Nashville Recording Workshop and Expo 2010, USA (student volunteer)
- Central Region AES Student Summit 2009 – St. Louis, USA (participant)
- Turkish Armed Forces Second Lieutenant Leadership Training (2007) – Ankara, Turkey
- Internship at Siemens Business Services (2005) – Istanbul, Turkey

Skills

- **Languages:** Turkish (native), English (proficient), German (beginner)
- **Computer Programs:** Pro Tools, Cubase, Nuendo, Logic, Ableton, Digital Performer, Sadie, Tracktion, Pyramix, Wavelab, Reason, Final Cut Pro (intermediate), Photoshop (intermediate), MATLAB (intermediate)

Memberships: [Audio Engineering Society](#)

Interests: Music production, cognitive science, psychoacoustics, acoustics, physics, technology, psychology, sociology, history, politics, traveling, blogging, movies, books, documentaries, soccer