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Biography

Talip Kucukcan is a Professor of Sociology at Marmara University in Istanbul and *Former Personal Representative of the OSCE Chairperson-in-Office on Combating Intolerance and Discrimination against Muslims* (2014 – 2015). He was *Head of the Turkish Delegation to and the Deputy President of the Parliamentary Assembly of Council of Europe* (2015-2018).

Mr. Kucukcan has a BA from [Uludag University](#) (1986) and received an MA from [the School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London](#) (1990). Kucukcan completed his PhD in Ethnic Relations at the [University of Warwick](#) (1997) and worked as a Research Fellow at the *Centre for Research in Ethnic Relations* at the same University between 1997 and 1999. Before moving to *Marmara University* where he became a full professor, he was a Senior Research Fellow at the *Center for Islamic Studies* in Istanbul until 2007. He served as a Senior Advisor to the President of *Higher Education Council of Turkey* between 2009 and 2013. Kucukcan was the Director of *Middle East Research Institute* at Marmara University between 2011 and 2014. He served as the Editor in Chief of [Insight Turkey](#), a policy journal, until 2015. Before returning to the university he was Member of the Turkish Parliament and Foreign Relations Committee. Kucukcan is specialized in state-religion relations, transnational migration, international freedom of religion, Turkey-EU relations and Muslim minorities in Europe. He is a regular commentator on national and international media.

Education Information

Doctorate, University Of Warwick, Sosyoloji Ve Etnik Araştırmalar, United Kingdom 1992 - 1997

Post Graduate, University Of London-School Of Oriental And African Studies, Siyaset Ve Din Bilimleri, United Kingdom 1989 - 1990

Under Graduate, Uludağ Üniversitesi, Turkey 1982 - 1986

Foreign Languages

English, C1 Advanced

Dissertations

Doctorate, The politics of ethnicity, identity and religion among Turks in London, University of Warwick, 1997

Post Graduate, The Nature of Islamic Resurgence in the Near and Middle Eastern Muslim Societies', University of London-School of Oriental and African Studies, 1992

Research Areas

Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Titles / Tasks

Professor, Marmara University, Faculty of Theology, Philosophy and Religious Sciences, 2008 - Continues
Lecturer PhD, University Of Warwick, Centre For Research İn Ethnic Relations, Sosyoloji, 1997 - 1999

Professional Experience

Director of The Institution, Marmara University, Institute Of Middle East Studies, 2010 - 2014

Advising Theses

- KÜÇÜKCAN T., Şehirleşme ve din: Diyarbakır'da kadın dindarlığı, Doctorate, E.Aslan(Student), 2014
KÜÇÜKCAN T., İslami hareketlerin sosyolojisi : Mısır'da selefi hareket, Post Graduate, N.Çakmaktaş(Student), 2014
KÜÇÜKCAN T., 2000 sonrası Türk ulusalcılığının inşasında büyük Ortadoğu projesi söyleminin rolü, Post Graduate, F.Altun(Student), 2014
KÜÇÜKCAN T., Din ve kalkınma (Türkiye tecrübesi), Doctorate, A.Fidan(Student), 2014
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KÜÇÜKCAN T., Türkiye'deki muhafazakar siyaset ve değişim ilişkisi: Ak Parti örneği, Post Graduate, K.Kandemir(Student), 2013
KÜÇÜKCAN T., Türkiye'de popüler kültür ve din ilişkisi: kadın üzerine bir araştırma (İstanbul Örneği), Doctorate, B.Banu(Student), 2012
KÜÇÜKCAN T., Dinin seçmen davranışı üzerine etkisi : Bağcılar örneği, Post Graduate, S.Salkım(Student), 2012
KÜÇÜKCAN T., Günümüz Mısır'ında değişemeyen kadınlık durumları, Post Graduate, M.Çelik(Student), 2011
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Insight Turkey, vol.15, pp.4-5, 2013 (Journal Indexed in SCI)
- II. **Sociology of Terrorism: A Key to Understanding Social Origins?**
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ULUSLARARASI ILISKILER-INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, vol.6, pp.33-54, 2010 (Journal Indexed in SSCI)
- III. **Insight Turkey: Guest editor's note**
Küçükcan T.
Insight Turkey, vol.12, 2010 (Journal Indexed in SCI Expanded)
- IV. **Multidimensional Approach to Religion: a way of looking at religious phenomena**
Kucuckan T.
JOURNAL FOR THE STUDY OF RELIGIONS AND IDEOLOGIES, vol.2, pp.60-70, 2005 (Journal Indexed in AHCI)
- V. **Community, identity and institutionalisation of Islamic education: The case of Ikra primary school in North London**
Kucukcan T.
British Journal of Religious Education, vol.21, pp.32-43, 1998 (Journal Indexed in SCI Expanded)
- VI. **Some Reflections on the Wahhabiya and Sanusiya Movements**

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The George Washington International Law Review, vol.41, pp.963-983, 2011 (Refereed Journals of Other Institutions)
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- IX. **Turks in Germany: Between Inclusion and Exclusion**
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- Küçükcan T.
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- XV. **Diyasporik Türk Gençliği: Kültürel Kimliğin Yeniden Üretimi ve Hibrid Kimlik İnşası**
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- XVI. **Doğal Felaketler ve Din: Marmara Depremi Üzerine Psiko-Sosyolojik Bir İnceleme**
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- XVII. **Politics of Ethnicity, Identity and Religion: Turkish-Muslims in Britain**
Küçükcan T.
Ashgate, Aldershot (UK) , Birmingham, 1999
- XVIII. **Continuity and Change: Young Turks in London**
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in: Muslim European Youth, Reproducing ethnicity, religion and culture, Steven Vertovec,A. Rogers, Editor, Ashgate, Aldershot (UK) , London, pp.103-132, 1998

Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **Turkey's policy towards Syrians: Addressing emerging challenges**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
The Humanitarian Role of Turkey on the Refugee Crisis and the Road Ahead for Europe, Londrina, Brazil, 16 June 2019
- II. **Globalization and Representation of 'others' in an Age of Populism**
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The Russia-Islamic World Kazan Summit, Kazan, Russia, 15 - 16 May 2019
- III. **The Securitization of Islam and Muslims after 9/11: Reasons and Consequences**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
The Second International Islamophobia Conference: Analyzing its Discourse and Geopolitics, İstanbul, Turkey, 12 - 14 May 2019
- IV. **Insecurity, Instability and Migration: Major Global Challenges**
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on Turkish and Canadian Perspectives on Current Global Challenges, Toronto, Canada, 29 April 2019
- V. **Turkey' role in engaging and balancing key flashpoints**
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on Regional Developments and Key Flashpoints, Amman, Jordan, 9 - 10 March 2019
- VI. **Turkey's Foreign Policy Challenges**
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- VII. **Dünyada Modernleşme Deneyimleri**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
Sakarya Üniversitesi Akademik ve Sosyal Gelişim Merkezi Konferansları, Sakarya, Turkey, 17 October 2018
- VIII. **Activities of PKK and FETO in the West: Networking, recruitment, funding and institutionalization**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
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- IX. **Interactions between Diaspora Associations and Government Agencies: Mechanisms and policies to respond current and up-coming challenges**
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- X. **Countering Terrorism in the Post-Daesh Era in the Middle East**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
Annual Oxford Gulf Arabian Peninsula Studies Forum on Trends and Transformation in the Middle East, United Kingdom, 12 May 2018
- XI. **Geo-political Significance of The New Silk Road Project for the Participating Countries**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
The role of Parliamentarians in boosting economic cooperation and cultural ties along the Silk Road Conference, Azerbaijan, 13 - 14 March 2018
- XII. **Objectives of Turkey's Cross-Border Operations: Security, Stability and Territorial Integrity of Syria**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
Turkey's Security Challenge within its Neighbourhood: Operation Olive Branch, Canada, 28 February 2018
- XIII. **Turkey's Response to Migration Crisis: Syrian Refugees and Turkey-EU Migration Deal**
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Enriching the Middle East's Economic Future Conference, Qatar, 11 - 14 November 2017
- XIV. **Transnational Networks, Diasporic Communities and Revisiting Political Participation**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
Conference of the Parliamentary Network on Diaspora Policy, Portugal, 7 - 08 September 2017
- XV. **Impact of Belt and Road Initiative on Political and Economic Cooperation in the Middle East**
KÜÇÜKCAN T.
The 3rd Silk Road Tianshan Forum, China, 11 July 2017

Other Publications

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Küçükcan T.
Other, pp.1-92, 2011
- II. **Türkiye'de Toplumun Medya ve Kültür Algısı**
Küçükcan T.
Other, pp.1-199, 2011
- III. **Public Perception of the Kurdish Question in Turkey**
Küçükcan T.
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- IV. **Türkiye'nin Kürt Sorunu Algısı**
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