

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **EDUCATION:**

- **Ph.D.,** Ankara University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences, Major of Landscape Architecture (1993-2001).
- M. A., Master of Arts in Urban Management and Development, Specialization: City Development Strategies, Erasmus University, Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies, Rotterdam, the Netherlands, (2004-2005).
- **M. Sc.,** Ankara University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences, Major of Landscape Architecture (1990-1993).
- **Intensive English Course** of the Department of Foreign Language, Ankara University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences, (1989-1990).
- **B.Sc.,** Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture, (1985-1989)

#### **THESIS**

- 1. **Açıksöz, S.** 2005. The urban agriculture cluster: Case of Bartin. The Master Thesis of Urban Management and Development, Specialization: City Development Strategies, Erasmus University, Institute for Housing and Urban Development Studies, Unpublished **M.A. Thesis**, Rotterdam, the Netherlands (in English).
- Açıksöz, S. 2001. A research on the revision of "Atatürk Orman Çiftliği" under contemporary conditions with respect to urban agriculture in Ankara. Ankara University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences, Unpublished Ph.D. Thesis, Ankara.
- 3. **Açıksöz, S.,** Ait Ben Haddou, A., Andraka, S., Cortes, P., Hassani, B.T., Uku, S. 1995. Suggestions for the management of resources and activities in the mountain range of "Guara" (Propuestas integradas para la gestion de la recursos y actividades en la Sierra de Guara), as a

- group study (with six researchers from different profession), The Mediterranean Agricultural Institute of Zaragoza, CIHEAM, Spain (in Spanish).
- 4. **Açıksöz, S.** 1993. A research on outdoor planning principles for new housing developments: case study "Cayyolu" project. Ankara University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences, Unpublished **M. Sc. Thesis**, Ankara (in Turkish).

#### EMPLOYMENT:

- Since 2011, she has been working as an Assoch.Prof. at the University of Bartin, Faculty of Forestry, Department of Landscape Architecture.
- She worked as an Assist.Prof. at the University of Bartin, Faculty of Forestry, Department of Landscape Architecture between 2008 and 2011.
- She worked as an Assist.Prof. at the University of Zonguldak Karaelmas, Bartin Faculty of Forestry, Department of Landscape Architecture between 2000 and 2008.
- She worked at the University of Ankara, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a Research and Teaching Assistant between 1991 and 2000.

### **COURSES and SCHOLARSHIPS:**

- The Research Scholarship from Republic of Turkey, the Council of Higher Education: The Complutense University of Madrid (Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Investigaciones Feministas), Madrid, Spain, June 1- September 30, 2012.
- Intensive English Course, University Language Centre, Erasmus University, Rotterdam/ the Netherlands, 2005.
- Course on Management Planning for Wetlands Areas, Bursa, Turkey, 2000.
- Course on ERDAS Imagine Software, Ankara, Turkey, 1999.
- Intensive Spanish Course, University of Saragossa, Spain, 1998.
- The Research Scholarship from Spanish Government: Ecologic cities and urban farms in the frame of sustainable agriculture. University of Saragossa, Spain, March 1- May 31, 1998.
- Intensive Spanish Course, Inlingua, Zaragoza, Spain, 1994.
- Advanced Course on "Rural Planning in Relation to the Environment" from July 1994 to June 1995, The Mediterranean Agricultural Institute of Saragossa, CIHEAM, Spain.

• The Course on "The Efficient Use of Computers in Office Management, Data Handling, CAD & CAM and Training Program" given by Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture, 1994.

# ACADEMIC / ADMINISTRATIVE WORKS

**2010-Present:** Vice Chair of Department of Landscape Architecture.

**2007-Present**: Chair of Sub-department of Landscape Techniques.

2001-2004: Chair of Sub-department of Landscape Techniques.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- 2000-2012: As an Instructor in the following undergraduate courses; "Environment Problems", "Rural Landscape Planning", "Professional Application Knowledge", "Relations of Human and Environment", "Project II, III, IV". As a Lecturer in the following M.Sc. and Ph.D. courses; "Environmental Management", "Visual Analysis of Landscapes", "The Basic Design's Elements and Principles, Design Process".
- **1991-2000:** As a Research and Teaching Assistant in the following undergraduate courses; "Urban Landscape Planning", "Landscape Ecology", "Rural Landscape Planning", "Landscape of Turkey", "Landscape Construction Techniques", "Grass Areas", and "Project III".
- **2009-2010:** "Outdoor Planning and Design against the Fight of Obesity". Prime Ministry State Planning Organization Centre for EU Education and Youth Programs, LDV Mobility Project of Year 2009, Project Manager, Cordoba, Spain.
- 2008-2010: "The Project of Landscape Management, Protection and Planning on the location of Sugla Lake and the districts of Seydisehir- Bozkır- Ahirli- Yalıhuyuk in Konya Province". Republic of Turkey, Ministry of Environment and Forestry. Landscape Group: O. Uzun (Coordinator of the project), E.F. Dilek (Landscape Architect), F. Erduran (Landscape Architect), G. Cetinkaya (Landscape Architect), Sebahat Açıksöz (Landscape Architect), Ankara-Turkiye.
- **1998-2004:** "The Determination of the Land Use Pattern of Middle Kizilirmak Basin, Ecological Unit 15322 in Precedent to Agricultural Site and Recreational Uses". TUBİTAK project no: TARP-1900, Ankara-Turkiye.
- **1997-2001:** "Ecolocigal risk analysis and management planning of Manyas Lake". Ministry of Environment, Ankara University Faculty of Agriculture Department of Landscape Architecture, Ministry of Forestry General Directorate of National

- Parks Game and Wildlife, Supported by EC LIFE Third Countries (Life'97 Project), Ankara-Turkiye.
- **2000:** As an Advisor in MEGEP (**Me**sudiye İlçesi **Ge**lişme **P**lanı- Development Plan for Mesudiye), TKV (**T**ürkiye **K**alkınma **V**akfı- The Foundation of Turkish Development), Mesudiye-Ordu.
- **1999:** As an Advisor in rural development project of Gümüşhane, TKV (**T**ürkiye **K**alkınma **V**akfı- the Foundation of Turkish Development), Gümüşhane.
- **1998:** The report of "Ataturk Forestry Farm (Atatürk Orman Çiftliği)" (Çelem, H. and Açıksöz, S. are as a representative for Ankara University).
- **1998:** Jusliboll III: agricultural recreation park project (Parque agricola recreativa). University of Zaragoza, Department of Geology, Group study, Zaragoza, Spain.
- **1998:** Caspe management and planning project. University of Zaozarag, Department of Geology as a group study, Zaragoza, Spain.
- **1998:** Instructor at the Education course for Gardeners in the Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.
- **1997:** Ankara Abidinpasa Palace and Park Landscape Project. Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.
- **1997:** The Campus of Aydın Adnan Menderes University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.
- **1995:** The International Planning Project of Harran-Sanliurfa. KENTKUR, Harran-Sanliurfa.
- **1993:** Landscape planning project of Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture surroundings area. Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.
- **1993:** Instructor at the Education course of AutoCAD R.12 in the AutoDesk Center of Landscape Architecture. Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.
- **1992:** Landscape design project of Samsun Highway in Ankara, Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.
- **1992:** Landscape design project of Anıtpark in Ankara, Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture as a group study, Ankara.

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

### Books:

1. Uzun, O., Çetinkaya, G., Dilek, F., Erduran, F. and **Açıksöz**, **S.** 2012. Landscape Planning: Landscape Management, Conservation and Planning Project in Konya Province, Bozkir-Ahirli-Yalihuyuk-Seydisehir Districts and the Location of Sugla Lake. Ministry of Forest and Water Affairs, General Directorate of Nature Conservation and National Parks, 175 p., Ankara, Turkey (in Turkish).

# **Chapter of Books:**

 Kurum, E., Açıksöz, S. and Tanrıvermiş, E. 2000. Grass lands. The handbook maintenance and repairment for the parks and gardens (*chapter of book*), p. 65-101, Ankara (in Turkish).

### **Declarations:**

- Çelik, D. and Açıksöz, S., 2011. Urban Aesthetic, Ethics, Urban Design Guidelines, Bartin-Turkey. ECLAS Conference on Ethics/Aesthetics. Books of Abstract, p.161-162, 07-10 September, Sheffield-England (in English).
- Uzun, O., Çetinkaya, G., Dilek, F., Açıksöz, S. and Erduran, F. 2011. Using Landscape Functions in the Landscape Planning: Case of Konya-Sugla Lake Around. Book of Abstracts of Symposium of Ecology 2011, p. 117, Düzce, Turkey (in Turkish).
- Açıksöz, S. and Görmüş, S. 2010. Quality of Landscape- Quality of Life Dilemna: Kastamonu- Bartin Kure Mountains National Park. Congress IV of Landscape Architecture, p. 31, Selçuk, İzmir-Turkey (in Turkish).
- Çelik, D. and Açıksöz, S. 2010. Open-Green Areas in Planning and User Satisfaction: A Case Study in Bartin City. Centre. Congress IV of Landscape Architecture, p. 31, Selçuk, İzmir-Turkey (in Turkish).
- 5. Çelik, D. and Açıksöz, S. 2009. Village Renovation Project: Safranbolu-Yörük Village. ECLAS Conference 2009 on Landscape Ruins: Planning and Design for the Regeneration of Derelict Places (Poster Presentation), Cenova, Italy (in English).
- 6. Açıksöz, S. and Karadeniz N. 2008. Urban Agriculture as a Cultural Heritage: Case of Atatürk Orman Çiftliği. ECLAS Conference 2008 on New Landscapes-New Lives, Book of Abstracts of ECLAS Conference 2008, p. 8, Alnarp, Sweden (in English).

- 7. Çelik, D. and **Açıksöz, S.** 2008. Urbanization and Visual Landscape Analysis: Case of Amasra. ECLAS Conference 2008 on New Landscapes-New Lives, Book of Abstracts of ECLAS Conference 2008, p. 41, Alnarp, Sweden (in English).
- 8. **Açıksöz, S.** and Odabaş Uslu, A. 2007. A Sensitive Action Plan for Social Gender Equality. City and Health Symposium with International Participation on Healthy Urban Planning, Abstract Book, p. 107-108, 7-8<sup>th</sup> June, Bursa (in Turkish).
- 9. Çelik, D. and **Açıksöz, S.** 2007. The concernment of city aesthetic in Bartin Historical City. City and Health Symposium with International Participation on Healthy Urban Planning, Abstract Book, p. 105-106, 7-8<sup>th</sup> June, Bursa (in Turkish).
- 10. Açıksöz, S. 2007. Alternative Energy Resources and Environment. 5th of June World Environment Day Conference on Global Heating and Environment, Bartin Provincial Directorate of Environment and Forest, Bartin (in Turkish).
- 11. Kapuci, C. ve **Açıksöz, S.** 2006. Urban Settlement-Development Strategies in Historicel Process and Their Effects on Our Time Iznik City Examples. Book of Abstracts of ECLAS (European Council of Landscape Architecture Schools) Conference 2006, 21-24 September, p. 74, Slovakia (in English).
- 12. Karadeniz, N. and **S. Açıksöz,** 2004. Enhancing the ability to analyze the Landscape Architecture educational structure through the views of students. ECLAS (European Council of Landscape Architecture Schools) Symposium, 16-19 September, Norway (in English).
- 13. **Açıksöz, S.** 2004. Problems occurring to the inappropriate land uses in Bartin City. 5<sup>th</sup> of June World Environment Day Conference, Bartin Provincial Directorate of Environment and Forest, Bartin (in Turkish).
- 14. Açıksöz, S. 2001. The concept of urban agriculture, its importance and sample applications. I. Scientific Activities at the University of Zonguldak Karaelmas, April 30- May 4, Zonguldak (in Turkish).
- 15. Başal, M. Yılmaz, O., Akpınar, N., Karadeniz, N., Erdoğan, E., Somuncu, M., Tanrıvermiş, H., Açıksöz, S., Dilaver, Z., Güneş, G., and Özdemir, A. 2000. The determination of land use pattern of Middle Kızılırmak Basin Ecological Unit 5322 in precedent to agricultural preservation area and recreational uses. Symposium of TARP, October 26-27, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 16. Memlük, Y. and **Açıksöz, S.** 2000. The concept of urban farms and "Atatürk Orman Çiftliği". Symposium of environment and landscape architecture in

- the years of 2000. Ankara University, Faculty of Agriculture, Department of Landscape Architecture, May 24-26, p. 127-137, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 17. Dilek, E.F. and **Açıksöz, S.** 2000. The position of green land concept in the course of urban change in Ankara. Ankara symposium, October 13-15, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 18. **Açıksöz, S.,** Ataturay, R., Güneş, G. and Çabuk, A. 1996. Throughout the history Ulus square. The symposium on the activities of environmental planning and design week'99, poster declaration, November 26-28, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 19. Akpınar, N. and **Açıksöz, S.** 1996. The importance of sustainable land use planning for sustainable agriculture. Before the Earth Food Summit, Turkey food safe and sustainable agriculture symposium, October 24-25, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 20. Odabaş, A., **Açıksöz, S.** and Ataturay, R., 1994. Cemeteries in urban planning.

  4<sup>th</sup> symposium of national region science/ regional planning, the Technical
  University of Karadeniz, June 16-17, Trabzon (in Turkish).
- 21. **Açıksöz, S.,** Odabaş, A., and Ataturay, R., 1994. The selection and planning of the area for the new settlement areas. 4<sup>th</sup> symposium of national region science/ regional planning, the Technical University of Karadeniz, June 16-17, Trabzon (in Turkish).
- 22. Odabaş, A., Dilaver, Z., and **Açıksöz, S.** 1993. The using of grass lands and football fields samples from Ankara. 3<sup>rd</sup> Symposium on the importance of grass land in contemporary life, Ankara University, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 23. Perçin, H., and **Açıksöz, S.** 1991. Its contributions of the new settlements for the open and green areas in Mersin City? Symposium on the recommendations for the system of Mersin City's open and green areas, June 1-3, Mersin (in Turkish).

#### **Articles:**

- O. Uzun, F. Dilek, G. Çetinkaya, F. Erduran and S. Açiksöz 2011. National and regional landscape classification and mapping of Turkey: Konya closed basin, Suğla Lake and its surrounding area. International Journal of the Physical Sciences (ISI), Cilt 6 (3), 550-565 pp., 4 February 2011, ISSN 1992-1950 (in English).
- O. Uzun, G. Çetinkaya, F. Dilek, S. Açiksöz and F. Erduran 2011. Evaluation of habitat and bio-diversity in landscape planning process: Example of Suğla Lake and its surrounding area, Konya, Turkey". African

- Journal of Biotechnology (ISI), Cilt 10 (29), 5620-5634 pp., 22 June 2011, ISSN 1684-5315 (in English).
- S. Aciksoz and A. Uslu 2010. An action plan for promoting physical activity in women and sensitive to social gender equity: Case of Bartin/Turkey. African Journal of Agricultural Research (ISI), Cilt 5 (1), 034-044 pp., 4 January 2010, ISSN 1991-637X (in English).
- S. Aciksoz, S. Gormus and B. Yilmaz 2010. Problems regarding the protection of traditional urban pattern: The case of Bartin-Turkey. African Journal of Agricultural Research (ISI), Cilt 5 (4), 280-285 pp., 18 February 2010, ISSN 1991-637X (in English).
- S. Aciksoz, S. Gormus, N. Karadeniz, 2010. Determination of ecotourism potential in national parks: Kure Mountains National Park, Kastamonu-Bartin, Turkey. African Journal of Agricultural Research, Cilt 5 (7), 589-599 pp., 18 April 2010, ISSN 1991-637X (in English).
- S. Donmez and S. Aciksoz 2010. Landscape planning and design principles of holiday village: Antalya Kemer Ulusoy holiday village. African Journal of Agricultural Research (ISI), Cilt 5 (4), 1448-1455 pp., 18 June 2010, ISSN 1991-637X (in English).
- G. Çetinkaya, O. Uzun, F. Dilek, F. Erduran, S. Açıksöz, 2010. Towards
   Integration of the European Union Landscape Convention in Turkey.
   Annual Journal of Rural Environment Years 2010, p. 38-54, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 8. **S. Açıksöz** 2009. The cluster of urban agriculture: Case of Bartın-Turkey. Ankara University, Journal of Agricultural Science (ISI), Volume: 15, Number: 4, p. 348-357, Ankara (in English).
- D. Çelik and S. Açıksöz 2008. Care of City Aesthetics in Historical Towns: Case of Bartin. Bartin Faculty of Forestry Journal, Volume: 10, Number: 14, p. 57-65, Bartin (in Turkish).
- 10. Açıksöz, S., Topay, M. ve Yılmaz, B., 2008. Problems occurring to the inappropriate land uses: Case of Bartin City. Suleyman Demirel University Faculty of Forestry Journal, Number: 1, ISSN:1302-7085, p. 155-167, Isparta (in Turkish).
- 11. Açıksöz, S. 2007. Importance of e-governance and e-education: Case of Zonguldak Karaelmas University, Department of Landscape Architecture. Zonguldak Karaelmas University Bartin Faculty of

- Forestry Journal, Volume: 9, Number: 11, p. 45-54, Bartin (in English).
- 12. Görmüş Çetinkale, S. and **Açıksöz, S.** 2007. Sustainability of traditional pattern in urban landscape: the case of Bartin City. Ankara University Faculty of Agriculture, Journal of Agricultural Sciences (SCI), Volume 13, Number 2, p. 81-88, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 13. Açıksöz, S., Topay, M. ve Aydın, H. 2006. Determination of trekking potential of Bartin-Arit District. Zonguldak Karaelmas University Faculty of Forestry Journal, Volume: 8, Number: 10, p. 78-87, Bartın (in Turkish).
- 14. Açıksöz, S., Topay, M. and E. Gökyer 2004. A Research for Plateaus in Bartın in Special with the Recreation and Tourism Uses. Ankara University Faculty of Agriculture, Journal of Agricultural Sciences, Volume: 10, Number: 4, p. 8-14, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 15. **Açıksöz, S.** ve Y. Memlük 2004. Revaluation of "Atatürk Orman Çiftliği" with Respect to Urban Agriculture. The Agricultural Science Review, Volume: 10, Number: 1, p. 76-84, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 16. Açıksöz, S. and Tanrıvermiş, E. 2000. The Importance of Rural Landscape in the Planning, its Problems and Suggestions. Annual Journal of Rural Environment Years 2000, p. 44-68, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 17. Akpınar, N. and **Açıksöz, S.** 2000. The importance of sustainable land use planning for sustainable agriculture. The Crop Review, Year: 4, Number: 13, p. 100-103, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 18. **Açıksöz, S.** 1999. Urban agriculture concept and importance. The Crop Review, Year: 3, Number: 10, p. 106-109, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 19. Kendir, H., Karadeniz, N. and **Açıksöz, S.** 1999. The importance, establishment and maintenance of grass areas. The Crop Review, Year: 3, Number: 9, p. 106-109, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 20. Erdoğan, E. and Açıksöz, S. 1997. Throughout history, culture and trading center: Harran. Environment and Human Review, Number: 33, p. 12-19, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 21. Akpınar, N. and **Açıksöz, S.** 1996. The new approaches for the landscape planning in the frame of sustainable living for secure and sufficient nourishment. Agricultural Engineering Review, Number: 298, p. 12-14, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 22. Açıksöz, S. 1996. The impact of new settlements in the agricultural lands. Agriculture and Village Review, Number: 309, p. 16-17, Ankara (in Turkish).

- Ataturay, R. and Açıksöz, S. 1992. Plantation techniques of water surfaces. Landscape Architecture Review, Year: 92/2, Number: 32, p. 30-32, Ankara.
- 24. **Açıksöz, S.,** and Ataturay, R. 1990. The impact of exhaust gases on plants. Highways Foundation Review, Year: 5, Number: 56, p. 18-22, Ankara (in Turkish).

## **Unpublished Studies:**

- Açıksöz, S. 1997. Throughout the history, the importance of "Atatürk Orman Çiftliği" in the open and green areas of Ankara. Ankara University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences, Ph.D. seminar, Ankara (in Turkish).
- Açıksöz, S. et.al. 1991. Geographic Information System. A research for use of computers in landscape architecture course, group study, Ankara (in Turkish).
- Açıksöz, S. 1991. Open and green space systems in new settlement areas. Ankara
   University, Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences,
   Master's seminar, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 4. **Açıksöz, S.** 1990. The impact of exhaust gases on plants. A research for environmental impact analysis course, Ankara (in Turkish).

### **RESEARCH STUDIES:**

- 1. Başal, M., **Açıksöz, S.** *et.al.* 2004. The determination of land use pattern of Middle "Kızılırmak" Basin Ecological Unit 15322 in precedent to agricultural sit and recreational uses, TÜBİTAK project no: TARP-1900 (as a group study), Ankara (in Turkish).
- Çelem H., Açıksöz, S. et. al. 2001. Ecolocigal risk analysis and management planning of Manyas Lake. Ministry of Environment, Ankara University Faculty of Agriculture Department of Landscape Architecture (as a group member), Ministry of Forestry General Directorate of National Parks Game and Wildlife, Supported by EC LIFE Third Countries, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 3. The Foundation of Turkish Development, 2000. MEGEP (Mesudiye İlçesi Gelişme Planı-Development Plan for Mesudiye), October 2000, Ankara (in Turkish).
- 4. Sözeri, S., Maden, S. Yazgan, M.E., **Açıksöz, S.,** Kendir, H., Dilek, F. ve Karadeniz, N. 1998. A Research on the Weed Control Possibilities during Establishment Stages of Lawn Areas as a Maintenance Tool under Central

Anatolian Conditions. The Agricultural Science Review, Volume: 4, Number: 2, p. 8-14, Ankara (in Turkish).

# **MEMBERSHIP SOCIETIES:**

PMO (Peyzaj Mimarları Odasi-The Chamber of Landscape Architects in Turkey)

KAD (Kus Arastirmalari Dernegi-Bird Research Society)

BAKAD(Bartin Kadınlar Dayanışma Derneği-Women's Solidarity Association of Bartin)

# LANGUAGES:

Native Language: Turkish

Foreign Languages: English and Spanish

Level of foreign languages:

Foreign	Level of proficiency in speaking				Level of proficiency in writing			
languages	Impeccable	Fluent	Correct	Basic	Impeccable	Fluent	Correct	Basic
English		X				X		
Spanish			X				X	