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Education

Ph.D.: Bogaziçi University, Institute of Environmental Sciences, 2005. M.Sc.: Bogaziçi University, Institute of Environmental Sciences, 1999.

B.S. : Bogaziçi University, Chemistry Department, 1997.

Research Experience and Occupation

1997, Student research assistant, Department of Chemistry, Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey

2/1/2002-1/7/2002, Visiting researcher, Department of Analytical Chemistry, University of Kansas-Lawrence, USA

7/7/2005-24/7/2005, Researcher, Environmental Chemistry and Technology Programme, Water Chemistry Department, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, USA

5/10/2006-22/12/2006, Researcher, University of Fisciano, Department of Civil Engineering, Sanitary Environmental Engineering Division, Fisciano (SA), Italy

7/2/2007-15/4/2007, Researcher, University of Salerno, Department of Civil Engineering, Sanitary Environmental Engineering Division, Fisciano (SA), Italy

1/9/1998-1/9/2007, Research assistant, Institute of Environmental Sciences, Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey

1/9/2007- present, Instructor, Institute of Environmental Sciences, Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey

Projects

BAP Project, "Influence of molecular size fractions of natural organic matter on the aggregation/agglomeration behaviour of nanoparticles", 2021-2022, Project Coordinator

BAP Project, "Influence of bio-organocolloids on aggregation behavior of engineered nanoparticles during light initiated reactions in the environment", 2018-2021, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Effect of aggregation and agglomeration during oxidative treatment of organic matter by photocatalysis", 2018-2019, Project Coordinator.

H2020-WATER-2015, Research and Innovation Action (RIA), "Water-Sustainable Point-Of-Use Treatment Technologies (WATERSPOUTT) Development of water supply and sanitation technology, systems and tools, and/or methodologies" (Su: Kullanıma Hazır Sürdürülebilir Arıtma Teknolojileri), 2016-2020, Researcher

BAP Project, "Mechanistic investigation on photocatalytic destruction of pathogenic bacteria", 2017-2019, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Evaluation of recovery potential for precious and rare earth metals from e-waste", 02/03/2014 - 28/09/2016, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Effect of nanoparticles (NPs) on anaerobic digestion process", 1/04/2013 - 01/05/2014, Researcher.

TÜBITAK Project, "The behaviour of nanoparticles in conventional and bioreactor landfills", 15/05/2013-2015, Researcher.

Bilateral Cooperation Programme, Joint Research Project between TÜBİTAK and Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Italy "Surrogate parameters to control emerging contaminants in water treated by advanced oxidation processes". Dr. Ceyda Uyguner Demirel (Boğaziçi University), Dr. Vincenzo Naddeo (University of Salerno), 2012-2015, Project Coordinator.

BAP Project, "The role of anion doping on the photocatalytic performance of TiO_2 ", 24/05/2012 - 23/05/2014, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Investigating the Environmental and Microbiological Factors Influencing Water Ouality of Indoor Swimming Pools, 2012-2014, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Recovery and reuse of Fe (III) doped TiO₂ in a solar photocatalytic reactor system", 03/05/2012 - 03/10/2013, Project Coordinator.

BAP Project, "Light Induced Degradation of Humic Acids in Aqueous Systems", 2010-2012, Researcher.

BAP Project, Co-composting of Sludge with Organic Solid Wastes and The Prevention of Odor by Using Natural Additives, 2010-2011, Project Coordinator.

BAP Project, "Clay Adsorption and Pretreatment Efficiency of Natural Organic Matter in Drinking Water Treatment", 2008-2010, Researcher

BAP Project, "Investigation of the surrogate parameters for the assessment of eutrophication in natural water systems", 2008-2009, Researcher.

BAP Project, "An Investigation on the Disinfection byproduct Precursor Speciation in Drinking Water", 2006-2007, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Evaluation of Alternative Water Treatment Systems for Obtaining Safe Water in Three Countries", 2004-2005, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Structural Characterization of Humic Substances by Spectroscopic Techniques in Relation to Photocatalytic Oxidative Degradation", 2003-2005, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Removal of Algal Derived Organic Matter by Heterogeneous Photocatalytic Oxidation", 2003-2005, Researcher.

BAP Project, "Comparative Evaluations of Humic Acid Structure Under Different Oxidative Conditions, 2003-2005, Researcher.

Editorial Work

Guest Editor for Special Issue; Journal of Hazardous Materials, Special Section: Advanced Treatment Options for the Removal of Environmental Contaminants, Volume 263, Part 2, Pages 267-792 (15 December 2013)

Guest Editor for Special Issue; International Journal of Global Warming, Special Issue on Global Warming Solutions by Recycling and Reuse, Volume 6, 2-3, Pages 267-792 (1 May 2014).

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- 2. Birben, N.C, Lale, E., Uyguner-Demirel, C.S., Bekbolet, M., Elucidation of in-situ produced organic matrix effect on the solar photo/photocatalytic inactivation of E. coli, Catalysis Today, 380: 53-61, 2021.
- 3. Birben, N.C., Lale, E., Pelosato, R., Uyguner-Demirel, C.S., Sora, I.N., Bekbolet, M., Photocatalytic bactericidal performance of LaFeO₃ under solar light: Kinetics, spectroscopic and mechanistic evaluation, Water, 13(9):1135, 2021
- 4. Uyguner-Demirel C.S, Sakallioglu T., Evaluating the suspension potential of manufactured nanoparticles in landfill leachate, Environmental Engineering and Management Journal, 18, 5, 983-990, 2019.
- 5. Fraiese A., Naddeo V., Uyguner-Demirel C.S., Prado M., Cesaro A., Zarra T., Liu H., Belgiorno V. and Ballesteros Jr. F, Removal of emerging contaminants in wastewater by sonolysis, photocatalysis and ozonation, Global NEST, 21 (2), 98-105, 2019.

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- 13. Sakallioglu T., Bakirdoven M., Temizel I., Demirel B, Copty N.K., Onay T.T., Uyguner Demirel C.S., Karanfil T., Leaching of nano-ZnO in municipal solid waste, Journal of Hazardous Materials, 317, 319–326, 2016.
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- 27. Uyguner C.S., Bekbolet M., Selcuk H., A comparative approach to the application of a physico-chemical and advanced oxidation combined system to natural water samples, Separation Science and Technology, 42, 7, 1405-1419, 2007.
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- 32. Uyguner CS, Bekbolet M, Evaluation of humic acid photocatalytic degradation by UV-vis and fluorescence spectroscopy, Catalysis Today, 101, 3-4, 267-274, 2005.
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<u>Bekbölet</u>, M.; Süphandağ, A.S. and Uyguner, C.S., "An investigation of the photocatalytic efficiencies of TiO₂ powders on the decolorization of humic acids", *SP1 First International Conference on 'Semiconductor Photochemistry*, Glasgow, Scotland, p. 87, 23-25 July 2001, poster presentation.

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- <u>Uyguner</u> C.S., Bekbölet M., "A comparative study on the photodegradation of humic substances of various origin", *The First European Conference on Oxidation and Reduction Technologies for Ex-Situ and In-Situ Treatment of Water, Soil* and *Air (ECOR-1)*, Göttingen, Germany, April 25-28, 2004, poster presentation.
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- <u>Uyguner</u> C.S., Süphandağ, S.A., Kerç A., and Bekbölet M., "Evaluation of adsorption and coagulation characteristics of humic acids preceded by alternative advanced oxidation techniques", *9*th *International Conference on Environmental Science and Technology*, p. 239, 1-3 September 2005, Rhodes, Greece, oral presentation.
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- <u>Selçuk H.</u>, Uyguner C.S., Anastasia N., and Bekbölet M., "Preozonation and Aluminum and Iron Enhanced Coagulations for the Disinfection By-Products (DBPs) Control in Drinking Water: A Comparative Study", *EAAOP-1 : First European Conference on Environmental Applications of Advanced Oxidation Processes*, September 7-9, 2006, Chania, Crete, Greece, oral presentation.
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