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Education

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- **Oct 2005 - Apr 2011: Master of Arts in Legal Sciences**

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- **Sep 2001 - Jul 2005: Bachelor of Arts in Law**

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Publications

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Work Experience

- **Sep 2018 - Present : Coordinator of Legal Clinic "Emine Zendeli"**
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Type of business or sector: Education, Research and Management
Main responsibilities: Free legal aid advice; practical education of students; clinical legal education;
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- **Oct 2005 - Sep 2010: Research Assistant**

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