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Biography

Dr Merve Çetinkaya Lisans eğitimini Ankara Üniversitesin de tamamladıktan sonra Milli Eğitim Bakanlığı Yüksek Öğretim Bursu ile İngiltere de Yüksek öğretime devam etmiştir. Yüksek Lisans eğitimini Kings College London, Modern Toplumlar da Din programında tamamlayan Dr Çetinkaya, Doktora eğitimini University College London da Sosyal Psikiyatri alanında Maneviyat ve Ruh Sağlığı odaklı çalışmalarıyla tamamlamıştır. Doktora süresinde Yale Üniversitesinde araştırmacı olarak bulunmuş Din ve Tıp alanında çalışmalar yapmıştır. Araştırmalarına kültür, din ve sağlık odaklı olarak disiplinler arası bir tutumla devam etmektedir.

Education Information

Doctorate, University College London, Division of Psikiyatri , Brain Science, England 2018 - 2023

Postgraduate, University of London-Kings College London, Social Science, England 2016 - 2017

Undergraduate, Ankara University, Turkey 2009 - 2013

Foreign Languages

English, C2 Mastery

Arabic, B2 Upper Intermediate

Persian, A2 Elementary

Certificates, Courses and Trainings

Health&Medicine, Emergency First Aid, British Red Cross, 2022

Health&Medicine, Mindfulness Training , Yale University, 2021

Data Analysis, Qualitative Analysis - Nvivo Advence, University College London, 2020

Project Management, Proje yönetimi, University College London, 2020

Foreign Language, Pressesional- Akademik ingilizce, University of London-Kings College London, 2017

Data Analysis, SPSS, Kings college London, 2016

Education Management and Planning, Formasyon, Ankara Üniversitesi, 2014

Foreign Language, İngilizce eğitimi , Hacettepe Üniversitesi, 2014

Vocational Training, Erasmus Staj hareketliliği, Muslim Council of Britain , 2012

Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities

Academic Titles / Tasks

Lecturer, Ankara Yildirim Beyazit University, İlahiyat Fakültesi, 2024 - Continues

Lecturer, University of East London, 2023 - 2024

Research Assistant, University College London, 2020 - 2024

Researcher, Yale University, 2021 - 2022

Courses

Eğitim Psikolojisi, Undergraduate, 2024 - 2025

Social Psychology, Undergraduate, 2023 - 2024

Din Psikolojisi, Undergraduate, 2024 - 2025

Mental Wealth and Leadership, Postgraduate, 2022 - 2023

Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Mosque and Society: Cambridge Central Mosque "A British Mosque for the 21st Century"**
ÇETİNKAYA M., EFEOĞLU N.
Gaziantep Üniversitesi Sosyal Bilimler Dergisi, vol.23, no.3, pp.781-783, 2024 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- II. **KİTAP TANITIM: SECULAR BEATS SPIRITUAL: THE WESTERNIZATION OF THE EASTERNIZATION OF THE WEST**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
DİNİ ARAŞTIRMALAR, vol.-26, no.65, pp.691-694, 2023 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- III. **Systematic review of the relationship between Islamic-Sufi spirituality and practice and mental well-being**
Cetinkaya M., Billings J.
Mental Health, Religion and Culture, vol.26, no.10, pp.1065-1080, 2023 (ESCI)

Books

- I. **Spirituality and Happiness: a study of London Muslim Youth**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
İlahiyat kitap, Ankara, 2024

Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings

- I. **Understanding the mind and spirit in Islamic Spirituality/Tasawwuf (Sufism)**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
Hindu and Islamic philosophy of mind, 02 October 2024
- II. **"Palyatif Bakım Departmanlarında ki Sağlık Çalışanlarının Ruh Sağlığı Üzerine Koruyucu Müdahaleler: İngiltere ve Amerika'da Mevcut 'Hospital Chaplincy' Örneklerinin Türkiye Ye Uyarlanabilirliği Üzerine Bir Değerlendirme"**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
VIII. Uluslararası Maneviyat Psikolojisi Sempozyumu, Turkey, 12 - 13 October 2024
- III. **Well-being in Sufi collective and individual practices: How does Sufi spirituality develop the**

individual's resilience during the grief and Bereavement process?

ÇETİNKAYA M.

Religion and Power British Sociological Association Sociology of Religion Study Group Annual Conference, 5 - 07 July 2023

- IV. **Online spiritual gatherings and their help to get hope during the COVID-19 pandemic.**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
ASA2023:An unwell world? Antropology in a speculative mode., England, 11 - 14 April 2023
- V. **Examining Sufism Spirituality in Britain in Terms of Mental Well-being**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
The Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies Forum Symposium, England, 19 March 2021
- VI. **Sufism, Wellbeing and mental health, and Sufi Music therapy**
ÇETİNKAYA M., Gürbüz Doğan R., Gürbüz Doğan R.
Spirituality and Mental Health: What does the NHS Provide?', England, 04 December 2020
- VII. **The Relationship between Sufism and Well-Being in Terms of Mental Health: Example of Sufism in Britain**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
12th Annual Muslim Mental Health Conference. THEME: The Intersection of Spirituality and Mental Health Practice, United States Of America, 10 - 12 July 2020
- VIII. **Mental Wellbeing Effects of Spiritual Practices: Example of Sufi Practices in London**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
Medicine and Religion, 22 - 25 March 2020
- IX. **Prayer at Midlife is Associated with Reduced Risk of Cognitive Decline in Arabic Women"**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology & Neuroscience (IOPPN) Journal Club Presentation, King College London, England, 01 October 2019
- X. **"Spirituality and mental well-being: Exploring the interrelationship between Sufism and mental wellbeing among British Sufis"**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
Royal College of Psychiatrists International Congress, England, 9 - 11 September 2019
- XI. **Spirituality and Mental Well-being: Exploring the Interrelationship between Sufism and Mental Well-being among British Sufis**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
Religion in Society, England, 24 - 25 April 2019
- XII. **Spirituality and Happiness: Exploring the interrelationship between Islamic spiritual experiences and happiness among London Muslim Youth.**
ÇETİNKAYA M.
Being Human and Human Being: Civilizational Perspectives, Turkey, 5 - 06 April 2019

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