



**INTERNATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION SYMPOSIUM
&
THE PRESENT AND FUTURE OF EDUCATION IN UNIVERSITIES
17-18-19 April 2024**

SYMPOSIUM PROGRAM

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DAY 1

17 April 2024 / Wednesday

OPENING SESSION

TIME*	OPENING EVENTS
4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Opening Speeches and Opening Concert

OPENING SPEECHES

TÜRKİYE

Prof. Dr. Nurdan Kalaycı

Gazi University Gazi Faculty of Education
Symposium Organizing Committee Chairperson

Prof. Dr. Mahmut Selvi

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School of Education and Pedagogy Chairperson
Colombia

OPENING CONCERT

Prof. Dr. Ömer Türkmenoğlu

Gazi University Gazi Faculty of Education

* Session hours are Türkiye time (GMT+3).

DAY 1
17 April 2024 / Wednesday
SESSIONS

TIME of SESSIONS 5:00 – 10:00 p.m.	SPEAKERS AND SPEECH TOPICS			
	TÜRKİYE	SPEECH TOPICS	INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES	SPEECH TOPICS
SESSION 1 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.	Moderator: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mehmet Tarık Atay Abdullah Gül University Kayseri, Türkiye			
	Prof. Dr. Bilal Güneş Gazi University Gazi Faculty of Education Department of Mathematics and Science Education Ankara, Türkiye	Using AI Chatbots in Physics Education: Benefits and Risks	Prof. Dr. Gregory T. Rushton Middle Tennessee State University Department of Chemistry and Director of Tennessee STEM Education Center (TSEC) Tennessee, U.S.	Promoting Higher Education Faculty Reflective Practice: Using Self Determination Theory and Positive Psychology for Institutional Change
BREAK				
SESSION 2 6:15 – 7:15 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Tolga Güyer Gazi University Ankara, Türkiye			
	Prof. Dr. Muhammed Şahin MEF University, Rector İstanbul, Türkiye & Dr. Caroline Fell Kurban MEF University Advisor to the Rector Center for Research and Best Practice in Teaching and Learning (CELT) İstanbul, Türkiye	ChatGPT's Impact on Higher Education: Exploring the Artificial Intelligence Revolution	Prof. Dr. Sari Havu Nuutinen University of Eastern Finland School of Applied Education Science and Teacher Education Joensuu, Finland	The Potential of Science Capital for Teacher Education
BREAK				
SESSION 3 7:30 – 8:30 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Zübeyde Demet Güneş Gazi University Ankara, Türkiye			
	Prof. Dr. Mehmet Taşpınar Gazi University Gazi Faculty of Education Department of Educational Sciences Ankara, Türkiye	The Place, Importance and Future of Education Faculties in the Teacher Training System in Türkiye	Prof. Dr. Douglas K. Hartman Michigan State University College of Education Michigan, U.S.	The Future of Teacher Education at the Present Time

BREAK				
SESSION 4 8:45 – 9:45 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Işıl Maral İstanbul Medeniyet University İstanbul, Türkiye			
	Prof. Dr. Işıl İrem Budakoğlu Gazi University Faculty of Medicine Department of Medical Education and Informatic Ankara, Türkiye	What is Happening in Integrated and Accredited Medical Education? Trends and Future	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Lori DeShetler University of Toledo Assistant Dean for Assessment and Accreditation, Medical Education, College of Medicine and Life Sciences Ohio, U.S.	Exploring Current Trends in Medical Education
Closing 10:00 p.m.				

DAY 2
18 April 2024 / Thursday
SESSIONS

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TIME of OPENING	OPENING SPEECH	
3:45-4:00 p.m.	Prof. Dr. Mehmet Akif Sözer Gazi University Gazi Faculty of Education Ankara, Türkiye	
TIME of SESSIONS	SPEAKERS AND SPEECH TOPICS	
	TÜRKİYE	SPEECH TOPICS
SPECIAL SESSION 1 4:00-4.20 p.m.	Moderator: Asist Prof. Dr. Meltem Irmak Gazi University Ankara, Türkiye	
	Aziz Şükrü Yeldan Undergraduate Student Gazi University Gazi Faculty of Education Department of History Teaching Ankara, Türkiye	Türkiye: Today, Tomorrow and Forever
BREAK		
SPECIAL SESSION 2 4:30-5.00 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Gülçin Sağdıçoğlu Celep Gazi University Ankara, Türkiye	
	Prof. Dr. Feyza Arıcıoğlu Marmara University Director of Institute of Health Sciences İstanbul, Türkiye Member of Turkish Higher Education Quality Council (THEQC) Ankara, Türkiye	A Snapshot on Quality Assurance in Higher Education System in Türkiye

TIME of SESSIONS 5:15–10:15 p.m.	SPEAKERS AND SPEECH TOPICS			
	TÜRKİYE	SPEECH TOPICS	INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES	SPEECH TOPICS
SESSION 2 5:15-6:15 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Feyza Arıcıoğlu Marmara University İstanbul, Türkiye Member of Turkish Higher Education of Quality Council (THEQC) Ankara, Türkiye			
	Prof. Dr. Mustafa Necmi İlhan Turkish Ministry of Labor and Social Security, Vocational Qualifications Authority of Türkiye Ankara, Türkiye	The Changing World and the Higher Education System That Needs to Change	Dr. Turan Ayvaz Senior Director Credentialing Accreditation ANSI National Accreditation Board (ANAB) Washington, D.C. U.S.	Higher Education within the Credentialing Ecosystem
BREAK				
SESSION 3 6:30–7:30 p.m.	Moderator: Assist. Prof. Dr. Faruk Güven Abdullah Gül University Kayseri, Türkiye			
	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mehmet Tarık Atay Abdullah Gül University Faculty of Engineering Department of Engineering Sciences Kayseri, Türkiye	For Future University Quadriple Helix Approach: Sustainability, Creativity, Innovation and Artificial Intelligence	Dr. Jeff Grilliot University of Findlay Senior Director of Advancement Ohio, U.S.	The Different Strategies of Fund Raising for the Financial Sustainability of Universities
BREAK				
SESSION 4 7:45-8:45 p.m.	Moderator: Dr. Raffaella Ciuffreda Università degli Studi del Sannio Benevento, Italy			
	Prof. Dr. Adnan Sözen Gazi University Faculty of Technology Department of Energy Systems Engineering Ankara, Türkiye	Application-Based Engineering Education	Prof. Dr. Gillian Roehrig University of Minnesota STEM Education in the Department of Curriculum and Instruction. Minnesota, U.S.	Preparing Students for the Future STEM Workforce
BREAK				

SESSION 5 9:00–10:00 p.m.	Moderator: Assist. Prof. Dr. Murat İnan Abdullah Gül University Kayseri, Türkiye			
	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Biagio Simonetti Università degli Studi del Sannio UniSannio Benevento, Italy	Today and Future of the Italian Universities in the Context of European Union	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Raúl Alberto Mora Universidad Pontificia Bolivariana Doctorate in Education Chair, Literacies in Second Languages Project Research Lab. Medellín, Colombia	Teachers-as-Doctors, Doctors-as-Teachers: A Case Study of Revisiting The Social Responsibilities of Doctoral Education in Colombia
Closing 10:15 p.m.				

<p>DAY 3</p> <p>19 April 2024 / Friday</p> <p>SESSIONS</p>	<p>Information about Participation to Sessions</p> <p>Click the link or scan the QR Code:</p> <p>Zoom link</p> 
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3:45-4:00 p.m.	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Fahriye Hayırsever Düzce University Faculty of Education Düzce Türkiye	
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SPECIAL SESSION 3 4:00-4.30 p.m.	Moderator: Dr. Turan Ayvaz Credentialing Accreditation ANSI-National Accreditation Board (ANAB) Washington D.C., U.S.	
	Prof. Dr. Soner Yıldırım Middle East Technical University Faculty of Education Department of Computer Education and Instructional Technology Ankara, Türkiye	What AI Holds for Higher Education
BREAK		

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SESSION 1 4:45-5:45 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Gonca Çakmak Gazi University Ankara, Türkiye			
	Prof. Dr. İlkey Erdoğan Orhan Gazi University Faculty of Pharmacy Ankara, Türkiye	Leading Contributions To Pharmacy Education by Gazi University Faculty of Pharmacy	Dr. Jacklyn C. Fuller Virginia Commonwealth University Health System Graduate Medical Education Virginia, U.S.	How To Utilize Learning Theories in Higher Education?
BREAK				

SESSION 2 6:00-7:00 p.m.	Moderator: Dr. Nazlı Şenyuva Offringa University of Southern California Los Angeles, U.S.			
	Prof. Dr. Nesrin Çobanoğlu Gazi University Faculty of Medicine Department of Basic Medical Sciences Ankara, Türkiye	The Present and Future of Medical Ethics Education	Doç. Dr. Andrzej A. Kononowicz Poland Jagiellonian University Medical College Department of Bioinformatics and Telemedicine Kraków, Poland	Paving The Way For The Integration of Artificial Intelligence Into The Medical Education of The Future

BREAK

SESSION 3 7:15-8:15 p.m.	Moderator: Prof.Dr. Aysel Berkkan Gazi UniversityAnkara,Türkiye NIST Maryland, U.S.			
	Prof. Dr. Gülçin Sağdıçoğlu Celep Gazi University Faculty of Health Sciences Department of Nutrition and Dietetics Ankara, Türkiye	Quality Standards for Postgraduate Education in Health Sciences	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Onur Inam Gazi University, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Biophysics, Ankara, Türkiye Columbia University Irving Medical Center New York, U.S.	Medicine and Artificial Intelligence: What Can We Teach, What Can We Learn?

BREAK

SESSION 4 8:30-9:30 p.m.	Moderator: Prof. Dr. Benay Can Eke Ankara University Ankara, Türkiye			
	Assist. Prof. Dr. Onur Kenan Ulutaş Gazi University Faculty of Pharmacy Department of Pharmaceutical Toxicology Ankara, Türkiye	Education in Pharmacy Faculties: Keeping Up with the Current Situation and Era	Assoc. Dr. Hale Z. Toklu University of Central Florida College of Medicine Pharmacology & Medical Education Florida, U.S.	The Role of Mentorship in Developing Professionalism in Higher Education

DAY 3

April 19, 2024 / Friday

CLOSING OF THE SYMPOSIUM

TIME	CLOSING EVENTS
9:30 – 10:00 p.m.	Closing Ceremony and Speeches Thanks and wishes