

**5th INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC AND ACADEMIC RESEARCH CONGRESS
(24-25 April 2026) – NICOSIA/TRNC
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM**

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Friday, April 24, 2026

PANEL 1: AI TRANSFORMING ACADEMIA AND HEALTHCARE: INNOVATION, ETHICS, AND HUMAN FACTORS

Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Burcu Totur Dikmen

TOPIC	SPEAKER
THE NEXT GENERATION AI-POWERED ACADEMIC PLATFORM – PROF DUX	Prof. Dr. Fadi Al-Turjman
ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND THE TRANSFORMATION OF SCIENTIFIC PRODUCTION	Prof. Dr. Nesrin M. Bahçelerli
AI-POWERED HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS: FROM DATA COLLECTION TO CLINICAL DECISION-MAKING	Assist. Prof. Dr. Omid Mirzaei
THE HUMAN FACTOR IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE INTERACTION: A PERSPECTIVE ON TRUST, ETHICS, AND RESPONSIBILITY	Dr. Deniz Talaz

SESSION 1 – Chair: Prof. Dr. Elif Sezgin

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
TESTICULAR ABSCESS SECONDARY TO TORSION IN AN OLDER PATIENT	İsmail İsmailoğlu, Seran Gökçen Kırmızı, Yasemin Küçükçiloğlu
A RARE LATE COMPLICATION IN A PATIENT WITH NISSEN FUNDOPLICATION: PSEUDOACHALASIA	Seran Gökçen Kırmızı, İsmail İsmailoğlu, Uğurcan Balyemez
AN MDCTA STUDY ON THE VARIATIONS AND CLINICAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE INFERIOR PHRENIC ARTERY	Akinola Olonade, Yasemin Kucukciloglu, Mehtap Tiryakioglu
TARGETING AI-2 QUORUM SENSING: COMPUTATIONAL DISCOVERY OF LUXS INHIBITORS FROM ANNONA MURICATA ACETOGENINS	Titilayomi O.O. Adewusi, Chidi W. Nwekwo, Ovgu Isbilen, Victor Markus
FOOD SELECTIVITY AND FEEDING REFUSAL IN CHILDREN WITH ATTENTION DEFICIT HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD): A CONCEPTUAL SYNTHESIS BASED ON SENSORY PROCESSING AND SELF-REGULATION	Elif Sezgin, Gülşen Özduvan

SESSION 2 – Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Alper Yusuf Köroğlu

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
ACCEPTANCE AND COMMITMENT THERAPY IN THE CONTEXT OF DEPRESSION: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW	Şerife Kıratlı, Meryem Karaaziz
A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW ON THE EFFECTIVENESS OF COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY INTERVENTIONS IN GAMBLING ADDICTION	Emel Sunar, Meryem Karaaziz
AN EXAMINATION OF EATING DISORDERS FROM A COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY PERSPECTIVE	Duygu Özkaraca, Meryem Karaaziz
A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW ON BORDERLINE PERSONALITY DISORDER AND EARLY MALADAPTIVE SCHEMAS	Beyza Teyyar, Meryem Karaaziz
TREATMENT OF GENERALIZED ANXIETY DISORDER WITH COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY: A CASE REPORT	Melis Eda Kocaman, Meryem Karaaziz

SESSION 3 – Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Tahir Dağcı

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY IN THE TREATMENT OF SPECIFIC PHOBIA: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW	Yeşil Çolak, Meryem Karaaziz
A SYSTEMATIC COMPILATION OF COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY IN THE TREATMENT OF ATTENTION DEFICIT AND HYPERACTIVITY	Adalet Can, Meryem Karaaziz
INVESTIGATION OF DYSLEXIA AND SOCIAL ADAPTATION SKILLS IN CHILDREN: A COMPILATION STUDY	Yeşil Çolak, Bade Yaya
EVALUATING THE EFFICACY OF A MOBILE EPILEPSY EDUCATION PACKAGE APPLICATION DEVELOPED FOR THE PARENTS/CAREGIVERS OF CHILDREN WITH EPILEPSY IN CANADA	Dilek Sayık, Ayfer Acikgoz, Argerie Tsimicalis, Kenneth A Myers
AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE EFFECT OF NOMOPHOBIA ON BODY IMAGE PERCEPTION IN ADOLESCENTS	Dilek Sayık, Tuğba Kartal, Şengül Dolu Kubilay, Medine Es, Mehmet İbrahim Günen, Umut Çakır, Zümrecan Solhan, Reşat Irmak, Emirhan Tantalak, Çiğdem Çelik, Mert Kumtepe

SESSION 4 – Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kubilay Özer

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SOCIAL MEDIA USE AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY LEVELS AND SLEEP QUALITY AMONG NURSING STUDENTS	Ayşe Şamlı, Arzu Nurdaş
THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN NURSING STUDENTS' SELF-EFFICACY IN PEDIATRIC MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION AND THEIR CLINICAL COMFORT AND ANXIETY LEVELS: A CROSS-SECTIONAL STUDY	Eda Çiftçi Aksoy, Emin Efe Aksoy
CURRENT STATUS AND DEVELOPMENT NEEDS OF PEDIATRIC PALLIATIVE CARE IN NORTHERN CYPRUS: A REVIEW	Esra Telli
DIGITAL GAME ADDICTION	Duygu Oktay Evren, Fuat Boğaç Evren
CONTENT ANALYSIS OF BLENDED LEARNING	Hayat Ceylin Keleş, Hanife Bensen Bostancı

SESSION 5 – Chair: Prof. Dr. Nejla Canbulat Şahiner

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
EFFECTS OF WAR ON CHILD HEALTH AND NURSING CARE: A REVIEW	Alırza Sarı, Nejla Canbulat Şahiner
DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED BY NURSING STUDENTS IN CLINICAL PRACTICE: A REVIEW	Sümeyye Ars, Nejla Canbulat Şahiner
THE MEDIATING EFFECT OF CHRONOTYPE ON THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN SCREEN EXPOSURE AND INSOMNIA AMONG NURSING STUDENTS	Ümeyir Laba, Seçil Ekiz Erim
THE IMPACT OF CULTURE ON WOUND CARE	Fulya Oflazoglu
THE EFFECTS OF STUDENT EMPLOYMENT ON MENTAL HEALTH AND ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE: A LITERATURE REVIEW	Treasure Emenike, Samineh Esmailzadeh

SESSION 6 – Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Hikmet Kocaman

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE ROLE OF NUTRITIONAL AND PHYSIOTHERAPY APPROACHES IN THE PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT OF SARCOPENIA	Şemsi Gül Yılmaz Kocaman, Hikmet Kocaman
ANTI-INFLAMMATORY NUTRITION AND REHABILITATION APPROACHES FOR MUSCULOSKELETAL PAIN: A REVIEW OF CURRENT EVIDENCE	Şemsi Gül Yılmaz Kocaman, Hikmet Kocaman
A STUDY ON THE EFFECT OF LABOUR INSPECTIONS ON OCCUPATIONAL ACCIDENTS: THE CASE OF THE TURKISH REPUBLIC OF NORTHERN CYPRUS (TRNC)	Çağdaş Çalış, Serenay Çalış
FROM SONGS TO LANGUAGE TEACHING: AN EXAMINATION OF THE FEASIBILITY OF USING BARIŞ MANÇO'S SONGS IN TEACHING TURKISH AS A FOREIGN LANGUAGE	Ceyda Topçuoğlu
NUTRITION IN CARDIOVASCULAR DISEASES: WHAT? WHEN?	Melis Güzle, Servet Madencioglu

SESSION 7 – Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mehmet Ali Canbolat

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE CONTRIBUTION OF STORYTELLING METHOD TO LANGUAGE SKILLS IN PRESCHOOL AND PRIMARY SCHOOL FOREIGN LANGUAGE ACQUISITION: A LITERATURE REVIEW	Ayşe Köroğlu
INSPIRING WOMEN IN HEALTH: A STRUGGLE FOR RIGHTS AND HEALING FROM HISTORICAL HERITAGE TO MODERN MEDICINE	Nejla Canbulat Şahiner
FIELD INTEGRATION AND OPTIMIZATION MODEL FOR JOINT HEALTH AND SAFETY UNIT	Kubilay Özer
FAMILY AND SOCIALIZATION PROCESSES IN THE CONTEXT OF INDIVIDUALIZATION	Tahir Dağcı
QUALITY MANAGEMENT IN PRODUCTION AND LOGISTICS INTEGRATION: A HOLISTIC SUPPLY CHAIN APPROACH	Selman Şahiner
SOURCES OF POWER USED IN SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION	Fadime Dağcı
THE REFLECTION OF DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION IN LOGISTICS: A BIBLIOMETRIC ROADMAP ON LOGISTICS 4.0	Tuğba Kayıkcıoğlu, Mehmet Ali Canbolat

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PANEL 2. NAVIGATING CULTURE IN NURSING: COMPLEX REALITIES, GLOBAL RESPONSIBILITIES, AND THE SHADOWS OF CONFLICT

Chair: Prof. Dr. Candan Öztürk

TOPIC	SPEAKER(S)
UNDERSTANDING CULTURE IN THE 21ST CENTURY: THE GLOBALIZING REALITIES OF NURSING	Prof. Dr. Candan Öztürk
CARE IN THE SHADOW OF CONFLICT: TRAUMA, POWER, AND RESILIENCE	Lecturer Loai Abu-Rayyan
CULTURAL SELF-COMPASSION: THE NURSE'S JOURNEY TOWARD THE SELF IN A FRACTURED WORLD	Lecturer Ahmadu Inuwa
CULTURAL BIASES IN HEALTH CARE: IMPLICIT BIAS AND MICROAGGRESSIONS	Lecturer Cynthia U. Edwin
TRANSCULTURAL COMMUNICATION IN NURSING: BRIDGING DIFFERENCES FOR EFFECTIVE CARE	Lecturer Prince George
GLOBAL HEALTH ETHICS IN A CULTURALLY DIVERSE WORLD	Lecturer Nelson C. Onyeneke

SESSION 8 – Chair: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ezgi Bağrıaçık

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
PERCEIVED BARRIERS AND FACILITATORS TO ACCESSING SEXUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH SERVICES AMONG ADOLESCENTS LIVING WITH HIV: A QUALITATIVE THEMATIC ANALYSIS	Gift Onyinye Christopher, Candan Ozturk
CHALLENGES OF BEING A MOTHER AS A UNIVERSITY STUDENT	Ganna Pola, Candan Ozturk
PARENTAL STRESS AND COPING STRATEGIES DURING CHILD HOSPITALIZATION: A CULTURAL PERSPECTIVE WITH FOCUS ON IRANIAN FAMILIES	Ghazaleholsadat Hassani, Candan Ozturk
ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS AND PSYCHOSOCIAL DEVELOPMENT IN FIRST-YEAR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS: A MIXED-METHODS STUDY FROM A BRONFENBRENNER-ERIKSON PERSPECTIVE	Cynthia U. Edwin, Candan Ozturk
FROM SACRED RITUALS TO REGENERATIVE MEDICINE: A CROSS-CULTURAL, BIOMEDICAL AND NARRATIVE REVIEW OF PLACENTAL USE	Cynthia U. Edwin, Candan Ozturk

SESSION 9 – Chair: Dr. Ganna Pola

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
FROM GLYCEMIC CONTROL TO WELL-BEING: THE INVISIBLE POWER OF LOVE, COMPASSION, AND FORGIVENESS IN DIABETES CARE WITHIN A THEORETICAL FRAMEWORK	Deniz Talaz, Ezgi Bağrıaçık
THE ROLE OF THE MICROBIOME IN THE PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT OF CHRONIC DISEASES AND NURSING APPROACHES	İrem Ozdemir, Ezgi Bagriacik
MOLECULAR MECHANISMS OF CURCUMIN ON METABOLIC AND HORMONAL PARAMETERS IN POLYCYSTIC OVARY SYNDROME: A REVIEW OF CURRENT EVIDENCE	Begüm Kübra Altundaş, Mustafa Hoca, Gülşen Özduran
POTENTIAL ANTI-CANCER EFFECTS OF BIOACTIVE COMPONENTS FOUND IN ASPARAGUS	Gülşen Özduran, Begüm Kübra Altundaş, Mustafa Hoca
THE INTERPLAY BETWEEN MENSTRUAL CYCLE PHASES AND NUTRITION IN FEMALE ATHLETES	Raghad Mohamed Hassan Ahmed, Burçin Karavelioğlu
THE ROLE AND POTENTIAL MECHANISMS OF POSTBIOTICS IN DIABETES MANAGEMENT	Kerem Fıncıoğulları, Mustafa Hoca

SESSION 10 – Chair: Dr. Deniz Talaz

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
NURSING AND ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	Özdem Nurluöz, Abdussamed Kaçmaz
THE IMPORTANCE OF CRISIS MANAGEMENT IN HEALTHCARE INSTITUTIONS: EVALUATION BY NURSES	Özdem Nurluöz, Ömer Faruk Fırathan
DETERMINATION OF NURSING STUDENTS' AWARENESS, ATTITUDES, AND BEHAVIORS REGARDING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS	Feyza Arlı, Nazlı Turgut Atak
DETERMINATION OF NURSING STUDENTS' AWARENESS, ATTITUDES, AND READINESS TOWARD ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE	Ifeyinwa Grace Nweke, Nazlı Turgut Atak
THE EFFECTIVENESS OF MOTIVATIONAL INTERVIEWING IN NURSING PRACTICE	Ayşe Gökşen, Samineh Esmailzadeh
NANOMEDICINE 2025 – 2030: EMERGING NANOPARTICLE PLATFORMS AND TRANSLATION PATHWAYS	Shelly Roselyn Van Eyssen

SESSION 11 – Chair: Assist. Prof. Dr. Kemal Elyeli

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
KNOWLEDGE, ATTITUDES, AND PRACTICES OF MEDICAL STUDENTS ABOUT ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE IN A PRIVATE UNIVERSITY IN NORTHERN CYPRUS	Adanze Nge Cynthia, Ozen Asut, Songul Vaizoglu, Sanda Cali, M Aghiad Safwa, Aysel Zorali, Folakemi Olanike Olori, Ahmed Mohamed, Maram Elsadiğ Awad Hamed, Maram Adel Ahmed Salih, Mariam Sherif, Khaled Aljuncidi, Sohaib Alsalkhadi, Samy Subhi Abusenbl, Rana Mohammad, Olaa Mohamedosman, Mahsan Taheri, Mohammad Mohannad Al Twait, Dima Mestarihi, Esra Osman, Ruba Ibrahim, Mohammad Al Rfai, Hussein Yousif, Suleman Lawal Anka, Mohammad Al Nonou
INTERPRETING CRIME RATES THROUGH GENDER ROLE THEORY: THE CASE OF NOTHERN CYPURS	Kemal Elyeli
IDENTITY TRANSFORMATIONS IN TURKISH FOREIGN POLICY: ANALYSIS OF THE JUSTICE AND DEVELOPMENT PARTY ERA	Oğuz Ufuk Haksever
EVALUATION OF THE ATTITUDES OF HEALTH SCIENCES AND NURSING SCHOOL STUDENTS TOWARDS MULTIDISCIPLINARY APPROACHES TO ELDERLY HEALTH MANAGEMENT	Derya Taşkın, Büşra Dönmez
DETERMINING THE HEALTHCARE UTILIZATION AND PERCEIVED BARRIERS OF NIGERIAN RESIDENTS IN NORTHERN CYPRUS	Ebere Meshach Ekezie, Dilay Necipoğlu

SESSION 12 – Chair: Assist. Prof. Dr. Gülşen Özduvan

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE IMPACTS OF THE CLIMATE CRISIS ON WOMEN'S HEALTH: A GENDER-BASED REVIEW	Özlem Akalpler, İlayda Akkaya
COMPLEMENTARY AND ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES IN FEMALE INFERTILITY	Özlem Akalpler, İlayda Akkaya
THE GROUP MOST AT RISK FOR SHARP OBJECT INJURIES: NURSES?	Gaye Bağcı, Özlem Akalpler
BEING A CHILD IN THE AGE OF CLIMATE CHANGE: HEALTH RISKS AND NURSING APPROACHES	Damla Ağu
DRIVERS OF AGRICULTURAL SUSTAINABILITY IN WEST AFRICA: THE INTERPLAY OF ENVIRONMENTAL DEGRADATION, ECONOMIC FACTORS, AND INSTITUTIONAL QUALITY	Abdulazeez Shinga Zakari, Mehdi Seraj, Hussein Ozdeser

SESSION 13 – Chair: Assist. Prof. Dr. Dilek Şayık

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
VOLUNTARY TAX COMPLIANCE LEVELS AND DEMOGRAPHIC DETERMINANTS OF TAXPAYERS: THE CASE OF ÇANAKKALE	Mehmet Öksüz, Mehtap Öksüz, Adnan Şimşek
AN EVALUATION OF THE U.S.–CHINA TRADE WARS IN THE SECOND TRUMP ADMINISTRATION	Mesut Yücesan, Meltem Tarı Özgür, Gamze Erden, Senil Ketenciler
POLITICAL AND SOCIAL RELATIONS OF TURKISH CYPRIOTS WITH TÜRKİYE DURING THE ATATÜRK ERA	Atiye Emiroğlu
TOGETHER IN THE SAME BUCKET OR PULLING EACH OTHER DOWN? MANAGERIAL PERCEPTIONS OF THE CRAB BARREL SYNDROME IN ACCOMMODATION ESTABLISHMENTS	Filiz Demir, Mehmet Kahyaoğlu

SESSION 14 – Chair: Dr. Duygu Oktay Evren

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
AN EXAMINATION OF UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' PURPOSES FOR USING ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE TOOLS	Mustafa Sırakaya, Didem Alsancak Sırakaya
ECONOMIC ANALYSIS OF STORAGE TECHNOLOGIES IN OFF-GRID HYBRID ENERGY SYSTEMS: A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF LITHIUM-ION AND GEL BATTERIES	Salih Ermiş, Oğuz Taşdemir
FIRST-PRINCIPLES INVESTIGATION OF THE STRUCTURAL, ELECTRONIC, ELASTIC, AND OPTICAL PROPERTIES OF TiVH4 FOR HYDROGEN STORAGE APPLICATIONS	Fatma Güzel, Cihan Kürkçü
A COMPARATIVE STUDY OF ANXIETY INTERVENTIONS IN AUTISM AND LEARNING DISABILITIES	Deniz Akdal
THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES AND ECONOMIC GROWTH: AN EMPIRICAL EXAMINATION FOR G7 COUNTRIES	Mücahit Ülger

SESSION 15: ONLINE – Chairman: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Abdullah Dağcı**MEETING URL:** <https://meet.google.com/wct-ydfi-edt>

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
BASIC PRINCIPLES OF COMMUNICATION	Adeljana Shehaj
MARRIAGES AND MICROEVOLUTIONARY PROCESSES IN THE POPULATION OF THE CITY OF GJIROKASTRA	Aneta Çomo
USE OF METHODS, WHERE AND HOW THEY SHOULD BE USED. METHODOLOGICAL ASPECT.	Ermelinda Kashah
MODERN PREJUDICE IN URBAN SPACE: RENTAL DISCRIMINATION AND SPATIAL EXCLUSION OF MIGRANT WORKERS IN TAIWAN	Yun-Hao Chuang, Yong-Jin Huang, Ya-Ching Chuang
SOCIAL PROBLEMS OF UNDOCUMENTED MIGRANTS: A LABOR LAW PERSPECTIVE IN EAST ASIA	Yun-Hao Chuang
A SPIRITUALLY ORIENTED FORGIVENESS PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PEOPLE: DEVELOPMENT, IMPLEMENTATION, AND EVALUATION	Abdullah Dağcı
RELIGIOUS COMMUNITIES AND ALBANIAN RELIGIOUS LEGISLATION IN 1929 AND 1949	Shyqyri Hysi, Armela Lluri

SESSION 16: ONLINE – Chairman: Prof. Dr. Ümit Sormaz**MEETING URL:** <https://meet.google.com/rzk-bgff-mat>

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
TOURISM-LED ECONOMIC GROWTH OR REGIONAL DISPARITIES? EVIDENCE FROM ALBANIA	Antoneta Polo, Enkela Caca, Ilirjana Zyberi, Fatime Beqo, Sara Bixhaku
THE EFFECT OF TAXATION ON THE FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE OF SMALL AND MEDIUM ENTERPRISES (SMES) IN AFGHANISTAN	Tamim Adil
DIGITALIZATION AND ITS IMPACT ON SME PERFORMANCE IN HYDERABAD	Ghazala Perween
THE TRANSFORMATION OF LOCAL CULINARY CULTURE INTO A TOURISM PRODUCT: A PROPOSAL FOR A GASTRONOMIC ROUTE IN BISHKEK	Dinara İsakova, Sapargül Turdubekova, Ümit Sormaz, Halyna Kushniruk
EVALUATION OF THE TOURISM POTENTIAL OF TAIZ CITY USING SWOT ANALYSIS	İbrahim Gündoğdu, Yazeed Sultan Saeed Ahmed, Ümit Sormaz
EFFECTIVENESS THE TRAINING THE TEACHERS IN ALBANIA : ANALYSIS COMPARATIVE BETWEEN THE CITY THE GJIROKASTRA AND SARANDA	Anila Xhumba

SESSION 17: ONLINE – Chairman: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Fatma Okur Çakıcı**MEETING URL:** <https://meet.google.com/ubf-jcpw-yqd>

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
AN ASSESSMENT OF NATIONAL IDENTITY AND NATIONAL INTEGRATION IN THE EARLY REPUBLICAN PERIOD	Fatma Okur Çakıcı, Ali Yıldırım
VISION AND LEADERSHIP IN TURKISH CULTURE: FROM HISTORICAL PROCESS TO MODERN PRACTICES	Fatma Okur Çakıcı, Ali Yıldırım
A NEW TREND AMONG YOUTH: MUKBANG AND CULTURAL VALUES	Ziyaeddin Kırboğa
AN EVALUATION OF HENRI LEFEBVRE'S AND DAVID HARVEY'S SPACE AND TIME CONCEPTS WITH AN URBAN SOCİOLOGY PERSPECTIVE	Mehmet Kurtcebe
STEP BY STEP TOWARDS LIFE: DEVELOPING BASIC LIFE SKILLS IN PRIMARY SCHOOL STUDENTS	Hasan GÜNDÜZ, Zeynep SERİN, Seda DÖLEK

SESSION 18: ONLINE – Chairman: Dr. Arjan Gjini**MEETING URL:** <https://meet.google.com/ytn-aptq-keb>

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE COEXISTENCE OF ART, PEDAGOGY AND PSYCHOLOGY IN CHILDREN'S LITERATURE AND ITS PLACE IN THE UNIVERSITY CURRICULUM	Merita Gjokutaj-Shehu, Laureta Konomi
“ARTISTIC DISCOURSE AND STYLISTIC EXPRESSION IN ODISE KOTE’S NOVEL “AMERIKAN”	Sashenka Kamberi
LAUGHTER AS CRITIQUE: SATIRE IN THE SHORT PROSE OF QAMIL BUXHELI	Vjollca Rrapai
DOMAIN-SPECIFIC LANGUAGE IN LITERATURE: AN ENGLISH–ALBANIAN CROSS-LINGUISTIC STUDY OF TERMINOLOGY IN “THE GRAPES OF WRATH”	Arjan Shumeli, Merita Isaraj, Erion Shehu, Artur Jaupaj
FIGURATIVE USES AND SEMANTIC TRANSFORMATIONS OF ADJECTIVES IN THE POETRY OF DRITËRO AGOLLI	Almira Sadikaj, Entela Kore
THE CONTRIBUTION OF SAMI FRASHËRI TO THE STANDARDIZATION OF THE ALBANIAN LITERARY LANGUAGE	Mimoza Zekaj, Merita Isaraj

SESSION 19: ONLINE – Chairman: Dr. Arjan Gjini**MEETING URL:** <https://meet.google.com/frh-eokb-uoj>

TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
ASSESSMENT OF RELIEF CONSTRAINTS AND ACCESSIBILITY AS DETERMINANTS OF URBANISATION IN ALBANIA: A MULTIVARIATE CORRELATION APPROACH	Mariglen Sherifaj, Albina Sinani
ALBANIA–CROATIA–KOSOVO MEMORANDUM: THE SUBSEQUENT UNFEASIBLE JUSTIFICATION OF ALEKSANDAR VUČIĆ AND THE SERBIAN ARMED FORCES!	Fatjon Malaj
BUILDING A CULTURE OF HUMAN RIGHTS RESPECT AMONG CIVIL SERVANTS IN THE ALBANIAN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	Besmira Botusha, Armand Tragaj, Kreshnik Bucpapaj, Xhesida Tragaj
THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF SUSTAINABLE TOURISM IN GJIROKASTRA	Ilijana Zyberi, Sara Bixhaku, Pamela Sherifi
ELECTORAL SYSTEMS IN ALBANIA: LEGISLATIVE EVOLUTION AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHALLENGES IN THE CONTEXT OF THE 2026 ELECTORAL REFORM	Arjan Gjini
ADAPTING HIGHER EDUCATION TO GLOBAL CHALLENGES: DIGITALIZATION, ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, AND GOVERNANCE THROUGH OECD MODELS	Arjan Gjini

SESSION 20: ONLINE – Chairman: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Abdullah Dağcı

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TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE IMPACT OF PHARMACOLOGICAL TREATMENT ON THE PREVENTION OF PRETERM BIRTH IN GJIROKASTRA MATERNITY HOSPITAL	Arjeta Xhemali, Maria Agolli, Pamela Barjami, Mimoza Llavdaniti, Albana Sula, Shqipe Luta
EPIDEMIOLOGICAL EVALUATION OF HEPATITIS B IN UNIVERSITY OF GJIROKASTËR' STUDENTS	Zhenisa Çuni, Altin Goxharaj, Dritan Rami
HEALOT: SENIOR CITIZENS' LIVED EXPERIENCES OF HILOT IN LUNA, LA UNION	Russel Clint Caoeng, Hanna Marice Dolores, Alyssa Jade Barangay, Amanda Jia Maria Ollero, Leanne Martos
CULTURAL PROTECTION OR HIDDEN RISKS? A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF THE ROLE OF TRADITIONAL NAMING CEREMONIES AND HERBAL BATHS IN NEONATAL CARE	Moyosore Omotola Afolayan, Candan Ozturk
THE IMPACT OF SHIFT WORK ON THE NUTRITIONAL STATUS OF NURSING STAFF.	Aneta Grzegorzewska, Marta Kulon, Paweł Więch
EDUCATING FOR DIVERSITY: THE EMPOWER MODEL AS A NEW FRAMEWORK FOR MEDICAL AND HEALTH SCIENCES	Małgorzata Szkup

SESSION 21: ONLINE – Chairman: Prof. Dr. Ayşe Sonay Türkmen

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TITLE	AUTHOR(S)
THE IMPACT OF DIGITAL EXPOSURE ON EMOTION REGULATION SKILLS IN CHILDREN AGED 3–6 YEARS	Tuğba Kolaç, Alper Yusuf Köroğlu
THE USE OF CHILDREN'S VISUAL CONTENT IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND SOCIAL MEDIA: A SWOT ANALYSIS WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF NEGLECT AND ABUSE	Fatma Şenay Öncan, Alper Yusuf Köroğlu
ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE LITERACY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD: A PROPOSED CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK	Ebru Boğa Baran
NEXT-GENERATION TECHNOLOGIES IN THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN WITH AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE AND SOCIAL ROBOTICS APPLICATIONS	Ozan Emre Ünalı, Alirıza Sarı
USING MULTISENSORY STORIES WITH INDIVIDUALS WITH SEVERE AND MULTIPLE DISABILITIES: A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW	Pınar Demiryürek, Hatice Cansu Bilgiç, Pınar Şafak
STORIGAMI AS A METHOD FOR REDIRECTING CHILDREN'S ATTENTION	Ayşe Sonay Türkmen

SESSION 22: ONLINE – Chairman: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Gülşen Çetin Aydın

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