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## Biography

Currently, Aydan Turanlı is professor of philosophy in the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences at Istanbul Technical University and she is the Founder and Director of "Science, Technology and Society" Master's Degree Program. After completing her doctorate in philosophy at Middle East Technical University, Ankara; she continued her postdoctoral work in philosophy departments of Brown, Harvard and Boston Universities for three-and-a half-year from 1995 to 1999. She had been in the philosophy department of the New School for Social Research in the period of sabbatical to do research during the Academic Year 2007-2008. Although her main area of interest is philosophy of language with a special emphasis on the later Wittgenstein, because her master's degree is in "Philosophy, Logic, History of Science" from Middle East Technical University, she continues her researches in philosophy of science and technology and the relation between artificial intelligence and the human mind.

## Education Information

1985 - 1994	Doctorate, Middle East Technical University, Graduate School Of Social Sciences, Felsefe (Dr), Turkey
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## Foreign Languages

English, C1 Advanced

## Dissertations

1994	The "Change" In Rule-Governed Practices in Wittgenstein's Later Philosophy , Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, Felsefe, Doctorate
1985	The Rationality of Thomas S. Kuhn's Conception of Theory-Change , Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü , Felsefe/Bilim Felsefesi , Postgraduate

## Research Areas

Social Sciences and Humanities, Philosophy, Science Philosophy, Science, Technology and Society

## Academic and Administrative Experience

2016 - Continues	Head of Department, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, Sosyal Bilimler Enstitüsü, Bilim, Teknoloji Ve Toplum
2014 - 2020	Fakülte Yönetim Kurulu Üyesi, Istanbul Technical University, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Bölümü
2013 - 2016	Head of Department, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, Fen-Edebiyat Fakültesi, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Bölümü
2004 - 2005	Deputy Head of Department, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, Fen-Edebiyat Fakültesi, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Bölümü
2000 - 2002	Deputy Head of Department, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, Fen-Edebiyat Fakültesi, İnsan Ve Toplum Bilimleri Bölümü

## Advising Theses

2022	Turanlı A., Postgraduate, M.ONUR(Student), Why Is David Bloor's Strong Programme not Defendable?
2020	Turanlı A., Postgraduate, H.US(Student), A close look at citizen science as an extension of science: Actor network theory study of the three large scale Environmental Citizen Science Projects in Turkey
2019	Turanlı A., Postgraduate, H.DİLARA(Student), Autonomous machines and machine ethics: Can autonomous cars be considered as moral agents?
2013	Turanlı A., Postgraduate, İ.Mergen(Student), Towards the Ethics of Marxism: Investigation of the Philosophical Relations between Marx, Lacan and Badiou
2011	Turanlı A., Postgraduate, M.Baş(Student), A Critique of Jacques Ellul's View of Technology: Facebook Phenomenon

## Published journal articles indexed by SCI, SSCI, and AHCI

- I. **Wittgenstein and Spengler vis-à-vis Frazer**  
Turanlı A.  
Philosophy & Social Criticism, vol.31, no.1, pp.69-88, 2005 (SCI-Expanded)

## Articles Published in Other Journals

- I. **Martin Heidegger on Technology: A Response to Essentialist Charge**  
Turanlı A.  
Kilikya Felsefe Dergisi, vol.4, no.2, pp.1-16, 2017 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- II. **The Poetic Approach to History: Bertolt Brecht's Critique of Aristotelian Drama**  
Turanlı A.  
PHENOMENOLOGICAL INQUIRY: A REVIEW OF PHILOSOPHICAL IDEAS AND TRENDS, vol.36, pp.31-59, 2012 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- III. **Sayın Dr. Hacıkadiroğlu'na Saygıyla**  
Turanlı A.  
Felsefe Tartışmaları, no.38, pp.6-8, 2007 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- IV. **Sosyal İnşacı Teknoloji Görüşü Üzerine Bir İnceleme**  
Turanlı A.  
Felsefe Tartışmaları, vol.35, pp.17-37, 2005 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- V. **Nietzsche and the Later Wittgenstein: An Offense to the Quest for Another World**  
Turanlı A.  
The Journal of Nietzsche Studies, vol.26, pp.55-63, 2003 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- VI. **Gündelik Estetiğin Politigi: Marcuse ve Austin" Araştırma:**

- Turanlı A.  
Ankara Üniversitesi DTCF Felsefe Bölümü Dergisi, no.17, pp.59-71, 2003 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- VII. **Wittgenstein'nın Frazer Eleştirisi**  
Turanlı A.  
Felsefe Tartışmaları, no.28, pp.11-19, 2001 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- VIII. **Nietzsche ve İkinci Wittgenstein: Başka Bir Dünya Arayışına Başkaldırı**  
Turanlı A.  
Felsefe Tartışmaları, no.27, pp.134-143, 2000 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- IX. **Mitoloji Değişebilir: Wittgenstein Neden Temellendirimci Değil**  
Turanlı A.  
Felsefe Tartışmaları, no.26, pp.63-69, 2000 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)
- X. **Geç Wittgenstein'da Temel Önergelerin Niteliği**  
Turanlı A.  
FELSEFE DÜNYASI, no.14, pp.11-16, 1994 (Peer-Reviewed Journal)

## **Books & Book Chapters**

- I. **Brave New World: A Confinement Between Mythical and Behaviourist World-Views**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Phenomenology of the Object and Human Positioning, Calley A. Hornbuckle Jadwiga S. Smith William S. Smith, Editor, Springer, London/Berlin , Basel, pp.135-149, 2021
- II. **STS in Turkey: Introduction to Science and Technology Studies**  
Turanlı A. (Editor), Aydınöğlü A. U. (Editor), Şahinol M. (Editor)  
İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, İstanbul, 2020
- III. **The human mind and AI: Daniel C. Dennett and John Searle**  
Turanlı A.  
in: STS in Turkey: Introduction to Science and Technology Studies, Aydan Turanlı Arsev U.Aydınöğlü Melike Şahinol, Editor, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, İstanbul, pp.243-253, 2020
- IV. **"Stanley Cavell, Criteria and Fictional Discourse"**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Realism-Relativism-Constructivism, Christian Kanzian and Josef Mitterer , Editor, The Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society, Kirchberg, pp.309-312, 2015
- V. **İnsan Bilgisi ve Sınırları Üstüne**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Teo Grünberg'e Armağan: Tutarsızlığın İz Sürücüsü. Ankara: . 2013, Kutlusoy, Z., Editor, İmge Kitabevi, Ankara, pp.350-360, 2013
- VI. **The Later Wittgenstein On Certainty**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Phenomenology and the Human Positioning in the Cosmos , Anna-Teresa Tymieniecka, Editor, Springer, London/Berlin , Dordrecht, pp.105-115, 2012
- VII. **A Critique of John Searle's View of the Logic of Fictional Discourse**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Analecta Husserliana: Art, Literature, and Passions of the Skies , Anna-Teresa Tymieniecka, Editor, Springer, London/Berlin , New York, pp.49-61, 2012
- VIII. **Perspicuous Representation: A Wittgensteinian Interpretation of Martin Heidegger's View of Truth**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Phenomenology/Ontopoiesis Retrieving Geo-cosmic Horizons of Antiquity , A-T. Tymieniecka, Editor, Springer, London/Berlin , Dordrecht, pp.295-305, 2011
- IX. **"In Pursuit of Ordinary: Performativity in Judith Butler and J. L. Austin"**  
Turanlı A.

in: Language and World, Klaus Puhl , Editor, The Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society, Kirchberg, pp.412-415, 2009

- X. **Goethe'nin Bilim Anlayışı**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Cemal Yıldırım'a Armağan: Bir Us ve Bilim Savaşçısı, Örs, Y., Editor, İmge Kitabevi, Ankara, pp.433-449, 2008
- XI. **Hangi Dilde Yüksek Öğrenim**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Atatürk'ü Anma Etkinlikleri Kitabı, Karadoğan, F., Editor, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, İstanbul, pp.73-81, 2008
- XII. **Vehbi Hacıkadıroğlu Çalıştayı Bildirileri**  
Turanlı A.  
İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, İstanbul, 2006
- XIII. **Teknolojik Yaşam Biçimi Üzerine Bir İnceleme**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Vehbi Hacıkadıroğlu Çalıştayı Bildirileri, Turanlı,A, Editor, İstanbul Teknik Üniversitesi, İstanbul, pp.56-64, 2006
- XIV. **Wittgenstein on Myth, Ritual, and Science**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Wittgenstein and the Future of Philosophy: A Reassessment After 50 Years, Rudolf Haller and Klaus Puhl , Editor, The Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society, Kirchberg, pp.327-334, 2001
- XV. **The Mythology May Change: Why Wittgenstein is Not a Foundationalist Contributions of the Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society. 1999 s. 308-314.**  
Turanlı A.  
in: Metaphysics in the Post-Metaphysical Age, Uwe Meixner and Peter Simons , Editor, The Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society, Kirchberg, pp.308-314, 1999
- XVI. **The 'Change' in Rule-Governed Practices in Wittgenstein's Later Philosophy**  
Turanlı A.  
in: The British Tradition in 20th Century Philosophy, Jaakko Hintikka and Klaus Puhl , Editor, The Austrian Ludwig Wittgenstein Society, Kirchberg, pp.511-521, 1994

## **Refereed Congress / Symposium Publications in Proceedings**

- I. **Are There Biases in the Designs of Biometric Technologies?**  
Turanlı A., Gönül E. A.  
15th International Conference on Humanities, Psychology and Social Sciences , Berlin, Germany, 17 - 19 March 2023
- II. **"Human Emotions: From Philosophy of Mind to Psychiatric Diagnostics"**  
Turanlı A.  
The World Phenomenology Institute's 42nd Annual Cambridge Conference, Boston, Harvard Faculty Club, United States Of America, 13 - 15 June 2018, pp.1
- III. **"Artificial Intelligence and Consciousness"**  
Turanlı A.  
Center for Science Studies Colloquium, Arhus, Denmark, 30 May 2018, pp.1
- IV. **"The Role of Improvisations in Speech Acts: Stanley Cavell on J. L. Austin" Proceedings of the XXIII World Congress of Philosophy 53**  
Turanlı A.  
World Congress of Philosophy 2013, Athens, Greece, Athens, Greece, 01 May 2018, pp.159-169
- V. **Maurice Merleau-Ponty and John Searle on the Role of Consciousness**  
Turanlı A.  
The World Phenomenology Institute Cambridge Conference, Boston, United States Of America, 7 - 09 June 2017, pp.3
- VI. **Martin Heidegger On Technology**

- Turanlı A.  
The 65th Congress of Phenomenology- The University of Macerata , Perugia, Italy, 9 - 11 November 2016, pp.1
- VII. **Literary Representation, Make-Believe and Mimesis: Proceedings of World Congress of Philosophy: The Philosophy of Aristotle**  
Turanlı A.  
World Congress of Philosophy: The Philosophy of Aristotle, Athens, Greece, 9 - 15 July 2016, vol.5, pp.216-228
- VIII. **Brave New World: A Confinement Between Mythical and Behaviorist World-Views**  
Turanlı A.  
Human/Non-human & Posthuman: Phenomenology of the Object and the Human Positioning in the Cosmos, Boston, Harvard Ün., United States Of America, 4 - 06 June 2015, pp.3
- IX. **Reflections on Truth and Politics through 1984**  
Turanlı A.  
Harmony in the Cosmos, the Bios, and the Human Being, Boston, Harvard Ün., United States Of America, 3 - 06 June 2014, pp.5
- X. **"On Jürgen Habermas's Misinterpretation of J.L.Austin" Proceedings of the XXII World Congress of Philosophy**  
Turanlı A.  
XXII World Congress of Philosophy, Seul, South Korea, 11 - 18 August 2008, vol.39, pp.237-243
- XI. **Language as a Means of Transforming Vision**  
Turanlı A.  
Critique and Liberation in the Work of Herbert Marcuse, Philadelphia, Saint Joseph University, United States Of America, 8 - 10 November 2007, pp.5
- XII. **J.L.Austin and Jürgen Habermas On Communication"**  
Turanlı A.  
Things and Thoughts Conference, Bilkent University, Ankara, Turkey, 12 May 2007, pp.3
- XIII. **Philosophy as Cultural and Educational Practice: The Role of Philosophy in Cultivating Engineering Students**  
Turanlı A.  
The Unesco Conference: New Philosophical Practices, Paris, France, 15 - 16 November 2006, pp.302
- XIV. **The Creation of the New Sensibility: Herbert Marcuse on Technology Critique**  
Turanlı A.  
Reading Herbert Marcuse's Eros and Civilization After 50 Years, Philadelphia, Saint Joseph University, United States Of America, 3 - 06 November 2005, pp.4
- XV. **Resistance to the Technological Condition**  
Turanlı A.  
The Conference on Resistance, Greenwich University, London, United Kingdom, 26 - 28 August 2004, pp.10
- XVI. **Politics in Ordinary Aesthetics**  
Turanlı A.  
Aesthetics and Politics Conference, University Of Essex, Colchester, United Kingdom, 10 - 11 September 2003, pp.7
- XVII. **Wittgenstein and Spengler Vis-à-Vis Frazer Proceedings of the XXIst World Congress of Philosophy,**  
Turanlı A.  
XXI st World Congress of Philosophy, İstanbul, Turkey, 3 - 10 August 2003, pp.59-66
- XVIII. **Stanley Cavell on Film, Tragedy and Scepticism**  
Turanlı A.  
International Interdisciplinary Conference on Mysticism, Reason, Art and Literature: East West Perspectives, Calcutta, India, 30 July - 02 August 2002, pp.10
- XIX. **Miscellaneous Thoughts on Nietzsche and the Later Wittgenstein**  
Turanlı A.  
International Interdisciplinary Conference on Language, Thought and Reality: East West Perspectives, California State University: Chico, United States Of America, 12 - 14 April 2001, pp.8
- XX. **Wittgenstein's Critique of Frazer**

Turanlı A.

The 52nd Northwest Conference on Philosophy, Pacific University:Oregon, United States Of America, 10 - 11 November 2000, pp.12

XXI. 'Incommensurability' As It Is Applied to Cultural Practices

Turanlı A.

100 Years of Philosophy: Boğaziçi Üniversitesi, İstanbul, Turkey, 11 - 12 May 2000, pp.10

## Episodes in the Encyclopedia

I. Felsefe Ansiklopedisi

Turanlı A.

Ankara: Babil Yayınları, pp.419-421, 2006

II. Felsefe Ansiklopedisi

Turanlı A.

Ankara: Babil Yayınları, pp.415-417, 2006

III. Felsefe Ansiklopedisi

Turanlı A.

İstanbul: Etik Yayınları, pp.740-744, 2003

## Other Publications

I. Herbert Marcuse's Technology Critique through the Analysis of Charlie Chaplin's Modern Times

Turanlı A.

Other, pp.1-17, 2010

## Supported Projects

2022 - Continues	NanoGEST 3D Baskı Teknolojileri ile Sporcuların Kas Hareketlerinden Biyometrik Data Elde Ederek Ultra Esnek Giyilebilir Polimerik Nanobiyosensörlerin Geliştirilmesi ve Uygulanması, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2016 - 2018	Edebi temsil, İnandırma ve Mimesis, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2015 - 2018	Cesur Yeni Dünya: Mitik ve Davranışçı Görüşleri Arasında Sıkışma, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2014 - 2018	1984 Aracılığıyla Doğruluk ve Politika Üzerine Düşünceler, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2013 - 2018	Konuşma-Edinimlerinde Doğaçlamanın Rolü:Stanley Cavell ve J.L.Austin, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2012 - 2018	Tarihe Şiirsel Yaklaşım :Bertolt Brech'in Aristo Tiyatrosunu Eleştirisi, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2011 - 2018	John Searle ün Kurgusal Söyleminin Mantığı Görüşünün Eleştirisi, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2010 - 2018	Martin Heidegger de doğruluk Kavramı, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2009 - 2018	Söz Edimleri Üzerine Bir Araştırma: Judith Butler ve J.L.Austin'de Edimsellik, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2008 - 2018	Evrensel Pragmatik Bağlamında Jürgen Habermas'ın Teknoloji ve Modernite Analizi, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2006 - 2018	Kültürel ve Eğitimsel Bir Pratik Olarak Felsefe: Felsefenin Mühendislik Öğrencilerinin Eğitimdeki Rolü, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions

2005 - 2018	Frankfurt okulu ve modernite eleştirisi üzerine bir inceleme: Herbert Marcuse'nin teknoloji analizi, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions
2004 - 2018	Bilim, Teknoloji, Toplum İlişkileri Üzerine Bir Araştırma: Teknolojik Belirlemcilik ve Sosyal Konstrüktivistler, Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions

## Scientific Refereeing

January 2019	PHILOSOPHY & SOCIAL CRITICISM, Journal Indexed in SCIE
December 2018	PHILOSOPHY & SOCIAL CRITICISM, Journal Indexed in SCIE

## Tasks In Event Organizations

10 Eylül 2019	Turanlı A., STS TURKEY 2019: TOPLUM İÇİN BİLİM VE TEKNOLOJİ ÇALIŞMALARI, Scientific Congress, İstanbul, Turkey
09 Aralık 2005	Turanlı A., Vehbi Hakkıadroğlu Fahri Doktora Töreni ve Çalıştay: Bilgi, Özgürlük ve Ahlak Üzerine Tartışmalar, Workshop Organization, İstanbul, Turkey

## Metrics

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