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## Message from the Coordinator

Our Coordination Unit continues to strengthen the education, research, and societal contribution activities of the Application and Research Centers in line with our University's Strategic Plan. Through this bulletin, we aim to increase our national and international engagement by making the value-creating work of our Centers more visible. We extend our sincere thanks to all our Centers and stakeholders for their qualified contributions and collaborative support.



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# INTERNATIONAL GRANT AND PROJECT OPPORTUNITIES SEMINAR

## *International Grant and Project Opportunities Seminar*

The “International Grant and Project Opportunities: Application Processes and Experience Sharing Seminar”, organized by the Application and Research Centers Coordination Unit (UYGARMER-K) of Istanbul Gelisim University, was held on 27 October 2026 at the Ötüken Conference Hall. The programme commenced with an opening speech by UYGARMER Coordinator Assoc. Prof. Ahmet Sapmaz and addressed the European Union, Erasmus+ and other international grant programmes, project application processes, and project implementation experiences.

During the seminar, presentations were delivered by Asst. Prof. Serap Yeşilkır Baydar, Dr. Alisa Ali, Assoc. Prof. Serkan Gönen, and Asst. Prof. Onur Dirican on international project funding opportunities, Erasmus+ youth projects, institutional experiences in EU project applications, and international collaborations. The programme contributed to strengthening the international project development and application capacities of the application and research centers.



# APPLICATION AND RESEARCH CENTERS AT TEKNOFEST INVENTION FAIR

## *Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center*

Two inventions by Asst. Prof. İbrahim Erol, a Board Member of the Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center (CSYBUAM), have been accepted for the TÜRKPATENT ISIF'26 - 11th International Invention Fair, held in Şanlıurfa as part of TEKNOFEST.

The first invention, titled "Mechanically Controlled Ergonomic Chair with Independently Vertically Movable and Pressure-Adjustable Dual Massage Mechanism", is a chair design that introduces an innovative approach to ergonomic seating through a dual massage mechanism capable of independent vertical movement and pressure adjustment.






The second invention, titled "Artificial Intelligence-Assisted Multi-Objective Predictive Control System and Related Method for Managing Adaptive Façade Shading Under UV Exposure Dose, Visual-Thermal Comfort and Energy Budget Constraints", aims to manage adaptive façade shading through an AI-assisted multi-objective predictive control system that considers visual and thermal comfort alongside energy budget constraints. Both inventions contribute to the development of innovative and technology-oriented solutions in different fields.

# APPLICATION AND RESEARCH CENTERS AT TEKNOFEST INVENTION FAIR

## *Art and Design Application and Research Center*

The 11th International Invention Fair (ISIF'26), held in Şanlıurfa between 30 September and 4 October 2026, hosted future technologies under the auspices of the Ministry of Industry and Technology, the Turkish Patent and Trademark Office, and TEKNOFEST. As part of the event, Assoc. Prof. Mustafa Günay, Director of the Art and Design Application and Research Center, and Asst. Prof. Ekrem Süzen, Vice Director of the Center, were awarded certificates of participation for their innovative projects.

During the fair, Center Director Assoc. Prof. Mustafa Günay stood out with his project titled "Artificial Intelligence-Assisted Print Preview System". Vice Director Asst. Prof. Ekrem Süzen represented our University with his innovative project titled "Smart Tremor Modulation Glove with Anatomical Microelectrodes".






# APPLICATION AND RESEARCH CENTERS AT COP31

## *Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center*




An application to hold a panel at the UN Pavilion has been accepted within the scope of the “COP31 Higher Education Policy Report”, prepared in collaboration with the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and six universities. Istanbul Gelisim University’s contribution, coordinated by SCTUAM Director Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan, focuses on the water-energy-food nexus, climate-resilient campus policies, and sustainable natural resource management.

## *Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center*

Two projects involving Asst. Prof. Gökçe Uzgören, Vice Director of the Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center, and Asst. Prof. İbrahim Erol, a Board Member of the Center, have been accepted for inclusion in the COP31 YÖK Pavilion following the evaluation process conducted by the Council of Higher Education (YÖK).

The “CR-Cities Academic Network” project aims to bring together universities in Mediterranean coastal countries to develop interdisciplinary strategies addressing challenges such as climate migration, coastal erosion, and the urban heat island effect. The project titled “From BIM to Climate Action: Integrating Sustainability Performance into Building Approval Processes” aims to integrate sustainability performance into building permit processes through BIM and artificial intelligence-assisted systems, using energy, carbon, water, and material data. In addition to academics, Res. Asst. Merve Karadaban Özen and Özge Naz Kamiş, a student in the Department of Interior Architecture and Environmental Design (English), are also involved in the projects.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Political and Social Researches Application and Research Center*



The II. International Symposium on the Black Sea and Caspian Basin Countries, organized in collaboration with the Political and Social Researches Application and Research Center and Uzbekistan's Vatan University, was held on 14 October 2026.

Supported by the Presidency for Turks Abroad and Related Communities (YTB), the symposium brought together academics, researchers, and diplomatic representatives from various countries, primarily Türkiye, Uzbekistan, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, and Russia.

The symposium addressed topics such as cooperation in the Turkic world, regional cooperation, geopolitical developments, economic security, cultural heritage, sustainable development, and digital transformation. Featuring parallel sessions in which academic research was presented, the symposium aimed to strengthen international academic interaction and institutional cooperation across the Turkic world.





# TEDx GELISIM UNIVERSITY

## *Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center*

On 17 October 2026, TEDx Istanbul Gelisim University was held at Istanbul Gelisim University, organized by the Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center (SCTUAM) under the theme “LEGACY – A Future with Roots”. The event was primarily organized by SCTUAM Director Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan. Held under the theme “From Roots to Tomorrow”, the event addressed energy, sustainability, artificial intelligence, leadership, and social transformation through the contributions of six speakers from different disciplines. Elvan Kuzucu Hıdır, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the T3 Foundation, emphasized the potential of young people in science and technology and the importance of supporting their access to these fields and developing their talents.







The event also featured WEC World Energy Leader of the Future Okan Yıldız, ASTOR Inc. Vice General Manager Sercan Keskintaş, and other speakers, who shared their experiences. With Istanbul Gelisim University students actively involved in the organization and event management processes, the programme contributed to providing young people with practical experience, bringing them together with industry representatives, and encouraging interdisciplinary exchange of ideas.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Psychology Application and Research Center*

As part of the PSİKOMER Student Reading Group, Patricia Highsmith's novel "The Talented Mr. Ripley" was discussed. The event explored themes of identity, belonging, class, desire, masculinity, and crime. Following the participants' reflections, ideas were exchanged regarding the group's upcoming readings and activities.



## *Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center*



The BAP Fast Support Project proposal titled "Building Stock Analysis in the Cihangir Pilot Area of the Beyoğlu Urban Conservation Site: Transformation Inventory for the 2014–2026 Period", led by Asst. Prof. Gökçe Uzgören, Vice Director of the Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center, has been accepted. The project team includes Res. Asst. Merve Karadaban Özen, Dr. Dilek Mimar, Şevval Göre, and Ayşe Akbay.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Occupational Health and Safety Training Application and Research Center*




The thesis study titled “Investigation of the Root Causes of Occupational Accidents in Hospital Catering Services and Evaluation of Preventive Measures”, conducted by student Sevda Temiz under the supervision of İSGEUAM Director Asst. Prof. Esra Yalçın, has been successfully completed. The study, with Asst. Prof. Ümit Alkan and Asst. Prof. Selim Öğüt serving as jury members, aims to contribute to identifying the root causes of occupational accidents in the healthcare sector and developing preventive measures.

The thesis study titled “Investigation of the Effects of Polylactic Acid-Based Coatings Containing ZnO Nanoparticles and Nisin on the Antimicrobial Properties of Surgical Masks within the Scope of Occupational Health and Safety”, conducted by student Büşra Öztürk under the supervision of İSGEUAM Director Asst. Prof. Esra Yalçın, has been successfully completed. Asst. Prof. Selim Öğüt and Asst. Prof. Serap Yeşilkır Baydar served as members of the thesis examination committee. The study aims to enhance the antimicrobial properties of surgical masks.

The article titled “Socioeconomic Determinants of Occupational Accidents in OECD Countries” by İSGEUAM Director Asst. Prof. Esra Yalçın has been published in Revista de Cercetare si Interventie Sociala, a journal indexed in Scopus and ranked in the Q3 quartile.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center*



Two articles by Asst. Prof. Mehmet Sair Akkam, Board Member of the Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center (CSYBUAM), have been published. The article titled “Developing the Transitional System Assessment Framework (TSAF): An Evidence-Explicit Approach to Historic Building Interventions”, for which he is the first and corresponding author, was published in the journal Sustainability. The study develops an evidence-based assessment framework consisting of four analytical layers and 17 criteria to evaluate transitional systems in historic building interventions and applies it to three case studies.

Another article by Asst. Prof. Mehmet Sair Akkam, for which he is also the first and corresponding author, titled “Requirements for Sustainable Industrial Facilities: A Systematic Review and Traceable Evidence-Mapped Requirements Framework”, has been published in the journal Sustainability. Conducted in accordance with the PRISMA 2020 guidelines, the study examines 362 publications and develops an evidence-mapped and traceable framework comprising 24 sustainability requirements for industrial facilities.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Economic Policies Application and Research Center*

Assoc. Prof. Ebru Gül Yılmaz, Director of the Economic Policies Application and Research Center, has successfully completed the “Arbitrator Training in Arbitration” program organized by the Istanbul Arbitration Center (ISTAC) and earned the right to receive a certificate. The training enhances the Center’s capacity to develop economic analyses and expert opinions on international commercial and financial disputes, while creating new opportunities for future training activities, research, and institutional collaborations in this field.



# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Life Sciences and Biomedical Engineering Application and Research Center*



The book chapter titled “Molecular Targets and Mechanisms of Action”, authored by Asst. Prof. Onur Dirican, Vice Director of the Life Sciences and Biomedical Engineering Application and Research Center, has been published in the book Multidisciplinary Approaches in Cancer Biology, Diagnosis, and Treatment.

The book chapter titled “Current and Future Applications of Nanotechnology in Cancer” co-authored by Asst. Prof. Onur Dirican, Vice Director of the Life Sciences and Biomedical Application and Research Center, and Board Members Asst. Prof. Abbas Ali Husseini and Asst. Prof. Selim Öğüt, has been published in the book International Academic Studies and Theoretical Knowledge in the Field of Health Sciences-XIII, published by İKSAD Publishing House.



# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center*

The BAP-K supported Normal Research Project (NAP), titled “Cinema and the City: The Socio-Spatial Transformation of Beyoğlu in Turkish Cinema Since 1960”, conducted under the Environment, Urbanization and Earth Sciences Application and Research Center (SCTUAM), has been awarded funding by the BAP Commission. The project is led by Vice Director Asst. Prof. Gökçe Uzgören, with Asst. Prof. Eda Türkay, Res. Asst. Merve Karadaban Özen, and Res. Asst. Ahmet Batuhan Toğaç serving as researchers. It aims to analyze the transformation of Beyoğlu’s cinematic representation since 1960 through the lenses of urbanization, gentrification, and digital platformization, examining Türkiye’s socio-spatial changes through cinema.






Nitelikli barınma ve beslenme için kentsel donatı modülü ‘PatiBox’.

The paper titled “Reassessing Universal Design Principles in Urban Spaces in the Context of Stray Animals: GIS-Based Shelter, Responsible Adoption, and Urban Furniture Planning”, prepared by Asst. Prof. İbrahim Erol, Board Member of the SCTUAM, and graduate student Melek Çelik, was presented online at the 4th International Symposium on Urban and Regional Development, hosted by Dicle University. The paper addressed the needs of stray animals in urban environments within the framework of universal design, sustainability, and spatial planning principles.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Economic Policies Application and Research Center*



Asst. Prof. Burçin Çakır Gündoğdu, Vice Director of the Economic Policies Application and Research Center (İPUAM), presented her paper titled “The Dynamic Effects of Financial Development and Environmental Innovation on Carbon Emissions in Türkiye: An ARDL Approach” at the 2nd International Black Sea and Caspian Basin Symposium.



The study titled “The Relationship Between Economic Performance Variables and Artificial Intelligence: A Canonical Correlation Analysis”, prepared by Res. Asst. Dr. Nuran Akdağ, Board Member of the IPUAM, has been published in the journal Bulletin of Economic Theory and Analysis.




The encyclopedia chapter titled “The Economy of Malaysia”, authored by Res. Asst. Hamza Üzüm, a researcher at the İPUAM, has been published in the international academic reference work “The Palgrave Encyclopedia of Islamic Finance and Economics” by Palgrave Macmillan.



Res. Asst. Elif Ela Kütüçoğlu, a researcher at the İPUAM, presented her paper titled “The Transformation of Foreign Labour in Türkiye’s Labour Market: An Analysis from the Perspectives of Turkic Republics and Gender (2011–2025)” at the 2nd International Black Sea and Caspian Basin Symposium.

# SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

## *Economic Policies Application and Research Center*



The book titled “Macroeconomics at a Crossroads: Paradigm Shifts and New Approaches”, edited by Asst. Prof. Burçin Çakır Gündoğdu, Vice Director of the Economic Policy Application and Research Center (IPUAM), has been published by Gazi Kitabevi.



The international book chapter titled “From Globalization to Friend-Shoring? Geopolitical Alignment and U.S. Outward FDI to Emerging Economies”, authored by Asst. Prof. Şükran Kahveci Sürmeli, Vice Director of the IPUAM, has been published in “Macroeconomics at a Crossroads: Paradigm Shifts and New Approaches”, edited by Asst. Prof. Burçin Çakır Gündoğdu, Vice Director of IPUAM.



Res. Asst. Dr. Nuran Akdağ, Board Member of the IPUAM, presented an abstract paper titled “An Analysis of Public Discourse on Central Bank Monetary Policy Committee Decisions on the X Platform” at the 9th International Symposium on Economics, Politics and Management.

# “TRACES FROM THE FIELD: RURAL EXPERIENCES THROUGH THE ONE HEALTH PERSPECTIVE”

## *Social Responsibility Application and Research Center*

📌 **Project: Traces from the Field: Rural Experiences Through the One Health Lens**

An event titled “Traces from the Field: Rural Experiences Through the One Health Perspective” was organized by the Social Responsibility Application and Research Center and the Department of Social Work to share field experiences from the project “Holistic Empowerment in Rural Areas Through a Sustainable One Health Approach”, conducted under the TÜBİTAK 4009 Program. The event featured presentations on fieldwork carried out in Tekman, Erzurum, and workshops conducted with children, alongside the “Sadece” photography exhibition.

Following the opening speeches by Vice Rector Prof. S. Arda Öztürkcan, Dean of the Faculty of Health Sciences Prof. Mustafa Nizamlıoğlu, and Head of the Department of Social Work Prof. İsmet Galip Yolcuoğlu, Project Coordinator Asst. Prof. Emrah Tüncer provided information about the project's scope and fieldwork process. During the event, the project team shared their experiences and highlighted the importance of the One Health approach, which addresses human, animal, and environmental health holistically. The program concluded with a visit to the photography exhibition reflecting the field experiences gained throughout the project.



# COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION ACTIVITIES

## *Economic Policies Application and Research Center*

The talk titled “The Political Economy of Literature: Don Quixote”, organized in collaboration with the Economic Policies Application and Research Center (IPUAM) and the Department of International Trade and Finance, was held on 12 October 2026. The event featured author Öznur Unat as the speaker and İPUAM Director Assoc. Prof. Dr. Ebru Gül Yılmaz as the moderator. Drawing on Miguel de Cervantes’ Don Quixote, the discussion explored concepts such as class relations, labour, poverty, property, and power. The talk fostered interaction between the disciplines of literature and economics, contributing to the interdisciplinary examination of social and economic phenomena.






Asst. Prof. Burçin Çakır Gündoğdu, Vice Director of the IPUAM, appeared as a guest on the “Perspektif” program broadcast on Business Channel Türk TV. The interview covered sustainable economy, climate change, women's employment, and the impact of artificial intelligence on the economy.

Asst. Prof. Burçin Çakır Gündoğdu presented her research on the “Post-Maternity Return to Employment Index”, which examines 21 OECD countries, highlighting the importance of women's employment for economic growth and human capital. She also shared insights into green technology, data analysis, and IPUAM's student-oriented academic activities.

# COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION ACTIVITIES

## *Political and Social Researches Application and Research Center*

The online panel titled “The Global Governance Crisis and the United Nations: Debates on Reform”, organized in collaboration with the Political and Social Research Application and Research Center (İGÜSAM), the Department of Political Science and International Relations, and the ODAP Center, was held on 22 October 2026.




The panel featured retired Ambassador Uluç Özülker as the speaker and addressed the role of the United Nations (UN) in the international system, structural challenges facing global governance mechanisms, and ongoing debates on UN reform. Discussions covered the preservation of international peace and security, the resolution of regional conflicts, the structure of the Security Council, and the effectiveness of its decision-making mechanisms. Reform initiatives aimed at strengthening the UN's institutional capacity in response to shifting global power dynamics were also discussed.

Bringing together academicians and students, the panel contributed to discussions on global governance challenges from the perspectives of diplomatic experience and academic insight.

# COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION ACTIVITIES

## *Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center*




Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan, Director of the Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center (SCTUAM), participated as a delegate in the 19th Verona Eurasian Economic Forum, held at Çırağan Palace in Istanbul. During the forum, Özarslan attended sessions addressing global economic developments, energy security, and international economic cooperation, including a session attended by Minister of Energy and Natural Resources Alparslan Bayraktar.



Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan, Director of the SCTUAM, attended the event titled “Beyond Climate: On the Road to Antalya”, organized by Oksijen. During the event, she met with International Energy Agency (IEA) Executive Director Fatih Birol, introduced the Center, and shared information about the activities carried out by the Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center at Istanbul Gelisim University.



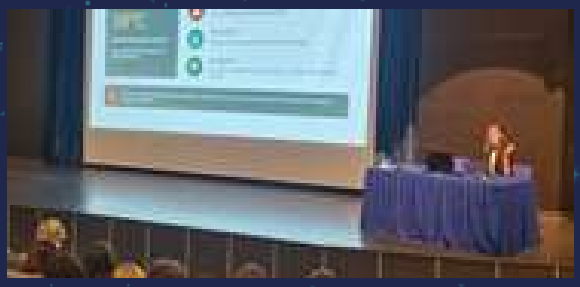

Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan, Director of the Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center, appeared as a guest on “Climate, Carbon and the Journey to Net Zero”, a program hosted and presented by Şafak Özsoy on Industry Radio TV. The program featured discussions on sustainability, climate policies, carbon management, and the transition to net zero.

# COMMUNITY CONTRIBUTION ACTIVITIES

## *Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center*

Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan, Director of the Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center, met with 9th- and 11th-grade students from Terakki Foundation Schools Anatolian and Science High Schools on 8 October 2026 for a talk titled “Nature and Humanity: How Should We Approach Climate Change?”. Drawing on practical examples, she provided students with comprehensive insights into the societal impacts of climate change, exposure, vulnerability, and climate justice.








Assoc. Prof. Başak Özarslan, Director of the Sustainable Environment and Community Application and Research Center, participated as a speaker at the Global Marketing Summit 2026, held at Mandarin Oriental Bosphorus on 14–15 October 2026. During the session moderated by Asst. Prof. Can Burak Nalbantoğlu, she shared insights on sustainability, the energy transition, and the future of the business world.

# ARTISTIC ACTIVITIES

## *Art and Design Application and Research Center*

### *"Searching for My Colors"*

As part of the SATMER Culture and Arts Events organized by the Art and Design Application and Research Center (SATMER), the painting exhibition titled "Searching for My Colors" by Burak Boyraz, an artist and faculty member at Yıldız Technical University, met art enthusiasts at the Istanbul Gelisim Art Gallery on October 14, 2026.

The opening of the exhibition, which features the artist's abstract works, was attended by Abdülkadir Gayretli, Chair of the Board of Trustees of Istanbul Gelisim University; Vice Rector Prof. Serdar Egeli; Vice Deans of the Faculty of Fine Arts Assoc. Prof. Murat Doğan and Assoc. Prof. Sezgin Savaş; and SATMER Director and exhibition curator Assoc. Prof. Mustafa Günay, along with numerous academics, students, and art enthusiasts.





# TRAININGS FROM CONTINUING EDUCATION

## *Continuing Education Application and Research Center*

### Child and Adolescent Assessment Tests Training

The “Child and Adolescent Assessment Tests Training” was conducted on October 24–25, 2026, by Clinical Psychologist Asst. Prof. Nurhan Naz, a faculty member in the Department of Psychology at Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) and Vice Head of the Department. During the two-day, 15-hour face-to-face training, 20 objective assessment tests used in the developmental, cognitive, attention, and psychological assessment of children and adolescents were covered. The program addressed the theoretical foundations, administration procedures, scoring, interpretation, and reporting processes of the tests, supported by case studies and practical exercises. Organized for psychologists, psychology and psychological counseling and guidance (PCG) students, child development specialists, and other mental health professionals, the training aimed to enhance participants’ professional knowledge and practical skills in the field of assessment.



# ACTIVITIES FROM CAREER

## *Career Guidance Application and Research Center*




**"We Grow Older, But How Do We Age?"**

The event, organized in collaboration with the Career Guidance Application and Research Center and the Consulting and Coordination Office for Disabled, was held at Taşkent Auditorium on October 1, 2026. During the program, Specialist Nurse Ayşe Şengel, founder of "Bir Adım Sağlık", shared information on supporting independent living among older adults and individuals with disabilities, home healthcare services, care processes, and maintaining quality of life. The event aimed to raise awareness of healthy and high-quality aging.

**"Self and Identity in the Career Journey"**

The importance of self-perception and identity development in career planning was discussed at the event titled "Self and Identity in the Career Journey", organized in collaboration with Career Guidance Application and Research Center and the Dean of Students'. Psychiatrist Dr. Tuba Erdoğan participated as the guest speaker, while Asst. Prof. Nurhan Naz moderated the event. The program aimed to help students gain insights into self-awareness, evaluating their personal characteristics, and developing individual awareness throughout their career journeys. Students from the Department of Psychology attended the event.



# ACTIVITIES FROM CAREER

## *Career Guidance Application and Research Center*

### Career Guidance Application and Research Center Introductory Meeting

The introductory meeting organized by Career Guidance Application and Research Center opened with remarks by the Center Director, Assoc. Prof. Şebnem Gürsoy Ulusoy. During the program, the Center's activities and career counseling services for students were introduced. House of Marketing Consultant Havva Ölçüm delivered a presentation titled "Career Journey", while İŞKUR Employment and Vocational Counselor Hüseyin Can Genç shared his knowledge and experience on career planning, professional development, and effective CV preparation through a presentation titled "CV Preparation".





### MARKAFEST 2026

As part of MARKAFEST 2026, participating brands met with students, introduced their brands, and shared information about their fields of activity. Enriched with music, entertainment, prize draws, refreshments, and various social activities, the festival aimed to enable students to interact directly with brands and encourage their social participation in campus life.

# ACTIVITIES FROM CAREER

## *Career Guidance Application and Research Center*

### *Doğuş Otomotiv Representatives Meet with Students*

As part of an event organized by Career Guidance Application and Research Center, Doğuş Otomotiv representatives Deniz Güler and Sercan Ermiş met with students. Held at Aziz Sancar Conference Hall, the event provided information about the company's corporate structure, recruitment processes, and career opportunities. The program also offered students the opportunity to ask questions and learn about professional life and career planning through the representatives' knowledge and experience.





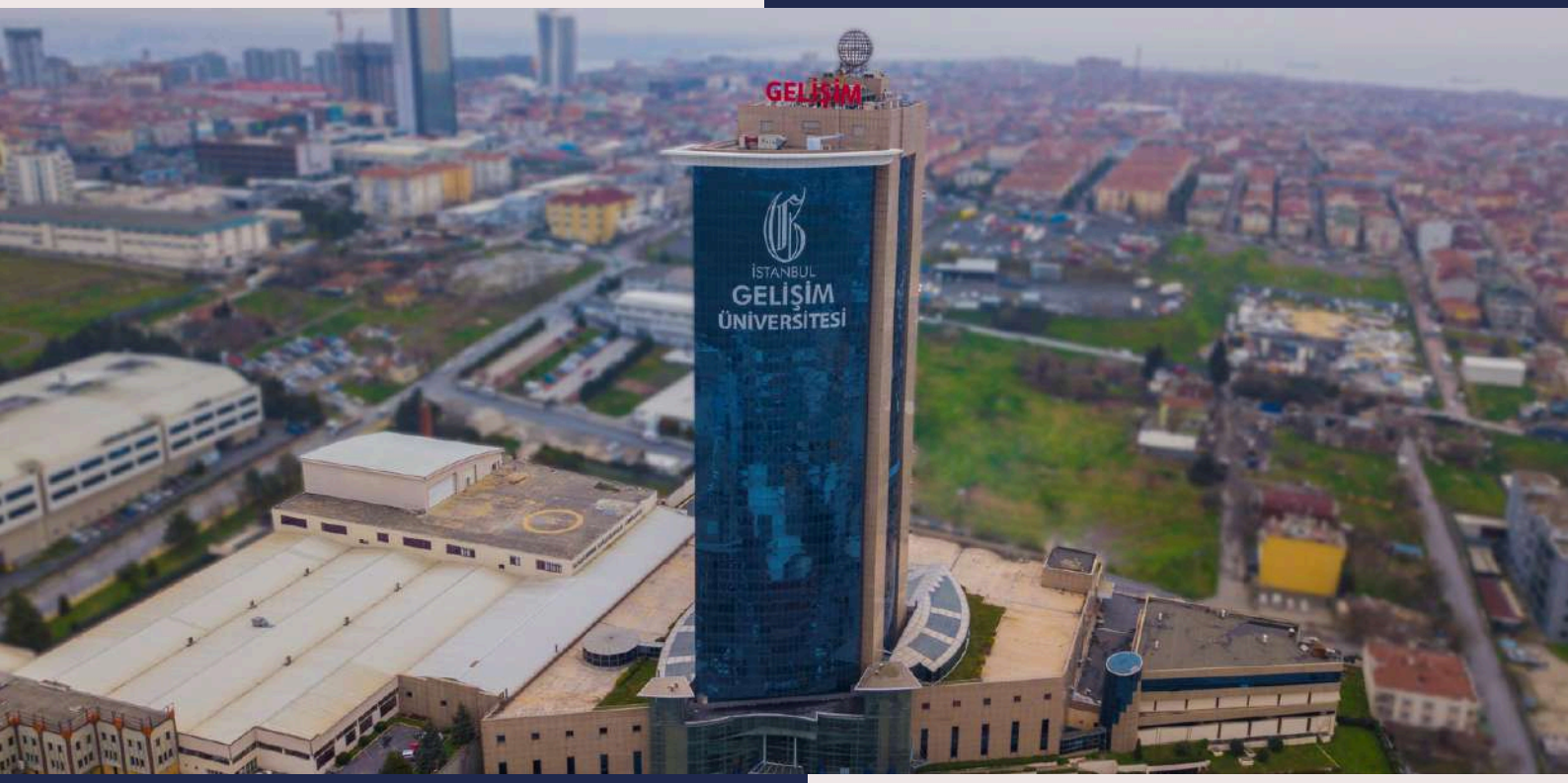
### Historical and Cultural Heritage of Eskipazar

At the event organized by the Career Guidance Application and Research Center, guest speaker Muhammet Bakırcı informed students about Eskipazar's history, cultural heritage, and architectural features. Attended by Asst. Prof. İbrahim Erol, Head of the Department of Interior Architecture and Environmental Design; Assoc. Prof. Şebnem Gürsoy Ulusoy, Director of the Career Guidance Application and Research Center; and the Center's team, the event provided students with an opportunity to gain first-hand insight into the region's historical and cultural richness.

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