

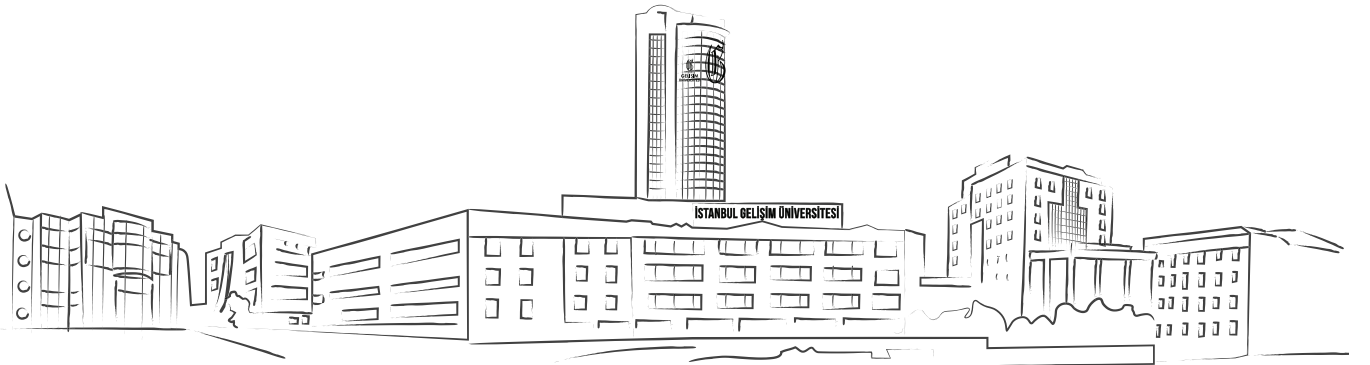


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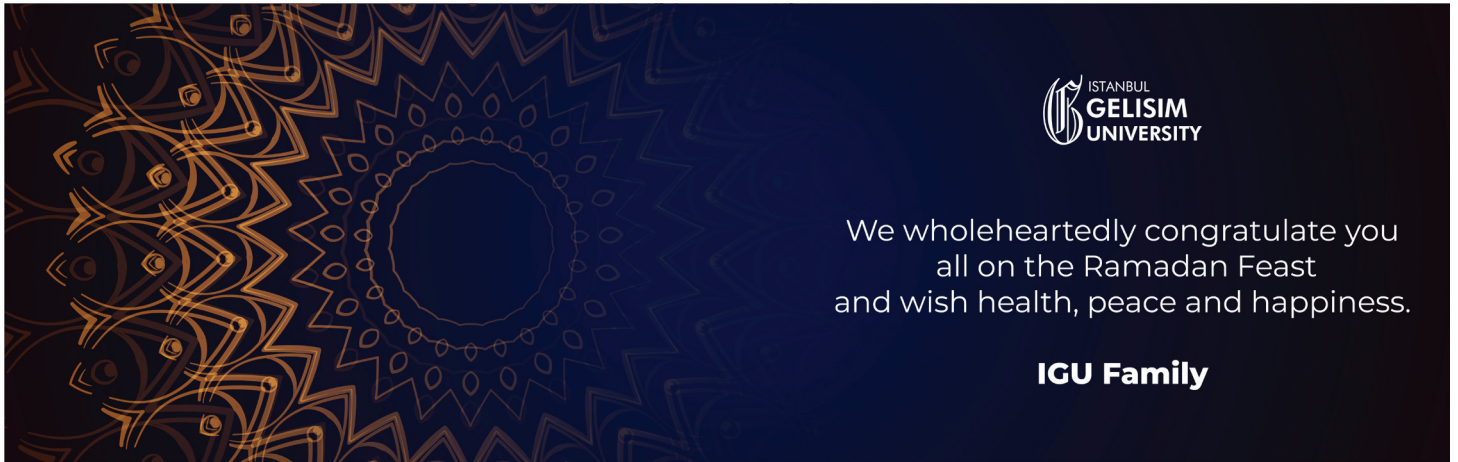


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**AGENDA OF PERSONNEL**

No record has been registered on **Personnel Agenda** for the dates of 18.05.2020-22.05.2020.

**The Impact Rankings 2020**



**Feminist movements will increase after pandemic in the world****MAY 18 2020**

Drawing attention to the increase in domestic violence against women during the epidemic period around the world, Political Science and International Relations Specialist Elif Şahin said, "The negative effects of the epidemic, especially in the undeveloped and developing countries, have started to manifest themselves through the socioeconomic instability and gender inequality that women are already experiencing. After the epidemic, the voice of the feminist movement will be louder."

Stating that the world has started to face the economic consequences of the crisis created by Covid-19, Political Science and International Relations Specialist

Elif Şahin from Istanbul Gelisim University said: "The results of the epidemic in terms of gender discrimination and violence have also started to be discussed. Especially in the Arab world, the decline in women's labor force participation is seen as an important opportunity for the feminist movement to raise its voice during the crisis."

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**Women use their intuition more than men****MAY 18 2020**

Psychiatrist Dr. Onur Okan Demirci stated that women's belief in the intuition and supernatural events is higher than that of men according to a study, said: "According to the research, it is seen that men take more risks and women try to reach the results by using their intuition."

Demirci stated that the levels of magical thinking (such as affecting objects with thought or action, believing that it can rain with thought power, realization of what is seen in dreams) are found higher in women compared to men, in the study: "While making decisions, it is seen that men take more risks and women try to reach results by using more intuition. It seems that

people who say that their intuition is strong have entered more into an imaginary world and believed more in magical thoughts. Therefore, those who feel strong intuition are more likely to break with reality and move away from cognitive thinking (logically conscious thinking)."

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**What are the symptoms and treatment methods of speech disorder in children?****MAY 19 2020**

Listing the symptoms and treatment methods of childhood Apraxia of speech (speech disorder), Lect. Betül Özsoy Tanrıku said: "A child suffering from apraxia should definitely work with a language and speech therapist. These children may also experience other skills that are not related to language and speech."

"CHILDREN KNOW WHAT THEY WANT TO SAY"

Mentioning that speaking is basically a complex skill consisting of a series of motor movements, Lect. Betül Özsoy Tanrıku from Istanbul Gelisim University the Department of Language and Speech Therapy spoke: "To be able to speak, the messages designed in the brain must move the vocal muscles and the organs that shape the sounds we call articulators through the motor nerves."

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**Coronavirus causes record unemployment in the USA****MAY 20 2020**

In addition to the health-related effects of the coronavirus pandemic, it also had a heavy toll to the states economically. Stating that economic activities have slowed down in many areas, especially in the service sector, along with curfews applied worldwide. Lect. Mehmet Başçillar said: "While the rate of those who lost their jobs in March was 4.4 percent in the USA, which was greatly affected by the epidemic, this rate reached a record level in April, reaching 14.7 percent. The figures show that 20.5 million people lost their jobs in the USA in April."

"UNEMPLOYMENT RATE INCREASED TO 13 PERCENT, 2 MILLION UNEMPLOYED"

Stating that the pandemic process does not bid fair for the labor market for Canada as well, Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) Social Service Department Lecturer Mehmet Başçillar spoke: "Unemployment rate rose to 13 percent in Canada in April. This rate means that approximately 2 million people were unemployed in Canada in April. The official report showing the effects of coronavirus outbreak in Turkey on the labor market by TurkStat is expected to be announced in June - July."

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**Warning over 65: Do not go above the activity level****MAY 21 2020**

Gerontologist F. Sila Ayan made warnings for individuals over the age of 65 who do not go out on Sundays. Ayan said: "Problems such as breathlessness, feeling of sickness, fainting, or musculoskeletal pain may be experienced if the level of activity that is used or tolerated is exceeded and the elderly are overstretched."

Within the scope of the measures taken against the coronavirus pandemic, individuals over the age of 65, who have been in their homes for a long time, started to go out on Sundays. Indicating that the elderly may be faced with the risk of loss of balance and frequent fall in the process of spending time outside due to muscle and skeletal losses and condition decreases during the

long-term immobility, Gerontologist F. Sila Ayan emphasized that the psychosocial needs of the elderly should not be forgotten.

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# IGUZEB

## Istanbul Gelisim University Distance Education



Due to COVID-19, distance education process has started in universities in accordance with the decision taken by the **Council of Higher Education (YÖK)**. Istanbul Gelisim University **Distance Education Unit (IGUZEB)**, which has been operating since 2016, works at full capacity in order to continue the educational life of students efficiently in this process, with its technical infrastructure and experience.

**IGUZEB** has made that its vision to increase the knowledge and experience of our faculty members to the level of **international e-learning standards** with the use of distance education technologies aiming the life-long and unlimited learning awareness of distance education as student-centered, independent of time and place. In this context, it continues to work on digital content development with technologies based on e-learning, by providing the necessary technical support to existing **associate, undergraduate and graduate programs** carried out within our university.

In this challenging process that our country and the world live, our students can follow their lessons with the distance education system and access **the course content such as video, notes, test** prepared by our faculty members with the support of digital infrastructure. They can view their homework and deliver their homework to their lecturers through the same system.

The system provides the opportunity to attend live classes and communicate simultaneously with their lecturers, and then watch the course video again. Our students can enter the exams of the courses they are responsible for online. In the exam system, **questions and time have been meticulously prepared** in accordance with this infrastructure. All these materials are accessed through a computer, tablet or mobile device with internet connection. If our students have any questions about the process, after they send support requests, our personnel will help them.

**As IGUZEB**, we work to provide the most efficient education by using of all the possibilities of **digital technology** in order to avoid interruption of education.



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# THINGS TO KNOW



## ABOUT NEW CORONAVIRUS



All necessary measures are taken for the **coronavirus** revealed in Turkey and the World at **Istanbul Gelisim University**. **Things to know about coronavirus are as follows:**

### What are the new coronavirus symptoms?

- The most common symptoms are **fever, cough and respiratory distress**.
- In severe cases, **pneumonia, severe respiratory failure, kidney failure and death** may occur
- Incubation period is between **2 and 14 days**.

### How is the virus transmitted?

- It can be transmitted by the contact of the droplets caused by **coughing and sneezing** with the contact of the **mouth, nose and eyes** of other individuals in certain environment and by touching the surfaces where the droplets adhere and taking hands **into the mouth, nose or eyes**.

### What to do to be protected from the virus?

- When **coughing or sneezing**, the mouth and nose should be covered with a **disposable tissue**, if there is no handkerchief, the mouth should be closed with the **upper sleeve or elbow**, not with the palms.
- **Handshaking and hugging** should be avoided.
- **Mouth, nose and eyes** should not be touched with dirty hands.
- Hands must be washed for **at least 20 seconds** in accordance with the **Handwashing Instructions** found in the toilets. In the absence of water and soap, **alcohol-containing hand antiseptics** should be used. **Cologne of 70-80 degrees** also serve as disinfectants.
- Offices and classrooms must be **ventilated hourly**.
- Places frequently used by many people such as common areas and door handles should be **disinfected every 2 hours**.
- Hands **must be washed** after using **public transportation**.
- Because the virus progresses faster in people with low immune system; **a balanced and healthy diet** is required. Foods **must be washed thoroughly** before consumption.

### What to do if there are symptoms?

- If you have come from countries with infections **in the past 14 days**, apply to the **nearest healthcare facility** by wearing **a surgical mask**.
- If you are **coughing, have a fever and have difficulty at breathing**, apply to the **nearest healthcare facility** by wearing **a surgical mask**.
- **Always wear your mask** when you are in the same room with **a person who is recommended insulation** at home.



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