

## Curriculum Vitae: Ahmet Sezgin

### ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

PhD, Art History & Visual Studies, The University of Manchester, 2012

Thesis title: “The Historiography of Sinan in Modern Turkey”

Supervisor: Dr. Emma Loosley

Master of Arts, World Heritage Studies, Brandenburg Technical University, 2006

Master Thesis: Developing a Holistic Conservation Approach for the Kılıç Ali Pasha

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Bachelor of Architecture, Middle East Technical University, 2000

### PUBLICATIONS

(under review) Baloğlu Burcu & Sezgin, Ahmet, ‘Dijital Stüdyo Deneyimine Mekansal Bağlılık ve Aidiyet Üzerinden Bir Bakış’ in *Pandemi Sürecinde Güncel Gelişmeler ve Geleceğe Dönük Yaklaşımlar - Tasarım Eğitimi ve Uygulamaları Ulusal Eğitim Sempozyumu*.

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Baloğlu, Burcu & Sezgin, Ahmet, ‘Going Digital in Design Education: Restructuring the Emotional Bonds in the Online Studio’, *Journal of Design Studies* 2021, Volume: 3, No: 1, 49-58.

Avcı, Ozan & et. al., ‘Tasarla ve Yap Stüdyosu’nun Mimarlık Eğitimindeki Yeri ve Önemi’, *Ege Mimarlık*, Volume: 30, No:106, 2020, pp. 68-73.

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Sezgin, Ahmet & Uzal, Derya, 'Tasarla ve Yap! Stüdyosu: Gerçekleşen Hayaller', in XXI, no:154, 2016.

İnceoğlu Arda & Köknar, Burcu S. & Sezgin Ahmet & Uzal, Derya, 'A Bridge to Dreams', in Sahin, Muhammed & Kurban, Caroline F., (eds), *The Flipped Approach to Higher Education: Designing Universities for Today's Knowledge Economies and Societies*, Emerald Group Publishing, 2016, pp. 172-176.

Sezgin, Ahmet, & Geçkalan, Levent, 2011, 'Tophane's Historical Heritage and Future/Tophane Tarihi Miras ve Gelecek', in *Industrial Architectural Heritage Developing Awareness and Visibility*, CEKUL Foundation

Sezgin, Ahmet, 'Dramatizing an Architect Hero: Sinan in Fiction', 2009, in ed. Phillips, A. and Abu-Remaileh, R. *The Meeting Place of British Middle East Studies:Emerging Scholars, Emergent Research & Approaches*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

Sezgin, Ahmet, 2009, *Mostar'dan Mekte'ye Gezi Haritası* (architectural map and guide), ÇEKÜL Vakfı, İstanbul

Sezgin, Ahmet, 2008, 'Domes in Frames: Photographing Sinan's Architectural Heritage', in *Looking Beyond Sinan*, ÇEKÜL Vakfı, İstanbul

Kızılkayak, Görkem & Sezgin, Ahmet, 2007, *Map and Guide to Sinan's Architecture in Istanbul* (architectural map and guide), ÇEKÜL Vakfı, İstanbul

Sezgin, Ahmet, 2007, 'Conditions of Sinan's Architectural Legacy in Istanbul', in Görün, A. ed. *Proceedings of the International Symposium on Studies on Historical Heritage*, Antalya

Kızılkayak, Görkem & Sezgin, Ahmet, 2007, *Mimar Sinan Eserleri Trakya Gezi Haritası* (architectural map and guide), ÇEKÜL Vakfı, İstanbul

Kızılkayak, Görkem & Sezgin, Ahmet, 2007, *Mimar Sinan Eserleri İstanbul Gezi Haritası* (architectural map and guide), ÇEKÜL Vakfı, İstanbul

#### CONFERENCE/SYMPOSIUM PRESENTATIONS

Baloğlu Burcu & Sezgin, Ahmet, 'Dijital Stüdyo Deneyimine Mekansal Bağlılık ve Aidiyet Üzerinden Bir Bakış' in *Pandemi Sürecinde Güncel Gelişmeler ve Geleceğe Dönük Yaklaşımlar - Tasarım Eğitimi ve Uygulamaları Ulusal Eğitim Sempozyumu*, March 29-31, 2021.

Sezgin, Ahmet, (November 3-7) 2019, 'Bringing Text, Image, and Experience Together in Design History', 28th ICDE World Conference on Online Learning, Dublin.

Sezgin, Ahmet, (November 18-21) 2017, 'Mehmed Ziya: An advocate of ancient monuments between the Ottoman city and the Turkish nation', MESA 51st Annual Meeting, Washington DC.

Sezgin, Ahmet, (26 April) 2013 'Osmanlı İmar Faaliyetlerinden Kültür Yoluna Havsa Sokullu Külliyesi', *Sokullu Mehmed Paşa Külliyesi ve Havsa Sempozyumu*, Havsa.

Sezgin, Ahmet & Levent Geçkalan (8-11 April) 2010, 'Appropriation and Display of Spolia in the 16th Century Mediterranean: Ottoman and Late Renaissance Readings', *Sinan & His Age International Conference*, Kayseri.

Sezgin, Ahmet, (5 June) 2008, 'Fictionalizing Sinan as the artist-hero', *Language and Belonging Conference*, Manchester.

Sezgin, Ahmet, (25-25 December) 2007, 'Anadoluculuk'un Bakış Açısıyla Sinan', *Mekânlar / Zamanlar / İnsanlar: Kimlik, Aidiyet ve Mimarlık Tarihi*, Ankara

Sezgin, Ahmet, (17-21 September) 2007, 'Conditions of Sinan's Architectural Legacy in Istanbul', *International Symposium on Studies on Historical Heritage*, Antalya

Sezgin, Ahmet, (6-7 July) 2007, 'Constructing Sinan's Identity in Republican Turkey', *the Third Annual BRISMES Graduate Conference*, Oxford

#### PANELS

'Panel', (May 4-6) 2019, Şehrin Doğası: Tarihsel ve Güncel Tartışmalar Işığında İstanbul'da Toprak, Yeşil ve Su, Boğaziçi University, Istanbul.

#### BOOK REVIEWS

Sezgin, Ahmet, Sinan bin Abdülmennan, *İslam Araştırmaları Dergisi*, no: 24, 2010, pp. 233-235.

#### COURSES TAUGHT

##### MEF University - Faculty of Arts, Design, and Architecture

Undergraduate 2<sup>nd</sup> year - Architectural History and Theory

Undergraduate 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> years – Design Studio at the Department of Architecture

Undergraduate 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> years – Design Studio at the Department of Interior Design

##### Bahçeşehir University - Faculty of Architecture and Design

Undergraduate 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year – Interior Design Studies

Undergraduate 1<sup>st</sup> year – Visual Media in Design

Undergraduate 1<sup>st</sup> year – Introduction to Interior Architecture

Undergraduate elective – Architecture and Identity

Graduate - Critical History of Modern Architecture and Design

Graduate – Research on Selected Periods in Architectural History