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Dear Young People,

Istanbul Gelişim Vocational School, which started its education life in 2008, started to publish a monthly E-Bulletin as of 2021. We are very happy to bring you the december issue of our e-bulletin and to share with you the developments in our Vocational School. I believe you will enjoy reading our bulletin and I present my greetings and respect with the hope of meeting you in a new issue.

You can follow all the developments in our Vocational School on our social media channels.

**Director of IGVS**  
**Assist. Prof. Dr. İsmail Cem AY**



## **World universities are ranked according to their ‘Power of Influence’: Istanbul Gelisim University ranked 24th in Quality Education!**

Times Higher Education (THE) Impact Ranking 2021, the world university ranking organization, has been announced. In the ranking, Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) has achieved a great success by taking the 24th place among the universities that provide the highest quality education in the world.

In the category of ‘Quality Education’, Istanbul Gelisim University has achieved a great success by ranking 24th among 1240 universities worldwide. At the same time, the university ranked 1st, leaving 45 universities from Turkey in the ranking.

Please [click here](#) for more information.

## 822nd AMONG 4,126 WORLD UNIVERSITIES

World university ranking organization SCIMAGO 2021 results announced. In the evaluation, Istanbul Gelisim University was ranked 822th among 4 thousand 126 universities in the world.

The SCIMAGO 2021 world university ranking list, which is made by evaluating the research and innovation activities of world universities between 2015-2019 and web indicators for 2020, has been announced.

### **“21st in Economics, Econometrics and Finance”**

SCIMAGO, the Spanish-based international higher education rating agency, measured the research performance, innovation output and web visibility of world universities. According to its research and innovation studies in the fields of Economics, Econometrics and Finance, Istanbul Gelisim University ranked 21st among the universities in Turkey, 7th according to its research and innovation studies in the field of environmental sciences, and 30th in Turkey according to its research and innovation studies in the field of mathematics.

In the field of environmental sciences, Istanbul Gelisim University also managed to be the 300th among OECD country universities and 37th among Middle East universities.



## BEING a STUDENT in IGVS

### The Economic Thought Of The New Century: The "Simit"/Donut Economy

Donut, or "Simit" Economy in Turkish, offers a new vision of how humanity will develop in the 21st century and explores the mentality and ways of thinking needed to lead us to that vision. Published for the first time in the Oxfam report by Kate Raworth in 2012, the concept quickly attracted international attention, from the United Nations General Assembly to the Occupy movement.

Raworth's 2017 book, "Doughnut (Simit) Economy: Seven Ways to Think Like a 21st Century Economist", further explores the economic thinking needed to make humanity circular like a donut, bringing together insights from a variety of economic perspectives in a way that everyone can understand. Based on insights from various schools of economic thought, including ecological, feminist, institutional, behavioral, circular and other economies, Kate Raworth reveals seven ways to think like a 21st century economist to bring the world's economies to a safe and just space for humanity. Raworth proposes Simit Economy as an economic mindset suitable for the context and challenges of the 21st century. It emphasizes that in order to achieve this economic mentality, we need to think of it as a compass for human well-being in the 21st century in order to meet the needs of all people within the possibilities of the living planet.

This new economic thought put forward by Raworth is seen on the shape similar to the donut structure.

Source: Cetin, M. (2020). Forced Transformation in the Economy: Transition from a Linear Economy to a Circular Economy



Donut (Simit) consists of two concentric rings: a social/communal ceiling to ensure that no one is deprived of the foundations of life, and an ecological/environmental ceiling to ensure that humanity collectively does not cross the planetary boundaries that protect Earth's life-supporting systems.

Donut's inner circle represents our social core area. This basic area means all our basic needs such as water, food, health, income, education, gender inequality, shelter. The outer circle represents our ecological ceiling. If resource use and environmental pollution are high enough to harm the planet, the economy exceeds the ecological ceiling and moves outside the outer circle. This ceiling is caused by global warming, air pollution, loss of biodiversity, land use, chemical pollution, etc. consists of factors.

Between these two sets of boundaries lies a donut-shaped area that is both ecologically safe and



socially just: an area where humanity can thrive. It shows that when we are stuck between these two borders, we will stay in a safe and just area for humanity, where all people can live in wealth and prosperity, and because we do not cross the borders of the planet.

Since we are currently outside of both boundaries, Kate Raworth proposes to renew the way we think and outlines 7 ways to think like a 21st century economist:

1. Change Target
2. See the Big Picture
3. Enhance Human Nature
4. Understand Systems
5. Design to Share
6. Create to Renew
7. Be Agnostic About Growth

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**Source:** Raworth, K. (2017). Doughnut economics: seven ways to think like a 21st-century economist. Chelsea Green Publishing.





## Evaluation of Free Time in the Pandemic Process

Natural disasters and epidemics, which are rare in the history of the world, are not only limited at the regional level, but also cause problems that the whole world has to deal with. The biggest recent example of these problems, which cause great destruction and damage, is the coronavirus called



Covid-19. The new type of coronavirus, which is estimated to have first appeared in Wuhan, China and defined as SARS-CoV-2, has taken its place on the world agenda since the end of 2019. The Covid-19 disease showed its effect almost all over the world in a short time and started to spread rapidly among people. In addition to affecting the organs

that make up the respiratory system on humans, it is stated in studies that Covid-19 disease also has negative effects on the heart and related circulatory system, neurological systems and muscle system (Kelkit et al. 2020). In addition, the fact that Covid-19 caused deaths all over the world, countries had to declare quarantine conditions for a long time, and little details were available about the virus in the first stage, led individuals to worry about contracting the disease and even to fear losing their lives. As a result, the priority for individuals has been to survive by protecting their health, and sports and active life have been forced into the background.

In this period when the Covid-19 disease is spreading rapidly, taking into account the positive effects of regular exercise on individuals' morbidity and immunological factors related to this disease, reducing stress and anxiety, and its healing effects on mental health; sports and recreational activities stand out as important concepts that affect the quality of life in epidemic conditions. However, the global pandemic has led to the introduction of many different rules that have not been applied before in our country as well as all over the world, and various changes in human life within the framework of these rules. The normal daily activities of life all over the world have changed due to the comprehensive social isolation measures put into practice, and it has become obligatory for people to stay at home to work and live in a controlled manner in order to protect their health (Burtscher 2020; Burtscher, 2019; Nieman 2019; Mikkelsen 2017).

One of the most important factors in reducing the quality of life of individuals due to pandemic conditions is sedentary lifestyle and the inability of individuals to use their free time effectively. Within the concept of leisure, which is defined as a time peri-



od in which individuals are free to choose and there are no borders (Henderson and Bialeschki 2007), it can be said that different habits are formed with the governments taking various measures from limited restrictions to full closure.



These individuals, who have to stay in their homes and even get used to working from home, try to acquire various activities other than sports in order to evaluate their leisure time, use the time efficiently, and enjoy the time they spend at home even if they cannot go out. However, this situation brings with it the issue of boredom in leisure time. For individuals, boredom is an uncomfortable emotional state for them (Harris 2000). To put it differently, if the intensity of the activity determined as a result of the preference is low and the expectation from this activity is low or below the targeted level, a feeling of boredom arises in the individual

(Iso-Ahola and Weissinger 1990). Although there are certain stretches in the measures taken with vaccination during the current pandemic process, if we consider that individuals cannot use their time outside of work life without any worries, it would be much healthier to organize leisure time activities in a way that minimizes the anxiety level of individuals in accordance with the pandemic conditions.

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## What Should We Do in Disaster and Emergency Situations?

### What Is Disaster and Emergency?

Disaster; Contrary to what is known, it refers not only to natural events, but also to the result of nature, technology or human-induced events that the affected society's coping capacity is not sufficient. On the other hand, emergency is defined as all situations and status that require urgency, which are large but generally manageable with local resources. Therefore, not every emergency is a disaster.

The value of taking precautions in disasters and emergencies is emphasized by the relevant institutions in various trainings, public service announcements, social media announcements, etc. methods are tried to be brought to the society and it is aimed to create a safety culture in individuals. However, in accordance with the Occupational Health and Safety Law No. 6331, it is obligatory to make arrangements for emergencies in workplaces. In accordance with the provisions of the relevant legislation, "Emergency and Evacuation Plans" should be established that will determine the course of action, work and procedures to be followed in emergency situations.

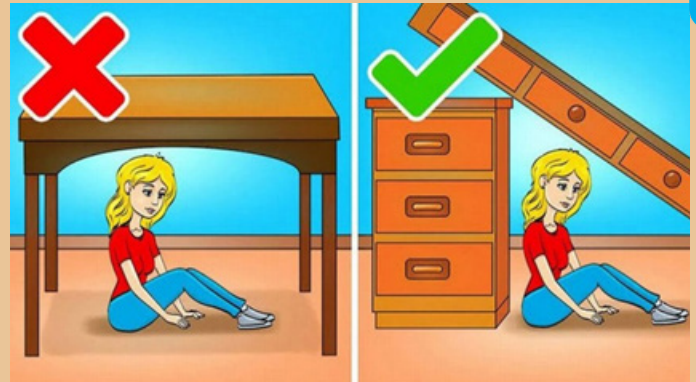
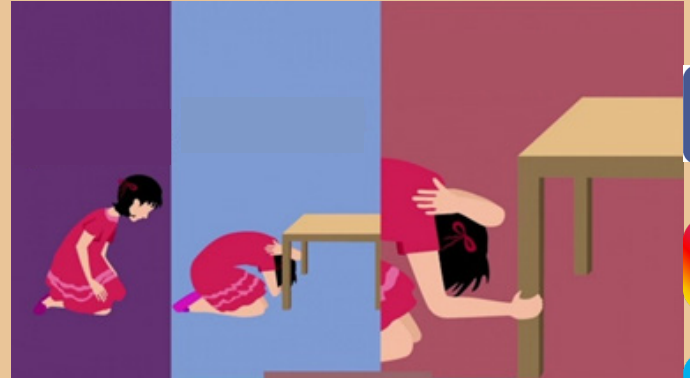
### How To Act in Disaster and Emergency Situations?

Being able to act calmly without panicking in any emergency or disaster will prevent the events from escalating. In our university, emergency teams have been formed by authorized units and necessary coordination is ensured. For this reason, the directions of the teams should be followed in the event of an emergency.

If you are inside the building at the time of an earthquake and if possible, leave the building immediately and go to the emergency assembly

area. If we cannot leave the building, we should stay away from unfixed items, never use elevators, should not use ignition sources such as lighters and matches in case of any gas leakage, and should not touch electrical switches. Especially avoid glass and glassware.

Head and neck should be protected with the DROP-COVER-HOLD ON movement in the classroom or office, next to a solid desk, next to the table, and next to the wall in the corridor, forming a triangle of life.



In the event of a fire, the information that the fire has broken out should be reported to the environment with a verbal warning and directed to the safe area/assembly point by using the emergency exit doors. It should not be forgotten that the efforts of people who are ignorant and inexperienced in responding to fire may increase the spread of fire. If



there is a fire in a room, classroom, laboratory, etc., if you do not have the knowledge of extinguishing and you are sure that no one is left in the room, close the door if possible when leaving the room to prevent the spread until the emergency teams arrive. If the flames have increased and it is not possible to leave the building, do not hide in places such as closets. In order not to suffocate from the smoke, one should bend and crawl as much as possible until help arrives, and breathe by covering the mouth and nose with a wet tissue. In the event that the clothes catch fire, lying on the ground and rolling will be an effective solution.

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## Fast Fashion and Sustainable Fashion Dilemma

The concept of fast fashion has emerged as a result of the globalization of production, increasing competition and consumer demands, and accelerating fashion cycles. Fast Fashion, as low-cost clothing collections imitating luxury fashion brands; It is a strong business strategy that satisfies the consumer desire that cannot reach luxury fashion at affordable prices, encourages disposable by nature, and responds quickly to consumers. By adding intermediate seasons to the existing seasons, it aims to offer the customer a few more diverse options. Popular international fast fashion retailers such as Zara and H&M introduce new styles, with an average of 50 small collections per year, which quickly become popular and then quickly disappear.



The success of the fast fashion business is due to the fast response to ever-changing fashion trends, consumer demand, and low costs. It provides the consumer with the advantage of cheap, abundant and constantly changing products. Thanks to constantly renewed products, old products quickly lose their meaning for consumers and new products become immediately ready to meet with the consumer. A society that consumes by following fashion has been created by imposing constantly changing and renewed products on consumers because it is fashionable. Consumers, who increase their expectations for fashion over time, force manufacturers to ensure that the right product is available at the right time and place. With the concept of fast fashion that emerged thanks to the interaction between the producer and the consumer in the sector, the sector accelerates consumption with its dynamic structure.

Recycling and sustainability in textile, which is one of the important issues of today, is desired to reduce the environmental damage caused by fast fashion and the fast consumption that it brings with it. Concepts such as ecological products, sustainability, recycling and reusability that do not harm the environment and human health affect the fashion industry by forming the starting point of the manufacturers. In particular, H&M, which is defined as a sustainability ambassador, conducts important studies on sustainable fashion; the Conscious collection is created using at least 50% more sustainable materials such as organic cotton and recycled polyester. At the same time, the most important goal of this Sweden-based brand is to use 100% recycled and sustainably produced materials by 2030 in order to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. The other international retailer Zara maintains fashion, style and quality as a strategy and creates its collections with recyclable materials. In addition, with the 'Join Life' project, it is working on a circu-





lar economy model that extends the useful life of products and allows them to be included in the re-manufacturing chain as raw materials when their useful life is over. The scope of this project includes creating zero waste by re-incorporating the wastes generated in the clothing production processes into the life cycle, using recyclable materials in all products from labels to cardboard bags, and reusing old clothes collected from customers by turning them into fibers, then fabrics and clothes.

For sustainability in fashion nourished by change and innovation, these two opposite concepts must cooperate. It is necessary to determine the situations in which sustainability can be applied in terms of the structure of today's fashion industry. Fashion, which has been shaped by different approaches in every period in the historical process, is shaped by approaches such as eco-fashion and sustainable fashion with the effect of ecological planning.

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## Tourism Figures for January-October 2021 Gave Hope for 2022

Since March 2020, when Covid-19 was declared a pandemic in Turkey, the rapidly decreasing number of international tourists and tourism revenues in our country, as in the rest of the world, showed a recovery in 2021 and gave hope to tourism professionals for 2022. Although statistics for the fourth quarter of 2021 have not been published yet, Turkey hosted a total of 21,055,764 foreign visitors, including October. When Turkish citizens residing abroad and visiting our country are included in this figure, the total number of visitors reached 24,979,198. In the same period of the previous year, 11,200,892 foreigners visited our country. In other words, the number of foreign visitors coming to our country between January and October 2021 increased by 87.98% compared to the previous year. Looking at the foreign visitors coming to our country according to their nationality in the January-October 2021 period, it was seen that the first three places were composed of 4,362,238 people from the Russian Federation, 2,745,043 people from Germany and 1,971,461 people from Ukraine.<sup>1</sup>

A similar picture was also observed in tourism revenues. In the period covering January-September 2021, tourism revenue from foreign visitors amounted to 12 billion 711 million dollars. When the income from Turkish citizens residing abroad is added to this figure, tourism income reached 16 billion 851 million dollars. In the whole of 2020,

**Source:**

1. <https://yigm.ktb.gov.tr/TR-9851/turizm-istatistikleri.html>.

2. <https://data.tuik.gov.tr/Bulten/Index?p=Turizm-Istatistikleri-III,-Ceyrek:-Temmuz---Eylul,-2021-37445>.



tourism revenues, including Turkish citizens residing abroad, totaled 12 billion dollars. <sup>2</sup>Adding the figures for the last quarter of 2021 for Turkey's tourism income, it is predicted that the total income will be around 20-22 billion dollars.

In 2019, 52 million tourists visited our country and a tourism income of 34.5 billion dollars was obtained. Although the tourism statistics for 2021 are still far behind these figures, the slowly recovering tourism industry gave hope for 2022.

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**Department**



## ISTANBUL GELISIM VOCATIONAL SCHOOL HAS BEEN HOME FOR PAWED FRIENDS

Of course, cats are the most well-known among the symbols of Istanbul, one of the largest cities in Europe! These lovely friends, who are often mentioned together with Istanbul in the world press, are also symbols of Istanbul Gelişim Vocational School. You can see our friends who greet you as soon as you enter the campus, napping in the grass and sunbathing on the benches with the students.

These playful IGVS friends love to spend time with the students, visit the academicians in the garden, and also joke with the cleaning staff. As students of Istanbul Gelişim Vocational School Public Relations and Publicity Program, we wanted to focus on themselves. In this month's "Student Microphone" column, we will introduce our pawed friends to you, IGVS students.

First of all, let us introduce you to Aslan, who welcomes the students at the gate of IGVS and is a close friend of the security guards. Declared himself the cat responsible for security at IGVS, this friend of ours controls the entrances and exits every day. He maintains his social distance with students who give him food. Of course, it doesn't take time for us to understand this from the seriousness on his face!



Now it's the turn of the school's cleaning cat, Boncuk. When you want to see him, just look at the disinfectant stands. There is hardly a day when we do not see Boncuk, whose favorite playground is the entrance to the ground floor, running on the ground floor with his toy. He can't help but invite his older sisters to the game once in a while. Although he doesn't like sleep much compared to his friends, you can stroke him when he sleeps on his favorite bed, on the brown sofa. When he falls asleep, no one can wake up him. Apart from sleeping, he devotes the rest of the day to her personal cleaning and play.



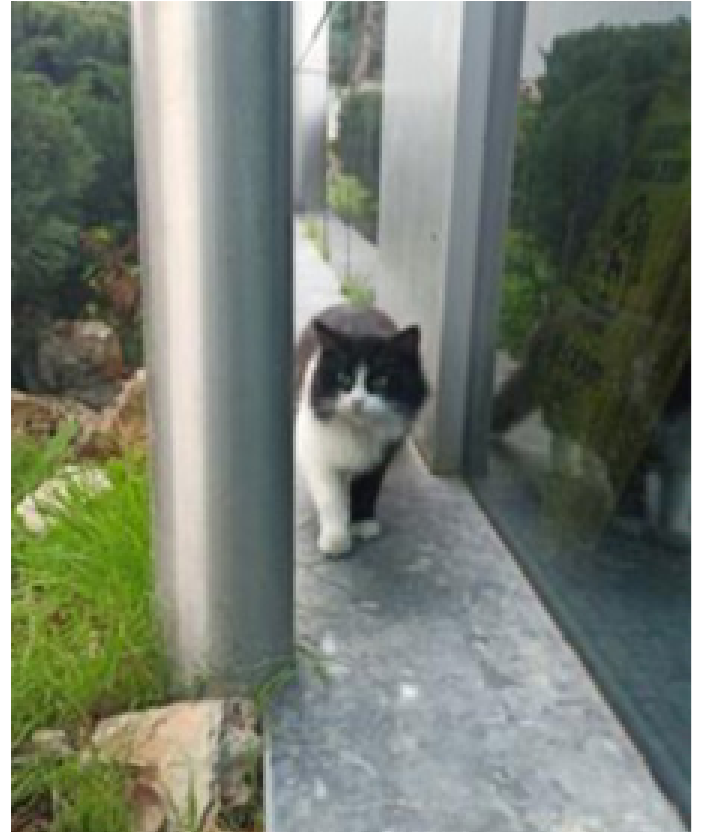
Ceylan is the bundle of joy of our school. There is hardly a moment when she does not love herself. You can see her playing in a student's arms or lap at any time. Her favorite thing is to spend time among students.



Now it's the Yellow Girl's turn. This blonde friend's favorite thing is sunbathing. It must have taken the beauty of its color from the sun. If you see someone running in the garden, playing games in the grass, climbing trees, know that this is the Yellow Girl. If you want to meet her, just follow the sun.



Pages are not enough to describe all of our friends who are part of IGVS and who have transformed the campus into a pleasant living space. So, let's end our column to get to know our friends with Deliha, the rebellious girl of the campus we left at the end. She has been with us since the day she was born. We enjoyed watching her whole growth phase. But of course, there is a reason why we call her a rebel girl! This naughty girl doesn't like to be liked and isn't afraid of hurting herself by climbing wherever she finds herself. But don't worry we are always by her side. Happy with her life, Deliha deserves the title of being the most active cat. That's probably why she likes to eat wet food so much. The reason we don't see her around the food bowls often is because she grabs the treats from the students' bag before anyone else.



In order to get to know the pawed residents of IGVS better, we wanted to listen to them from their favorite academician and conducted an interview with Lect. Atilla AKALIN.

**Students: Sir, we met with you frequently during this period of getting to know IGVS cats closely and we saw that cats love you and you love cats. That's why we want to talk to you about our friends. Let's start with our first question:**

**Students: Do IGVS cats know you? Do they come to see you?**

A. Akalin: They all know me, including the new cats. They recognize me by smell, and since cats live in our house, they recognize me easily by smell.

**Students: Do cats have names? If so, what is it and do cats recognize their names?**

A. Akalin: Most of the time, we don't spend enough time to know their names, but we know that students use names when addressing them. Aslan, Boncuk, Ceylan, Deliha, Sarı Kız, Zeytin are the names I know. Usually students give their names. Apart from that, our most famous cat was Bulgur. The reason why it was bulgur was that it made a loud gurgling sound, it became Bulgur from Gurgur because its color is yellow. I took her with me and had her treatments done. She is now 4 years old with me.

**Students: Who do you think is the most mischievous of our school's cats?**

A. Akalin: Bulgur was very naughty. She was trying to drink my drink, She wouldn't leave me. Then I took her home. Now, I think the naughtiest is Boncuk. She was playing with her ball in the school entrance today.

**Students: Which is your favorite cat among the IGU cats?**

A. Akalin: Nobody discriminates, including me. I'm trying to help them all eat equally.

**Students: Does it make you happy that students also communicate well with cats?**

A. Akalin: Of course it makes me happy. When I see them spending time together, I say "feed the cats too". Keep in mind that when you love them, they are happy too. Of course, I would like to point out one thing in particular. Inedible food should not be given to our cat friends. It is not suitable for both health and environmental pollution.

**Students: We heard that you also have cats in your house. Do cats at school react when they smell your own cat?**

A. Akalin: Yes, the cats in the house are reacting. They smell, they feel. But now they are used to it.

**Students: What is the favorite place/classroom of IGU cats at school?**

A. Akalin: Of course, their favorite places are where they have food bowls and water. (We all laugh together.)

**Students: Thank you, Sir, for talking to us about our friends.**

A. Akalin: Thank you guys, the presence of our sensitive students makes us very happy.

**Public Relations and Publicity Program Students**

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## OUR EVENTS

1- An interview on “Developing Technologies in the Furniture Sector” was held on 1 December 2021 within the scope of IGVS, Interior Design Program. Sector Representative Enes KOÇ attended the conversation as a speaker and met with our students. In the conversation, training was given about Solidworks, Swood program. Please [click here](#) for more information.



2- A conversation on Veganism was held within the IGVS Cookery Program. The increasing interest in veganism in response to the unethical actions against animals, especially in industrial production, together with the climate problems and food insecurity, has revealed that our students, as the Cookery Program, should pay close attention to this issue.



Gastronomy and Cookery Departments Coordinator and General Secretary Assoc. Prof. Dr. Serdar ÇÖP, IGVS Assistant Principal Lect. Fehim İLHAN and Head of Cookery Program Lect. Zeynep TÜRMEK attended the event organized by Cookery Program Lec. Kader Parlak.



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Interview

Organized by: Interior Design Program

**DEVELOPING TECHNOLOGIES  
IN THE FURNITURE INDUSTRY**

Speaker  
**Enes KOÇ**  
Interior Designer

1 Aralık 2021 3:30pm - 5:30pm  
**Wednesday**

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The event was held to convey the ethical and philosophical nature of veganism, which is envisioned as a future lifestyle, as well as its health benefits with the participation of V-Label International Turkey Director, Vegan Association Turkey Founding President and Editor of Veg&Nature Magazine, Ebru ARIMAN, and Prof. Dr. Hakan Şentürk from Bezmialem University Hospital, Department of Internal Medicine. At the end of the participants' presentations, our students asked what they were wondering about the vegan lifestyle. Our participants also conveyed what they expect from future chefs as a vegan.

At the end of the event, a certificate of appreciation was presented to the participants.



3- Within Sports Management program of IGVS, GOALBALL event, in which visually impaired individuals played, was held with the participation of our school students (Sports Management Program 1st Grade) within the scope of 3 December International Day of Persons with Disabilities. Our students participating in the GOALBALL competition had the chance to share the emotional state of the visually impaired individuals by wearing an eye patch during the competition, and at the same time, their awareness of the difficulties experienced by the disabled individuals increased. We would like to thank all our students who participated in the GOALBALL competition we organized.



4- An event on “Customs Practices in Foreign Trade” was held within the scope of IGVS, Logistics Program. For detailed information about the event, which was held with the participation of Training Coordinator Özlem ERSÖZ and Customs Consultant Mustafa SAĞDIÇ, please [click here](#).



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Seminar

Customs Applications in Foreign Trade

**CUSTOMS APPLICATIONS IN FOREIGN TRADE**

**Özlem Ersöz**  
Training Coordinator

**Mustafa Sağdıç**  
Customs Consultant

21 December 2021 | 13.00-14.00 | Block G Mimar Sinan Conference Hall  
Tuesday

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5- A “Chocolate Workshop” event was held within the IGVS Cookery Program. For detailed information about the event, which was attended by the pastry chef Cihan SUBAŞI, please [click here](#).



6- An event on “Eco-Print Studies within the Scope of Sustainable Fashion” was held within the IGVS Fashion Design Program. Please [click](#) for detailed information about the event that took place with the participation of trainer Emel ARGAN.



7- An event on “Manisa in the Trace of History” was organized within the scope of IGVS Tourist Guidance Program. For detailed information about the event where historian Ahmet ÇANDIR was a guest, please [click](#) here.



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Online Chat

Department of Tourist Guiding

**MANISA ON THE TRAIL OF HISTORY**

Ancient City  
City of Prince  
City of Healing

  
MODERATOR  
Lect. Senay OTO

  
PARTICIPANT  
Ahmet ÇANDIR  
Historian

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Google Meet  
meet.google.com/zxd-zoyv-thz

14 December 2021 20.00  
Tuesday

8- The Sector Meeting in Informatics event was organized between 02.12.2021 - 16.12.2021 by the Istanbul Gelişim University Career Development Center, in which the students of the Computer Engineering and Management Information Systems Departments and the Vocational School Information Security Technology Program of our university took an active role. Please [click](#) here for more information.



9- An event themed Finance Days was held on 24 December 2021 in the Finance, Banking and Insurance department of IGVS. Özgür ÜSTÜN, who works as a Finance Manager in a private company, took part in the event as a sector representative. Students and sector representatives made various criticisms about the finance sector at the event. Please [click](#) here for more information.





## NEWS from IGVS

1- Istanbul Gelisim University registered its success with 4 awards.

In the award ceremony of BLUESKY AWARDS – 2021 organization, which was also the main sponsor of TURKISH AEROSPACE, the winners of the “Aviation Achievement Awards and Special Jury Awards” were found. Turkey’s first and only digital aviation awards organization, BLUESKY AWARDS, broke new ground in Turkey with the coolest and most prestigious Virtual Award Ceremony LIVE BROADCAST.

Turkey’s first and only independent digital “Aviation Awards” organization, BLUESKY AWARDS, broadcast the magnificent virtual award ceremony LIVE in 2 languages (Turkish / English).

Bluesky Awards ‘Aviation Achievement Awards’ and ‘Special Jury Awards’ winners announced. Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) was deemed worthy of awards in 4 different categories at the “Aviation Achievement Awards”, which certifies the success and excellence in the aviation industry.

Turkey’s first and only independent aviation achievement awards organization “Bluesky Awards” found its owners. Bluesky Awards, which organizes the “Aviation Achievement Awards and Special Jury Awards” award competition in 2 categories this year, aims to reward success and excellence in the aviation industry by determining it.

Registering its success and brand value in aviation education with the Bluesky Awards, the categories in which Istanbul Gelisim University won awards are as follows:

- Award of Aircraft Technology Department of the Year
- Award of Aeronautical Engineering Department of the Year
- Award of Aircraft Mechanic-Engine Maintenance Department of the Year
- Award of Flight Operations Specialist Training Organization of the Year (Dispatcher)

Please [click](#) for the source and details of the news.

2- Lecturer Kübra SAĞLAM, Head of Food Processing Department of IGVS, attended the “International Multidisciplinary Natural Sciences and Engineering Congress” held on 01-02 December 2021. Presentations on engineering branches were made at the congress.



3- IGVS, Banking and Insurance Program, Lecturer Duygu ÇELİK defended her thesis titled “The Effect of Inflation on Income Distribution in Developed and Developing Countries: 1990-2017”, which she carried out under the consultancy of Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kemal ERKİŞİ from Istanbul Gelisim University, Institute of Graduate Studies, Economics and Finance Program and she was awarded the title of doctor in the doctoral thesis defense examination held on 29 November 2021. As the IGVS Family, we congratulate our lecturer and wish her continued success.



4- IGVS, Civil Air Transportation Management Program Lect. Ramazan İNAN’s article titled “The Mediation Role of Quality of Work Life in the Relationship between Reality Shock and Career Commitment of Employees with Tourism Education” was published in the December 2021 issue of the Turkish Tourism Research Journal. The access link is below.

<https://www.tutad.org/index.php/tutad/article/view/569>



5- IGVS, Air Logistics Program, Lect. Atilla AYDIN’s article titled “Analysis of the effects of the Covid-19 outbreak on the Turkish air transport sector with the ARIMA model” was published in the Journal of the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences of Ardahan University. Access link is below.

<https://dergipark.org.tr/tr/download/article-file/1908173>



6- The article titled “Assessment of Occupational Accidents in the Construction Sector with Artificial Neural Network: An Exemplary Practice in Istanbul” by Assist. Prof. Dr. Güfte CANER AKIN from the Occupational Health and Safety Program with Assist. Prof. Dr. Ümit ALKAN was published in the Journal of Ergonomics (TR Index). The access link is below.

<https://dergipark.org.tr/tr/pub/ergonomi/issue/66221/989974>





7- We congratulate our student Erdem SALGIN, who graduated from the IGVS Flight Operations Management Program and was entitled to take the Flight Operations Specialist (Dispatcher) exam in 2021 at the General Directorate of Civil Aviation and successfully completed his exams, and wish him success in his professional life.



8- IGVS, Graphic Design Program Lecturer Özge ORTAÇ wrote a chapter in the book "Covid-19 Pandemic from Individual to Society and Multidisciplinary Approaches". ORTAÇ contributed to the book with the section titled "The Effect of New Media Technologies on Museum Awareness: Virtual Museums in Turkey in the Covid-19 Pandemic Process".



9- IGVS, Computer Aided Design and Animation, Program Lect. Murat KARAOVA participated in the juried group exhibition held within the scope of the 1st International Family Congress with his work and presented a paper within the scope of the congress.





## AGENDA of PERSONNEL

- As of 21.12.2021, Asst. Prof. Mustafa GÜNAY has been appointed as the Head of Department to the Istanbul Gelisim Vocational School Department of Architecture and Urbanism.
- In our previous Turkish issue, the last name of our Culinary Program Director, Mrs. Zeynep TÜRKMEN, was written as ÖZTÜRK in error. We apologize first to our teacher and then to you, our esteemed readers, for the related mistake.

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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.







## PROTECTION AGAINST VIRUS IS IN OUR HANDS



THE MOUTH AND NOSE SHOULD BE CLOSED WITH PAPER TOWEL DURING COUGHING AND SNEEZE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ANY WIPE, THE INSIDE OF THE ELBOW SHOULD BE USED.



CLOSE CONTACT SHOULD AVOID LIKE HANDSHAKE AND HUGGING.



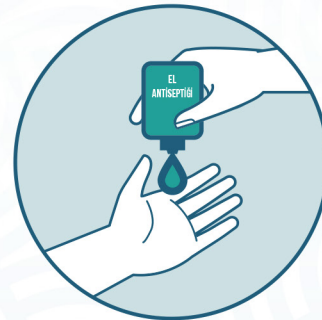
IT SHOULD BE STAYED AWAY FROM CROWDED ENVIRONMENTS.



DO NOT TOUCH THE MOUTH, NOSE AND EYES WITH DIRTY HANDS.



HANDS MUST BE WASHED WITH WATER AND NORMAL SOAP FOR AT LEAST 20 SECONDS.



ALCOHOL CONTENT HAND ANTISEPTICS SHOULD BE USED IN CASE OF THERE IS NO WATER AND SOAP.

  
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