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AGENDA OF PERSONNEL**JANUARY 24, - JANUARY 30, 2020****BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS**

Dear employees of Istanbul Gelisim University, we wish you happy birthday with our sincere feelings and hope that you will have a beautiful and happy year in which you will have great achievements. Thank you for being a part of **the huge IGU family**.

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*The names are arranged in alphabetical order.

NEWS**JANUARY 20, 2020****A winter break academy is organized for high school students' university preferences**

As the Higher Education Institutions Exam (YKS) approaches, students make researches for university and department preferences. Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) welcomes high school students on its campus with various practical courses on January 20-24 in the process of goal setting. 11th and 12th grade high school students can participate in the program called IGU 2020 High Schools Winter Break Academy.

Stating that students are not quite good in differentiating between which departments they want and the departments they should direct themselves, IGU Chairman of the Board of the Trustees Abdulkadir Gayretli said: "It is necessary to turn dreams into goals. It is important to take action for this. Students should set goals that they can achieve with the skills they have. As IGU, we attach importance to helping students in setting their goals and to be with them and support them when planning their careers."

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Turkish and international scientists will meet at this congress

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Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) will host the International Applied Social Sciences Congress (USBK2020) of which theme is determined as 'sustainability'.

It has been announced that many Turkish and international scientists will come together as part of the 'sustainability' themed congress that will be held on March 12-13, 2020. It is reported that the congress is planned to be held annually in a different geography due to communications and collaborations with stakeholders. Asst. Prof. Dr. Hilal Kılıç spoke of the importance of the congress and continued: "We aim to create an interdisciplinary discussion and study platform by bringing together scientists who conduct research in this field with the belief that social sciences as well as technical sciences should be emphasized for the

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Public Oversight Authority Lifelong Learning Programs at IGU

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Istanbul Gelisim University Lifelong Education Application and Research Center (IGUSEM) visited Public Oversight Authority Directorate (KGK).

IGUSEM Director Asst. Prof. Dr. Fatih Fuat Tuncer and External Trainings Specialist Mustafa Yücel visited Public Oversight Authority Directorate (KGK). Rıza Çelen, Chairman of the Board of Public Oversight, Accounting and Auditing Standards, was interviewed about the training programs planned to be carried out for independent auditors.

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Age difference between parents increases the risk of autism

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Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sevcan Karakoç Demirkaya pointed out that stress, malnutrition and environmental pollution triggered autism. Demirkaya said: "Age difference between parents increases the risk of autism."

Sorted the proven environmental risk factors associated with autism, Assoc. Prof. Dr. Sevcan Karakoç Demirkaya stated: "Having siblings with autism, having parents with a history of schizophrenia-like disorder, maternal age over 40 and/or paternal age over 40, very early age of grandfather (mother's father) age, age difference between parents increase the risk of autism."

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Cities where the elderly can be comfortable should be designed

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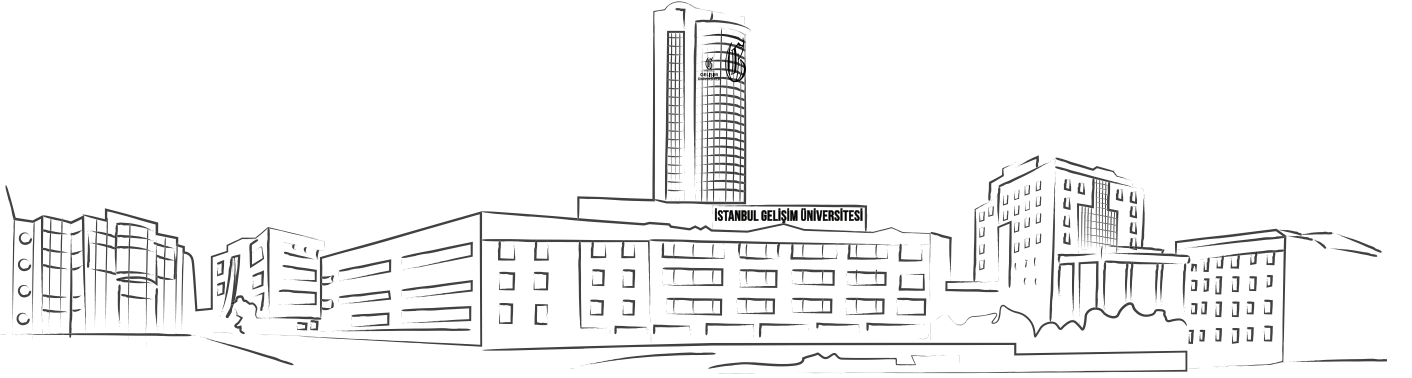


While the elderly population in developing countries is increasing, Sila Ayan from the Gerontology department which called the science of old age and aging said: "To support the active aging of the elderly, the elderly-friendly cities that are physically, psychologically and socially appropriate providing the most active and the most satisfying results.

According to the studies of the World Health Organization, it is stated that the proportion of the elderly population living in the cities of developing countries worldwide will increase 16 times and reach 908 million from 1998 to 2050. Experts say that this number means a quarter of the total population. Stating that a quarter of the population cannot be mentioned in a society where production, life and social structure remain isolated, Gerontologist from Istanbul Gelisim University (IGU) School of Health Sciences Gerontology Department Lecturer Sila Ayan said: "In order to support the active aging of the elderly, the cities that are physically, psychologically and socially appropriate, the most active, and the most friendly to provide satisfaction, should be designed."

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