



**TURKISH POLITICAL ECONOMY SOCIETY (TPES)  
3<sup>rd</sup> INTERDISCIPLINARY WORKSHOP**

***POLITICS, GOVERNANCE, AND PUBLIC POLICYMAKING IN  
TUMULTUOUS TIMES***

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Public Administration, Bilkent University***

Bilkent University, Ankara  
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**WORKSHOP PROGRAMME**

**09.00 – 09.30** – Welcome, Opening Remarks

**9.30 – 11.00 THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF REGULATION, PUBLIC  
POLICY AND INSTITUTIONAL CHANGE**

Chair: Alper Yagci, Ozyegin University

“Unfolding the Macro-Prudential Mechanisms: Dynamic Nature of the Banking Mechanisms in the Post 2010 Turkish Experience”, Sinan Akgunay, METU and Caner Bakir, Koc University

Discussant: Emine Tokgoz, Bilkent University

“Independent Regulatory Agencies: Magic Wands for Coordinating Mixed Market Economies”, Emine Tokgoz, Bilkent University

Discussant: M. Kerem Coban

“A Three-Stage Model of Compliance with International Regulatory Standards? Evidence from Turkey’s Compliance with Basel III”, M. Kerem Coban

Discussant: Caner Bakir, Koc University

“Continuity and Change in Policies and Institutions: Towards Conceptual Clarity”, Timur Kaymaz, Bilkent University

Discussant: Caner Bakir, Koc University

**11.15 – 12.45 THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF WELFARE STATE AND  
INEQUALITY**

Chair: Ebru Ertugal, Baskent University

“Recalibrating Tools for Measuring Welfare States beyond the Three Worlds: Learning from Measuring the Turkish Welfare State” Efe Savas, Bilkent University,

Discussant: Alper Yagci, Ozyegin University

“Piecing Together the Turkish Puzzle on Female Labour Force Participation: What Can We Learn from Southern Europe?” Onur Kutlu, Bilkent University

Discussant: Ebru Ertugal, Baskent University



“Welfare Effort and Social Rights in Turkey’s Welfare State: Welfare Laggard Catching Up?”, Kerem Gabriel Oktem, Bielefeld University  
Discussant: M. Kerem Coban

“Political Economy of Increasing Wealth Inequality in Emerging Economies”, Ezgi Ozelik, Koc University  
Discussant: H. Tolga Bolukbasi, Bilkent University

### **12.45 – 13.45 Lunch Break**

### **13.45 – 15.00 SCIENCE AND RESEARCH POLICIES IN COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES**

Chair: M. Kerem Coban

“Exploring “How Much” and “How” of “Governance Transfer”: Transformative Power of EU’s Science and Research Policy in Turkey and Israel”, Burcu Gogus Dogan, Ankara University  
Discussant: Sinan Akgunay, METU

“Revisiting the ‘New Turkey’ Debate: The Logic of R&D Policy-Making in Turkey”, Huseyin Emrah Karaoguz, Kadir Has University  
Discussant: Evgeniia Shahin, Bilkent University

“Research Funding Policy Systems: UK-Turkey Funding Policy Practices in Comparative Perspective”, Seda Goksu, Maastricht University  
Discussant: Ertugrul Tulun, Bilkent University

### **15.15 – 16.45 POLICY STYLE, TRUST AND GOVERNANCE IN A COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVE**

Chair: Caner Bakir, Koc University

“Napoleonic Tradition, Majoritarianism, and Turkey’s Policy Style in Comparative Perspective”, H. Tolga Bolukbasi, Bilkent University, and Ebru Ertugal, Baskent University  
Discussant: Efe Savas, Bilkent University

“Political Trust in Non-Consolidated Democracies: The Turkish Case in Comparative Perspective”, Kursat Cinar, Bilkent University and Tekin Kose, TED University  
Discussant: Alper Yagci, Ozyegin University

“Economic Voting, Partisanship and Media Influence: The Case of Turkey”, Alper Yagci, Ozyegin University  
Discussant: H. Tolga Bolukbasi, Bilkent University

“Theorising GONGOs: How Neoliberalism Helped to Create Government Organised NGOs”, Itir Bagdadi, Izmir University of Economics,  
Discussant: Ebru Ertugal, Baskent University