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EMU Athlete Ese Brume Makes Impact in Istanbul



Famous Nigerian Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) athlete Ese Brume, who came fifth in the 2016 Olympic Games and is also an African Long Jump and Commonwealth Games Champion, made an impact at the Turkish Indoor Athletics Championship that took place in the Aslı Çakır Alptekin Athletics Arena in İstanbul.

Competing unclassified, Brume came first in the women's 60 metre final with a time of 6.79 and first in the women's long jump with a jump of 6.41.

Brume finished the 2016 Rio Olympics in fifth place with a jump of 6.81. She is also the 2015 African Long Jump Champion and the 2014 Commonwealth Games Champion. For some time, she has been carrying out her training with

coach Hasan Maydon. During their stay in İstanbul, Brume, Maydon and EMU Sports Affairs Director Cemal Konnolu visited Turkish Athletics Federation President (a.) Ali Aksu in his office, presenting him with presents unique to EMU and Cyprus.

Brume to compete in İstanbul Cup

Brume has also been invited along with her coach Maydon to participate in the İstanbul Cup set to take place in the İstanbul Aslı Çakır Alptekin Athletics Arena on the 17th of February 2017. Brume will be competing in athletics and the women's 60 metres race scheduled to start at 15:40. The competition will be broadcasted live from the television channel NTV Spor.

Collaboration Protocol Signed by Nicosia Turkish Municipality & EMU



Collaboration protocols were signed by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) and the Nicosia Turkish Municipality on the 10th of February 2017. The protocols regarding academic, scientific, social and cultural collaboration that also contain the revision of the Nicosia Master Plan were signed at 14:00 at the EMU Rector's Office by EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and Mayor of Nicosia Turkish Municipality Mehmet Harmancı.

The protocol between EMU and the Nicosia Turkish Municipality aims to develop scientific, cultural and academic collaboration in order to increase awareness towards communal issues and to promote the development of projects that will benefit the community. The protocol will also bring about EMU Urban Research and Development Center counselling in order to improve Nicosia's Master Plan.

Speaking during the protocol, Prof. Dr. Osam noted that universities should play their part in carrying out action that helps the community and that EMU has been doing this by signing a number of collaboration protocols with different municipalities. Stating that EMU is a university that has taken its place on



the world standings and highly values community work, Prof. Dr. Osam stated his happiness regarding collaborating with the Nicosia Turkish Municipality.

Present at the signature ceremony was EMU Board of Trustees President İlker Edip who noted that throughout the country local authorities are often involved in the solving of problems and that they are often the first places citizens go to when they are experiencing a problem. Edip went on to state that therefore collaborations with municipalities are very important and that EMU is pleased to be involved

in projects that exceed campus borders in order to help develop the country. Pointing out that EMU aims to expand its own borders Edip concluded by stating "The time for EMU to have new campuses has arrived".

In a speech of his own, Nicosia Turkish Municipality Mayor Mehmet Harmancı stated that he is very pleased to be collaborating with EMU, expressing his belief that such collaborations can help develop and improve the country. Harmancı pointed out that Nicosia's master plan is of top importance because of its population and the fact that it is a city with a large industry. Harmancı

concluded by thanking EMU, expressing his belief that positive outcomes will be obtained from the collaboration.

Present at the signature ceremony were EMU Vice Rectors Prof. Dr. M. Yaşar Özden, Prof. Dr. Cem Tanova and Prof. Dr. Hüseyin Özkaramanlı, Rector's Coordinator Asst. Prof. Dr. Arif Akkeleş, EMU Urban Research and Development Center Chair Prof. Dr. Şebnem Hoşkara, Faculty of Architecture academic staff members and municipality personnel. Following the ceremony, Harmancı appeared as a guest on the EMU TV television program titled "Collaboration Protocol with EMU".

Turkish Airlines Visit EMU

Resul Baş, who was recently appointed as Director of the Nicosia Office of Turkish Airlines and Sales Manager Mustafa Uğur paid a visit of courtesy to Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam. During the said visit Baş and Uğur stated their pleasure regarding being at EMU noting that EMU is a pioneer in higher education.

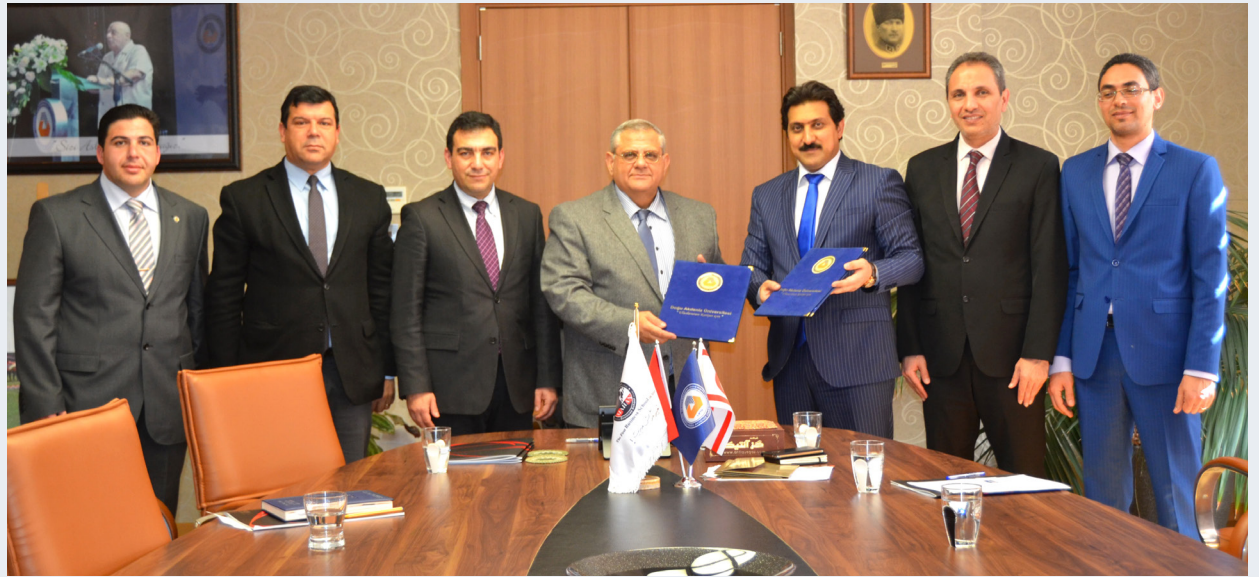
During the visit, Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam provided information about EMU, its student profile, education quality and accreditations. At the end of the visit during which possible collaborations were also discussed, Baş presented Prof. Dr. Osam with a gift.



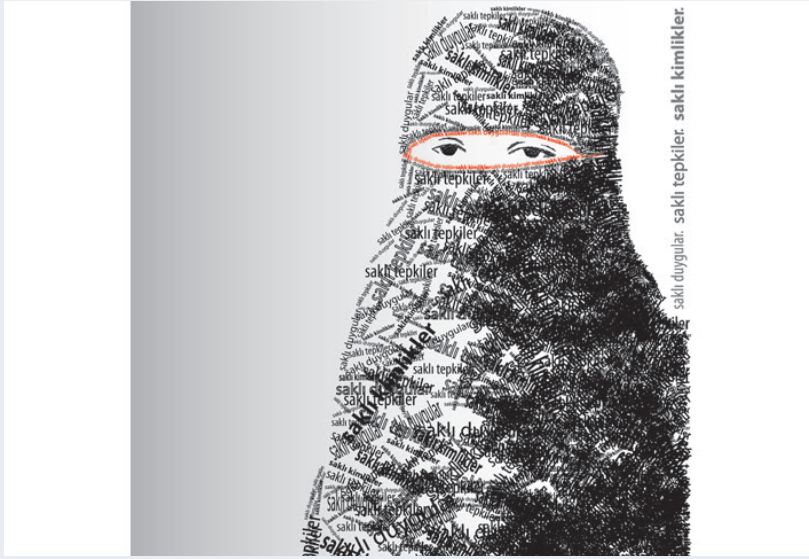
EMU Signs Collaboration Protocol with Mahan Business School

A collaboration protocol has been signed by the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) and Iran's Mahan Business School. The protocol was signed by EMU Rector Prof. Dr. Necdet Osam and Mahan Business School Executive Board Chairman Majid Sayyary at the EMU Rector's Office.

The protocol aims to improve, strengthen and promote relations between the two institutions. Before the signature ceremony Mahan Business School representatives met-up with EMU Vice Rector for International Relations and Promotion Prof. Dr. Cem Tanova, stating their satisfaction regarding the collaboration. Also present at the protocol signature ceremony was Mahan Business School Academic Director Yaser Zolfaghar and EMU Tourism Faculty Dean Prof. Dr. Hasan Kılıç.



Department of Visual Art and Visual Communication Design Graduates Make EMU Proud



Graduates of the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Faculty of Communication and Media Studies, Department of Visual Art and Visual Communication Design were successful at a poster competition that took place in Guwahati, India.

Department of Visual Art and Visual Communication Design graduates Hazal Uludağ, Narges Dalili and Hare Eminoğlu surpassed thousands of other competitors in the poster competition

“Between the Lines” at the competition Typography Day, finishing amongst the top 25 competitors.

With the posters they produced as part of Assoc. Prof. Dr. Senih Çavuşoğlu’s EMU Department of Visual Art and Visual Communication Design course Graphic Design, Hazal Uludağ, Narges Dalili and Hare Eminoğlu were seen as worthy of awards for their work, respectively titled “Homosexuality”, “Eyes” and “Hidden Feelings”.

EMU International Office Orientation Days Continue

The Orientation Days aimed toward newly registered foreign students are continuing at the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU). Organized by the International Office under the Vice Rectorship for International Relations and Promotion, The Orientation Days are set to continue until the 26th of February 2017. The Orientation Days aim to ease the adaptation process of students to both the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) and also EMU.

As part of the Orientation Days, information desks have been set up at Ercan Airport, the Foreign Languages and English Preparatory School, the International Office, Dormitories and the

Registrar’s Office in order to ease the adaptation process of new students. As well as seminars and trips many social and cultural activities will also be taking place. Trips to Girne, Nicosia and Karpaz will be carried out to help introduce the TRNC.

Welcoming Night

To celebrate the arrival of students to the university there will be a “Welcoming Night” on the 24th of February 2017 at the EMU Beach Club. The event set to start at 20:00 will bring together a wide range of cultures and students allowing them the opportunity to come together and socialise.



This Week’s Academic Publications

Faculty of Arts & Sciences

I.Gurtug, O., & Halilsoy, M. (2017). Quantum particle probe of the Kerr naked singularity. The European Physical Journal Plus, 132(1), 41.

Faculty of Tourism

1. Ilkhanizadeh, S., & Karatepe, O. M. (2017). An examination of the consequences of corporate social responsibility in the airline industry: Work engagement, career satisfaction, and voice behavior. Journal of Air Transport Management, 59, 8-17.

2. Vatankhah, S., Javid, E., & Raoofi, A. (2017). Perceived organizational support as the mediator

of the relationships between high-performance work practices and counter-productive work behavior: Evidence from airline industry. Journal of Air Transport Management, 59, 107-115.

3. Alipour, H., Olya, H. G., Hassanzadeh, B., & Rezapouraghdam, H. (2017). Second home tourism impact and governance: Evidence from the Caspian Sea region of Iran. Ocean & Coastal Management, 136, 165-176.

Faculty of Education

1. Sugrue, C., & Mertkan, S. (2017). Professional responsibility, accountability and performativity among teachers: the leavening

influence of CPD?. Teachers and Teaching, 23(2), 171-190.

2. Joshua Chukwuemeka, E., & Iscioglu, E. (2016). An Examination of Lecturers’ Technological Pedagogical Content Knowledge Perceptions at the Faculty of Education in EMU in Cyprus. Hrvatski časopis za odgoj i obrazovanje, 18(4), 999-1034.

Faculty of Business & Economics

1. Mensi, W., Hammoudeh, S., Yoon, S. M., & Balcilar, M. (2017). Impact of macroeconomic factors and country risk ratings on GCC stock markets: evidence from a dynamic panel threshold

model with regime switching. Applied Economics, 49(13), 1255-1272.

Faculty of Pharmacy

1. Kunter, İ., Hürer, N., Gülcan, H. O., Öztürk, B., Doğan, İ., & Şahin, G. (2017). Assessment of aflatoxin M1 and heavy metal levels in mothers breast milk in Famagusta, Cyprus. Biological trace element research, 175(1), 42-49.

Faculty of Health Sciences

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