



# Zeynep Kübra Kılıç

PhD-Sociology of Religion

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## ACADEMIC WORKS

- **Research Assistant-Siirt University**  
2023- Present
- **Panelist & Organizing Committee**  
*Nonreligious Conference*  
2024
- **Panelist**  
*Sociology Days in İHU - Inflicting Wrath on God - Ideal Muslim Perceptions of Non-Religious People*  
2023
- **Organizing Committee**  
*Anthropology and Sociology of Emotions (Workshop)*  
2023
- **Panelist**  
*Sociology Days in İHU - Nonreligiousness and Death in Türkiye*  
2022
- **Teaching Fellow**  
*Modern Turkish Literature*  
2021-2023

## LANGUAGES

- Turkish
- English
- Arabic
- Persian

## PROFILE

I am interested in topics such as religiosity, types of religiosity and religious alienation in Türkiye. I want to deepen in historical background and social changes affecting religiosity. I play classical kemençe and love travelling.

### MA Thesis:

Far From Religion, Close To Death: Non-religious People's Death And Life Perception In Turkey In The Context Of Terror Management Theory

### Research Assistant | Nonreligious Beliefs and Practices in Türkiye

2021 – 2024

Drawing on empirical data from seven different cities in Türkiye, this study examined how and why non-religion has emerged in Türkiye. It particularly focused on the ways in which social dynamics form and shape non-religion in Türkiye.

## EDUCATION

### PhD | Marmara University | Sociology of Religion

2024 – Present

### MA | İbn Haldun University | Sociology of Religion

2020 – 2024

### BA | İstanbul 29 Mayıs University | Islam and Religion Studies

2015 – 2020

### LADEP | İSAM

2016 – 2020