

Commencement 2017

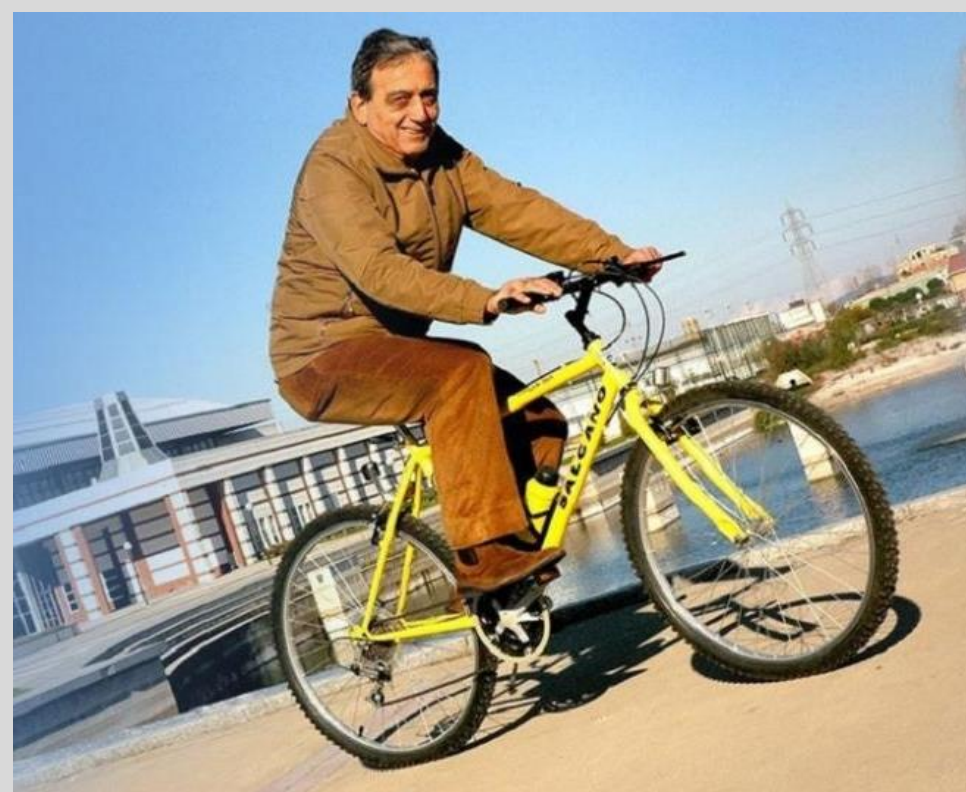
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Commencement Photo Shoot

Commencement photo shoot, we all have been waiting for, will take place between **May 3-26**. Shooting will be done in **A-2 Dorm, room number G022**. To make an appointment, please contact **0532 349 85 63**.

We will share the information of collective faculty and class photo shoot in the following days. Please keep following announcements.

You can donate to the SU Scholarship Fund in memory of Tosun Terzioğlu!



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We are deeply saddened during our education in the University, by the loss of our Founding President, Professor Tosun Terzioğlu, a distinguished member of our community who played a large part in the establishment and development of our university. If you wish to honor the outstanding dedication and love Tosun Hoca felt for our university, you can donate to the Sabancı University Scholarship Fund in his name to support the education of successful students in financial need.

We have no doubt that your continued support is what Tosun Hoca would have wanted. We expect your support as a 2017 Graduation Class. You can [click here](#) to donate and find more detailed information.

Speaker of 2017 Closing Lecture: Murathan Mungan



The 2017 Closing Lecture, which will be done within the scope of Commencement Days, is going to be given by Murathan Mungan on 30th of June, Friday. Murathan Mungan, finished his early education in Mardin. In 1972, he moved to Ankara, and completed his bachelor's and master's degree at the Theater Department in the Faculty of Language and History-Geography at Ankara University. Mungan worked as a dramaturge at the Ankara State Theatre for 6 years, and then at the Istanbul City Theatre for 3 years. In 1975, he began publishing his writings including poetry, stories, novels, essays, theater plays, film scenarios, fairy tales, and song lyrics in many newspapers and magazines. His first book "Mahmut ile Yezida", which was the first play of the "Mezopotamya Üçlemesi" series, was published in 1980. He received second prize with this book in a competition, which was organized by Turkish Is Bank. His first theater play "Bir Garip Orhan Veli" premiered in 1981, and was published as a book in 1993. Mungan won first prize for his poem "Sahtiyani" in a poem contest, which was held by Gösteri magazine in 1981. He became famous with his poem book "Metal" (1994). Mungan was selected as the best playwright along with Mehmet Baydın by the Ankara Art Society for his book "Taziye", which was the second play of "Mezopotamya Üçlemesi" series. The play premiered at the Ankara Art Theatre in 1984. In 1987, Mungan edited the culture-art page in the Söz newspaper. Since 1988, he has worked as a freelance writer. In 1987, he received the Haldun Taner Story Award with Nedim Gürsel for the story "Hedda Golder Dile Bir Kadın". The play "Geyikler Lanetler" was staged many times not only in Turkey but also Germany and Greece. In 1995, Mungan published the selection book "Murathan '95". In 2005, he published "50 Parça", which includes stories, poems, essays, and plays. His works have been translated into German, French, Italian, Swedish, Norwich, Greek, Finnish, Bosnian, Bulgarian, Iranian, Kurdish and Dutch. Currently, Mungan continues to work as a free writer in Istanbul. We would like to thank him, for accepting our Closing Lecture invitation.

Commencement Days

This year the Commencement Days will be on 30th of June and 1st of July.

- Those graduating students **who want to participate at Commencement, must attend the Commencement Rehearsal on June 30th** and register their names in the list of participation.
- Students and faculty members **must to attend the Closing Lecture and Rehearsal with their gowns**.

Who We Are?

We are Graduation Class Committee, chosen thanks to your votes! We will try to make your commencement process as good as possible. We expect your support and suggestions.

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