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He was born in Izmir in 1974. He completed his medical degree and fellowship in Pediatric Surgery at Ege University Faculty of Medicine, Izmir. He worked as an observer fellow at St James University-Leeds Teaching Hospital in Leeds, UK with scholarship from ESPU. He returned to Ege University in 2011 where he now works and teaches as an Associate Professor in the Department of Pediatric Surgery. He has been a fellow of the European Board of Paediatric Surgery (EBPS) since 2016.

He is an active member of national (TAPS) and international (EUPSA, ESPES and IPEG) societies. He is an active member of IPEG-Middle East Chapter Executive Board. He has served as a mentor/faculty at various courses and workshops of national and international associations including EUPSA, IPEG, IRCAD, EPSA, and TAPS. Additionally, he remains actively involved in institutional commissions such as the Research Education Program, Specialty Training and Continuing Professional Development under the Dean's Office as well as the Qualification Board and Educational Board of the TAPS. He is the author of numerous international articles and presentations including the very first reports of single incision laparoscopic gastric pull-up and robotic esophagectomy and gastric pull-up in children.

His main interests are; pediatric thoracic surgery, minimally invasive surgery, single incision laparoscopic surgery, robotic surgery, foregut surgery, oncological surgery, newborn surgery and airway surgery.

He is married and the father of two sons.