

CURRICULUM VITAE

ATAY BAĞCI

CONDUCTOR - HORN PLAYER

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CONDUCTING

2025: Bursa State Symphony Orchestra - Guest Conductor

Muğla Municipality Symphony Orchestra - Guest
Conductor

Ljubljana Festival - Guest Conductor (as part of Pehlivanian
Professional Opera Academy)

2022 - 2025:	Bilkent Youth Symphony Orchestra - Assistant Conductor
2021:	BrixenClassics Festival Orchestra - Assistant Conductor
2019, 2020:	EUphony Orchestra - Assistant Conductor
2019:	Bundesschulmusikorchester (Germany) - Assistant Conductor

ORCHESTRA

2021 - continuing:	Presidential Symphony Orchestra (Ankara) - Hornist (Permanent position)
2018 - 2022:	Ensemble Prisma Wien - Guest Artist
2020:	Presidential Symphony Orchestra - Guest Artist
2008, 2014, 2020, 2021:	Bilkent Symphony Orchestra - Guest Artist
2018 - 2020:	Graz State Opera - Contracted Substitute Horn
2019:	Ensemble "musica immaginata" (Croatia) - Guest Artist
2015 - 2017:	Concentus Musicus Wien - Guest Artist
2014:	Borusan İstanbul Philharmonic Orchestra - Guest Artist

YOUTH AND UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRAS

2020:	Junge Sinfonie Berlin
2015 - 2018:	Wiener Jeunesse Orchester
2012 - 2018: Orchestras	KUG Opera, Symphony and Contemporary Music
2011 - 2017:	Ankara Youth Symphony Orchestra
2015:	Nederlandse Jeugd Orkest (Dutch Youth Orchestra, NJO)
2011 - 2012:	Orchestre des Jeunes de la Méditerranée (OJM)
2008, 2012:	Greek-Turkish Youth Orchestra
2007 - 2012:	Bilkent Youth Symphony Orchestra
2007 - 2009:	Doğuş Kids Symphony Orchestra

CD RECORDINGS

- 2019: "Luka Sorkočević: 7 Simfonija"
Ensemble "musica immaginata"
- 2017: "Harmoniemusik aus dem Stift Kremsmünster"
KUG Old Music Ensemble
- 2016: "Missa Solemnis"
Concentus Musicus Wien
- 2013, 2017: "asteroid 62", "Electric Dreams"
KUG Contemporary Music Ensemble "scene instrumental"

ATTENDED MASTERCLASSES

CONDUCTING MASTERCLASSES

- 2025: Pehlivanian Professional Opera Academy - George Pehlivanian
- 2023: Orchestral Conductors Academy, Belgrade (Serbia) - Martin Akerwall
- 2022: BODER Conducting Masterclass, Ankara (Turkey) - Artun Hoinic
- 2017: Conducting Workshop Wiener Jeunesse Orchester, Vienna (Austria) - Marc Piollet

HORN MASTERCLASSES

- 2019: Graz - Palma Szilagyi
- 2016: Trossingen "Positively Brass" Masterclass - Szabolcs Zempléni, Frøydis Ree Wekre
- 2014: Graz - Horst Ziegler;
Wolfenbüttel "Norddeutsche Horntage" - Radovan Vlatković, Thomas Hauschild, Christian Lampert, Frøydis Ree Wekre
- 2011: Ankara - Ozan Çakar
- 2010: Urla (Turkey) - Mahir Çakar, Ozan Çakar;
Berlin - Marie-Luise Neunecker, Christian Dallmann

2009: Staufen "Schwarzwälder Horntage" - Christian Lampert, Erich Penzel,
 Peter Arnold

2008: İzmir - Hermann Baumann

EDUCATION

01.09.2022 - 04.07.2025 Bilkent University - Ankara, Turkey

Master Studies - Orchestra Conducting

Teacher: Assoc. Prof. Işın Metin

01.10.2019 - Discontinued: Graz Arts University (KUG) - Austria

Master Studies - Performance Practice in Contemporary Music

Teacher: Christoph Walder

01.10.2016 - 05.07.2019: Graz Arts University

Master Studies - Horn (High Honor Degree)

Teachers: Hector McDonald, Matthias Riess, Ozan Çakar

01.10.2012 - 05.07.2016: Graz Arts University

Bachelor Studies - Horn (Honor Degree)

Teacher: Hector McDonald

01.09.2010 - 30.06.2012: Bilkent University

Bachelor Studies - Horn (Unfinished)

Teachers: Güloya Altay, Utku Ünal

SIDE INSTRUMENTS

- Natural Horn - Classical and Baroque (without holes)
- Vienna Horn
- Wagnertuba

LANGUAGES

- Turkish (native)
- English (fluent)
- German (fluent)
- Italian (basic)