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After graduating from Ege University Faculty of Dentistry in 1973, I completed my PhD in Neurophysiology at the University of Glasgow in 1978. Returning to Turkey, I served for five years at Hacettepe University Faculty of Medicine as part of my compulsory service. After that, I worked for 25 years as a researcher and lecturer in Adelaide, Australia.

During this time, I conducted research as a visiting professor in the USA, Japan, Sweden, the Netherlands, France, and Italy. In 2007, I returned to Turkey as an EU Marie Curie Professor. From 2007 to 2010, I worked at the Ege University Brain Research and Application Centre. Since 2011, I have been working at Koç University, where I established a Neurophysiology laboratory. In 2012, I was elected as a full member of the Turkish Academy of Sciences. In 2021, I moved my research laboratory to the Faculty of Dentistry at İstanbul Gelişim University and started my position there. My research generally focuses on mapping the function of the human nervous system. This map will enable timely diagnoses of diseases arising in the neuromuscular system and facilitate the development of scientific methods to treat them.