

## Evidence for THE Impact Rankings Questionnaire

University : Cyprus International  
University Country : North Cyprus- Türkiye  
Web Address : www.ciu.edu.tr

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### Health Outreach Programs

At Cyprus International University (CIU), we believe our responsibility extends beyond campus boundaries into the heart of our local community. Our implemented strategy for delivering health and well-being outreach is active, practical, and driven by collaboration between our academic expertise and our students' passion for service.

CIU provides many free educational programs, events, and seminars to the community in the context of Good Health and Well-Being. Most of our events are advertised in the events tab on our university website: <https://www.ciu.edu.tr/en/events>, where some of these events are organized in collaboration with the government or NGOs.

While some of these events cover topics like disabilities, the university also provides support to students with disabilities (**see Appendix 1**)

Some of the Health-related events can be seen below as well.



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**Date:** 5 January 2024

**Time:** 12:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/healthcare-investment-corporations>



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**Date:** 8 January 2024

**Time:** 14:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/mutluluk-ve-doga-iliskisi>



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26.03.2024  
11:00

**KKTC'DE  
FİZYOTERAPİ MESLEĞİ VE UYGULAMALARI  
PHYSIOTHERAPY PROFESSION AND  
PRACTICE IN TRNC**

Konuşmacı / Speakers:  
**Uzm. Fzt. Caniz Tonyali**  
Kıbrıs Türk Fizyoterapistler Derneği Yönetim Kurulu Üyesi /  
Turkish Cypriot Physiotherapy Association Board Member

**Uzm. Fzt. Erdoğan Çetintaş**  
Kıbrıs Türk Fizyoterapistler Derneği Yönetim Kurulu Üyesi /  
Turkish Cypriot Physiotherapy Association Board Member

Çevik Uraz Merkezi Konferans Salonu / Çevik Uraz Center Conference Hall

**Date:** 26 March 2024

**Time:** 11:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/physiotherapy-profession-and-practice-trnc>



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**Date:** 7 May 2024

**Time:** 16:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/1st-traditional-physiotherapy-party>



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**Date:** 17 May 2024

**Time:** 19:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/prebiotic-effect-dietary-polyphenols>



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**Date:** 17 May 2024

**Time:** 18:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/paintball>



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**Date:** 24 May 2024

**Time:** 14:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/biochemical-genetics-rare-diseases>



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**Date:** 07 June 2024  
**Time:** 10:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/future-leaders-medicine-symposium-2024>



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**Date:** 06 November 2024

**Time:** 10:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/what-exam-anxiety-and-how-cope-it-2024>



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**Date:** 29 November 2024

**Time:** 16:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/dance-festival>



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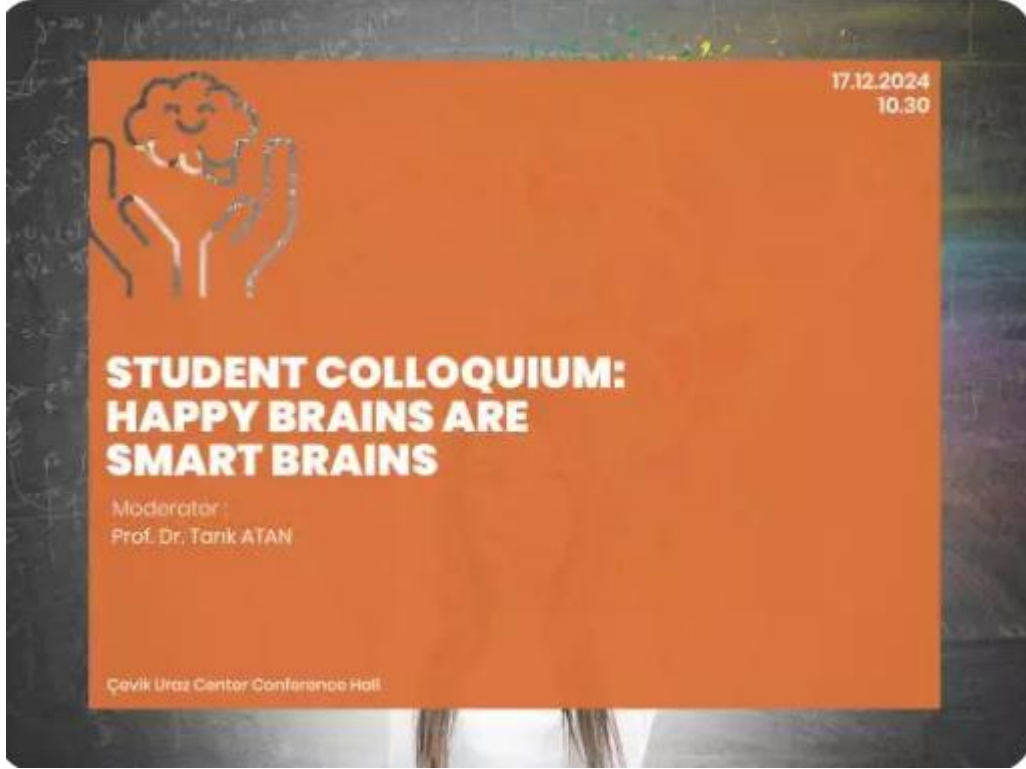


**Date:** 4-5 December 2024  
**Time:** 10:00

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/snooker-tournament-2024>



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**Date:** 17 December 2024

**Time:** 10:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/student-colloquium-2024>



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**Date:** 17 December 2024

**Time:** 10:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/design-experiment-psychology>



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**Date:** 03 June 2024  
**Time:** 09:30

<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/4th-research-colloquium>



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**GELİŞİM ODAKLI  
ZİHNİYET EĞİTİMİ  
(GOZE)**

*Growth Mindset Training  
(GMT)*

**Eğitmenler/Trainers:**  
Doç. Dr. / Assoc. Prof. Dr. **Eliz Volkan, CPsychol**  
Uzm. Psik. / Psychologist **Zeynep Sulçmez**

**GE 140**

09.10.2024 – 04.12.2024  
Her Çarşamba / Every Wednesday

10.00 – (Türkçe)  
11.00 – (English)

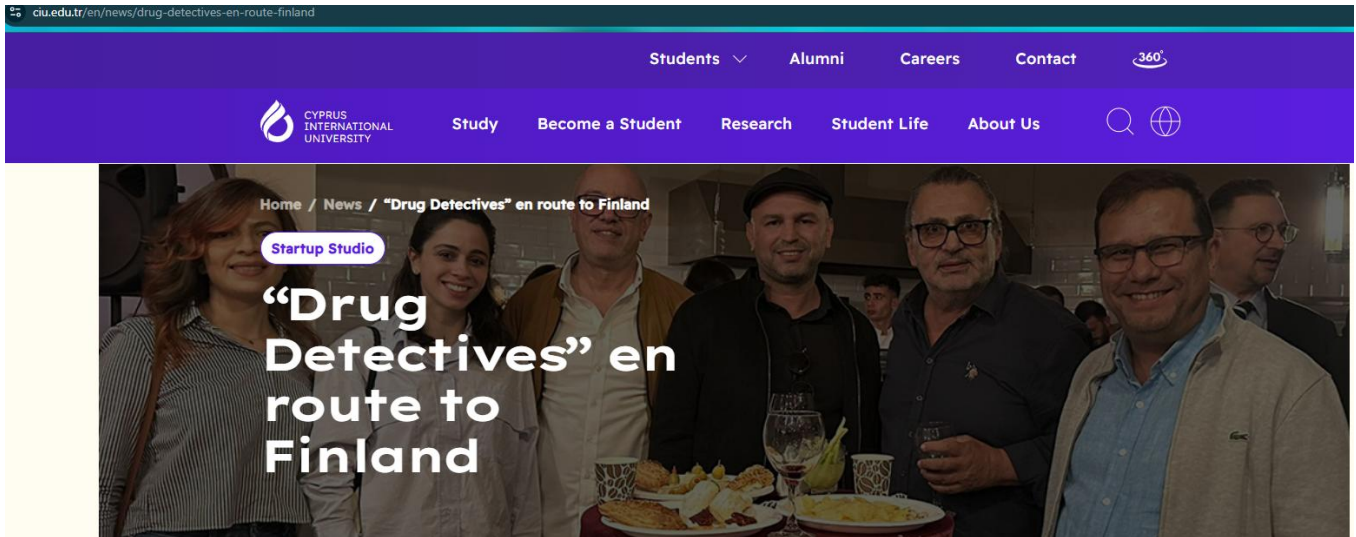
Kayıt için: **SİS/PDAREM - Etkinlikler**  
for Registration: **SİS/PCGC - Events**

Tüm modülleri tamamlayan öğrencilerimize katılım sertifikası verilecektir.  
Students who complete all modules will receive a certificate of participation.

**Date:** 09 October – 04 December 2024 (Every Wednesday)  
**Time:** 11:00

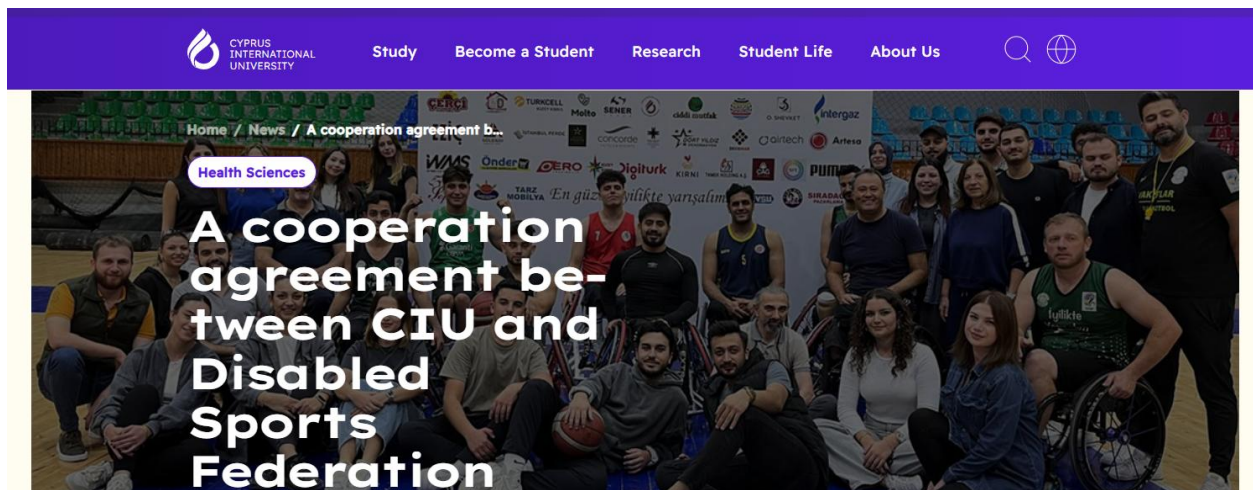
<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/events/growth-mindset-training-2024>

The “Drug Detectives” project that focused on an innovative transformation in health education using XR and artificial intelligence technologies under the leadership of Dr. Ahmet Boşnak won first place in the Startup Competition organized by the Cyprus International University (CIU). The team that won the first prize in the competition also seized the opportunity to introduce their project at the Slush Startup event in Finland, one of the largest entrepreneurship events in Europe.



<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/news/drug-detectives-en-route-finland>

CIU signed a cooperation agreement with the TRNC Disabled Sports Federation to provide voluntary physiotherapy and rehabilitation services to the Vakıflar Wheelchair Basketball Team. Within the scope of this collaboration, CIU’s Department of Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation faculty and students conducted professional performance evaluations, including strength, endurance, and agility tests, to optimize athletes’ health and training. Faculty physiotherapists also accompany the team in national and international competitions to provide injury prevention, rehabilitation, and performance monitoring. This initiative demonstrates CIU’s strong commitment to SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-being) by supporting the physical and mental health of athletes with disabilities



<https://ciu.edu.tr/en/news/cooperation-agreement-between-ciu-and-disabled-sports-federation>

Through these direct, partnership-based projects, CIU is committed to being a steadfast partner in building a healthier, more resilient community for all.

## Appendix 1:

### Services Provided for Students with Disabilities Between 2018-2024

Disabled Student Unit: Based on the principle of equal opportunity in education, services are provided to ensure that students with disabilities can benefit from all services and opportunities during their education and facilitate access to these services. For this purpose, it works to eliminate the restriction of movement in and around the campus, to make administrative plans to destroy the limits in access to education programs due to disabilities, and to provide a right and law-based approach, especially in assessment and evaluation, which is an integral part of student life.

Two psychologists assigned by the Rectorate work as consultants for the disabled. Services Performed:

- The buses used to access the university have been renewed, and the buses that will provide access to the disabled have been added to the transportation fleet.
- Building areas and ramp access to campus buildings were arranged.
- Education and activity areas have been rearranged so that students with disabilities do not experience difficulties in accessing classes and activities in buildings with unsuitable access.
- All buildings above a single floor have an elevator.
- Parking spaces have been rearranged, and disabled parking spaces have been marked.
- Braille is used to mark the signs of all rooms and classrooms on campus for visually impaired students, increasing their mobility on campus.
- Braille Tablets were purchased for visually impaired students to facilitate their education.
- Institutional cooperation with Boğaziçi University's Technology Laboratory for the Visually Impaired (GETEM) was established so that visually impaired students can benefit from the Library, and visually impaired personnel and students benefit from library services. Our visually impaired students can access over 15 thousand publications in our library.
- Disabled students can also get support from PDAREM, affiliated with the ÖGDM Directorate, for their psychological problems.