



Message from latest Scholar;

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Turkey was a good surprise for me. The people, the culture and magnitude of İstanbul were astonishing. Through articles published in Brazil, I got the chance to introduce Turks and daily life in Turkey to my citizens in Brazil. These were about beauties of this lovely people and country.

People all around the world should be acquainted with Atatürk, founder of modern Turkey. He is not a great leader for Turks only, but a leader for the humanity.

I am going to miss friends, rhythm of daily life, tasty food and lovely İstanbul when I will be back.

I will never forget the experiences lived in Turkey which shaped my personality as well.

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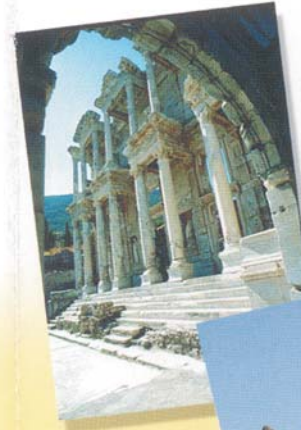
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TURKEY AND ROTARY

Turkey is geographically forms a bridge between Asia and Europe. Historically is a cradle of many civilizations such as Hittites, Lykens, Romans, Greeks, Seljuk and Ottoman Turks. All left eternal monuments still exist.

Turkey with its 300,000 square miles of territories is one of the largest in Europe. Youth, %60 of the country's 70 million population symbolizes the dynamic future of Turkey.

Turkey has 78 Universities, with more than 1,500,000 students are attending to these universities.

Rotary in Turkey has a past over 50 years. The first club was established in Ankara, capital of Turkey, in 1954. There are around 250 Rotary Clubs with approximately 8000 members at the moment. Turkish Rotarians are endeavoring to successful practices in all programs of Rotary International.

TURCGSP – Turkish Rotary Clubs Graduate Scholarship Program is sponsored by RI Districts 2420, 2430 and 2440 with the aim of contribution to world peace and understanding through young generations and to make people of the world better acquainted with Turkish people and culture.

TURCGSP covers graduate study in major Turkish Universities, specified fields such as Archeology, Turkish Literature and Linguistics, Business Administration and Social Sciences, History, Tourism and else.

Graduate students from 14 different countries stayed in major cities like İstanbul, Ankara, İzmir and Bursa between 1996 and 2006.



ANSWERS TO FAQ'S

- Scholarship is open to anyone living in a country regardless to the presence of Rotary.
- Rotary Club or District should nominate candidates for scholarship.
- Relatives of Rotarians can also apply for the scholarship.
- After University or College degree, graduate level is 2-3 terms of study as masters degree.
- Candidates may not be older than 30 years of age on October 1st , at the year of application.
- Scholarship grants certain amount of money for boarding, food and pocket money. Tuition is not included.
- Candidates who may have received acceptance from Turkish Universities by her/his initiative shall be entitled to scholarship, otherwise are expected to accept to study at any university which will be determined by the Committee.
- Education in Turkish Universities is either in English or in Turkish, level of English should be certified by TOEFL.
- Candidates should have successfully completed GMAT or GRE test.
- Duration of Scholarship in one educational year in two semesters (October-June). Continue in studying shall be decided by progress in school.

More educational information can be reached with the following web sites of some of the Turkish Universities.

Bilkent Üniversitesi – Ankara	www.bilkent.edu.tr
Boğaziçi Üniversitesi – İstanbul	www.boun.edu.tr
İstanbul Bilgi Üniversitesi – İstanbul	www.ibun.edu.tr
İstanbul Yeditepe Üniversitesi – İstanbul	www.yeditepe.edu.tr
İzmir Ekonomi Üniversitesi – İzmir	www.izmirekonomi.edu.tr
Koç Üniversitesi – İstanbul	www.ku.edu.tr
Orta Doğu Teknik Üniversitesi – Ankara	www.odtu.edu.tr