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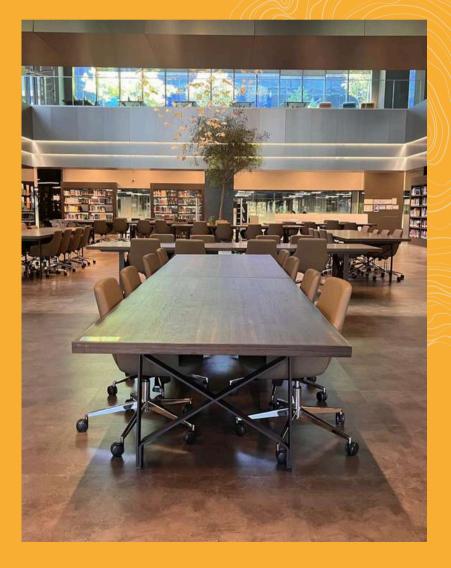
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### **2024-2025 ACADEMIC SEMESTER**

### #WEARELITERATE

LIBRARY ORIENTATION AUTHOR OF THE MONTH ORHAN KEMAL





#### Dear Members of Istinye University,

Welcome to the 22nd issue of ISU Library Bulletin. I wish success to our academicians and students joining the ISU Family in the 2024-2025 academic year. ISU Libraries will continue to be with you in accessing information with its experience and resources throughout your entire education life. I would like to share with you the happiness of opening 2 more floors of the Central Library in the 2024-2025 academic year. The Central Library opens its doors to its researchers with 4 floors.

We also organize and participate in trainings, knowing the value of #lifelonglearning in order to better serve the İSU Family, to provide international library services and to closely follow the developments in our profession. You can find more details in the news from us in the bulletin.

On the following pages of the newsletter, you can find suggestions for authors, books, museums, exhibitions and podcasts in the librarian's recommendations section. We would like to remind you that we are also waiting for your suggestions for this section. I hope you will enjoy reading the 22nd issue of our newsletter.

Our Republic is 101 years old... Happy October 29th Republic Day, which Mustafa Kemal Atatürk described as the greatest holiday in his Tenth Year Speech. I commemorate with respect and gratitude all our martyrs and veterans who fought for this country at the cost of their lives, especially Mustafa Kemal Atatürk, the founder of our Republic.

Best Regards, Bahar Biçen Aras Head of Information Resources and Library Department

# SEPTEMBER 8 INTERNATIONAL LITERACY DAY



"Promoting Multilingual Education: Literacy for Mutual Understanding and Peace"

> International Literacy Day is celebrated around the world every year on September 8 to remind the public of the importance of literacy. The day was first proclaimed as International Literacy Day on September 8 in 1966 in accordance with Article 1.441 of the 14th General Conference of UNESCO held in Paris. Each year, there is a different theme associated with the celebration of International Literacy Day.

For example, "Literacy in a Digital World", "Literacy and Skills Development", "Literacy and Multilingualism", "Literacy teaching and learning in the COVID-19 crisis and beyond", "Literacy for a peoplecentered recovery: The theme of the International Literacy Day 2024 is "Promoting Multilingual Education: Literacy for Mutual Understanding and Peace" to capitalize on the transformative potential of literacy.

## 2024 - 2025 ACADEMIC SEMESTER LIBRARY ORIENTATION



### **#İSULIBRARY**

As İSU Library, we took our place in the orientation program organized jointly by all units in the new academic term. We explained the Library facilities and how to use the library to our students with the video we prepared. Click here to watch the <u>video</u>...





## INFORMATION LITERACY

#### \*What is information literacy?

In the information age we live in, being successful in school, business and personal life requires being a good information consumer, in other words, having the skills of finding, using and communicating information.

When the available definitions are examined, it is seen that the concept of information literacy includes basic information skills, which are also defined as the stages of information problem solving; the format of information since the media in which information is recorded have diversified over time; technological skills including computer literacy since it is impossible to think independently of technology when it comes to processing, storing, accessing and presenting information; independent learning and lifelong learning skills as complementary elements; higher-order thinking skills such as critical thinking, analysis and synthesis in addition to decision-making and problem solving; social, political and social issues such as democracy, equal opportunities and individual rights; ethical issues as they impose certain ethical responsibilities in addition to the use of information; and skills such as teamwork, communication and adaptation to change as they require and/or are beneficial to the development of certain individual skills.





Information literacy is a set of skills. Information skills such as recognizing the need for information, defining the need for information, developing information search strategies, searching, finding, selecting, evaluating, using, classifying, organizing, interpreting, integrating new information with existing information and communicating; higher order thinking skills such as reasoning, decision making, problem solving, analytical thinking, critical thinking, synthesis, creative thinking, generating new knowledge, transferring knowledge and skills by making use of past experiences and internalizing knowledge; individual skills such as communication, teamwork, cooperation, personal motivation and adaptability; and various literacy skills such as functional literacy, computer literacy, network literacy, library literacy, media literacy and visual literacy.

Information literacy is closely related to social, economic and societal issues (human rights, democracy, equal opportunity, freedom of expression, productivity, quality of life, social integration, social acceptance) as well as ethical and legal issues (scientific ethics, fair use, intellectual property rights).

Creating a basis for independent learning and lifelong learning; providing the opportunity to improve existing knowledge and skills; helping to understand and comprehend developments; providing insight; contributing to personal, professional and intellectual development; creating a qualified workforce and strong societies; enabling to cope with change; information literacy is an indispensable and even vital skill for the century we are living in, with features such as generating new knowledge; increasing the competitiveness not only of individuals but also of institutions and nations; making it easier to find a job; increasing personal options; preventing social exclusion; and helping to adapt to the information society.

#### Information literacy activities at ISU Library

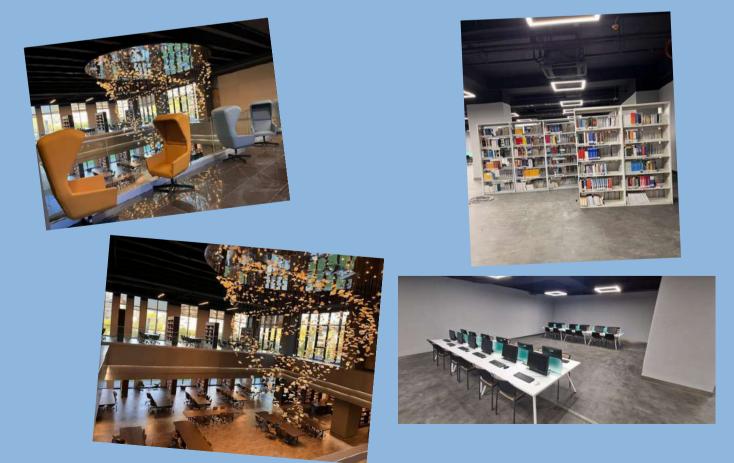
We gave seminars within the scope of Information Literacy trainings for the academic staff of İstinye University, academic staff and physicians working in İSU hospitals. We made plans to spread the trainings throughout the academic semester and to provide them to all academic and administrative staff within İstinye, especially our students.



#### İSU LIBRARY 2024–2025 ACADEMIC SEMESTER CONTINUES TO SERVE WITH NEW FLOORS...



After intensive work, İSU Central Library On October 7th, it starts to serve you with all its floors. Consisting of 4 floors, you can continue your research by accessing the Central Library's collection on 3 floors, group study rooms and a super quiet study area, as well as 24 computers on the new floor.



## AUTHOR OF THE MONTH ORHAN KEMAL 15 SEPTEMBER 1914 - 2 JUNE1970

MEHMET RAŞİT ÖĞÜTÇÜ, BORN ORHAN KEMAL (SEPTEMBER 15, 1914, ADANA, JUNE 2, 1970, SOFÍA, TURKEY) WAS A TURKISH NOVELIST AND PLAYWRIGHT WHO WAS AN ENLIGHTENED REALIST. THE AUTHOR. WHOSE NAME IS MENTIONED AMONG THE GREAT MASTERS OF TURKISH LITERATURE. HAS WRITTEN MANY WORKS IN DIFFERENT GENRES SUCH AS NOVELS, SHORT STORIES, PLAYS AND POEMS, BUT HE IS MOSTLY KNOWN FOR HIS NOVELISM.



HE GAINED WIDESPREAD FAME WITH HIS FIRST BOOK OF SHORT STORIES, EKMEK KAVGASI (BREAD FIGHT) (1949), AND A SERIES OF AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL NOVELS HE PUBLISHED UNDER THE TITLE OF KÜÇÜK ADAMIN NOTLARI (LITTLE MAN'S NOTES). HIS LITERARY LIFE REACHED ITS PEAK IN THE 1960S. HE SETTLED IN ISTANBUL IN 1951. ORHAN KEMAL IS KNOWN FOR HIS WORKS SUCH AS "MURTAZA", "CEMILE" AND "BEREKETLI TOPRAKLAR ÜZERINE", AND HAS WRITTEN SCREENPLAYS AND PLAYS. HE HAS 27 NOVELS, 19 SHORT STORY BOOKS AND WORKS IN THE GENRES OF MEMOIRS, REVIEWS, PLAYS AND INTERVIEWS. HE DIED AFTER A CEREBRAL HEMORRHAGE IN SOFIA, WHERE HE TRAVELED IN 1970 UPON THE CALL OF THE BULGARIAN WRITERS' UNION.

#### CLICK HERE TO ACCESS ORHAN KEMAL'S WORKS AND WRITINGS ABOUT HIM IN THE ISU LIBRARY COLLECTION.

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## LIBRARIAN SUGGESTS MUSEUM

### ART MUSEUM

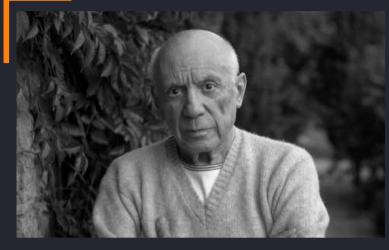
BUILT IN 1856, THE BUILDING HOUSED THE ISTANBUL PAINTING AND SCULPTURE MUSEUM OF MİMAR SİNAN FINE ARTS UNIVERSITY BETWEEN 1937 AND 2010. AT THE END OF THE RESTORATION PROCESS BETWEEN 2010-2014, THE BUILDING WAS TRANSFORMED INTO THE NATIONAL PALACES PAINTING MUSEUM.

THE 2-STOREY BUILDING HAS A LARGE BACK GARDEN, A FRONT GARDEN WITH A VIEW OF THE BOSPHORUS, A CAFETERIA, A MUSEUM SHOP AND A TEA ROOM. THE MUSEUM IS CLOSED ON MONDAYS AND OPEN FROM 09:00AM-05:30PM ON OTHER DAYS. THE MUSEUM EXHIBITS 553 ARTIFACTS. THE MOST STRIKING WORK AMONG THESE IS FÉLIX-AUGUSTE CLÉMENT'S PRINCE HALİM'S GAZELLE HUNT IN THE GATAH DESERT AT THE SAİD HALİM PASHA MANSION: THE HOUND'S SHARE IS THE LARGEST ORIENTALIST PAINTING IN TURKEY.



<u>ITTPS://WWW.MİLLİSARAYLAR.GOV.TR/LOKASYON/11/RESİM-MUZESİ</u>

# LIBRARIAN SUGGESTS EXHIBITION Pablo Pice



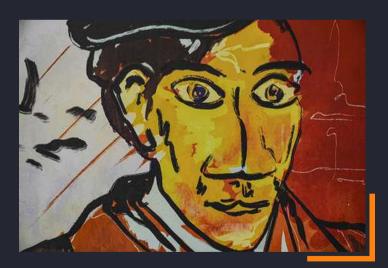


28 September - 31 December Visiting Hours: 10.00am - 10:00pm

The exhibition brings together 170 pieces of Pablo Picasso's etchings, drawings, posters, lithographs and photographs, all original and authenticated by the heirs.

Pablo Picasso started his artistic journey at a young age, selling his first important works to nuns.

This exhibition reveals Picasso's artistic life and the impact of his personal relationships on his art, while presenting his artistic evolution in a comprehensive way.



# Exhibition Location

<u>HTTPS://AKMİSTANBUL.GOV.TR/EVENT/PABLO-PİCASSO-RESİMDEN-SERAMİGE-BİR-</u> <u>SERUVEN</u>

# LIBRARIAN SUGGESTS FESTIVAL



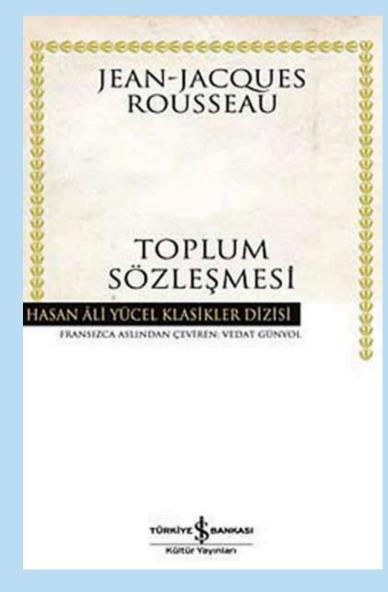
### **28th Istanbul Theater Festival**

#### 22 OCTOBER - 19 NOVEMBER 2024

22 October - 19 November curated by Mehmet Birkiye, the festival will host a total of 19 theater, performance and dance shows from Türkiye and abroad.



# LIBRARIAN SUGGESTS BOOK



### TOPLUM SÖZLEŞMESİ

#### **JEAN-JACQUES ROUSSEAU**

The Social Contract or Social Contract (French: Du contrat social ou Principes du droit politique) is a book written in 1762 by the Genevan philosopher Jean-Jacques Rousseau. When The Social Contract was published in 1762, it broke new ground by introducing the principles of popular sovereignty and general will. It soon became a landmark of modern thought and one of the fundamental works of political philosophy. He argued that sovereignty is inalienable, that people are born free, that for civilized freedom, people must sacrifice their inherent independent freedom, and that this can only be possible through a social contract freely accepted by all. The social contract creates the citizen, a member of the sovereign people who make the law. What emerges is a unified and indivisible general will, and the republic is the sovereignty of this general will.

The questions Rousseau sought to answer are the political concerns and problems of our time. How to incorporate private interests into the common good? How to fight against the usurpation of citizens' sovereignty, which is the natural tendency of every government?

#### Click here for ISU Library Catalog Registration.

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# PODCAST

# SUGGESTS





Mirgün Cabas and Can Kozanoğlu talk to writers. Through the first page of a book, they ask the authors how they write and seek answers to the question of how to write. They organize a kind of audio writing workshop.

## ISU LIBRARY DICTIONARY WITH ISTINYE OWL

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### Literacy

It is the ability to define, understand, interpret, bring together, communicate and calculate using different types of written sources and records. It is the phenomenon that enables the individual to address a large mass of the society and to reach his/her goals by improving his/her knowledge and power.

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## Turkish Librarians Association (TKD) Code of Ethics

- 1. They defend the right of access to information, as enshrined in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, other international conventions and the TKD Declaration on Freedom of Thought, for all members of society and strive to fulfill its requirements.
- 2. They oppose censorship of intellectual and artistic works and defend freedom of thought.
- 3. They treat users equally without any discrimination.
- 4. They make active efforts in the development and implementation of professional policies and standards.
- 5. They provide accurate and sufficient information in a timely manner and perform their duties in a way that adds value to the profession.
- 6. Respect and protect copyrights.
- 7. Guarantee the confidentiality of users' research, borrowed and/or utilized information sources, and do not share their personal information with anyone except when legally required.
- 8. They do not engage in discourses and behaviors that are not based on objective data and that may damage the reputation of professional staff, a professional group in general or an information center with unfair slander.
- 9. They do not gain personal benefit while fulfilling their professional duties and responsibilities.
- 10. Pay attention to professional cooperation and solidarity.
- 11. They are sensitive about their professional development, continuously improve themselves in this respect and reflect this to their services.
- 12. They act fairly and honestly in their professional and managerial relations.

\* The principles adopted on 02.04.2010 are the revised version of the Professional Ethical Principles prepared and put into effect in 1996.

Source: https://kutuphaneci.org.tr/bildirgeler/mesleki-etik-ilkeleri/

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