



# CURRICULUM VITAE

## AHMET METE SAATÇI

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**Chair, Professor of Environmental Engineering**

**Marmara University, Turkey**

**Areas of Interest:**

Water and wastewater collection, disposal and treatment, Water and wastewater treatment plant design, BNR processes, filtration, flocculation, oxidation processes, water chemistry, computer applications in environmental engineering.

**Education:**

**Ph. D.,** : Civil (Sanitary) Engineering, Iowa State University, USA, 1979

**M. S.,** : Chemical Engineering Middle East Technical University, 1972

**B. S.,** : Chemical Engineering Middle East Technical University, 1972.

**Professional Experience:**

Broad teaching experience in environmental engineering, water chemistry, unit operations, water and wastewater treatment plant design, operation and modeling. Has started a new Environmental Engineering Department in Marmara University. Lectured in educational courses as an invited lecturer in Turkey and abroad. Gave seminars for water and wastewater treatment plant operators. Supervised various M.S. and Ph. D. studies in Turkey and other countries. Author of 30 international

refereed journal , 33 international conference papers and various discussions. Is a member of the Science Board of Turkish Research Council (TUBITAK) and observer in the Scientific Committee of the European Environmental Agency (EEA). He is the deputy secretary general of the 5<sup>th</sup> world water forum that took place in Istanbul in March 2009. He worked as an international expert in the Ilisu Dam Project.

### **Industrial Experience:**

Worked as a consultant to water and sewerage administrations of more than twelve cities in Turkey and abroad, such as: İstanbul, İzmit, Bursa, Samsun, Malatya, Siirt and Antalya Greater City Water and Sewerage Administrations. Worked on various reservoir, water and wastewater treatment plant projects and supervised the design and construction of new water and wastewater treatments plants in Turkey and abroad. Took part in the Ministry of Environment and Forestry Committee for upgrading the Turkish Water Pollution Control Regulations of Turkey. He was the deputy secretary general of the 5<sup>th</sup> World Water Forum.

### **Academic Positions:**

1973 - 1976 : **Assistant**

Environmental Engineering Department,  
Istanbul Technical University (İTÜ),  
Istanbul, Turkey.

1976 - 1979 : **Graduate Research Assistant**

Civil Engineering Department,  
Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa, USA.

1979 - 1980 : **Assistant Professor**

Environmental Engineering Department,  
İstanbul Technical University (İTÜ), Istanbul, Turkey.

**Honorary Research Assistant**

Department of Civil and Municipal Engineering,  
University College London, England.

1980 - 1988 : **Assistant Professor**

Civil Engineering Department.

King A. Aziz University, Jeddah, S. Arabia

1988 - 1989 : **Associate Professor,**

Civil Engineering Department.

King Abdulaziz University, Jeddah, S. Arabia.

1989 - 1990 : **Associate Professor, Chair,**

Environmental. Engineering Department,

Marmara University. Istanbul, Turkey.

1991 to Present : **Professor, Chair,**

Environmental. Engineering Department,

Marmara University. Istanbul, Turkey.

### **Scholarships and Awards**

1976 - NATO Ph.D. Scholarship

1979 - WHO Scholarship to Univ. College London

- Phi Kappa Phi Award , USA.

- University College London Honorary Assistantship.

1982 - NATO Advanced Study Institute Scholarship

1986 - K. V .I. V. Royal Society of Flemish Engineers Award

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