

İTGE (İsmail Tufan GERontoloji) Foundation Summer School Program

İTGE Foundation Summer School will be held **ONLINE** between **July 27 2026 and August 7 2026** (two weeks), using Microsoft TEAMS meeting.

Hours (Istanbul Time - Türkiye):	27 July - Monday	28 July - Tuesday	29 July - Wednesday	30 July - Thursday	31 July - Friday
13:00 -15:00					Indigenous Research applied to Ageing Well approaches Prof. Dr. Katrina Pōtiki Bryant; University of Otago; Dunedin; New Zealand
14:00 - 16:00		Gerontechnology Landscape, Challenges, and Opportunities Prof. Dr. Yeh-Liang Hsu; Director; Gerontechnology Research Center; Yuan Ze University; Taiwan	Innovation and technology in Super-Aged Spore Assoc. Prof. Dr. Kelvin Tan Cheng Kian; Singapore University of Social Sciences; Head of Gerontology Programme; Singapore		
18:45 – 19:00	Opening Speech Prof. Dr. Ahmet Kızılay				
19:00 - 21:00	Music for Everyone Katrina Penman; Flautist and Composer; Spain			Loneliness in Old Age Assoc. Prof. Dr. Cristina Dumitrache and Assist. Prof. Dr. Laura Rubio; Gerontology Research Center; University of Granada; Spain	

Hours (Istanbul Time - Türkiye):	3 August - Monday	4 August - Tuesday	5 August- Wednesday	6 August - Thursday	7 August - Friday
19:00 - 21:00	Digital Divides in Older Population and the Consequences for E-Health Dr. Jorrit Campens; Vrije University; Hogent University of Applied Sciences and Arts; Gerontology Department; Belgium	Gerontolojik Perspektiften Sağlıklı Yaşamın Önemi ve Beklentilerimiz Prof. Dr. Haydar Sur; Tıp Fakültesi Dekanı; Üsküdar Üniversitesi; Türkiye	Social Dimension of Gerontechnology: The Significance of ‘Streets for Live’ Concept Prof. Dr. Yasemin Afacan; Department of Interior Architecture and Environmental Design; Bilkent University; Türkiye	Recent Developments in the Field of Long-term Care Reforms for Older People in Italy Prof. Dr. Giovanni Lamura; National Institute of Health and Science; Italy	Closing Lecture: Climate Gerontology Prof. Dr. Gloria Gutman; Gerontology Department; Simon Fraser University; Canada