Activities

Winners of the Prize Competition for Research on the History of Banking and Finance announced

The winners of the third Prize Competition for Research on the History of Banking and Finance sponsored by Garanti Bank and organized by the **Ottoman Bank Archives and Research Centre** in collaboration with the European Association for Banking and Financial History and the History Foundation (*Tarih Vakfi*) received their awards on Tuesday, December 11, at a ceremony held at the Museum. Among those honored at the ceremony were **Murat Metinsoy**, winner in the best monograph category, **Nurşen Gürboğa**, winner of the prize for best doctoral thesis, and **Burcu Kurt** and **Yüksel Çelik**, joint recipients of the prize for the best scientific paper. **Arif Bilgin** received an honorary mention in the monograph category, **Songül Ulutaş** was awarded one in the master's thesis category, and **Atilla Aytekin** received one in the scientific paper category.

Prizes

- Monograph Category
- Doctoral Thesis Category
- Scientific Paper Category
- Honarary Mentions

Monograph Category

Best Monograph

Murat Metinsoy, İkinci Dünya Savaşında Türkiye, Savaş ve Gündelik Yaşam [Turkey, War and Everyday Life during WW II], Homer Kitabevi, Istanbul, 2007.

Doctoral Thesis Category

Best Doctoral Thesis

Nurşen Gürboğa, "Mine Workers, the State and War: Ereğli Zonguldak, Coal Basin as the Site of Contest, (1920-1947)", Atatürk Institute for Modern Turkish History, Boğaziçi University, 2005

Scientific Paper Category

Best Scientific Paper

Burcu Kurt, "Osmanlı Irak'ında İngiliz Nüfuzuna Tepkiler: Dicle ve Fırat'ta Seyr-i Sefain İmtiyazı Teşebbüsü (1909-1913)" [Reactions in Ottoman Iraq to British Influence: Project to Grant Privilege for a Transport Company in the Dicle and Fırat Region], Unpublished, 2007.

Yüksel Çelik, "Tanzimat Devrinde Rüşvet Hediye İkilemi ve Bu Alandaki Yolsuzlukları Engelleme Çabaları" [The Dilemma of Gift Exchange and Bribery during the *Tanzimat* and Attempts to Prevent Corruption in this Area], Unpublished, 2007.

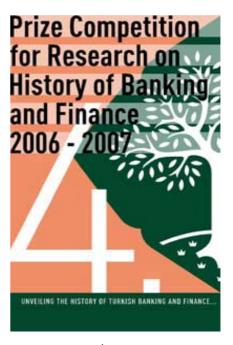
Honorary Mention

Monograph

Arif Bilgin, *Osmanlı Taşrasında Bir Maliye Kurumu: Bursa Hassa Harç Eminliği* [A Financial Institution in an Ottoman Province: The Bursa Privy Purse Office], Kitabevi Yayınları, Istanbul, May 2006.

Master's Thesis

Songül Ulutaş, "Şer'iye Sicillerine Göre Tarsus'ta Ekonomik Yapı (1839-1856)" [The Economic Structure of Tarsus according tho Sharia Registers (1839-1856)], Department of History, Institute of Social Sciences, Mersin University, 2006.



Scientific PaperAtilla Aytekin, "Debtors, Creditors, and the State: Rural Credit Relations in the Ottoman Empire in the Nineteenth Century", Unpublished, 2007.