

BTEC 591 & BTEC 691 Seminars *

"Status of Agri-Food Tech Ecosystem: Türkiye, Eastern Europe and MENA Region"



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* These seminar series are offered conjointly with the GTU 110 course for the entire Gebze Technical University community.

Abstract

In 2015 with Shirley Kaston, Semi Hakim co-founded the Kök Projekt. Kök Projekt is an agri-food management consulting company that is a startup accelerator and a corporate innovation partner with companies, governmental organizations, and investment funds. Kök Projekt works to empower agri-food entrepreneurs while supporting the digitalization and the climate adaptation of agri-food sectors within Emerging Markets.

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After graduating in Tourism Management, Semi Hakim continued his career as a chef after receiving his professional culinary training in Istanbul. As a chef, he conducted research projects on food and culture, worked on gastro-diplomacy projects, coordinated food events across the globe, and led projects supporting small-scale agri-food producers in Türkiye.