

The American Colleges in Istanbul

New Faculty and Staff Members

1965 - 1966

The American College for Girls

Miss Boza Becica (pronounced Besseeka) has been appointed Secretary and Assistant to the American Vice President and Dean. She holds a B.A. degree from Barnard College and an M.A. from Columbia University. During her residence in San Antonio, Texas, she taught English at the U.S. Air Force Language School and before that was secretary to the President of Our Lady of The Lake College. left

Mrs. Janet Cano (pronounced Kano) earned her B.A. at Pittsburg State College, Kansas and her M.A. at the University of Kansas. She has taught high school English in New Mexico, Kansas, Puerto Rico and in Fresno, California. She will be teaching Preparatory School English (Orta III) and her young son Kurt will attend the kindergarten at the Eseniş School in Arnavutköy.

Miss Ann Frisinger of Ann Arbor, Michigan, earned her B.A. and M.A. at the University of Michigan. She has taught both English and German at the high school level and will be teaching the first year Pre-Orta School students English.

Mr. Wilbert Gesler was born in Rajamundry, India, and completed his high school education there. He returned to the United States and earned his B.A. at Thiel College. His M.A. is from Pennsylvania State University, where he served as a teaching assistant of Freshman Mathematics. Mr. Gesler will teach Lise and Pre-Lise Mathematics.

Miss Dora Glidewell completed her M.A.T. at the Antioch-Putney Graduate School this summer. Her B.S. was from Bethany College. Before undertaking her graduate studies she served as a Peace Corps volunteer here in Turkey for two years. Miss Glidewell will teach First year Pre-Orta English.

Mrs. Barbara Hull has been appointed to the College Library staff as a part-time assistant. She received her B.A. from Wellesley College in Economics. Her husband, Gordon, is a member of the College English Department.

Mrs. Engin Holmstrom graduated from the American College for Girls in 1951. In 1959 she went to Duke University where she received her M.A. in 1962 and her Ph.D. in Sociology in 1965. Mrs. Holmstrom will teach a Social Science elective, Social Problems.

Dr. Robert Holmstrom (Husband of Engin) will teach General and Social Psychology in the College. He, too, earned his Ph.D. at Duke University and did his undergraduate work at Trinity College, Hartford.

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To  
Garcia*

Mrs. Emily (Hradec) Küçükçalkaz, a native of Chicago, Illinois, has a B.A. from Hope College in Michigan and has done work toward an M.A. at Michigan State University. From 1963-1965 she taught in a Turkish school as a member of the Peace Corps. Last June she married Ali Küçükçalkaz who is also teaching here in Istanbul this year.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mason has been appointed Guidance Counselor at the American College for Girls. Her academic background includes an R.N., a B.S. in Public Health Nursing and an M.Ed. in Counseling and Personnel Service. Mrs. Mason is a native of Houlton, Maine. She has for the past two years been serving as Guidance Counselor in the Waltham, Massachusetts Public School System.

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To  
Brady*

Mrs. Jocelyn McCay originally from British Columbia, Canada, has been appointed College Librarian. Mrs. McCay received her B.A. from the University of British Columbia and her B.L.S. from McGill. She is accompanied by her daughter, Deidre, who will attend Robert College this year.

*Museum  
To  
Garcia*

Miss Eleanor Jean Mooney of Norman, Oklahoma, earned a B.A. in English and Journalism at Oklahoma College for Women, a B.A. in Music from the University of Oklahoma and also a M. Ed. in Guidance and Counseling from that institution. She has been appointed Dean of Students.

Dr. Günseli Peker, a graduate of the American College for Girls, received her M.D. from the University of Istanbul earlier this month. Miss Peker will teach Mathematics in the Preparatory School and Pre-Lise Department as well as serve as an Assistant Housemother.

Miss Jacqueline Phillips will teach Pre-Lise English. She received her B.A. in English from Robert College and has spent the past year teaching English as a second language in San Jose, California, her home city.

Bayan Nihal Pulat, also an American College for Girls graduate, continued her education at the University of Istanbul in the field of Psychology. Bayan Pulat will be an Assistant at the A.C.G. Child Study Center.

Mr. Roy Anthony Robson has joined the English Language Department. He will teach Pre-Lise students. He comes to us after two years of teaching English in Saudi Arabia. He is a graduate of the University of Texas and a native of Kingsville, Texas.

Mr. Herbert Seidelman of Menlo Park, California, has been appointed Audio-Visual Specialist at the American College for Girls. He received his B.A. and M.S. in Education from Cornell and an M.A. from San Jose State in "Curriculum Materials and Library Science." He is accompanied by his wife, Thelma, daughter Karen, and son Raymond. Raymond will attend the Community School.

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Mr. Nicholas F. Shine, III will teach Physics in the College. Mr. Shine received both B.A. and B.S. degrees from East Carolina College, North Carolina, where he has also begun work toward a Master of Education degree in the teaching of science. Mr. Shine served as a Staff Sergeant in the U.S. Air Force and was stationed in Turkey for several years. He is accompanied by his wife, Safure, and daughter, Filiz, who will attend the Community School Kindergarten this year.

Mr. Karl Signell (pronounced Sig-knell) will join the faculty as a member of the Music Department. He received a B.S. from Juillard and an M.A. in Music Education from Teachers' College, Columbia. His instrument is the French Horn. He is accompanied by his wife, Keiko (pronounced Kayko) who originally comes from Tokyo.

*met at  
Gardner*  
Mr. Wilbur N. Steltzer, Jr. of Pennsylvania received both A.B. and M.S. degrees from the University of Pennsylvania. His previous experience includes teaching high school Science and History and also serving as District Executive for the Philadelphia Boy Scouts. Mr. Steltzer is accompanied by his wife, Alice, and daughter, Laurie, who will attend the Community School.

Miss Nancy Stewart will teach in the English Language Department. She received her B.S. in English from Pennsylvania State University and then served as a Peace Corps volunteer for two years in the Philippines. She has begun work for an M.A.T. degree in Social Science at Michigan State University. Her home residence is Verona, Pennsylvania.

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ROBERT ACADEMY

Mr. James Carter III was born in Boston, Massachusetts. He received his B.A. from the University of Pennsylvania with a major in French and a minor in German. Mr. Carter will teach both languages at Robert Academy this year. Mr. Carter lives in Anderson Hall.

*met at  
Lone Tree*  
Mr. John Chalfant joins the staff of Robert Academy as a teacher of English and Director of Athletics. Mr. Chalfant was born in Salem, Oregon. He received his A.B. from Fresno State College and his M.A. from the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. Chalfant has been teaching full-time for the past nine years including three years in Greece and three years in Hawaii. He is accompanied by his wife, Nona, and they live in the Lone Tree House.

Mr. David Koth joins the staff of Robert Academy as a teacher of Mathematics. Mr. Koth was born in Elizabeth, New Jersey. He received his A.B. from Princeton University and his M.A.L.S. from Wesleyan in Mathematics. Mr. Koth has taught Mathematics at Blair Academy, The Pingry School, Groton School, and most recently he was Dean of Students at the Pingry School. He lives in the Çınar apartments in Küçük Bebek.

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Mr. Richard Van Der Beets was born in Los Angeles, California. He received his B.A. from San Jose State and his M.A. from the University of Idaho. Mr. Van Der Beets has taught English at the Eastside Union High School District in California, and most recently at Menlo College. Mr. Van Der Beets joins the staff of Robert Academy as a teacher of English. He and his wife, Marlene, and their two sons live in the Gülen Apartments in Küçük Bebek. *left*

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ROBERT COLLEGE LIBRARY

Miss Mary Beeley transfers from a temporary position at ACG to the Robert College Library as Assistant Librarian. Miss Beeley is from Oxford, England. She is a graduate of North-Western Polytechnic College in London and has worked for the past three years as an Assistant Librarian. Miss Beeley lives in the Hakimoğlu Apartments.

Mrs. Freda Hofland has been appointed to the College Library staff as a part-time assistant. She received a B.A. from Syracuse University in English. Her husband, John, is Assistant Professor of Physics in the Yüksek Okul. The Hoflands live in the Hakimoğlu Apartments.

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE DIVISION

Mr. Alan Ovenden joins the English Language Division of Robert College as an Instructor. Mr. Ovenden was born in Cambridge, Nebraska. He took his B.A. at the University of Utah and his M.A. at the University of Michigan. Mr. Ovenden has been teaching English for the past three years at Anatolia College in Greece. He is accompanied by his wife Susan and their daughter Margaret. The Owendens live in Etiler.

Mr. Charles W. White joins the English Language Division of Robert College as an Instructor. Mr. White is a native of Atlanta, Georgia and received his B.A. from Emory University. Mr. White has spent the past two years teaching English with the Peace Corps at the Kayseri Lisesi and the Middle East Technical University. He lives in the Gülen Apartments in Küçük Bebek.

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ROBERT COLLEGE - YÜKSEK

Prof. Nicholas H. Alter Jr. joins the School of Sciences and Languages as Instructor in Mathematics. Professor Alter was born in Wooster, Ohio. He received his S.B. from Massachusetts Institute of Technology and his M.S. from the University of Chicago in 1962. Since 1962 he has been studying for his doctorate in Mathematics and teaching part-time. Professor Alter lives in the Gülen Apartments.

Prof. John Butler joins the School of Sciences and Languages as Visiting Professor of Mathematics. Professor Butler was born in New York City. He received his B.A. from Swarthmore College; his M.S. from New York University; and his Ph.D. from the University of California at Berkeley. Professor Butler has been teaching for the past ten years. He is accompanied by his wife Regina and their two sons. The Butlers live in the Gülen Apartments in Küçük Bebek.

*Common*  
Prof. Robert Carlson will be Visiting Professor of Finance for the Spring Semester. Professor Carlson was born in Chicago, Illinois. He received his S.B. from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and his M.B.A. and Ph. D. from Stanford University. He has had teaching experience at both Stanford University and Columbia University. Professor Carlson is here as a member of the Columbia University "team". He and his wife Sandra and their young daughter will live in the Gülen Apartments in Küçük Bebek.

Mrs. Nona Chalfant has been employed by the Physics Department as a part-time typist. Mrs. Chalfant was born in Cincinnati, Ohio and received a B.A. from George Washington University in Washington D.C.. Her husband, John, teaches English at Robert Academy. The Chalfants live in the Lone Tree House.

Prof. Donald S. Hoffman returns to Istanbul after an absence of two years as Assistant Professor of Music and Director of Musical Activities, with the Yüksek Okul and Robert Academy. Professor Hoffman was born in San Francisco. He received his B.A. from Dartmouth College; his M.A. from Harvard University and for the past two years he has been studying for his Ph.D. at Oxford College. Professor Hoffman lives in the Mezheboğlu Apartments.

Prof. Oya Kaynar joins the faculty of the Robert College Humanities Department as Assistant Professor. A native of Istanbul, Professor Kaynar received her B.A. from Mount Holyoke College; her M.S. from the University of Illinois; and, recently, her Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota. Professor Kaynar has had teaching experience at both the University of Illinois and The American College for Girls.

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Miss Carol La Motte has been employed as a secretary in the Dean's Office of the School of Engineering. Miss La Motte was born in Detroit, Michigan and received her B.S. from Mercy College, Detroit. She has had previous secretarial experience with the General Motors Corporation, and as a volunteer teacher with the Peace Corps here in Turkey.

Bayan Mualla Mezheboğlu is a teaching Assistant in the School of Business Administration and Economics. Bayan Mezheboğlu was born in Istanbul and received her B.A. from the American College for Girls in 1961. Since then she has been majoring in economics, finance and political science at the University of Istanbul. She lives in Küçük Bebek.

*Spring*  
Prof. Carl L. Nelson will be Visiting Professor of Business Administration for the Spring Semester as a member of the Columbia University "team". He received his B.B.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Minnesota. Professor Nelson will be accompanied by his wife, Charlotte and they will live in the Manning House. *left*

Prof. Kasif Onaran joins the faculty of the School of Engineering as part-time Associate Professor of Mechanical Engineering. He was born in Tekirdağ, Turkey. He received his M.S. and Ph.D. from the Istanbul Technical University. Professor Onaran lives with his wife, Saniye, and their two sons in Levent.

*William*  
*home*  
Prof. Edgar Z. Palmer joins the School of Business Administration as Director of the United States Department of Agriculture Agriculture/Economics Project. Professor Palmer received his B.A. from Swarthmore College and his Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin. Before coming to Robert College, Professor Palmer was Chairman, Department of Economics and Business at Atatürk University, Erzurum, Turkey. He and his wife Opal live in the Estes House. *left*

Bay Tahsin Pamir is an Assistant in Chemistry with the Chemistry Department of the School of Sciences and Languages. Bay Pamir was born in Ordu. He received his B.S. in Chemistry in 1965. He lives in Theodorus Hall and also serves as a surveillant.

Prof. Ömer Celal Sarç joins the faculty of the School of Business Administration and Economics as Professor of Economics. Professor Sarç is a native of Istanbul. He is a graduate of Robert College and has taken degrees from Althoff Realgymnasium, Handelshochschule and the University of Berlin where he received his Ph.D. in 1925. Professor Sarç has taught, directed business research institutes and is presently Rector of the University of Istanbul.

Prof. Fuat Şentürk joins the faculty of the School of Engineering as part-time professor of Civil Engineering. Professor Şentürk was born in Istanbul. He received his M.S. from the Istanbul Technical University; and his Ph.D. from the University of Toulouse. Professor Şentürk is accompanied by his wife, İnci and their son.

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*Cedars*  
Bayan Sıdıka Tugan has been appointed Housemother at the Yüksek Women's Residence Halls. She was born in Istanbul. Her past experience includes Librarian at Süleymaniye Library and was the first Turkish woman librarian. She has also served as a secretary at the English High School for Girls. Bayan Sıdıka Tugan lives at the Cedars.

*met on Expedition*  
Prof. Roscoe Ward joins the faculty of the School of Engineering as Assistant Professor of Civil Engineering. Professor Ward was born in Bosie, Idaho. He received a B.A. from College of Idaho; a B.S. in Civil Engineering from Oregon State College; an M.S. in Sanitary Engineering from Washington State University; and a Sc.D. in Sanitary Engineering from Washington University. He is accompanied by his wife, Julia, and their new born son. The Wards live in the Gülen Apartments in Küçük Bebek.

Prof. Ali Ş. Yalçın joins the faculty of the School of Engineering as Professor and Chairman of Civil Engineering. Professor Yalçın was born in İzmir. He received his B.C.E. and M.S. from Cornell University and his Ph.D. from the University of Toronto. Professor Yalçın was Senior Engineer with Geocon Limited and more recently with the Faculty of Engineering, Loyola College in Montreal. He is accompanied by his wife, Şükufe, and their child.

Prof. Lucille Zukowski, wife of Walter Zukowski, joins the faculty of Robert College as Visiting Associate Professor of Mathematics. Professor Zukowski is a native of Millinocket, Maine. She received a B.A. from Colby College and her M.A. in Mathematics from Syracuse University. For the past twenty years she has been teaching mathematics at Colby College.

Prof. Walter Zukowski joins the faculty of the School of Business Administration as Visiting Professor of Accounting and Economics. Professor Zukowski was born in Worcester, Massachusetts. He received his B.B.A., A.M. and Ph.D. at Clark University. He was Chairman of the Department of Business Administration at Colby College before coming to Robert College this year. The Zukowski - Walter and Lucille and their daughter Mary live in the Çınar Apartments in Küçük Bebek.

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COMMUNITY SCHOOL

Mrs. Elizabeth Baber rejoins the Community School as Third Grade Teacher. She taught at the Community School during the 1963-64 academic year. Mrs. Baber was born in Memphis, Tennessee and received her B.A. from the American University, in Washington D.C.. Her husband Asa teaches English at Robert Academy. The Babers and their young son, Jamie, live in the Tennis Court House.



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Mrs. Sylvianne Downing joins the Community School as Teacher of French. Mrs. Downing was born in Paris, France. She is a graduate of Lycee Victor Durvy and Ecole Normale in France and has done graduate work at the University of Utah. Her husband Bruce teaches English with the English Language Division. The Downings and their daughter live in the Birlik Apartments.

Miss Susan Hunter is a new teacher at the Community School. She was born in Milbank, South Dakota. Miss Hunter received her B.A. from the University of California at Los Angeles with a major in history and minor in English. She has worked for Harper's Bazaar magazine and has written articles for other publications. Miss Hunter lives in Küçük Bebek.

Mrs. Leman Sebuktekin joins the Community School as part-time Teacher of Turkish. Mrs. Sebuktekin was born in Bulgaria. She is a graduate of Gazi Eğitim Institute and has studied at Georgetown University. Her husband, Hikmet, is an Assistant Professor with the English Language Division. The Sebuktekins live in Levent with their three children.

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