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Nurhan Yentürk	Bilgi University	
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Aziz Yıldırım	General Director of Social Assistance, Ministry of Family and Social Policy (MFSP)	
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Umran İnan	President of Koç University	
Martin Raiser	Turkey Country Office Director, World Bank	
KEYNOTE SPEECHES		
Avse Buăra	Director of Boğazici University Social Policy Forum	
	Minister, Ministry of Family and Social Policy	
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09:00-09:30	REGISTRATION	REGISTRATION		
09:30-11:00	SOCIAL POLICIES FOR WOMEN			
	Moderator: Çiğdem Kağıtçıbaşı	Koç University		
	Cash Transfer Program for Widowed Women			
	Şebnem Avşar Kurnaz Head of Research and Development Department, MFSP			
	In the Grip of State, Family and Market: "Women with			
	Şemsa Özar and Burcu Yakut-Çakar	Boğaziçi University / Kocaeli University		
	Disaster, Women and Social Policy			
	Zozan Özgökçe	Van Women's Association		
	Equality in Politics is Possible			
	Çiğdem Aydın	Association for the Support of Women Candidates		
	Law for the Protection of Family and Prevention of Vi	olence against Women		
	Özlem Bozkurt Gevrek	General Director for the Status of Women, MFSP		
	Discussion			
11:00-11:15	Coffee Break			
11:15-12:15	SOCIAL SERVICES AND HEALTHCARE			
	Moderator: Murat Ergin	Koç University		
	Public Reform and Social Services			
	Berna Yazıcı	Boğaziçi University		
	Recent Reforms in Turkish Healthcare System			
	Sabahattin Aydın	İstanbul Medipol University		
	Transformation of the Healthcare System in Turkey: 0	Opportunities and Threats		
	Volkan Yılmaz	Istanbul Kemerburgaz University		
	Discussion			
12:15-13:30	Lunch Break			
13:30-15:00	EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND SHELTER			
	Moderator: Lemi Baruh	Koç University		
	Education			
	Batuhan Aydagül	Education Reform Initiative		
	The Road to Education Excellence: Evidence for Turk	key from PISA		
	Naveed Hassan Naqvi	World Bank		
	Employment			
	İnsan Tunalı	Koç University		
	TOKİ and Urban Transformation Projects as Means of Property Transfer			
	Tuna Kuyucu	Boğaziçi University		
	Family Social Support Program			
	Gazi Alataş	Deputy Undersecretary, MFSP		
	Discussion			
15:00-15:15	Coffee Break			
15:15-17:00	ISSUES IN SOCIAL POLICY RESEARCH (DISCUSSION)			
	Ministry of Family and Social Policy			
	Enver Taştı, Turkish Statistical Institute			
	Gökhan Güder, Ministry of Development			
	Deniz Yükseker, Koç University Social Policy Center			
	İlkay Savcı, Ankara University Social Policy Research Center			
	Boğaziçi University Social Policy Forum			
	Gökçe Uysal, Bahçeşehir University Center for Economic and Social Research			
	Murat Güvenç, İstanbul Şehir University Center for Urban Studies			
	Banu Ergöçmen, Hacettepe University Institute of Population Studies			
	Çiğdem Kağıtçıbaşı, Koç University Center for Gender Studies			
	Batuhan Aydagül, Education Reform Initiative			
	Cristobal Ridao-Cano, World Bank			
	Fatma Gelir, United Nations Development Programme			
	Ülker Şener, Economic Policy Research Foundation of Turkey			
	Nurhan Yentürk, Public Expenditures Monitoring Platform			
	Hilal Kuşçul, Mother Child Education Foundation			
	Uğur Gülderer, Genç Hayat Foundation			
	Ali Tezel, Social Security Consultant			
	Engin Yılmaz, Assistive Technology and Education Laboratory for Individuals with Visual Disabilities			
	Mehmet Çelik, Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality			
	Riza Öztürk, Sariyer Municipality			