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### **Education**

Post Doctorate, University of Portsmouth, Faculty of Science and Health, School of Pharmacy and Biomedical Sciences, England 2022 - 2024

Doctorate, The University of Manchester, Faculty of Science and Engineering, School of Materials, England 2018 - 2023

Postgraduate, The University of Manchester, Faculty of Science and Engineering, School of Materials, England 2017 - 2018

Undergraduate, Kocaeli University, Mühendislik Fakültesi, Makina Mühendisliği, Turkey

## **Biography**

2010 - 2014

Berzah Yavuzyegit is a materials scientist specializing in the mechanical behaviour of a diverse range of materials, encompassing both metals and non-metallic substances. With expertise in various mechanical tests such as tensile and bending, advanced electron microscopy techniques, and the design of testing rigs, he delves into the microstructures and deformation mechanisms of materials under different conditions, including corrosive environments and varying temperatures. Proficient in programming with Python and Matlab, Yavuzyegit excels in advanced techniques such as X-ray Computed Tomography for 3D material characterization and electron microscopy, including SE, BSE, and EBSD, for detailed analysis. Holding a Ph.D. in Mechanics of Materials from the University of Manchester, his research focused on comprehending the deformation mechanisms of magnesium alloys. Beyond research, Yavuzyegit has practical experience in biomaterials, specifically exploring the mechanical and corrosion behaviour of biodegradable magnesium implants.

#### Research Interest

My current focus is on biomaterials, specifically studying microscale deformation mechanisms. Utilizing my expertise in mechanical tests, advanced electron microscopy, and testing rig design, I'm investigating the fatigue behavior of metals, with a particular emphasis on biomaterials. Drawing from my experience in exploring the mechanical and corrosion behavior of biodegradable magnesium implants, my ongoing work aims to provide insights into the fatigue dynamics of metallic biomaterials, contributing to a deeper understanding of material behavior in practical applications.

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#### Dissertations

Doctorate, Investigation of the Deformation Mechanisms of Magnesium Alloys at Room Temperature and Elevated Temperature, The University of Manchester, Faculty of Science and Engineering, School of Materials, 2023 Postgraduate, Investigation of Kink Bands Formation under Compression in Carbon Fibre Reinforced Composites, The University of Manchester, Faculty of Science and Engineering, School of Materials, 2018

### **Research Areas**

Mechanical, Metallurgical and Materials Engineering, Material science and engineering, Mechanical Properties, Composites, Biomaterials, Physical Metallurgy, Material Characterization, Mechanical Metallurgy, Metallic Materials, Surface Finishing Processes, Engineering and Technology

#### **Academic Positions**

Assistant Professor, Recep Tayyip Erdogan University, MÜHENDİSLİK VE MİMARLIK FAKÜLTESİ, MAKİNE MÜHENDİSLİĞİ, 2023 - Continues
Researcher, University of Portsmouth, 2022 - 2024

#### Courses

## **Postgraduate**

Deformation of Metals at Elevated Temperatures and Supeplasticity, Postgraduate, 2023 - 2024 Advanced Python Programming for Engineering Applications, Postgraduate, 2024 - 2025

### Journal articles indexed in SCI, SSCI, and AHCI

- I. Sporopollenin Capsules as Biomimetic Templates for the Synthesis of Hydroxyapatite and β-TCP De Mori A., Quizon D., Dalton H., Yavuzyegit B., Cerri G., Antonijevic M., Roldo M. BIOMIMETICS, vol.9, no.3, 2024 (SCI-Expanded)
- II. Mapping plastic deformation mechanisms in AZ31 magnesium alloy at the nanoscale Yavuzyegit B., AVCU E., Smith A. D., Donoghue J. M., Lunt D., Robson J. D., Burnett T. L., da Fonseca J. Q., Withers P. J. Acta Materialia, vol.250, 2023 (SCI-Expanded)

## Articles Published in Other Journals

I. Evaluation of Corrosion Performance of AZ31 Mg Alloy in Physiological and Highly Corrosive Solutions

Yavuzyegit B., Karali A., De Mori A., Smith N., Usov S., Shashkov P., Bonithon R., Blunn G. ACS Applied Bio Materials, vol.7, no.3, pp.1735-1747, 2024 (ESCI)

II. Effect of micro blasting process parameters on 3D surface topography and surface properties of zirconia (Y-TZP) ceramics

Yetik O., Yavuzyegit B., YILDIRAN AVCU Y., Koçoğlu H., Pekkan G., Sarıdağ S., Guney M., AVCU E. Engineering Reports, vol.3, no.7, 2021 (ESCI)

# Papers Presented at Peer-Reviewed Scientific Conferences

I. EFFECTS OF STANDOFF DISTANCE AND PROCESSING DURATION PARAMETERS ON PRIMARY DEFORMATION ZONE IN WATER JET PEENING OF TIGALAY ALLOY

Armağan M., Çalım E., Yavuzyeğit B., Yildiran Avcu Y., Abakay E., Avcu E.

8. Asia Pacific International Modern Sciences Congress, New Delhi, India, 11 - 12 September 2023, (Full Text)

II. Enhanced Corrosion Resistance of the AZ31 Magnesium Alloy with Electrochemical Oxidised (ECO) Ceramic Coatings

Yavuzyeğit B., Karali K., Denori A., Bonithon R., Smith N., Shashkov P., Blunn G.

33rd Annual Conference of the European Society for Biomaterials , Chur, Switzerland, 4 September - 08 November 2023, (Unpublished)

III. Grain Scale Strain Mapping of Deformation in Mg Alloys at Room and Elevated Temperatures by High Resolution Digital Image Correlation

Withers P., Yavuzyeğit B., Fonseca J., Smith A., Donoghue J., Lunt D., Robson J., Burnett T.

17th International Conference on Advances in Experimental Mechanics, Glasgow, England, 30 August - 01 September 2023, (Unpublished)

IV. Corrosion Behaviour of a Coated AZ31 Mg Alloy under Static and Cyclic Loading in Four Point Bending Tests

Yavuzyeğit B., Karali K., Bonithon R., Smith N., Shashkov P., Blunn G.

17th International Conference on Advances in Experimental Mechanics, Glasgow, England, 30 August - 01 November 2023, (Unpublished)

V. An in situ study of deformation mechanisms in AZ31 and WE43 Mg alloy at elevated temperatures Yavuzyeğit B., Avcu E., Smith A., Donoghue J., Lunt D., Robson J., Burnett T., Da Fonseca J., Withers P. International Conference on Strength of Materials, Metz, France, 26 June - 01 July 2022, (Unpublished)

VI. An in-situ study of grain boundary migration and sliding in AZ31 magnesium at elevated temperatures

Yavuzyeğit B., Avcu E., Smith A., Donoghue J., Lunt D., Robson J., Burnett T., Da Fonseca J., Withers P. Junior Euromat 2022, Coimbra, Portugal, 19 - 22 July 2022, (Unpublished)

VII. Fully automated small-scale thermomechanical testing in-situ within an SEM for increased temporal resolution

Smith A., Donoghue J., Candeas A., Martinez F., Lunt D., Yavuzyeğit B., Withers P., Preuss M.

18th European Mechanics of Materials Conference, Oxford, England, 4 - 06 April 2022, (Unpublished)

VIII. Creep Deformation Mechanisms of AZ31 Magnesium Alloys at Room Temperature by High Resolution
Digital Image Correlation

Yavuzyeğit B., Avcu E., Donoghue J., Smith A., Lunt D., Robson J., Burnett T., Withers P.

14th International Conference on Advances in Experimental Mechanics, Belfast, England, 10 - 12 September 2019, (Unpublished)

IX. Creep Deformation Mechanisms of AZ31 Magnesium Alloys at Room Temperature by High Resolution Digital Image Correlation

Yavuzyeğit B., Withers P., Burnett T.

PG Conference 2019, Manchester, England, 09 May 2019 - 10 May 2020, (Unpublished)

X. Investigation of Kink Bands Formation under Compression Stress in Carbon Fibre Reinforced Composites, PGR Conference

Yavuzyeğit B., Withers P.

PG Conference 2017, Manchester, England, 17 - 18 May 2018, (Unpublished)

- XI. The effects of erodent size and acceleration pressure on the surface topography in the micro sandblasting process of Ti6Al4V alloy
  - Yetik O., Yildiran Avcu Y., Yavuzyeğit B., Avcu E.
  - 16th International Materials Symposium, Denizli, Turkey, 12 14 October 2016, (Full Text)
- XII. The effects of acceleration pressure and particle impingement angle on the 3D surface topography and the surface properties in the preparation process of monolithic zirconias with micro sand blasting
  - Yetik O., Yavuzyeğit B., Yildiran Avcu Y., Pekkan G., Saridağ S., Avcu E.
  - 16th International Materials Symposium, Denizli, Turkey, 12 14 October 2016, (Full Text)
- XIII. The effects of shot peening parameters on the surface roughness of the Ti6Al4V alloy Yildiran Avcu Y., Yetik O., Yavuzyeğit B., Avcu E.
  - 16th International Materials Symposium, Denizli, Turkey, 12 14 October 2016, (Full Text)
- XIV. The effects of erodent particle size and acceleration pressure on the 3d surface topography and the surface properties in the preparation process of conventional Zirconias with micro sand blasting Yavuzyeğit B., Yetik O., Yildiran Avcu Y., Pekkan G., Saridağ S., Avcu E.
  - 16. international materials symposium, Denizli, Turkey, 12 14 October 2016, (Full Text)

## **Funded Projects**

Korkut İ., Bayram B. S., Şahin İ. B., Yavuzyeğit B., Project Supported by Higher Education Institutions, PLA-Metal Takviyeli Biyokompozitlerin İmalatının Deneysel Araştırılması ve Biyouyumluluk Tespiti, 2024 - 2025

Blunn G., Bonithon R., Karali K., Yavuzyeğit B., Project Supported by Public Organizations in Other Countries, Resorbable Magnesium Medical İmplants with Multifunctional Surface, 2022 - 2024

## Peer Reviews in Scientific Publications

INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF PLASTICITY, SCI Journal, June 2024

# Scientific Research / Working Group Memberships

İnovatif Malzemeler Mekaniği, Recep Tayyip Erdogan University, Turkey, www.berzahyavuzyegit.com, 2023 - Continues

### **Metrics**

Publication: 19

Citation (Scopus): 23 H-Index (Scopus): 2