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Dr. Kök completed his primary education at the International School of Prague, Czech Republic. He has received his Ph.D. degree in Petroleum Engineering at Middle East Technical University. He worked for SHELL and ELF Petroleum companies as well-site operation engineer. Dr. Kök conducted post-doctoral research at CNRS-INSA de LYON Research Center in France. Dr. Kök worked as a visiting researcher at Budapest University of Technology and Economics, under the supervision of Prof. György Pokol.

Between 2001-2006, Prof. Kök served as the Advisor to the President of The Scientific and Technological Research Council of Türkiye and he was the National Contact Point for Energy, Transport and Environment under the EU- FP-6

Dr. Kök's academic works included 206 articles in SCI journals and 83 international conference papers. His publications in i Web of Science indexes received more than 5500 citations and his Web of Science h-index is 46

Dr. Kök received 2 Science and more than 20 outstanding achievement awards. On April 2023, Prof. Kök was honored with the Jubilee Medal of the Republic of Azerbaijan. He was awarded an Honorary Doctorate title by Kazan Federal University in 2019 and by Azerbaijan State Oil and Industry University in 2022.

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