

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## SEMRA AK

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## ABOUT ME

I am a passionate photographer specialising in commercial photography, portraits and live concerts.

I have completed a 3 year photography apprenticeship in Germany. I am eager to learn and expand my skill set and while I have developed a particular passion for live concert photography I have found that working across a broad spectrum of subjects has been highly valuable. I would therefore welcome the opportunity to broaden my knowledge and experience further.



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## EDUCATION

08/2007 – 07/2009

Degree: Fachabitur (equivalent of A-Level)

Kerschensteiner School (School of Design),  
Wiesbaden (Germany)



## APPRENTICESHIP

08/2011 – 07/2014

A Photography apprenticeship in Germany requires a balanced 3 year mix of

**1. Theoretical Study which I have completed at:**  
Gutenberg School (Photography School),  
Frankfurt (Germany)

**2. Applied Practice which I have completed at:**  
Frank Widmann Fotodesign, Wiesbaden  
([www.frank-widmann.de](http://www.frank-widmann.de))  
Focus of Studio: Portrait and Commercial  
Photography

**My main daily tasks included:**

- Assistant for photoshoots
- Assembly and disassembly of sets
- Image editing (Adobe Photoshop CC, Adobe Lightroom 5, Capture One 7)

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### SKILLS

#### Languages

German (mother tongue)  
Turkish (mother tongue)  
English (fluent)

#### PC Skills

Mac OS X and Windows 7  
Open Office  
Adobe Photoshop CC  
Adobe Lightroom 5  
Capture One 7

### VOLUNTARY WORK

mainstage.de  
Trebur Open Air  
Open Flair Festival

Concert Photographer  
Assistant/Photographer  
Assistant