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## SPRING LECTURES 2012

### FICTION & REALITY: Literature as a Means of Exploring Identities

## LECTURE

Tuesday April 17  
19.00

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*Turkish Poetry After the 1980 Coup:  
From Communal Values  
Towards Individual Identities*

Professor Orhan Tekelioğlu is a scholar of cultural sociology including such research fields as media consumption, the history of Turkish popular music, the sociological features of Turkish literature, political advertising strategies and the cultural politics of the Republican period. He holds a Ph.D. degree in Sociology from the Middle Eastern Technical University in Ankara and a *Magister* degree in Sociology from the University of Oslo. After long-term appointments at the Departments of Political Science and Turkish Literature at the Bilkent University in Ankara, he spent one year (2001) as Visiting Professor at the Department of Near Eastern Languages and Cultures at Ohio State University and worked as Acting Dean of the Faculty of Communication at the Izmir University of Economics. In 2008, Dr. Tekelioğlu joined the Faculty of Communication at Bahçeşehir University in Istanbul, where he is currently Chairperson of the Department of Journalism. Among his publications are *Foucault Sosyolojisi* (2003), *Şerif Mardin'e Armağan*, co-edited with Ahmet Öncü (2005), and *Pop Yazılar* (2006).

*Refreshments are served after the lecture*