



**Berrin Okutan Uzan** graduated from Boğaziçi University in 1990 with a degree in International Trade. She commenced her professional journey at Şişecam Holding and later completed her education at Istanbul University Faculty of Political Sciences.

In the year 2000, she entered the realm of Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) by assuming the role of Executive Board Member in charge of Marketing at UND International Transporters Association. With an aspiration to specialize in the NGO sector, she returned to Boğaziçi University during her educational tenure and served as the Project Development Coordinator at Boğaziçi Foundation. Some of the notable projects she contributed to at Boğaziçi Foundation include the Mithat Alam Film Center, GETEM Library for the Visually Impaired, Kandilli Observatory World Bank Project, and various initiatives funded by the EU. Additionally, she actively participated in the establishment project of KAGİDER Women Entrepreneurs Association.

She currently maintains a successful role as an external expert in EU projects.

In 2010, she founded the Consulting Company Kaynakyaratma, offering effective services across various sectors, with a particular focus on healthcare projects. She represented UK consulting firms for PPP Hospitals projects in Turkey, provided consultancy on regulatory matters to foreign companies entering Turkey, and guided companies in securing projects from EU and World Bank Funds. Furthermore, she offered consultancy services in strategic communication. As a new venture, she will initiate consultancy services in the field of sustainability, specifically focusing on Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) matters.

Since 2015, she has been serving as the General Secretary of the Kalangos Foundation, making significant contributions to the treatment of children with heart conditions both domestically and internationally.

She is also a member of the Health Committee and the Employment and Social Security Committee of the Turkish Industry and Business Association (TÜSİAD).