

Mehmet Rauf Efendi

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Mehmet Rauf Efendi was born in Bagdat in AH 1290 (1873–1874). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in Bagdat in AH 1304 (1886–1887), 14 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 12 distinct AH years in AH 1311–1323 (1893–1906), with gaps; it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Bagdat (400 kuruş monthly). Merkez Memuru appears later, in AH 1323 (1905–1906), with 400 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); Arabic: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing); Persian: Kitabet (writing). Later annual personnel extract marks a criminal-record indicator in AH 1311 (1893–1894); this is not a lifetime verdict.

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1290 (1873–1874); bagdat
School / programme	Rusdiye Mektebi
Schooling duration	7 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	7 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Telgraf Memuru
Religion wording	Musulman
Nationality wording	Turkish

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); Arabic: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing); Persian: Kitabet (writing)

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1304 (1886–1887)
Place	Bagdat
First-salary field	400 kuruş

First-work may concern earlier state service or preparation. The first-salary amount is separately recorded and is not dated by the first-work year.

Honours, rank and legal records

Decoration wording is unrecorded in the linked text fields.

The annual personnel records mark “yes for this annual record” in AH 1311 (1893–1894).

Annual legal indicator · original codes: 0 / 1; Additional annual legal field · original codes: 0 / 1

Legal wording and annual indicators are not adjudicated findings or lifetime verdicts. Complete original notes, codes and archival source details remain in the online dossier. Repeated source copies do not establish independent confirmation.

Annual chronology

12 annual entries in 12 recorded AH years. Gregorian equivalents are shown in parentheses; source G years are retained separately. Gaps remain gaps. Salaries are nominal monthly assigned kuruş, not confirmed disbursements.

AH year (Gregorian)	Source G year	Recorded title	Locality / province	Monthly kuruş
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	400
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhabere memuru	divaniye; Province: bagdat	380
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	muhabere memuru	kerkuk; Province: musul	400
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	muhabere memuru	musul; Province: musul	400
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	muhabere memuru	musul; Province: musul	400
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	380
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	380
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	380
AH 1319 (1901–1902)	1901	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	380
AH 1320 (1902–1903)	1902	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	380
AH 1321 (1903–1904)	1903	muhabere memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	500
AH 1323 (1905–1906)	1905	merkez memuru	bagdat; Province: bagdat	400

Citation and sources

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Complete honours and legal source wording: <https://ottomanbureaucracy.com/people/p-2703c47288d42fec/#honours-records>

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