

# İsmail Zühdü Bey

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İsmail Zühdü Bey was born in İstanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1255 (1839–1840). Recorded schooling includes 7 years at Rusdiye Mektebi. First work is recorded in İstanbul in AH 1272 (1855–1856), 17 AH years after the recorded birth year, with “Tersanei Amire” as first-job wording. The surviving career record covers 19 distinct AH years in AH 1283–1302 (1866–1885), with gaps; it begins with Muhabere memuru in Ayvalik (576 kuruş monthly). 2. Mudur appears later, in AH 1298 (1880–1881), with 1,200 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing). İsmail Zühdü Bey's death is recorded under AH 1303 (1885–1886).

## Recorded preparation

|                                        |                                |
|----------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Birth                                  | AH 1255 (1839–1840); dersaadet |
| School / programme                     | Rusdiye Mektebi                |
| Schooling duration                     | 7 source-recorded years        |
| Apprenticeship duration                | 5 source-recorded years        |
| Qualification field (recorded code)    | 0                              |
| Telegraph-school field (recorded code) | 0                              |
| Father's occupation                    | Memur                          |
| Religion wording                       | Musulman                       |
| Nationality wording                    | Turkish                        |

Recorded language terms: Turkish: Kitabet (writing)

## First-work fields

|                            |                     |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Recorded year              | AH 1272 (1855–1856) |
| Place                      | istanbul            |
| First-salary field         | 375 kuruş           |
| Recorded first-job wording | Tersanei Amire      |

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.

Original codes across source assertions, including zero; meanings unverified. No grade, count or award status is inferred.

Rütbe: 0 / 2; Mecidi nişanı: 0; Nişan-ı Âlî-i Osmanî: 0; Madalya: 0; Liyakat ve ehliyet derecesi: 0

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

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

19 annual entries in 19 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 1283 (1866–1867) | 1866          | muhabere memuru | ayvalik; Province: balikesir          | 576           |
| AH 1284 (1867–1868) | 1867          | muhabere memuru | ayvalik; Province: balikesir          | 480           |
| AH 1285 (1868–1869) | 1868          | 2. mudur        | bafra; Province: trabzon              | 800           |
| AH 1286 (1869–1870) | 1869          | 2. mudur        | tirebolu; Province: trabzon           | 800           |
| AH 1287 (1870–1871) | 1870          | 2. mudur        | unye; Province: trabzon               | 1000          |
| AH 1288 (1871–1872) | 1871          | memur           | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet        | 650           |
| AH 1289 (1872–1873) | 1872          | memur           | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet        | 650           |
| AH 1290 (1873–1874) | 1873          | memur           | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet        | 730           |
| AH 1291 (1874–1875) | 1874          | memur           | dersaadet; Province: dersaadet        | 1000          |
| AH 1292 (1875–1876) | 1875          | pt kitabeti     | istanbul; Province: dersaadet         | 2000          |
| AH 1293 (1876–1877) | 1876          | fabrika muduru  | istanbul; Province: dersaadet         | 2000          |
| AH 1294 (1877–1878) | 1877          | fabrika muduru  | istanbul; Province: dersaadet         | 2000          |
| AH 1295 (1878)      | 1878          | fabrika muduru  | istanbul; Province: dersaadet         | 2000          |
| AH 1296 (1878–1879) | 1879          | fabrika muduru  | istanbul; Province: dersaadet         | 2000          |
| AH 1298 (1880–1881) | 1881          | 1. mudur        | karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu | 1200          |
| AH 1299 (1881–1882) | 1882          | 1. mudur        | karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu | 1200          |
| AH 1300 (1882–1883) | 1883          | 1. mudur        | karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu | 1200          |
| AH 1301 (1883–1884) | 1884          | 1. mudur        | karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu | 1200          |
| AH 1302 (1884–1885) | 1885          | 1. mudur        | karadeniz eregli; Province: kastamonu | 1200          |

## Citation and sources

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