

Zenob Balyan Efendi

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Zenob Balyan Efendi was born in Istanbul / Dersaadet in AH 1279 (1862–1863). Recorded schooling includes 4 years at Mektebi Mahsusa. First work is recorded in Istanbul in AH 1295 (1878), 16 AH years after the recorded birth year. The surviving career record covers 20 distinct AH years in AH 1299–1318 (1881–1901); it begins with Muhabere Memuru in Beyoglu (150 kuruş monthly). Muhaberati Ecnebiye Memuriyeti appears later, in AH 1312 (1894–1895), with 325 kuruş monthly. Recorded language competency: Turkish: Kitabet (writing); French: Kitabet (writing).

Recorded preparation

Birth	AH 1279 (1862–1863); dersaadet
School / programme	Mektebi Mahsusa
Schooling duration	4 source-recorded years
Apprenticeship duration	4 source-recorded years
Qualification field (recorded code)	1
Telegraph-school field (recorded code)	0
Father's occupation	Esnaf
Religion wording	Hristiyan
Nationality wording	Ermeni

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

First-work fields

Recorded year	AH 1295 (1878)
Place	istanbul
First-salary field	150 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.

Annual legal indicator · 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

20 annual entries in 20 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 1299 (1881–1882)	1882	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1300 (1882–1883)	1883	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1301 (1883–1884)	1884	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1302 (1884–1885)	1885	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	150
AH 1303 (1885–1886)	1886	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1304 (1886–1887)	1887	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1305 (1887–1888)	1888	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	250
AH 1306 (1888–1889)	1889	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	300
AH 1307 (1889–1890)	1890	muhabere memuru	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	300
AH 1308 (1890–1891)	1891	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	300
AH 1309 (1891–1892)	1892	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	300
AH 1310 (1892–1893)	1892	Muhabere Memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	300
AH 1311 (1893–1894)	1893	muhabere memuru	beyoglu; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1312 (1894–1895)	1894	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1313 (1895–1896)	1895	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1314 (1896–1897)	1896	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1315 (1897–1898)	1897	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1316 (1898–1899)	1898	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1317 (1899–1900)	1899	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	325
AH 1318 (1900–1901)	1900	muhaberati ecnebiye memuriyeti	kadikoy; Province: dersaadet	400

Citation and sources

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