



**BilConnect**

Website Guide



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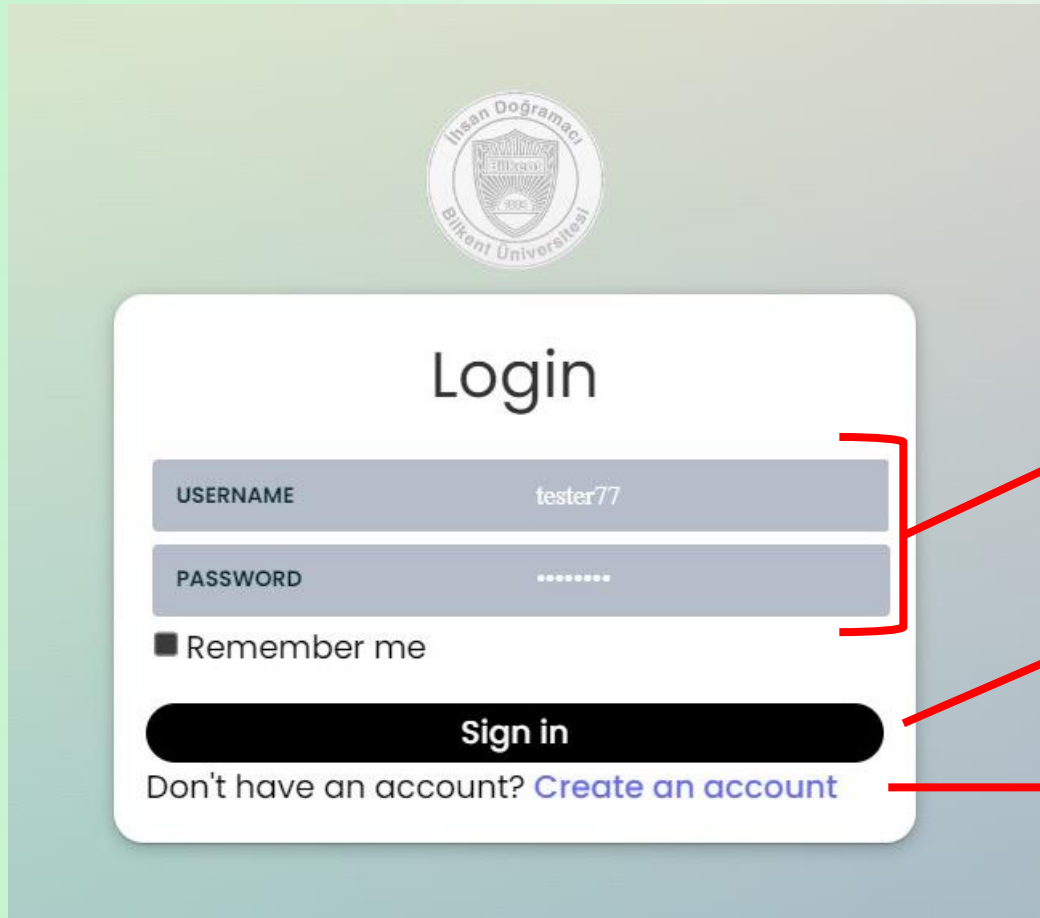
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# Login



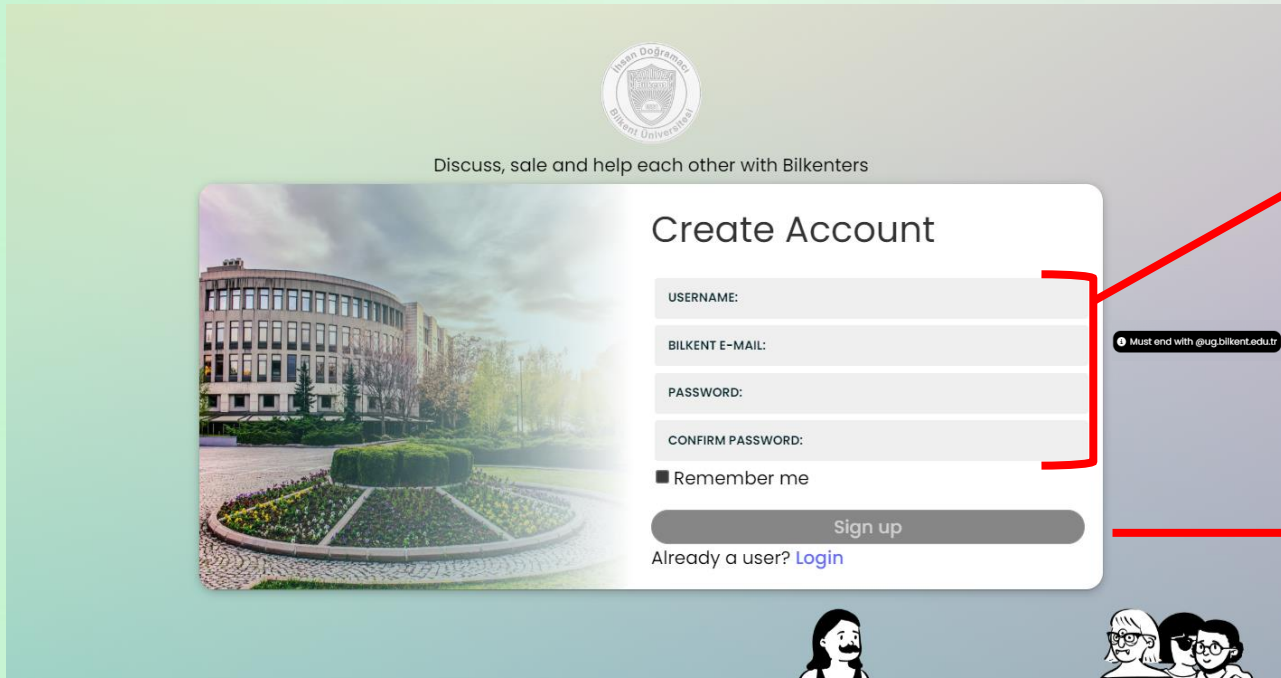
The image shows a login page for Bilconnect. At the top center is the Bilkent University logo, which includes the name 'İhsan Doğramacı Bilkent Üniversitesi'. Below the logo is a white rounded rectangle containing the login form. The form has the title 'Login' at the top. It contains two input fields: 'USERNAME' with the value 'tester77' and 'PASSWORD' with masked characters. Below these fields is a checkbox labeled 'Remember me'. At the bottom of the form is a black button with the text 'Sign in' and a blue link that says 'Don't have an account? [Create an account](#)'. Three red arrows point from the text on the right to the username field, the password field, and the 'Create an account' link.

When you click on the link of the application, the first thing you will see is the login page.

If you are already a member of Bilconnect, you can log in to the application by entering your username and password.

After the fields are filled, the "sign in" button will be activated. Then, click it.

If you do not have an account, click "Create an account" button to reach register page.

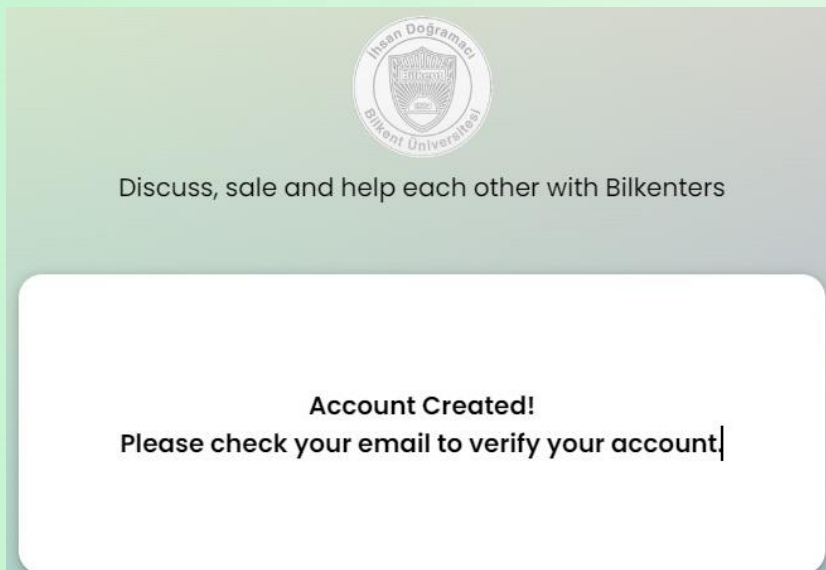


## Register

To register the website, you must fill in the username, email, and password fields.

These fields should not be filled randomly, but according to the information in the guiding pop-ups.

After all fields are filled in appropriately, the "sign up" button will be activated.



After filling in all fields properly and clicking the sign up button, the "check email" page will be displayed.

When you see this page, you need to go to your Bilkent e-mail within a minute and click on the verification link in the e-mail with the subject "Your Confirmation Email for BilConnect".

# Profile

The first page you will see when you log in to the application is the profile page.



When you click on your name, you can access your profile

Logout button

You can see your posts (forum posts, market items, lost&found declarations) by clicking "posts button".  
You can see your liked forum post by clicking " liked button".

**Edit Profile**

Username  
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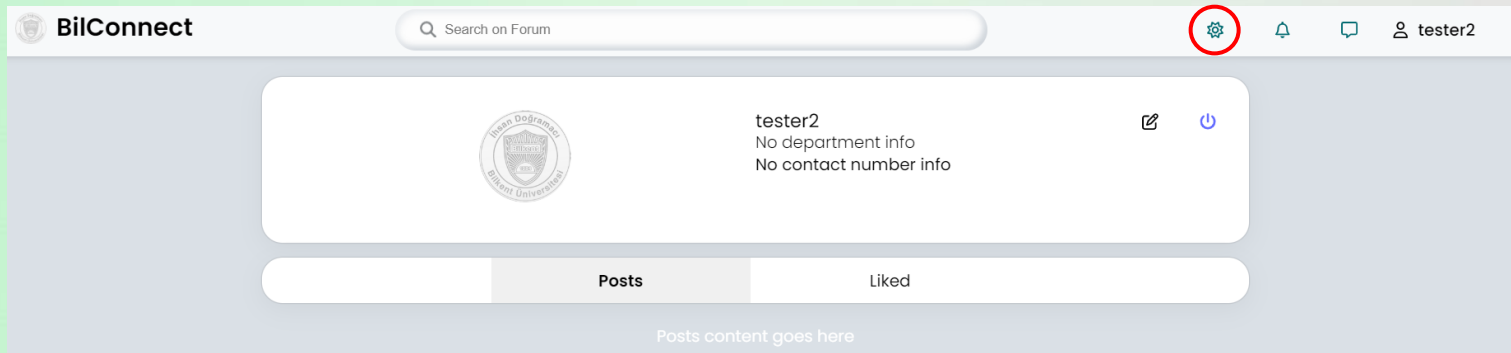
Department

Contact Number

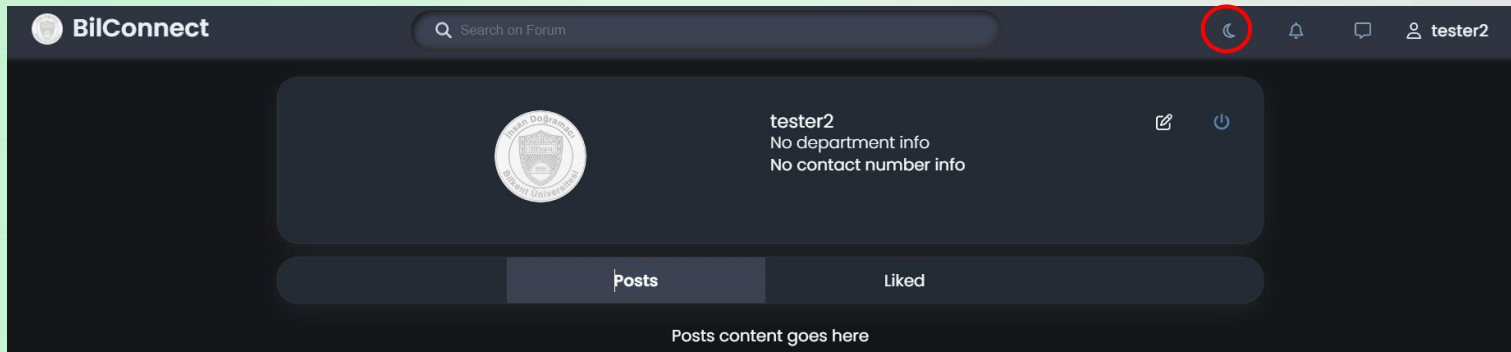
**Cancel** **Save** **Delete Account**

By clicking the edit button, you can edit your profile and change your information in the form that opens. You can also delete your account

# Dark-Light Modes

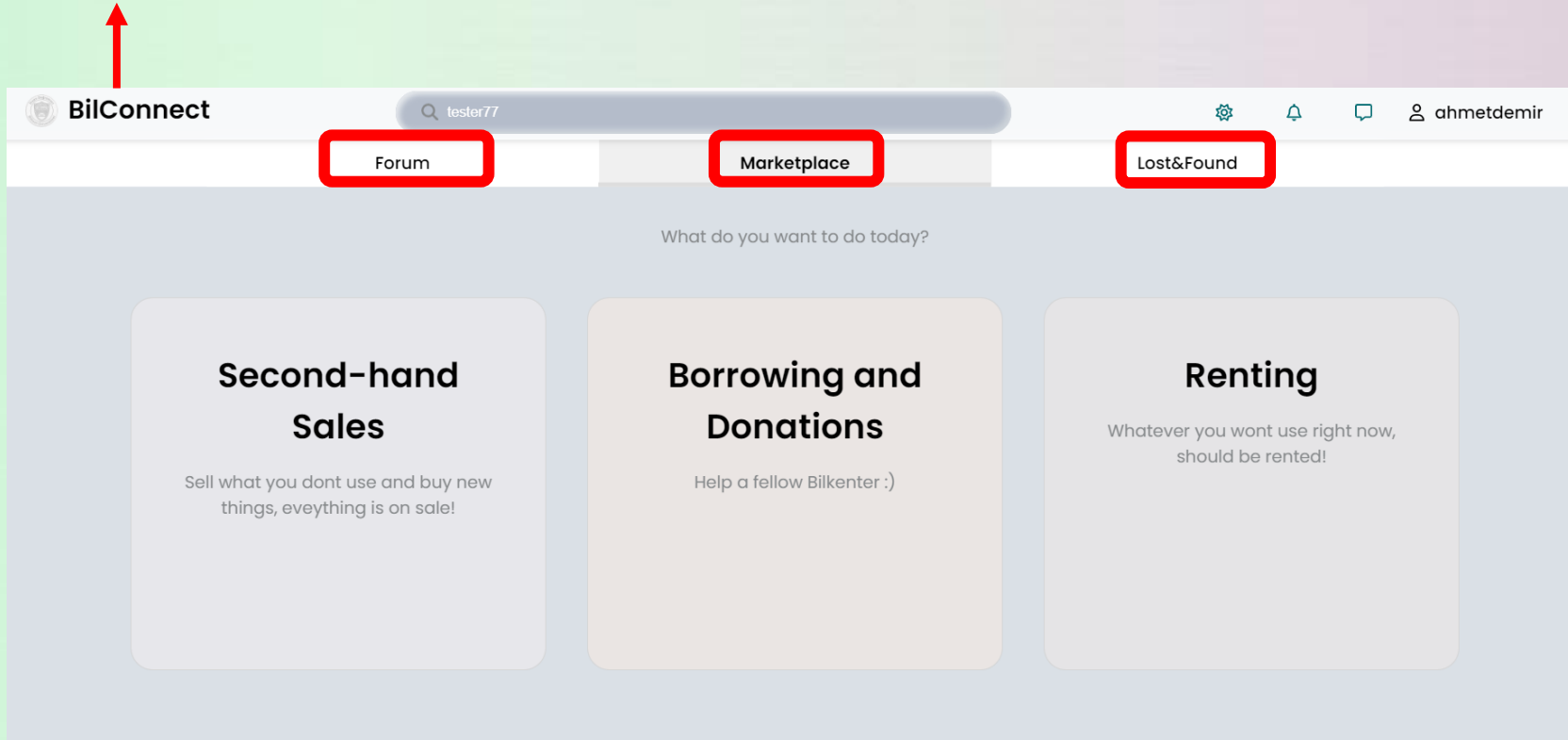


With the "dark/light mode icon" which is located to the right of the navigation bar, you can adjust the brightness of the user website according to your desire.



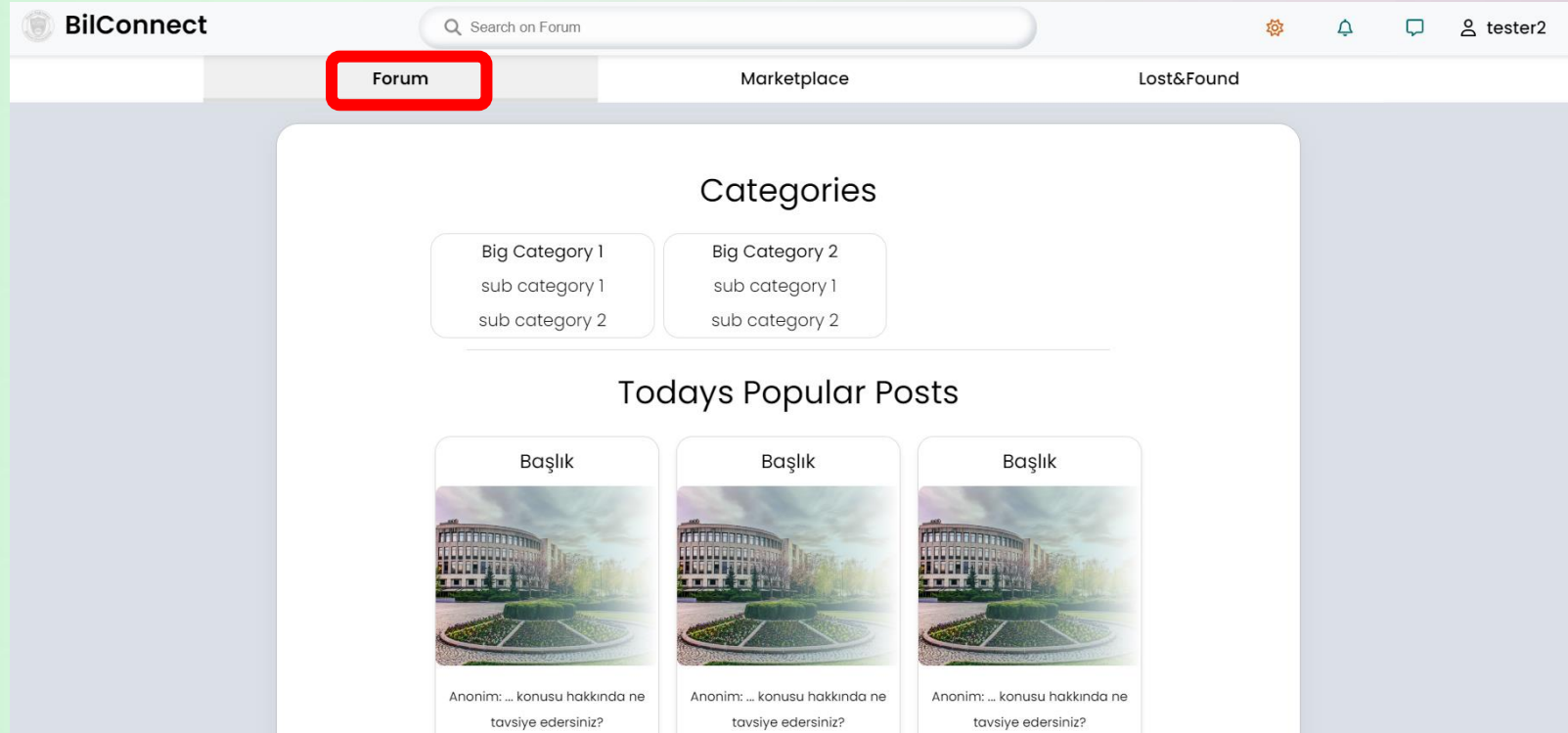
# Main Page

After clicking 'BilConnect' icon which is on the left-side of the navigation bar, you can see the 'Forum', 'Marketplace', and 'Lost&Found' buttons. By clicking them, you can reach the relevant page.



# Forum

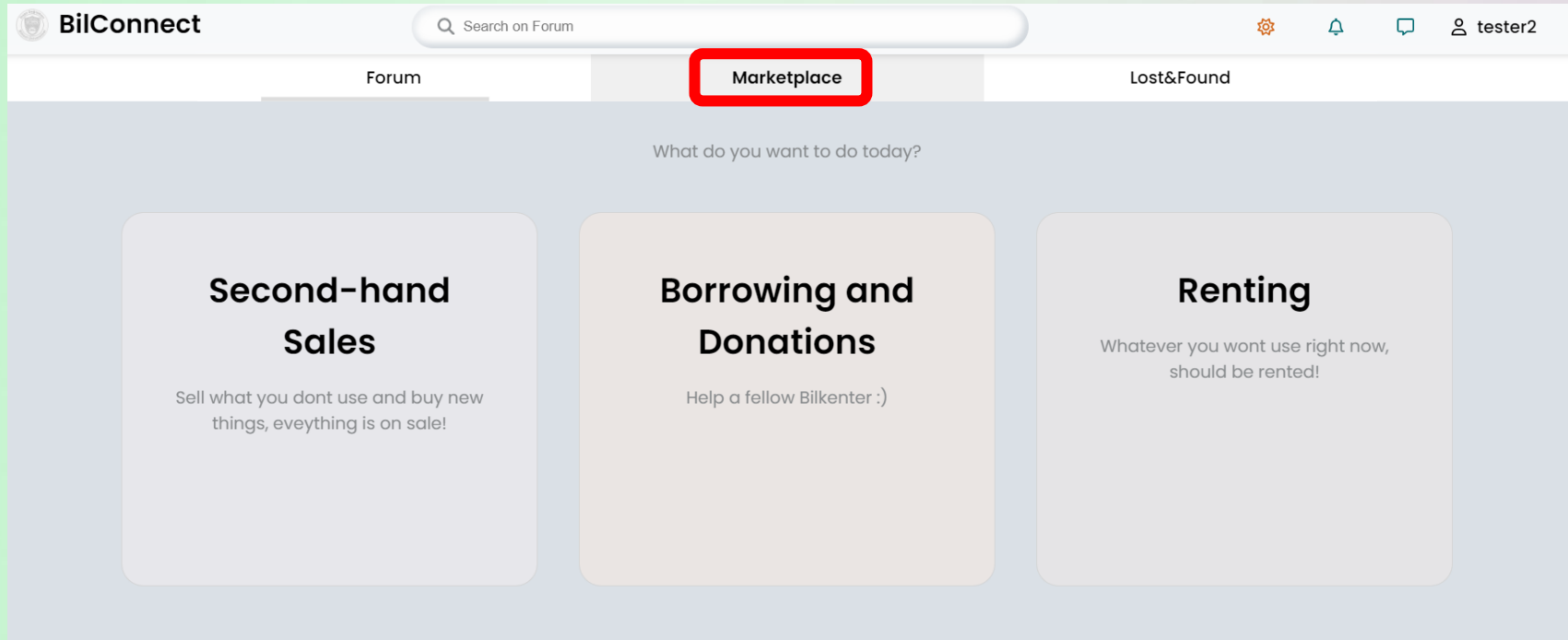
When you click the 'Forum' button, the forum page will be displayed. Here, you can see the main categories which are related to the posts, and some posts.





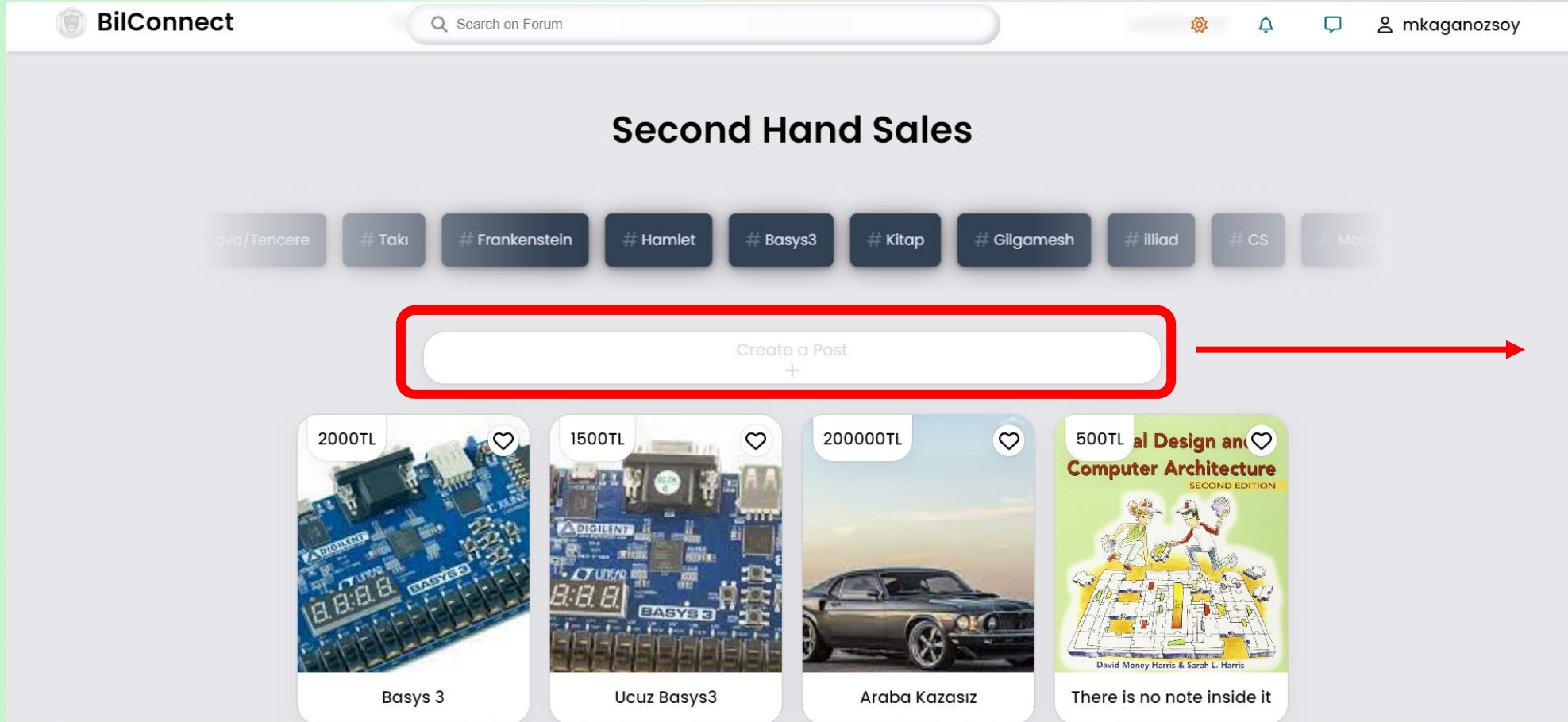
# Market Place

When you click the 'Marketplace' button, the market page will be displayed. Here, you can see the main categories about marketing. You can reach the 'second-hand' sales, 'borrowing and Donations' and 'Renting' pages from market page



# Second-hand Sales

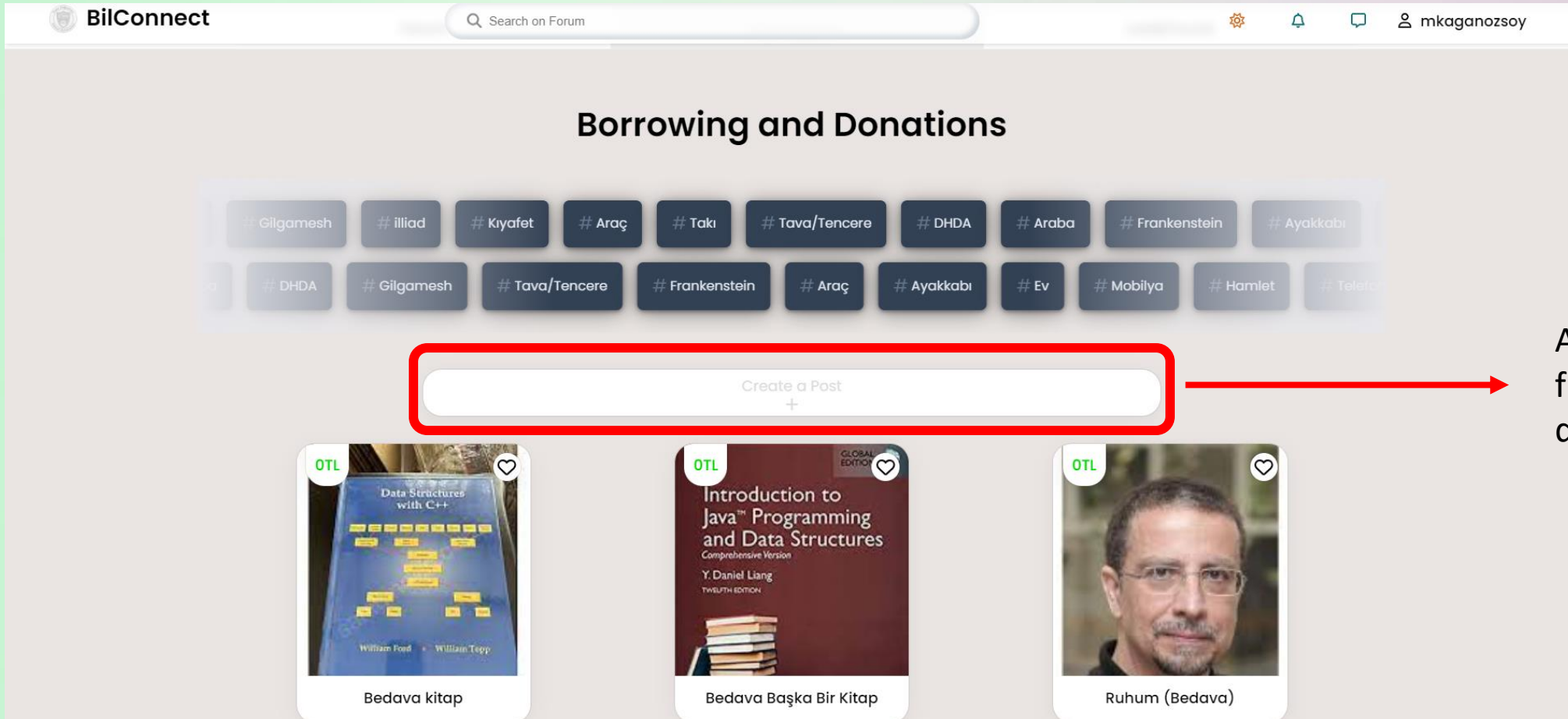
When you click to Second-hand Sales button from Marketplace, you will be directed to Second Hand Sales Page. In this page, you can see the items listed for second hand sale, and create a post in this category.



A post can be created from this button in the second-hand-sale section.

# Donations

When you click to Borrowing-Donations button from Marketplace, you will be directed to Donation Page. In this page, you can see the items listed for donations, and create a post in this category to donate an item.



A post can be created from this button in the donation section.

# Renting

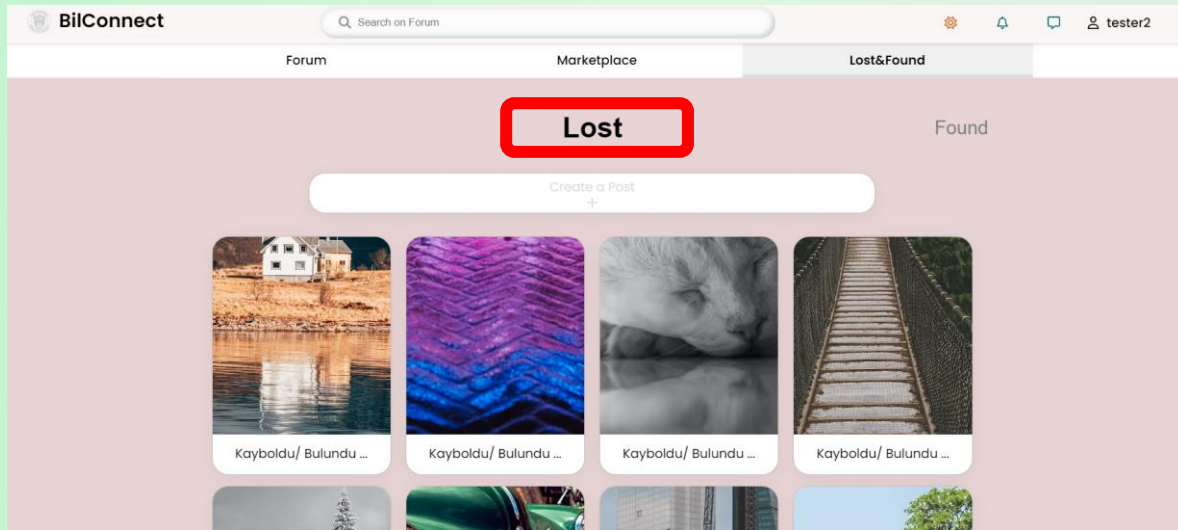
When you click to Renting button from Marketplace, you will be directed to renting page. In this page, you can see the items listed for renting, and create a post in this category to rent an item.

The screenshot shows the BilConnect website interface. At the top, there is a search bar with the text 'Search on Forum' and a user profile icon for 'mkaganozsoy'. The main heading is 'Renting'. Below this, there is a grid of category buttons including '# Kitap', '# illiad', '# Ayakkabi', '# DHDA', '# Calculator', '# Araç', '# Araba', '# Bilgisayar', '# Ev', '# CS', '# Tava/Tencere', '# Mobilya', '# Kiyafet', and '# Takı'. A red box highlights a 'Create a Post +' button. Below the buttons, there are three rental listings: 'Kiralık ev' (100TL), 'Kiralık Araba' (300TL), and 'Basy3 3 Lazım' (200TL).

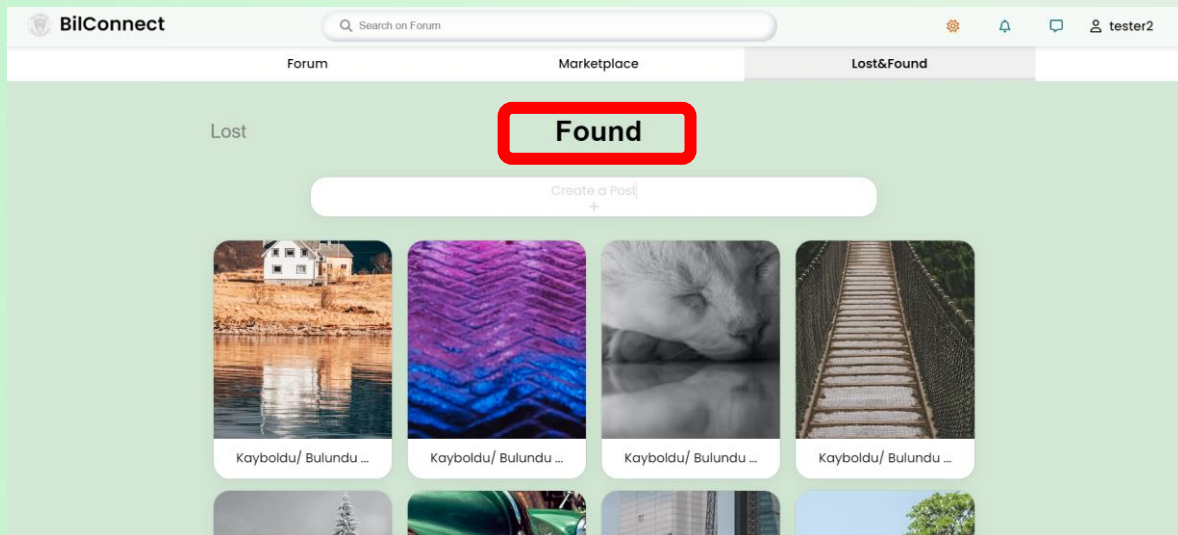
A post can be created from this button in the renting section.

# Lost & Found

When you click the 'Lost&Found' button, the lost&found page will be displayed. Here, you can see the 'lost' and 'found' items by clicking on them.

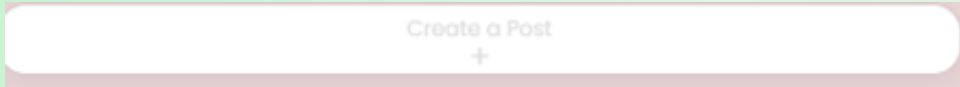


You can see the 'lost' items by clicking 'lost' button.



If you have lost something and want to search in case someone finds it, you can see the 'found' items by clicking 'found' button.

# Uploading Post & Item & Declaration



In all of the pages: 'forum', 'Marketplace', and 'lost&found'. There is 'Create a Post' buttons. By clicking them you can reach the same creating post page.

To create a post, declaration, or an item post; you should choose a main category from the top right button.

After you choose the category, there will be fields according to main category (location for the lost&found in this case, price for the market).

Fill the fields such as title, location. If you want you can also upload a photo by choosing on your desktop.

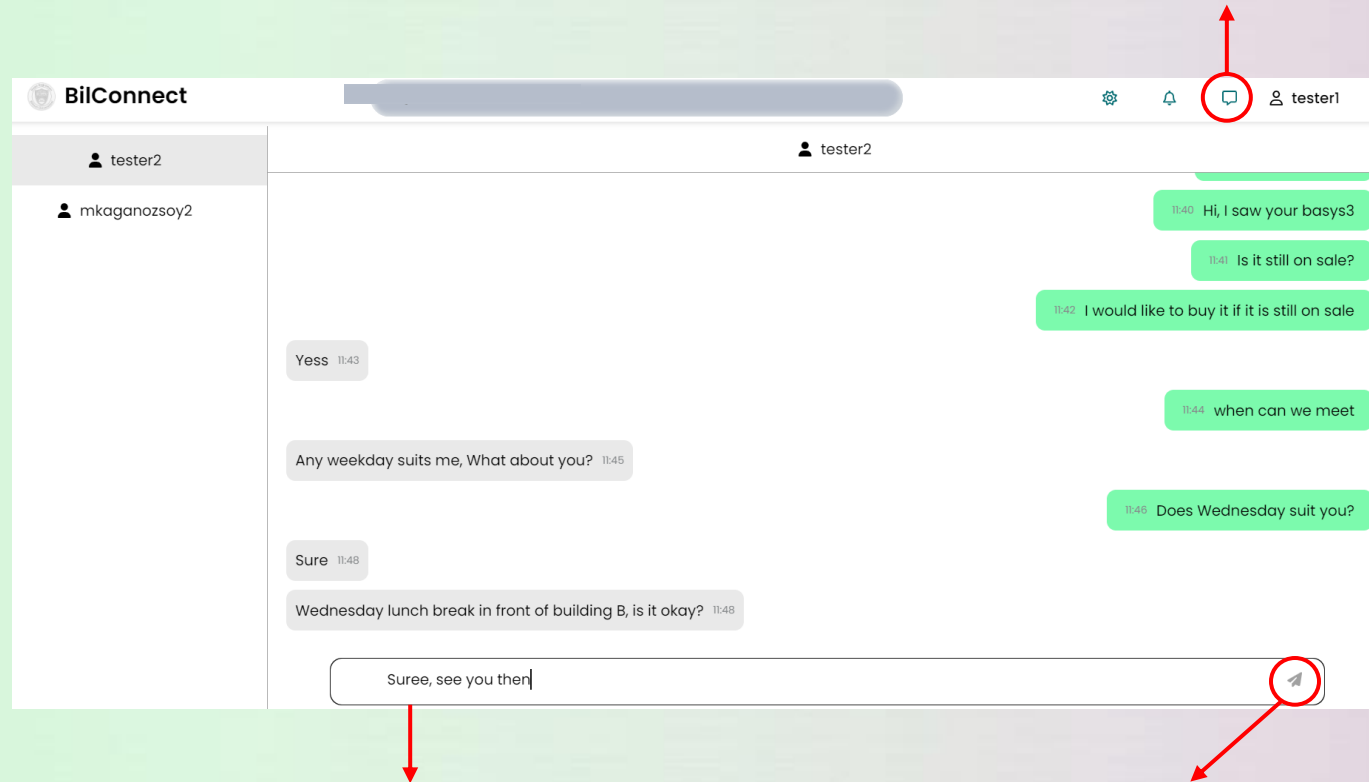
Finally, by clicking the submit button you can create your post.

# Chat/Messaging

By clicking "Chat icon", you can reach the chat page

You can view the users you have corresponded with before from the users tab on the left of the page

By clicking name of the user, you can displayed the chat with this user



When you write the content you want to write in the message box and press the "send icon", the message is instantly transmitted to the other user.