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Sex Female | Date of birth 28 Apr 1977 | Nationality Georgian

WORK EXPERIENCE

01/2017-Present

Consultant for Global Health

National Centre for Disease Control and Public Health (Georgia)

01/2017-Present

Advisor for the School of Health Sciences and Public Health

The University of Georgia (Georgia)

10/2018-Present

Country Coordinator

EU EACEA Erasmus + project "Doctoral Programmes in Public Health and Social Science "

09/2015–12/2017

Head of the Health Management Department

The University of Georgia (Georgia)

12/2013–11/2017

Academic Staff

EU EACEA TEMPUS Project "Actors Capacity Training in Caucasus"

0/2012–Present

Assistant Professor

University of Georgia, School of Health Sciences and Public Health

06/2012–08/2015

Academic Staff

SIU Project "Doctoral Programme in Public Health: Norway Experience of Third Cycle Studies for Georgia" (Norway)

04/2012–12/2013

Head of Academic Personnel Development and Project Management Department

The University of Georgia (Georgia)

10/2010–10/2013

Country Coordinator

EU EACEA TEMPUS project "Master Programmers in Public Health and Social Services"

10/2007–03/2012

Assistant

The University of Georgia, School of Public Health (Georgia)

07/2007–12/2011

Medical doctor

Maternity Home by David Koridze, LTD (Georgia)

04/2002–06/2007

Junior Doctor

Maternity Home by David Koridze, LTD (N4) (Georgia)

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 08/2019 **Implementation Science in Global Health**
Department of Global Health, University of Washington (WA, USA)
- 07/2019 **Andrija Stampar Summer Educational & Tutoring School (ASSETS)**
ASPHER & Maastricht University Brussels Campus (Belgium)
- 06-08/2019 **Global Health Diplomacy**
On-line course by The State University of New York SUNY
- 11-12/2018 **Scientific Writing in Global Health**
Trondheim University (Norway)
- 08-09/2017 **Academic English and Scientific Presentation Summer Course**
Linguapolis, Antwerp University Summer School (Belgium)
- 07/2017 **30th Residential Summer Course in Epidemiology and Statistics**
European Programme in Epidemiology (Italy)
- 01/2017-Present **PhD in Public Health**
The Arctic University of Norway, UiT
Doctoral Thesis "Severe Maternal Mortality and Morbidity in Georgia"
- 12/2013–08/2015 **Research Mobility**
Universidad del Pais Vasco (UPV/EHU) (Spain)
- 05/2012–06/2012 **Sexual Reproductive Health including HIV/AIDS**
The Royal Tropical Institute (KIT) (Netherlands)
- 01/2008–08/2011 **MBA with the Specialization in Hospital Management**
The University of Georgia, School of Management, Business and Economics (Georgia)
- 05/2011–05/2011 **Maternal and Infant Health**
Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons; Medical University of Graz (Austria)
- 06/2010–07/2010 **Internship**
Moses Taylor Hospital, University of Scranton (United States)
- 2010 **Master in Public Health in 7 days**
MIDEGO on-line course
- 2002–2007 **OB/GYN License**
State Medical Academy (Georgia)
- 1994–2001 **MD**
Tbilisi State Medical University, TSMU, Tbilisi (Georgia)
General Medicine
- 07/2000–08/2000 **Internship**
Hacettepe University (Turkey)

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Georgian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
IELTS					
Spanish	B2	B2	B1	B1	B1
Certificate of the Universidad del Pais Vasco (Spain)					
Russian	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Publications and Presentations

- Reinforcing the quality of reproductive healthcare in Georgia, presentation at the CUGH Conference, USA, 2019
- Maternal Deaths in Georgia: Descriptive study from the National Surveillance System, presentation at the NRSRGH Conference, Norway, 2018
- Severe Maternal Mortality and Morbidity in Georgia, presentation at the NRSRGH Conference, Norway, 2017
- "Doctoral Programme in Public Health: Norway Experience of Third Cycle Studies for Georgia", presentation and abstract book, ORPHEUS Conference, Switzerland, 2014
- "Public Health Master Programs Evaluation in Georgia", presentation and abstract book, Conference "Public Health and Social Services - Education and Practice", Moldova, 2012
- "Hospital Networks and Development Perspectives in Georgia", presentation and abstract book, G. Chapidze International Scientific conference, 2011
- "Integration of Hospitals: is it time for similar changes in Georgia?", World Hospitals and Health Services Journal, 2012, Vol. 48,1
- "Georgian Health System and its Recent Impact on Health and Social Well-being", Caucasus Journal of Social Sciences, N2 (5), 2011

Certifications

- University of Minnesota; Allina Medical Clinic; Abbott Northwestern Hospital "Public Health Interventions to Prevent HIV Infection" and "Environmental Public Health" (2012)
- Helsinki Foundation for Human Rights "Human Rights in Health Care - International Standards" (2012)
- Institute for Social Research, Babes-Bolyai University (Romania) "Modern teaching techniques and methods in higher education" (2012)
- EU EACEA "New Trends in Medical Education" (2012)
- Royal Institute of Technology KTH, (Sweden) "Modern ICT and application in higher education" (2011)
- University of Cumbria, (UK) "Development of Master Programmers in Public Health and Social Work" (2011)
- USAID Health System Strengthening Project "Human Resource Management for Hospitals" (2010)
- Quality & Safety Consulting Group - LRQA "Quality Management System According ISO 9001:2008" (2009)
- Health management Education Partnership, USAID / AIHA "Health Care Administration" (2009)
- University of Scranton "Health Care Administration course" (2008)
- The European School of Oncology (2005-2006)
- UNFPA "Study tour in Reproductive Health" (2003)
- University of Scranton USA "Health Care Management" (2001)

Honours and awards

- Erasmus Mundus BACKIS Scholarship
- The Netherlands Fellowship Programmes Scholarship

- American Austrian Foundation (AAF) and Open Medical Institute (OMI) Scholarship
- Presidential award and Diploma for 1st Place for the winning Students 54th Scientific Conference

Memberships

- Norwegian Research School for Global Health (NRSGH)
- Holland Alumni Association in Georgia (HAAG)
- The European Public Health Association EUPHA
- The Association of University Programs in Health Administration AUPHA
- Consortium of Universities in Global Health CUGH