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Honorary Fellow Member, World Psychiatric Association (WPA)

Secretary for Scientific Sections, WPA
President, Armenian Psychiatric Association
Associate Professor, YSMU after M. Heratsi
Immediate Past President, Armenian Medical Association
Head, Psychosocial Recovery Centre
Editor in Chief “Armenian Journal of Mental Health”

Education

1993-1995 Post Graduate, Department of Psychiatry and Medical Psychology, Yerevan State Medical University after Mkhitar Heratsi (YSMU)
1985-1993 Graduate, General Medicine, YSMU
2007-2008 Yerevan School of Political Studies

Work Experience

2022-present Head, Psychosocial Recovery Centre
2015-2019 Head, Agency of Medicosocial Expertises
2016 Expert, WHO, for elaboration of the National Mental Health Program of Kyrgyzstan
2014-2022 Scientific Manager, Psychosocial Recovery Centre
2014-2015 Deputy Director, “Nubarashen” Psychiatric Centre
2013-2014 Director, “Avan” Mental Health Center
2011-2013 Head, Licensing Agency, Ministry of Health, RA
2009-2011 Deputy Director, Psychiatric Medical Centre
2004-present Associate Professor, Department of Psychiatry, YSMU
2003-2009 Head, Department of Health and Social Affairs, Yerevan Municipality
2001-2003 Assistant, Department of Psychiatry and Medical Psychology, YSMU
2000-2003 Deputy Head, Department of Health, Yerevan Municipality
1997-2000 Psychiatrist, Department of Compulsory Treatment, Nubarashen Psychiatric Hospital
1996-1997 Psychiatrist, “Nork” Republican Center of Mental Health

Research Experience

1997-2003 Epidemiology of Mental Disorders in Republic of Armenia, and Some Aspects of Rationalization of Psychiatric Services, PhD

Publications

More than 60 publications
Editor in Chief, “Armenian Journal of Mental Health”
Editorial Board member, “World Psychiatry”
First Editor of the Journal «Всемирная Психиатрия» “World Psychiatry” in Russian

Activities in NGO field

2023- present Secretary for Scientific Sections, WPA
2021- 2023 President, Armenian Medical Association
2014- 2020 Secretary for Finances, WPA
2011- 2014 Co-chair, Committee on Finance, WPA
2009- present President, Armenian Psychiatric Association
2007- 2011 Vice-President, Asian Federation of Psychiatric Associations
2005- 2011 Zonal Representative, WPA in Eastern Europe (Zone 10)
2005- 2011 Board Member, Geneva Initiative on Psychiatry-Tbilisi
2005- 2019 Vice-President, Armenian Medical Association
2002- 2004 Secretary General, Armenian Medical Association
1997- 2009 Secretary, Armenian Association of Psychiatrists and Narcologists
1997- present Network of Reformers Geneva (Global) Initiative on Psychiatry

Languages

Armenian, Russian, English