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### **KEY QUALIFICATIONS:**

Deputy Director at Medical-diagnostic clinic “444”, and Program and Project Administration Head at clinic “Health Center”, Tbilisi, Georgia, experienced in technical support to the design, establishment, management, monitoring and evaluation of health and social programs, member of a vast number of international and national organizations, expert on high education, medical education, healthcare systems, pathology. Demonstrated organizational skills and process oriented leadership, in order to reach consensus and achieve objectives. Strong analytical, report writing and presentation skills. Proficiency in all major computer software.

### **WORK AND CONSULTACY EXPERIENCE:**

**January 2012 – Present.** Deputy Director, Medical-diagnostic clinic “444”, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**January 2012 – Present.** Consulting Manager, Institute for Strategic Research, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**January 2012 – Present.** Program and Project Administration Head at clinic “Health Center”, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2011 - Present.** Medical doctor (MD), Pathologanatomist, clinic “Geohospitals”, Georgia.

**2009 – Present.** Project coordinator, Disability Status Assessment project, Swiss National Fund, Switzerland-Georgia.

**2007 – Present.** President, Association of Georgian Pathologists XXI, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2006 – Present.** President, Association of Medical Education Professionals, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2005 – Present.** Board member, Association of Georgian Clinical Pathologists, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2002 – Present.** Member, National Bioethics Council, Expert at Ministry of Labor, Health and Social Affairs, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2001 – Present.** Member, Association of Atherosclerosis.

**1999 – Present.** Member, Association for Medical Education in Europe.

**1994 – Present.** Member, Association of Georgian Physicians, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2009 – 2010.** Director, Vocational Training Center “Speqtri”, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2009 – 2010.** Expert at National Scientific Fund, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2007 – 2009.** Full professor, program leader, IB EuroCaucasian University, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2007 – 2009.** Head of Strategic Development and Quality Control Department, Aversi Clinic, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2008.** Coordinator, Project of National Scientific Fund, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2006 – 2008.** Expert of International Consulting Group “Curatio”, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2005.** Representative, Institutional evaluation project, Association of European Universities.

**2004.** Local manager. Educational project Socrates funded by EU, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**1998 – 2007.** Associated Professor, Pathology Department, Tbilisi State Medical University, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2003 – 2006.** Vice-rector, Head of Education/Sciences Department, Tbilisi State Medical University, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2004 – 2009.** Member of American Chamber of Commerce, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**2001 – 2004.** Member of Board, Expert group on elaborating Georgian Law of High Education, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**1988 - 1998.** Medical Doctor (MD), National Sepsis Center, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**1996 - 1997.** Member of Interparliamentary Group for coordinating Healthcare Systems development in Caucasian Region, Azerbaijan, Armenia, Georgia.

**1986 – 1988.** Lieutenant, USSR Army Medical Corps.

**1984 – 1986.** Clinical resident, Tbilisi State Medical Institute, Tbilisi, Georgia.

### **EDUCATION:**

**1994-2003.** Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), Tbilisi State Medical University, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**1984-1986.** Doctor Patholog-anatomist, Tbilisi State Medical Institute, Tbilisi, Georgia.

**1978-1984** Medical Doctor (MD) specialized in General Medicine. Tbilisi State Medical Institute, Faculty of Medicine, Tbilisi, Georgia.

## PUBLICATIONS:

- Some aspects of teaching of General Pathological Anatomy at Tbilisi State Medical University; A Critical Appraisal of Medical Education; Conference Abstracts, Linkoping, Sweden, 1999
- Resolving higher medical education problems at Tbilisi State Medical University. A Critical Appraisal of Medical Education; Abstracts, Linkoping, Sweden, 1999
- Elaboration of Medical Education Model for Post-Soviet Countries, Beer Sheva, Israel 2000, AMEE Conference Abstracts
- Endothelium Function in Cardiovascular Diseases: Perspectives of Clinical Implication, European Journal of Cardiology 2001
- Higher Medical Education at Tbilisi state Medical University Current strategies and Future perspectives, AMEE conference abstracts, Berlin 2001.
- New trends at TSMU laboration of medical education conception, Medical Education and standards at a Time of change programme and abstracts September 2001. Berlin
- Changes of Labrocytes in Experimental Infection by E.coli and S.aureus, Department of pathological Anatomy, Tbilisi state Medical University . Annals of biomedical research and education, Volume 2, Issue 1 , January-March, 2002
- New Trends at the TSMU Developing a concept of Medical Education, Tbilisi State Medical University, Georgia. Annals of biomedical research and education, Volume 2 Issue 3, July-September 2002
- Integration of Eastern European Medical Schools into the European Medical Educational System, Approaches to Better teaching, Programme and Abstracts, AMEE conference, Lisbon 2002
- Morphological changes of lymph node caused by lymphadenopathies of various Genesis and E.Coli in experimental model, Department of Pathological Anatomy, Tbilisi State Medical University, Georgia. Volume 2 , Issue 4, October-December 2002 Annals of biomedical research and education, TSMU
- The Morphological changes in Lymph Nodes during clinical and Experimental Lymphadenopathy of Different Genesis, Department of Pathological Anatomy, Tbilisi State Medical University, Georgia. Volume 3 , Issue 1, January-March 2003 Annals of biomedical research and education, TSMU
- Some issues concerning post-graduate education in Georgia, Relevance in medical education, AMEE conference, Bern, 2003, Programme and Abstracts
- Introducing quality culture in the Tbilisi State Medical University, Relevance in medical education, AMEE conference, Bern, 2003, Programme and Abstracts.
- Morphological changes during a laser irradiation of low frequency at experimental hypertension caused by NO inhibition, TSMU Annals of biomedical research and education.2005. Issue 3, July-September
- Delimitation model of the curriculum, TSMU Annals of biomedical research and education ,Volume 5 , Issue 1, January-March 2005

Editor of a number of manuals and magazines. Author of national medical guideline.

*Language skills:* **English:** Fluent; **Russian:** Fluent; **Georgian:** Native.

*Computer Skills:* Familiar with **Microsoft Office** software applications.

*Cultural skills:* Extensive experience of **living/working in a multicultural environment** and adapting to foreign cultures. Participant and organizer of 21 international conferences.

*Reference:* Available upon request