

## Curriculum vitae

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### Academic Qualifications

1999 Research Fellow, Serbski National Research Center of Social and Forensic Psychiatry, Moscow, Russia  
1995 Visiting Study Fellow, Refugee Studies Programme, University of Oxford  
1990 Thesis: Post Traumatic Stress Syndrome/ Disorder in Children  
Supervisor: Prof. Andrei Illyich Padolski (Head of Department)  
1988-90 Diploma in Practical Psychology  
Faculty of Psychology, Lomonosov University, Moscow, Russia  
1980-85 Diploma in Educational Psychology  
Institute of Pedagogy, Vanadzor, Armenia

### Professional Experience

2001 Director, Child and Adolescent Mental Health Care Project, Armenian Association of Child Psychiatrists and Psychologists and CAFOD joint project.  
1999  
4 months also, Director of Training Program, Mental Health Project in Nagorno Karabagh, MSF - Belgium  
1992 Head of Medical Psychology Studies, State Medical University (SMU) Department of Psychiatry and Medical Psychology, Yerevan, Armenia  
1990-92 Psychologist, Aralez Psychological Rehabilitation Centre, Vanadzor  
1991 Observer at Child and Family Department Day Unit, The Tavistock Clinic,  
Feb-Aug Group Therapy and History of Art Courses, Richmond, London, UK  
1985-88 Deputy Director for Educational and Extracurricular Activities, High School, Metsavan, Armenia

### Publications (books)

- ICD-10, Classification of Mental and Behavioural Disorders Clinical Description and Diagnostic Guidelines, Armenian translation, Ed. by M.A. Melik-Pashayan, member of editorial board 261p. Yerevan 2001;
- Current issues in Child and Adolescents Mental Health, Teaching Manual, GIP and ACPP publication, 107pages, in Russian, Yerevan, 2000
- How to cope with stress, (brochure for adolescents), MH Foundation and UMCOR joint publication, Yerevan 1999
- Current Issues in Mental Health, Training Manual MSF–Belgium and USAID MH Project 95 pages, in Russian, Yerevan, 1999,

- Medical Psychology (Theoretical Basis), M. Melik-Pashayan and K.Gsaparyan (190pages)(1995)
- A Practical Guide to Clinical Psychology M. Melik-Pashayan and K. Gasparyan

### **Papers and Abstracts**

1. Irregular Migration Issues among the women in Armenia, "Psychology and Life" magazine, p. 17-24, N1, 2001
2. The perspective of Mental Health Services in health Care System of Armenia, Kantegh2-collected articles, National Academy of Sciences of Armenia publication, pages: 121-130, 207p. Yervan, 2001;
3. Presentation, Traumatic Events, Development and Psychological defence, European Conference on Mental Health, Rotterdam, March 2001, The Netherlands;
4. Presentation, Traumatic Events Representing an Organizer in Development Symposium, 47<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, New York, 2000
5. II Armenian-Swiss Conference, Yerevan.1999
6. The development of Child Mental Health care in Armenia (co-authors: M. Yeghiyan and A. Danielyan), MH Reforms, Geneva Initiative on Psychiatry, Volume four, 1999
7. XI World Congress of Psychiatry, two publications in abstract book, Hamburg,1999
8. Posttraumatic Stress Disorder after the Earthquake in Armenia, Journal of Practical Psychology, State University after Lomonosov, Moscow, 1998
9. Anxiety as a peculiarity of person for patients with periodic decease
10. Co-author: A. Gevorkian, Regional Meeting in Mediterranean Area, World Psychiatric Association, Rome, Italy, 1997
11. Some aspects of PTSD in Armenia (war affected reactions)
12. I Armenian- Swiss conference, Volume, Yerevan, Armenia, 1997
13. Levels of phobic reactions among the population of Karabagh: post war psychological reality. Scientific Journal of SMU, 1997, (*more 7 publications during the year 1997*)
14. Earthquake related Posttraumatic Reactions in Armenia
15. X World Congress of Psychiatry, Volume 2, Madrid, 1996
16. Traumatic Memories, Sbornic Nevrologii, Dnepropetrovsk, Russia, 1996

### **Presentations, Conferences and Courses**

- Traumatic events representing an organizer in development, "The effect of politics on Child development" Sposium, AACAP Annual Meeting, 2000
- 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference, Yerevan State Med. Univ, Results of research among the three refugee community of Armenia, Yerevan, Armenia, 2000
- Child and Adolescents Mental Health, Conference Central European University, Budapest, Hungary 1999
- Food for the mind, 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Conference, World Federation for Mental Health, Edinburgh, Scotland, July 1998
- Mental Health Policy and Economics/ Member of International Organizing Committee
  1. The Cost and Assessment of "Hot line" services (presentation)
  2. Training Project to pre-empt Drug Addiction (poster, co-author M. Yeghian)

3. Depression among Adolescents: Treatment and their relative Merits, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, September 1997
- Norwegian Refugee Council Regional Conference, Tbilisy, Georgia, 1996, 97  
Mental Health problems of Children in war time
  - WHO Regional Conference, Tbilisy, Georgia, 1996
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Conference on Practical Psychology, Lomonosov University, Moscow, 1995
  - The Management of Stress in Humanitarian Work, 1week course, Refugee Studies Programme, University of Oxford, England, UK, 1995
  - Youth Network, Hariunia, Sweden, 1993
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> United Nations of Youth Conference, Amsterdam, 1992
  - 5<sup>th</sup> Armenian International Medical Congress, Paris, 1992
  - The Tavistock Clinic, London, 1991

#### Invited Lectures

International Seminar “Main issues of Disorder Medicine”

K. Gasparyan-Reminscence stage characteristic of PTSD caused by earthquake and border conflict in time of war and peace, National Academy of Sciences, Yerevan, Armenia, July, 1997

Norwegian Refugee Council, Tbilisy, Georgia, 1996, 97

Queen Elizabeth House, University of Oxford, 1995

Armenian Medical Association of GB, London, 1991, 95

Group Analytic Society, London, 1991

#### Broadcasts

Resident Psychologist / Psychological Help on Air/ A Programme for teenagers

State Radio Company of RA, Yerevan

#### Referees:

##### **Dr. Maruke Yeghiayan**

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