

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### Education

2014 Doctor of Philology, 1005 - Philology.

2011-2014 Doctorate. Doctoral Programme: Contrastive Linguistics, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

2003-2005 MA (qualification of a philologist), Faculty of European Philology and Art, Majoring in English Language and Literature, Kutaisi Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

1999-2003 BA, Faculty of European Languages and Literature, specialising in English Language and Literature, Kutaisi Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

1988-1999 Kutaisi Ioseb Otskheli #2 School, Kutaisi, Georgia

### Work Experience

2018-present Associate Professor, Sh. Meskhia State Teaching University of Zugdidi, Georgia.

2014-present Teacher, Language Centre, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

2010-2014 Invited specialist, Language Centre, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

2004-2010 Teacher, English Studies Department, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

2003-2007 Lab Assistant, English Studies Department, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi, Georgia.

### Scientific Interests

Linguistics (Contrastive Linguistics, Communicative Linguistics, Linguopragmatics)

### Teaching Qualification

- 06/2015 TKT (Teaching Knowledge Test), Module III (Band 4). CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH Language Assessment. Part of the University of Cambridge. Tbilisi, Georgia.
- 06/2015 TKT (Teaching Knowledge Test), Module II (Band 4). CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH Language Assessment. Part of the University of Cambridge. Tbilisi, Georgia.
- 06-2014 TKT (Teaching Knowledge Test), Module I (Band 4). CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH Language Assessment. Part of the University of Cambridge. Tbilisi, Georgia

### Professional Training

- 05/2018 On-line training session for ELT teachers - *Teaching Teenagers* by Amanda Davies. Subject: *Empowering Teens for Life in the 21 century*. PEARSON
- 05/2018 On-line training session for ELT teachers - *Teaching Teenagers* by Philip Warwick. Subject: *Authenticity in the Secondary Classroom*. PEARSON
- 04/2018 On-line training session for ELT teachers - *Teaching Teenagers* by Vaughan Jones. Subject: *Learning Words Over and Over and Over Again*. PEARSON
- 04/2018 On-line training session for ELT teachers - *Teaching Teenagers* by Emily Gale. Subject: *The Benefits of Using Authentic Videos in the ELT Classroom*. PEARSON
- 01-2018 Training course "Teaching Large, Multilevel Classrooms". ETAG, Peace Corps, Kutaisi, Georgia
- 10/2017 Pearson Training "Bringing the Coursebook to Life", English Book in Georgia, Kutaisi
- 07/2016 Training course "Lesson Planning and Feedback". British Council, ETAG, Kutaisi, Georgia
- 06/2011 English Language Teaching, Tti School of English, British Council, ATSU, Kutaisi, Georgia

2010-2011	Methodological Course "Academic Reading", English Language Fellows Program, ATSU, Kutaisi, Georgia
03/2010	Seminar: "Practical Approach Towards Developing Language Skills", English Book in Georgia", Tbilisi, Georgia
01/2010	Training course "Academic Writing" HOMO LOQUENS, Multilingual Association of Georgia, ATSU, Kutaisi, Georgia
06-07/2005	Modern English Language Teaching (MELT), British Council, Kutaisi, Georgia
04/2005	Training Course "Developing Writing Skills (DWS), British Council, USAID, ETAG, Kutaisi, Georgia
11/2002	Seminar "American English", Prof. M. Gorlach, KSU, Kutaisi, Georgia

## Scientific Publications

### 1. Monographs, coursebooks

2017	Monograph: <i>Linguopragmatic Analysis of Functioning of Pragmatic Markers (On the Material of English and Georgian Political Media discourse)</i> . Akaki Tsereteli State University Publication, Kutaisi.
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### 2. Articles

2018	<i>Contrastive Markers in English and Georgian</i> ; Language and Culture, Scientific Peer Reviewed Journal #19, Kutaisi.
04/2016	<i>Contrastive View on Parallel Markers in Political Media Discourse</i> , Proceedings of 6th International Research Conference on Education, English Language Teaching, English Language and Literatures in English (IECEELT 2016), International Black Sea University, Tbilisi.
10/2015	<i>Pragmatic Means of Expressing Evidence In Political Mediadiscourse</i> , Scientific Papers of International Scientific conference: "Modern Interdisciplinarity and Humanitarian Thinking-2015", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
06/2015	<i>Some Problems of Studying English as a Second Language</i> , Scientific Papers of VI international Scientific Conference: "Urgent Problems of Teaching", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
2013	<i>Mass Media Impact on Linguistic Processes</i> , Scientific Journal of the Faculty of Arts, Vol. XIII, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
10/2013	<i>Towards the Issue of Classification of Pragmatic Markers</i> , Scientific Papers of International Scientific conference: "Modern Interdisciplinarity and Humanitarian Thinking", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.

- 10/2013 *Some Aspects of Political Media Discourse*, Scientific Papers of II international Scientific Conference: "Intercultural Dialogues", I. Gogebashvili Telavi State University, Telavi, Georgia.
- 05/2013 *Interview - Dialogic Genre of Publicism and Peculiarities of Newspaper Interview as Communicative Act*, Scientific Papers of II international Scientific Conference: "Language and Culture", Kutaisi.
- 06/2012 *Role of Contrastive Analysis in Methods of Teaching English*, Scientific Papers of III international Scientific Conference: "Urgent Problems of Teaching", Kutaisi.
- 2012 *Cohesion and Coherence - Two Aspects of Coherent Utterance*, Scientific Journal: "Language and Culture", Foundation for Development of Art and Pedagogical Sciences, Kutaisi
- 2012 *Contrastive Pragmatics - New Branch of Contrastive Linguistics*, Scientific Journal of the Faculty of Arts, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Vol. XII, Kutaisi
- 2010-2011 *Some Peculiarities of Regional Varieties of English*, Scientific Journal of the Faculty of Arts, Akaki Tsereteli State University, Vol. XI, Kutaisi
- 01/2010 *Social Identity from Linguistic Viewpoint*, Periodical Scientific Journal "Sazrasi", Vol. 10, Tbilisi State University of Economic Relations, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences.

### **Participation in Scientific Conferences**

- 10/2017 *Contrastive Markers in English and Georgian*; III International Scientific conference: "Modern Interdisciplinary and Humanitarian Thinking", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
- 04/2016 *Contrastive View on Parallel Markers in Political Media Discourse*, 6th International Research Conference on Education, English Language Teaching, English Language and Literatures in English (IECEELT 2016), International Black Sea University, Tbilisi.
- 10/2015 *Evidential Markers in English and Georgian Political Mediadiscourse*, International Conference on Communication Styles , Krosno, Poland.
- 10/2015 *Pragmatic Means of Expressing Evidence In Political Mediadiscourse*, International Scientific conference: "Modern Interdisciplinary and Humanitarian Thinking-2015", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
- 06/2015 *Some Problems of Studying English as a Second Language*, VI international Scientific Conference: "Urgent Problems of Teaching", Akaki Tsereteli State University , Kutaisi.

- 10/2013 *Towards the Issue of Classification of Pragmatic Markers.* International Scientific conference: "Modern Interdisciplinarity and Humanitarian Thinking", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
- 10/2013 *Some Aspects of Political Media Discourse,* II international Scientific Conference: "Intercultural Dialogues", I. Gogebashvili Telavi State University, Telavi, Georgia.
- 05/2013 *Interview - Dialogic Genre of Publicism and Peculiarities of Newspaper Interview as Communicative Act,* II international Scientific Conference: "Language and Culture", Kutaisi.
- 06/2012 *Role of Contrastive Analysis in Methods of Teaching English,* III international Scientific Conference: "Urgent Problems of Teaching", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.
- 2011 International Conference: "Modern Methods of Teaching English as a Second Language and Their Implementation", Akaki Tsereteli State University, Kutaisi.

### Other Trainings

- 05-07/2003 Training Course: *Computer Basics.* "Mze-93", Kutaisi.

### Public Activities

- 1999-2003 Member English Speaking Club, ATSU, Kutaisi, Georgia
- 2003 – present Member, Kutaisi-Newport International Association (KNIA)
- 2005 Member, English Teachers Association of Georgia, (ETAG).

### Other Activities

- 2016 Teacher, Center for International Education, Kutaisi
- 11/2013 Interpreter, *Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights* (OSCE/ODIHR), Kutaisi.

### Awards

- 06/2003 Diploma of Honour, for active participation in the XIII Students' Scientific Conference. Kutaisi Akaki Tsereteli State University.

**Marital Status:** Married, two children

**Languages:** Georgian (native), English, Russian