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Sex Male | Date of birth 21/04/1973 | Nationality Georgian

Marital Status: **Married.**

PREFERRED JOB
STUDIES APPLIED FOR
PERSONAL STATEMENT

WORK EXPERIENCE

(2019 – 2022)	Head of the Research Team for Granting Accreditation to the Theological Programmes in the Higher Institutions of Georgia. Accreditation Center, Government of Georgia.
(2019- currently)	Head of the Canon Law Research Centre Illia State University. Tbilisi, Georgia.
(2017 – currently)	**Asst. Prof. At Ilia State University.** **Teaching courses:** **1. Orthodox Theology and 2. Orthodox Canon Law** **Tbilisi, Georgia.**
(2015 - 2017)	Expert in the Analytical Department of the Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia. Tbilisi. Georgia
(2014 - 2015)	Head of the Information and Analytical Office in the Religious Affairs in The Prime Minister Office. State Agency for Religious Issues. Tbilisi. Georgia.
(2009 -2012)	Asst. Professor. **St.Andrew's Georgian University under the Patriarchate of Georgia.** **Teaching courses**: Orthodox Canon Law; Religion and Law; Religion and Politics.

(2009 - 2021) **Asst. Professor.**
Georgian American University.
Teaching courses: Religion and Law; Religion and Politics; Religion and Society; Church-State Relationships in Georgia.
Tbilisi. Georgia

(1998 - 2004) **Teacher of Religious Education**
at the Secondary and High Schools of Georgia.
Tbilisi, Goergia.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

(**In Progress)** Diploma in Inter-Religious Dialogue.

Angelicum: Pontifical University of Saint Thomas Aquinas.

Rome. Italy

(2004 - 2007) **Master of Law, LLM in Canon Law**
Cardiff University, Great Britain

(2000-2003) Jurisprudence. The secondary degree.
Tbilisi State University . Georgia.

(1997 - 2002) **Master (MTh) in Theology.**

Tbilisi Theological Academy. Tbilisi, Georgia.

(1991 - 1996) B.A. in light industry

Kutaisi State University, Georgia

International Trainings:

(2019) **"Interreligious Dialogue Programme"**   Certificated
Organized by **KAICIID** Dialogue Center. Vienna. Austria.

(2018) "**International Training on Dialogue and Mediation" (ITDM)**   Certificated
Organized by Uppsala University and Dag Hammarskjöld Foundation.
Uppsala, Sweden .

(Oct/2019)   "Using Inter-religious Dialogue to Strengthen Peace, Reconciliation and
               Social Cohesion".

               Madrid. Spain   Certificated

(Dec/2019)   Religion and Conflict Resolution; Peacebuilding Through Religion.

               Brussels. Belgium   Certificated

(Feb/2019)   Strengthening Inclusive and Sustainable Peace in West and Central Asia
               and Eastern Europe

               Organized by Uppsala University and Dag Hammarskold Foundation.

               Amman. Jordan.

(Feb/2018)   International Leadership Conference. "Building a World of Lasting Peace"

               Seoul. South Korea

(Nov/2016)   International Conference – Religion and Geopolitics.

               Organized by Tony Blair Faith Foundation, London UK

(Nov/2015)   Europe and Eurasia Dialogue.:
               Presented paper: Inter-Religious Dialogue in Georgia

               Vienna Diplomatic Academy. Austria

(March/2014)   11th Doha Interfaith Conference – Role of Youth in Enhancing the Value of
               Dialogue.

               Presented Paper: Religious Education and the Inter-religious Dialogue in
               Georgia.
               Doha, Qatar

(April/2012)   International Conference - "Inter-religious Dialogue between Christianity
               and Islam in the Middle East".
               Presented Paper – Catholicism in Georgia and Queen Ketevan.

               Heytrop College, London University United Kingdom

(Oct/2010)   Conference focused on the issues of Religion and Law in Georgia.
               Cardiff University. Lamberth Palace. United Kingdom

HONORS AND AWARDS

(Jun/2010)   Grant-awarded by Shota Rustaveli National Science
               Foundation of Georgia. Participated in the International conference
               organized by Oxford University. Presented paper: "Religious minorities
               and Human Rights Law in Georgia" Brookes University

               Oxford Brookes University. United Kingdom

(2008 – 2009) Grant-awarded by Budapest Central European University (CEU).

               One year diploma course in the study of Church-State Relationships.

               Budapest, Hungary

(2008)   Grant-awarded by President of Georgia dedicated to Young Georgian Scholars.

           Research area – Georgian Ecclesiastical (Canon) Law.

(2004/2007)   Grant-awarded by Foreign and Commonwealth Office of the British Government
              with cooperation to St. Andrews Trust. (Lambeth Palace)

           Great Britain.

(1998/2000)   Member of the Groups of Young Scientists in Christian Studies in Georgia.

           Patriarchate of Georgia Ilia II. Tbilisi Theological Academy.

Publications

(2008)   Scholarly Article: "Approaches to Church-State Relationships in the
           European States".

            Ecclesiastical Law Society, Cambridge University Press.

(2009-2013)   Serious of articles published in the official press of the
              Patriarchate of Georgia in the Canon Law study

(2017)   Monography in Orthodoc Canon Law :
          Manual for university students.
          Sulkhan Saba Catholic University in
          Tbilisi. Georgia.

(2018)   Policy Brief - Church and Politics or Church in Politics. How
          does the Georgian Orthodox Church Impact the Georgia's
          Pub. Georgian Institute of Politics. Tbilisi. Georgia.

(2019)   Canon Law Papers in the comparative study of the Roman Catholic, Eastern Orthodox
          And Anglican Canon laws.
          Publ. Canon Law Research Center. Ilia State University.
          "Church and the State in the Untied Kingdom"

(2020)   Contribution to the International Research
          Project : "World Christian Encyclopedia,
          Global Christianity. org

(Oct/2021)   Participation in the International Sola Forum.
               Presented Paper: Christian Concept of Dialogue:
               NOSTRA AETATE and ITS ORTHODOX ANALOGY.

(2015-2021)   Up to 100 newspaper articles and interviews
               in the Georgian Mass-Media on the topics of theology and
               Church-State Relationships in Georgia.

Languages: Georgian (native)
             English (fluent)
             Russian (good)
             Italian (beginner)
             Classical Greek (with dictionary).

Hobby:

1. Blogger and Publisher on Inter-Religious Dialogue Topics in Georgia.

2. Christian Chant Music.

Language Proficiency: **Georgian.(Native)**
English; (Advance)
Russian. (Good)
Ancient Greek (Working)