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## Employment

- The Staff of Ministry of Nature Protection, Department of Economics, Division of International Projects Management, *The Head* 2009 – on going [www.mnp.am](http://www.mnp.am)
- The Staff of Ministry of Nature Protection, Department of Economics, Division of Economical Mechanisms and Tools of Environmental Management, *Senior Specialist* 2009 – 2009 [www.mnp.am](http://www.mnp.am)
- The Staff of Ministry of Nature Protection, Division of Nature Protection and Environmental Economy, *Leading Specialist* 2002-2009 [www.mnp.am](http://www.mnp.am)
- The Staff of Ministry of Nature Protection, Division of Nature Protection and Environmental Economy, *Practice* 1998-1999 [www.mnp.am](http://www.mnp.am)
- United Nations Development Program (UNDP), *National Expert in Economic Field of Sustainable Development* 2006/12 [www.undp.am](http://www.undp.am)
- National Capacity Self-Assessments (NCSA), *Project Expert in Economical Mechanisms of Environmental Management* 2004/6-2004/7 [www.nature-ic.am](http://www.nature-ic.am)
- Swedish International Development Agency (SIDA), *National Advisor in Economic Field of Forestry (FIS project)* 2003/7 - 2003/9 [www.sida.se](http://www.sida.se)
- Fourth Millennium society Inc. Armenian International Magazine (AIM), *Reporter* 2002/7-2002/11
- Armenian Development Agency, Enterprise support fund, *Financial Analyst* 2002/7-2002/9 [www.ada.am](http://www.ada.am)
- AS Real Estate Agency, *Manager-Economist* 1997/3 – 2000/5

## Education

- Aristotle University and ATEI, Doctorate Study under Program of Erasmus-Mundus ECW. Research Theme: “Developing Environmental Mechanisms of Environmental Management and Damage Calculation Caused by Environmental Pollution and Over Exploitation of Natural Resources”. *PhD Diploma of Supplement, 60 ECT*,  
Dissertation Title “Developing Economical Mechanisms as Important Tool of Environmental Policy”  
*Thessaloniki, Greece 2008-2009* <http://erasmusmundus5.teithe.gr/>
- Technical University of Dresden, International Postgraduate Diploma Program of Environmental Management for Developing and Emerging Countries, *Diploma of Environmental Management Specialist*,  
Final Paper “Development of Economical Mechanisms for Environmental Management in Armenia and Experience and Practice of Germany”  
*Dresden, Germany 2007* [www.tu-dresden.de/cipsem/](http://www.tu-dresden.de/cipsem/)
- Aegean University, Department of Environmental Science, International Postgraduate Studies Program in Environmental Management and Policy, *Research Fellow*,  
Final Paper “Economical and Financial Mechanisms of Environmental Management in European Union”  
*Mytilini, Greece 2004-2005* <http://www.aegean.gr/environment-postgraduate/eng/>
- Market fundamentals of Capital, Educational Project of YSIE and Yerevan Stock Exchange, *Diploma of Capital Market Specialist*  
*Yerevan, Armenia 1998-1999*
- Yerevan State Institute of Economics, Faculty of Total Economics, Department of Economics of Environment and Ecology, *Diploma of Environmental Economist (Economist-Ecologist)*  
Final paper “Economical Aspect of Sustainable Development and Implementation in Armenia”  
*Yerevan, Armenia 1995-2000* [www.asue.am](http://www.asue.am)
- Physics and Mathematics Gymnasium of Yerevan,  
*Yerevan, Armenia 1993 –1995* [www.mskh.am](http://www.mskh.am)

## Project Management

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- “Analysis on the financial situation at Sevkar Forest Enterprise” GTZ and Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO, Feasibility Study, Project Manager  
*Tavush, Yerevan Armenia 2010*
- “Analysis on the financial situation at Shikahogh State Reserve, Dilijan National Park and Kapan Forest Enterprise” GTZ and Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO, Feasibility Study, Project Manager  
*Tavush, Syunik, Yerevan Armenia 2010*
- “Assessing Governmental Institutional Capacity for Environmental Management” Ministry of Nature Protection of Armenia and OECD EAP Task Force Secretariat, 9 Workshops, Organizer, Project Manager and Lecturer.  
*Lori, Shirak, Kotayk, Gegharkunik, Tavush, Syunik, Armenia 2009*
- “Community Dialogue for Youth” Conference, Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and Council of Europe, Organizer  
*Tsaghkadzor, Armenia 2006*
- “Youth and Environment” Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and Ministry of Culture and Youth of Armenia, 7 Workshops, Project Manager  
*Lori, Armenia 2005*
- “Lake Sevan and Young People” Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and Ministry of Culture and Youth of Armenia, 6 Workshops, Project Manager  
*Gegharkunik, Armenia 2004*
- “Taxation system for Nature Use and Pollution in Armenia” Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and OSCE office in Yerevan, 6 workshops, Project Manager  
*Syunik, Kotayk, Ararat, Armenia 2004*

## Teaching Experience

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- “Economical Mechanisms of Environment Management for Municipal Governance” under ENVSEC” Fridtjof Nansen Institute and OSCE office in Yerevan, International Workshop, Lecturer  
*Tsaxkadzor, Armenia 2010*
- “Environmental Governance Challenges at the Municipal Level under ENVSEC” Fridtjof Nansen Institute and OSCE office in Yerevan, International Workshop, Lecturer  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “Economical Mechanisms of Environment Management, Green Taxes and Subsidies, Financing of Environmental Activity” Environmental Law Resource Centre of Law department, Yerevan State University and OSCE, Training Course, Lecturer  
*Yerevan Armenia 2009*
- “Economical Mechanisms of Environmental Management in Armenia and Conceptual Issues of Environmental Economics” Civil Service Council of Armenia, Workshop, Lecturer.  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “Inventory and Technological Normalization of Atmosphere Pollution from Mobile and Stationary Sources” Ministry of Nature Protection of Armenia and UNDP, Workshop, Trainer  
*Yerevan Armenia 2006*
- “Economical Mechanisms of Environmental Management in Armenia, Practice and International experience” OSCE office in Yerevan, Workshops in 5 Regions of Armenia, Trainer  
*Syunik, Kotayk, Ararat, Lori and Yerevan, Armenia 2006*
- “Youth and Environment” Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and Ministry of Culture and Youth of Armenia, 7 Workshops, Trainer  
*Lori, Armenia 2005*
- “Lake Sevan and Young People” Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and Ministry of Culture and Youth of Armenia, 6 Workshops, Trainer  
*Gegharkunik, Armenia 2004*
- “Taxation system for Nature Use and Pollution in Armenia” Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO and OSCE office in Yerevan, 6 workshops, Trainer  
*Syunik, Kotayk, Ararat, Armenia 2004*
- “Current Issues of Conservation and Wise Use of Wetlands Biodiversity in the European New Independent States” The International Seminar, Participant and Lecturer.  
*Sevan, Armenia 2003*

## Workshops - Seminars (most relevant ones)

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- “Analyze of Armenian Low on Special Protected Natural Areas and Forest Policy” GTZ Support of South Caucasus Sustainable Biodiversity Management Project, Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Nature Protection, Workshop,  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2010*
- “ISO 14001 Environment Management Standarts” OSCE and Khazer NGO, Workshop,  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2010*
- “Analyze of Armenian Forest Code” GTZ Support of South Caucasus Sustainable Biodiversity Management Project, Ministry of Agriculture, Ministry of Nature Protection, Workshop,  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2010*
- “The Impact of Global Crisis on Armenia: Empirical Evidence” EU, UNDP, USAID, FORECAST, World Bank, OSCE, GTZ, International Workshop,  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “Project Implementation and Administration Seminar” Asian Development Bank, Workshop  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “Development of National Statistical Master Plan”, National Statistical Service of the Republic of Armenia, World Bank and AM partners CC, International Workshop  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “National Policy Dialogues on Institutional Strengthening Toward a Modern System of Environmental Management” OECD/EAP Task Force Secretariat and Ministry of Nature protection of Armenia, Workshop  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- Technical Assistance For Environmentally Sustainable Management of PCBs and other POPs waste in the Republic of Armenia Project, UNIDO and Ministry of Nature Protection of Armenia, Inception Workshop  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “GEO Alaverdi – Development of Strategic Documentation for Improvement of Environmental Situation ” Join Project of UNDP and GRID, Member of working Group  
*Lori, Armenia 2009*
- “Integration of the System of Environmental taxes into the Water use license system for increasing usefulness of Management”, Join Project of USAID and Ministry of Nature Protection of Armenia, Member of working Group  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2008*
- “International Environmental Obligations, Domestic Implementation and Public Participations in Armenia” Frdtjof Nansens Institute and Ministry of Nature Protection of Armenia, Workshop  
*Sevan, Armenia 2007*
- “Principles of Environmental Economics and Mitigating Muddy Flow Through Ambient Taxes” National School For Water and Environment Engineering of Strasbourg (ENGEES), Workshop  
*Strasbourg, France 2007*
- “The French Administrative System of Water Authorities and The Organisation of Water River Basement Management Schemes” National School For Water and Environment Engineering of Strasbourg (ENGEES) and Research Center in Agriculture and Environmental Engineering (CEMAGREF), Workshop  
*Strasbourg, France 2007*
- “Multilateral Conservation Conventions, Biodiversity and the CBD, Sustainable Use, Issues and Tasks in Marine Conservation, Protected Areas” Federal Environmental Agency of Germany, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety of Germany, Seminar  
*Vilm island, Germany*
- “Water Management, Sustainable Tourism, Sustainable Energy, Basel Convention, Environmental Standards ISO 14001, ISO 14063 and EMAS, Clear Production” Federal Environmental Agency of Germany, Seminar  
*Dessau, Germany 2007*
- “Forest Institutional Support Project” Swedish International Development Agency and Ministry of Nature Protection of Armenia, Finish Workshop  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2006*
- “Corporate Social Responsibility” USAID and Business Support Center, International Seminar  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2004*
- “National Capacity Self-Assessments for Global Environmental Management - Developing Methodologies for Cross-Cutting Assessment” UNDP and NCSA Workshop  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2003*

## Courses - Trainings (most relevant ones)

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- “Environmental Protection and Resource Management” Center for International Development and Environmental Research of Justus Liebig University Giessen and DAAD, Summer School. [www.uni-giessen.de](http://www.uni-giessen.de)  
*Giessen, Germany, 2010*
- “Youth Master Trainers for Climate Change” The World Bank Institute (WBI) and British Council, Training Course,  
*Istanbul, Turkey 2010*
- “Project Management – EU Skills for Civil Servants” British Council, British Embassy Yerevan, Ministry of Economy, Civil Service Council of Armenia, Training Course.  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2010*
- “Public Relation and Media Management – EU Skills for Civil Servants” British Council, British Embassy Yerevan, Ministry of Economy, Civil Service Council of Armenia, Training Course.  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2010*
- “How to Handle European Issues in Practice?” AEPLAC, ICHD, Ministry of Economy and EU Advisory Group, Training Course.  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “Environmental Protection and Resource Management” Center for International Development and Environmental Research of Justus Liebig University Giessen and DAAD, Summer School - Workshop for Experts. [www.uni-giessen.de](http://www.uni-giessen.de)  
*Tbilisi, Georgia, 2009*
- “The Principles and Agreements of World Trade Organization” Ministry of Trade and Economic Development of Armenia and Fin-Consult LTD, Training Course  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2007 [www.minted.am](http://www.minted.am)*
- “German Language six months course” Technical University of Dresden, Training Course  
*Dresden, Germany 2007 [www.tu-dresden.de](http://www.tu-dresden.de)*
- “Practical studies in Ecological Planning” Natural Heritage as a Key Factor of Local Development (South Bohemia case), Biosphere Reserve – Searching for a Balance Between Nature Protection and Local Socio-Economic Development (Shumava BR Case), Sustainable Forestry, Strategic Planning of Long Term City Design (Case Study of Prague), Institute of Systems Biology and Ecology, Academy of Science of Czech Republic, Training  
*Ceske Budeyovice, Velvari, Ceske Krumlov, Kasperskie Hory, Kostelec, Prague, Czech 2007*
- “Energy and The Environment (Emissions Trading in Europe – Review and Preview)” Greifswald University, Summer Academy  
*Greifswald, Germany 2006 [www.uni-greifswald.de](http://www.uni-greifswald.de)*
- “New Prospects of Cooperation” Ministry of Culture and Youth Affairs, Center for Organizing Youth Activities, Training Course  
*Tsaghkadzor, Armenia 2006 [www.armyouthcenter.am](http://www.armyouthcenter.am)*
- “Budget Planning, Budget Management, Budget Fulfillment - Practice Part” Ministry of Finance and Economy of Armenia and US Department of Treasury, Training courses  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2005 [www.training-center.am](http://www.training-center.am)*
- “Greek Language as a Foreign Language” Aegean University, Faculty of Social Science, Training Course  
*Mitilini, Greece 2004-2005 [www.aegean.gr](http://www.aegean.gr)*
- “Ecology and Sustainable Development” Dubna International University, International Summer Semester (Russian Governmental Certificate)  
*Dubna, Russia 2004 [www.uni-dubna.ru](http://www.uni-dubna.ru)*
- “Budget Planning, Budget Management, Budget Fulfillment” Ministry of Finance and Economy of Armenia and US Department of Treasury, Training courses  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2004 [www.training-center.am](http://www.training-center.am)*
- “UNECE Convention on Access to Information, Public Participation in Decision Making and Access to Justice in Environmental Matters (the Aarhus Convention)” Training Course  
*Tsaghkadzor, Armenia 2003*
- “Integrating Environmental Concerns Into Economic Decision Making” Cardiff University and Asian Institute of Technology, Certificated Educational Project of UN for Asia and the Pacific, Training Course  
*Interactive 2003 [www.cf.ac.uk](http://www.cf.ac.uk) [www.ait.ac.th](http://www.ait.ac.th)*
- “Financial Analysis of Investment Projects for Environmental Project” Technical Aid to the Commonwealth of Independent States (TACIS), Training course  
*Yerevan, Armenia 1999*

## Conferences (most relevant ones)

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- “Impact of the Global Crisis on Armenia, Short - and Long - run Perspectives” EU, UNDP, USAID, FORECAST, World Bank, OSCE, GTZ, International Conference, Participant  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2009*
- “Environmental Technologies and Renewable Energies” TERRATEC, ENERTEC, under Germany’s Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety, International Trade Fair/Exhibition, Participant  
*Leipzig, Germany 2007*
- “European Symposium on Flood Risk Management Research (EFRM 2007)” European Commission, German Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Dresden Flood Research Center, Participant  
*Dresden, Germany 2007*
- “Youth, Reality, Perspectives” in the framework of “All Different – All Equal” European Youth Campaign on Diversity, Human Rights and Participation, Ministry of Culture and Youth Affairs, Center for Organizing Youth Activities, Conference, Participant.  
*Yerevan, Armenia 2006*
- “Sustainable Environmental Development in Ukraine, Open Dialogue - Government, Industry & Civil Society” International Conference, Participant  
*Mariupol, Ukraine 2006*
- “Ecology and Sustainable Development” International Conference, Participant  
*Dubna, Russia 2004 [www.uni-dubna.ru](http://www.uni-dubna.ru)*
- TUNZA/UNEP First Youth Global Environmental Conference, Representative of Armenia and Caucasus Region in conference  
*Dubna, Russia 2003*

## Scholarships

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- Giessen University and DAAD, Scholarship for Summer School “Environment Protection and Resource Management”
- European Commission, Scholarship for PhD Research
- UNEP/UNESCO/BMU/TUD Scholarship for Postgraduate Diploma Course “Environmental Management for Developing and Emerging Countries”
- Greifswald University and DAAD Scholarship for Summer Academy “Energy and The Environment”
- Greece Government Scholarship for Postgraduate Study Course “Environmental Management and Policy”
- Dubna University and UNEP Scholarship for Summer Semester “Environmental Management and Policy”
- Central European University Scholarship for Summer School “Environmental Policy”
- Ministry of Education and Science of Armenia Scholarship for Five Years Study in the Yerevan State Institute of Economy

## Memberships

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- Scientific Group of Caucasian Environmental Experts, Head of Environmental Policy Team
- Regional Ambassador of the Technical University of Dresden in Armenia
- Association of Young Environmental Lawyers and Economists NGO / Co-President and Founder
- Dubna Environmental Club /Member and Co-Founder
- Tunza Europe Network / Member and Co-Founder

## Publications

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- *E.E. Grigoryan*, “Development of Twinning project on EU IPPC Directive” European Neighbourhood and Partnership instruments Quarterly Newsletter, second issue, page 3, Yerevan, Armenia, May 2010.
- *E. E. Girgoryan*, “Estimation of damage caused to environment by exploitation of small hydro power plants (SHPP)” V International Conference “Siberian Rivers” pages 9-11, ISBN 978-5-94154-151-5, Tomsk, Russia April 2010
- *E. E. Girgoryan*, “Developing economical mechanisms as important tool of environmental policy” Research and study in Europe enriching educational environment in S. Caucasus, Collection of Papers by S. Caucasian researchers, pages 58-62, ISBN 978-960-99253-0-3, Thessaloniki, Greece, February 2010
- *E. E. Girgoryan* “Economical Mechanisms of Environmental Management in Armenia, Practice and International experience” Publication for OSCE office in Yerevan “Strengthening opportunities for ecological public on the basis of the regional Aarhus centers program” - 2006
- *E. E. Girgoryan* “Current issues of Lake Sevan, Economical aspect” Armenian Time Newspaper - 2004
- *E. E. Girgoryan* “Environmental and Nature Use taxes in Armenia” informational booklet, redactor - 2004

- *E. E. Girgoryan* “Economical issues of conservation and Wise Use of Wetlands and wetland biodiversity in the European New Independent states” Publication in International seminar’s booklet - 2003
- *E. E. Girgoryan* “Sustainable Development – The Time of Work” Armenian Sustainable Development Report – 2000
- *E. E. Girgoryan* “Sustainable Development as a New Way of Mankind” Scientific Article for the 21<sup>th</sup> Conference of Students’ Scientific Society of YSIE (second prize) 1999

### **Languages**

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- Armenian (native); English (fluent); Russian (fluent); Greek (good);

### **Computer Skills**

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- Windows, Microsoft Office, Network, Trade Tutor, Mulberry

### **Areas of Competence**

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- Environmental Management and Policy, Environmental Legislation, Sustainable Development, Economical and Financial Mechanisms of Environment Management, Green Economy, Climate Change Economics, Emission Trading, CDM Projects, International Environmental Conventions, Management and Coordination of International Environmental Projects, Financial Analysis, Budget Planning and Management.

**ACADEMIC AND NON-ACADEMIC RECOMMENDATIONS AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST**