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## Top Skills

Clinical Research  
Healthcare  
Internal Medicine

## Languages

Russian (Native or Bilingual)  
German (Elementary)  
English (Full Professional)  
Armenian (Native or Bilingual)

## Certifications

Somnologist - Expert in Sleep Medicine (ESRS 2014)

## Publications

EFFECTS OF ANTICONVULSANTS AND OTHER EPILEPSY THERAPIES ON SLEEP

An effect of epilepsy on sleep structure

Sleep-onset central apneas as triggers of severe nocturnal seizures

Sleep-Related Movement Disorders in a Population Of Patients With Epilepsy: Prevalence and Impact of Restless Legs Syndrome and Sleep Bruxism

Excessive daytime sleepiness could be multifactorial in adults with epilepsy

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Armenia

## Summary

Neurologist and Sleep Clinician with clinical and research interests in epilepsy, sleep disorders, movement disorders, dementia, headache and others. Conducts research on epilepsy and sleep interaction, restless legs syndrome, insomnia and sleep apnea.

## Experience

NIH, Armenia ՀՀ ԱՆ առողջապահության ազգային ինստիտուտ  
Deputy Director of Science  
February 2022 - Present (1 year 8 months)  
Yerevan, Armenia

Development of the scientific projects at Armenian National Institute of Health.  
Research interaction with the departments of Armenian NIH, their coordination.

National Institute of Health, Armenia  
Chairman, Department of Neurology  
July 2019 - Present (4 years 3 months)  
Yerevan, Armenia

Chairman of Department of Neurology and Neurosurgery, National Institute of Health, Ministry of Health, Armenia

Ministry of Health of the Republic of Armenia  
Neurology Advisor  
September 2018 - Present (5 years 1 month)  
Yerevan, Armenia

Advisory services, expert opinion on neurology related projects, difficult clinical cases, ongoing neurological guideline and protocol development, etc.

Somnus Neurology Clinic  
Neurologist, Sleep Clinician, Director  
2011 - Present (12 years)  
Yerevan, Armenia

Patient consultations in neurological and sleep medicine fields.  
Polysomnography and EEG interpretation. Clinical research.

Erebouni Medical Center  
Attending Neurologist  
September 2010 - Present (13 years 1 month)

In-patient nightshifts and patient management. Educational and research program coordination.

Yerevan State Medical University after M. Heratsi  
Assistant Professor, Doctoral (DMSc) fellow  
September 2007 - May 2019 (11 years 9 months)

Assistant Professor until 2009, currently finalizing doctoral thesis with general topic: "Role of sleep disorders in epilepsy".

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## Education

Department of Neurology, Yerevan State Medical University  
Doctor of Medicine - MD, Neurology Residency Program · (1996 - 2005)

Department of Neurology, InselSpital, University of Bern, Bern,  
Switzerland  
Neurology, Sleep Medicine, Epilepsy, Movement Disorders · (2007 - 2007)

Sleep Disorders Center, Cleveland Clinic Foundation, Cleveland,  
OH, USA  
Sleep Medicine · (2006 - 2006)

Department of Neurology, Centers for Sleep Medicine, Epilepsy,  
Movement Disorders and Stroke, Weill Cornell Medical Center  
International Visiting Neurologist, Neurology · (2006 - 2006)

Department of Neurology, Innsbruck Medical University, Innsbruck,  
Austria  
Visiting Neurologist, Neurology, Sleep Medicine, Movement  
Disorders · (2014 - 2014)