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Yerevan State University, Faculty of International Relations (1993-1998)

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Certificate in Public Administration, Arizona State University, School of Public Affairs, (ASU-YSU Linkage Program in Public Administration) (2005)

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Regional Military Conflicts in the South Caucasus and Russian Federation (1991-1994), (2001)

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2008 – to present: **Head of Chair, Public Policy and Administration**, Dept. of International Relations, Yerevan State University (YSU);

Master' Program: Public Policy, Program Director, YSU

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ACADEMIC SERVICES (editorial):

- "Bulletin of Yerevan University: International Relations, Political Science", (www.ysu.am), Managing Editor;
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- Post-Soviet Studies, bi-monthly peer-reviewed journal, Moscow, Editorial board member

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

2018 - 2019: American University of Armenia (AUA), Extension, Non Profit Management **Program** (course taught: 21st Century Politics)

2018: The European Commission expert (local) - Organization and accessibility of public service delivery in the Eastern Partnership countries

2017 Spring Semester, Masaryk University, Czech Republic, Lecturer, Course taught: *Regional Hierarchical System in the post-Soviet Eurasia*

2016, The Carnegie Scholar Publication Program, NCEEER and Carnegie Corporation of New York

2013 - 2016: EU TEMPUS PICASA coordinator for Public Administration Department, YSU

2013: Carnegie Research Fellow (NCEEER) at University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), International Institute, Center for European and Eurasian Studies

2015 – 2017: Head of the Center for Political Studies, NORAVANK scientific-educational foundation; **- "21**st **CENTURY"** quarterly (trilingual: Armenian, English, Russian), editorial board member, (www.noravank.am);

2009: OECD/SIGMA Expert: Armenia – Assessing the Civil Service System

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2002 – 2018: *Researcher*, Institute of History, National Academy of Sciences of Armenia (Dept. of Modern History)

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2001-2002: Head of External Relations Department, State Archival Agency of RA

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PUBLICATIONS: Articles and Chapters

- 1. **Vahagn Aglyan, The Foreign Policies of the CIS States: A Comprehensive Guide,** ed. D.Degtyarev, K.Kurylev, Lynne Rienner Publishers, **2019:** editorial board member, author of Chapter 2.
- 2. **Vahagn Aglyan,** The US Think Tanks and Expert Community on the Nagorno Karabakh Conflict and the Role of Russian Federation, *in The 30 Year of Nagorno Karabakh Conflict*, ed. by K.Kurylev, RUPF, Moscow 2019, pp. 27-39.
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