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WORK EXPERIENCE Senior Project Assistant

International Organization for Migration - UN Migration Agency [15/08/2022 – Current]

City: Baku

Country: Azerbaijan

In the framework of the EU funded project "Strengthening Migration Management in Azerbaijan" that aims at enhancing relevant Azerbaijani governmental institutions' capacities in migration and border management in line with relevant EU-Azerbaijan cooperation frameworks, in particular the Readmission and Visa Facilitation Agreement:

- Liaison with relevant governmental authorities and other local and international stakeholders
- Preparation of the flash, quarterly and annual reports • Drafting newsletters and other communication materials
- Organizing events, workshops, trainings and etc.
- Contributing to drafting of concept notes, and drafting new project proposals
- Monitoring the activities of the outsourced stakeholders

Project Coordinator

Eurasia Partnership Foundation [01/02/2022 – 10/08/2022]

City: Baku

Country: Azerbaijan

Coordinating EU funded "AgriVision" project in the southern regions of Azerbaijan. The goal of the project is to create and test a sustainable replicable agro-tourism / ecotourism development mechanism that would help rural households in the southern region of Azerbaijan to increase their revenue and intensify the connection between urban and rural in Azerbaijan.

- to cooperate with local and international stakeholders
- to organize events in the framework of the project in and abroad
- to draft communication materials and press releases
- to supervise various activities within the project: including timely implementation of business plans, costcontrolling and budget spending etc.
- to develop contingency plans to address unforeseeable problems

Lecturer

Khazar University [30/09/2021 – Current]

City: Baku

Country: Azerbaijan

Teaching various courses on EU Studies specially about EU's CFSP and Theories of European Integration

Project assistant

International Organization for Migration - UN Migration Agency [04/01/2021 – 30/10/2021]

City: Baku

Country: Azerbaijan



- Regularly researching, following-up, compiling, analyzing and sharing information and data on national, regional and international developments, reports, legislation and other relevant documentation on migration relevant to the work of IOM Azerbaijan.
- Supporting the implementation of the project activities; assisting in the day to day activities and administrative processes; reporting regularly on the challenges and progress recorded in realization of activities.
- Participating in and contributing to project activities by acting as event moderator, preparing and delivering presentations and responding to questions of the participants etc.
- Drafting project reports such as inception, progress, final etc. as well as analytical notes of meetings, development of research reports, briefing notes, policy papers, and other materials as required.

Expert

Topchubashov Center [30/11/2020 – Current]

City: Baku

Country: Azerbaijan

- Writing commentaries, opinions and policy papers
- Providing prompt expert analysis on hot topics about EU's ENP and EaP

Exams Supervisor

British Council [30/09/2015 – 30/07/2017]

Address: Baku (Azerbaijan)

- Administration of ESOL, IELTS and other international examinations
- Team and stress management during exams
- Managing and holding people accountable
- Information provision and customer service

Trainee

EU Delegation to Azerbaijan [30/09/2015 – 30/01/2016]

Address: Baku (Azerbaijan)

- Assistance in monitoring news and press relevant to the EU
- Collating information on EU legislation and policies relevant to Azerbaijan and for dissemination to wider public
- Attendance at the meetings and events and respective reporting
- Organizing meetings and events and preparation of related reports
- Conducting research on economic, political, social, trade and energy issues relating to Azerbaijan and the neighboring region

Military Service

The State Border Service of Azerbaijan Republic [30/06/2013 – 30/07/2014]

Address: Ordubad Nakhichevan Autonomous Republic (Azerbaijan)

Assistant to editor in chief

The Center of Security and Energy Studies, Qafqaz University [09/01/2013 – 30/05/2013]

City: Baku

Country: Azerbaijan

Assisting to the researches on energy and conflict resolution
Organizing events, simulations and opening discussions
Attending conferences to take minutes for internal use
Assisting in drafting reports, books reviews, and articles

EDUCATION AND TRAINING Bachelor of Art in EU Studies

Qafqaz University (Baku Engineering University) [31/08/2008 – 30/06/2013]



Field(s) of study: Social sciences, journalism and information

Final grade: 97.45/100

Thesis: N/A

Master of Art in Global Studies

Leipzig and Ghent Universities [14/09/2017 – 05/11/2019]

Field(s) of study: Social sciences, journalism and information **Final grade:** 1.5/5

Second Level Professional Master Programme in “Prevention and fight against radicalization, terrorism and for international integration and security policies” *University of Bergamo* [31/08/2020 – 30/10/2020] **LANGUAGE SKILLS**

Mother tongue(s): **Azerbaijani**

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C1 READING C2 WRITING C1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C1 SPOKEN INTERACTION C1

Russian

LISTENING B1 READING B1 WRITING A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A2 SPOKEN INTERACTION A2

Turkish

LISTENING C2 READING C2 WRITING B1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B2 SPOKEN INTERACTION B2 SPOKEN PRODUCTION A1 SPOKEN INTERACTION A1 **PUBLICATIONS**

German

LISTENING A1 READING A2 WRITING A1

Published works Commentaries in local and international platforms

Hajiyev, B (June 2021) [The EU’s engagement with Azerbaijan: less for less or compartmentalize for more? A view from Baku](#)

Hajiyev, B, (February 2021) [Someone opened Pandora’s box: Seven major global events of 2020](#) Hajiyev, B. (December 2020) [How it feels reading policy paper on the EU's neighborhood: A look from neighborhood](#)

Hajiyev, B. (December 2020) [To invest or not to invest in the connectivity projects in South Caucasus? Does the EU suffer from ‘bipolar disorder’?](#)

Hajiyev B. (May 2020). [Some thoughts about COVID-19 and globalization](#) Hajiyev B. (May 2020). [Time to re-think about Eastern Partnership?](#)

Interviews

Hajiyev, B (July 2021) [What are perspectives of the EU’s contribution to confidence-building and peacebuilding measures in the South Caucasus?](#) Eurasia Dairy

Publications in indexed journals

Hajiyev, B., Mahmudlu, J. and Abilov S. (July 2022) A Globalization Project in Practice? EU’s Cultural and Educational Activities in Azerbaijan in the Framework of Eastern Partnership Program https://www.sociostudies.org/journal/articles/3238562/?fbclid=IwAROMB_C6NKAuERBXFLuggRsclpNBaiBYk2NMWsUki038nYpqeZYR5ZdJ88E

Hajiyev, B. & Abilov, S. (Dec 2021). The EU-Azerbaijan High Level Transport Dialogue: a timely reaction to the structural changes?, *Journal of Eurasian Studies* <https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/18793665211054516>

Abilov, S. & Hajiyev, B. (2019). Why the Neutrality of Azerbaijan Is Important for the European Union. *Insight Turkey*, 21(3), 53-67. www.jstor.org/stable/26776103

Hajiyev, B. (November 2019) The EU -Azerbaijan High Level Transport Dialogue or dialogue on harnessing globalization in the



EU's eastern neighbourhood: globalization projects at work?, <https://lib.ugent.be/en/catalog/rug01:002791365>)

Manuscripts accepted for publication in indexed journals

Hajiyev, B. & Abilov, S (July 2020). Global structural determinants of the EU's engagement with Azerbaijan: from 'the end of history' to the end of 'the end of history' (Intersections)

AWARDS, CONFERENCES, SUMMER SCHOOLS, SIMULATIONS

1. ERASMUS MUNDUS Scholarship holder.
2. Certificate of Attendance was awarded for the the participation in First Milli MUN Conference in Azerbaijan February/2016
3. Certificate of achievement was awarded for the participation in the Summer School held by the EU Excellence Center of ADA University in collaboration with College of Europe from 13 to 24 July 2015.
4. Certificated for being silver medal winner of football competition held for the celebration of the 92nd Anniversary of Haydar Aliyev by Qafqaz University Baku, Azerbaijan 15/May /2015 Certificate of Attendance – this is certify that Hajiyev Beyrak has attended level 2 course First Aid Training 18/19/20 May 2015 Baku, Azerbaijan by the International SOS
5. Diploma to certify that successfully completed "Challenges to security in the Caspian region" NISA winterSession, 3-9 February 2013, Baku Azerbaijan. Organized by NATO International School of Azerbaijan and supported by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Azerbaijan and NATO Public Diplomacy Division
6. Certificated by Ronald Kobia EU ambassador to Azerbaijan for participation in the European Union Simulation Conference held by EU Azerbaijan delegation on "Simulation of Council's June 17 2012
7. Certificated for being the first grade student of Faculty of economic and administrative sciences, department of European Studies of Qafqaz University in 2012 February-May
8. Certificated for participating in the international seminar, on the topic of: "Engender Peace building:1325 reasons to do so" organized by Azerbaijan Youth Euro-Atlantic Organization, Qafqaz University, March 28/April 1, 2010
9. Certificated for his highest score in education (666 out of 700) with "Honorary Student" by Yevlakh city Municipality in August 2008 Azerbaijan