

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

- March 2023 - Present **Head**  
English Language and Literature Department, Khazar University
- October 2021 – February 2023 **Acting head**  
English Language and Literature Department, Khazar University
- September 2019 – Oct 2021 **Research Coordinator**  
English Language and Literature Department, Khazar University
- May 2018 – Sep. 2021 **Assistant Editor**  
Dictionary and Encyclopedia Centre, Khazar University
- Dec 2017 – March 2019 **Program Coordinator and Lecturer**  
English Language and Literature Department, Khazar University
- Jan 2015–Dec 2017 **Minor Programs Coordinator and Lecturer**  
English Language and Literature Department, Khazar University
- March 2006 –Present **Lecturer**  
English Language and Literature Department, Khazar University
- Sep 2005–Mar 2006 **English Language Instructor**  
"LCD" Language Center
- Feb 2003–Jul 2005 **English Language Instructor**  
"Jalal-I" Computer and English Language Courses
- Jan 2003–Jun 2004 **Translator**  
"Civil Society" Youth Center
- Feb 2003–Jul 2014 **Film Translator (documentaries, cartoons, fictions, etc.)**  
"Lider" TV channel
- May 2002–Nov 2002 **Translator**  
"ADO-G "Industrial Joint Venture Company

## EDUCATION

- Jan. 2014– March 2018 **Ph.D. (Germanic Languages)**  
Khazar University, Baku (Azerbaijan)
- 2002–2004 **Master's Degree (Honors Diploma), British and American Literature**  
Azerbaijan University of Languages, Baku (Azerbaijan)
- 1998–2002 **Bachelor's Degree (Honors Diploma), Philology**  
Azerbaijan University of Languages, Baku (Azerbaijan)

## FORUMS, TRAININGS and SEMINARS

- 21 October 2023** **1<sup>st</sup> Uzbekistan-Azerbaijan Academic Forum on Educational Research and Innovation** jointly organized by Silk Road Research Academy and Jizzakh State Pedagogical University named after Abdulla Qadiri (Uzbekistan) **Resource person**
- 12 October 2023** **Guest Lecturer Series 2023 #3** organized by Samarkand Linguistics and Literary Circle in cooperation with the Silk Road Research Academy (Uzbekistan), Jizzakh State Pedagogical University (Uzbekistan) and Khazar University (Azerbaijan) **Resource person**
- 9 Sept. 2023** **Six Day International Webinar on "Pedagogies to facilitate Online, Offline and Blended Learning"** jointly organized by Department of English and Foreign Languages SRM Institute of Science and Technology and Lavender Literary Club, India. (India) **Guest Lecturer**
- 23 March 2023** **International Research Day Workshop** organized by Modern College and Business and Science (Muscat, Oman) **Guest Lecturer**
- 6 October 2022** **International Virtual workshop on Research Methodology, Research writing and Manuscript editing** jointly organized by Lavender Literary Club, India; Cape Comorin Trust; and Malaysian Industrial Relations and Human Resource Association, Malaysia. (India) **Resource person**
- 16 June 2022** **International Webinar on "Triangulations in Research: Necessities and Mechanisms"** Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) **Organizer**
- 28 April 2022** **International Webinar on "Integrated Approaches to English Language Teaching: Task-Based and CLIL"** Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) **Organizer**
- 4 March 2022** **Workshop on "The reading skills lesson-Step by step"** Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) **Organizer**

24 Feb. 2022	Workshop on “How translation works” Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Organizer</b>
28 Jan. 2022	Workshop on “Bringing Writing to the Table in the classroom” Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Organizer</b>
11 Jan. 2022	International Webinar supervised by Stephen Krashen on “Fundamentals of Language Acquisition”. <b>Participant</b>
3 Dec. 2021	Seminar on “Dreiser and Azerbaijan”. Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Organizer</b>
8 June 2021	National Level Webinar on "Familiarizing Digital Literature to Digital Natives" organized by Department of English, Dr. MGR Educational and Research Institute, Adayalampattu Phase II Campus (Chennai, India) <b>Participant</b>
24 May 2021	International Webinar on " Globalization of English and the Fast Pace of Linguistic Changes" organized by Department of English, Dr. MGR Educational and Research Institute, Adayalampattu Phase II Campus (Chennai, India) <b>Resource Person</b>
18 March 2021	Research seminar on “Opportunities and challenges in publishing research papers in scholarly International Journals” (Interactive panel) coordinated in a partnership with Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Participant</b>
19 February 2021	Seminar on “The Social Nature of Academic Discourse” (Interactive panel) coordinated in a partnership with Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) and Azerbaijan Marageh Azad University (Marageh, Iran) Baku, Azerbaijan <b>Participant</b>
21 Nov. – 22 Nov. 2019	Seminars on “Hybridity of Academic/Scientific Discourses” and “Research Methodology” (Interactive panel) coordinated in a partnership with Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) and Azerbaijan Marageh Azad University (Marageh, Iran) Baku, Azerbaijan <b>Participant</b>
1 October – 3 October 2019	Training on “External assessment of study programs” Support to HE Twinning project in Azerbaijan. Ministry of Education Republic of Azerbaijan, Accreditation and Nostrification office (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Participant</b>
3 May -4 May 2019	Workshops on “Quality Assurance system of higher education and main challenges” held by Lasha Margiashvili and “Using Jokes in Class” held by Nick Michelioudakis International Black Sea University (Tbilisi, Georgia) <b>Participant</b>
8 June- 23 June 2018	PETRA Workshop and Training Seminar Universitat Politecnica de Valencia (Valencia, Spain) <b>Participant</b>
25 January 2018	Seminars on “Data collection and data analysis” and “English for Specific Purposes” coordinated in a partnership with Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) and Azerbaijan Shahid Madani University (Tabriz, Iran) Baku, Azerbaijan <b>Participant</b>
23 November, 2017	Seminar on “Applied Linguistics and Research Methodology”

coordinated in a partnership with Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) and Azerbaijan Shahid Madani University (Tabriz, Iran) **Participant**

- 14 April -15 April 2017      **Workshop on “Interactive Teaching Methods In Foreign Language Classes “**  
coordinated in a partnership with Khazar University Development Center and Estonia OÜ Lingator  
on the basis of famous "English Language Portfolio" program **Participant**
- 3 Sep 2015–4 Sep 2015      **Workshop on "Program Level Learning Outcomes"**  
Khazar University, Baku (Azerbaijan) **Participant**
- 2 Oct 2014– 13 Dec 2014      **Teachers Development Workshop on "English Language Training  
Methodology"**  
Khazar University, Baku (Azerbaijan) **Participant**
- 7 Apr, 2011      **Teachers Development Workshop on "Exploiting Communicative  
Activities for Lexical and Structural Practice"**  
Khazar University, Baku, (Azerbaijan) **Participant**

## CONFERENCES

- 9-10 Sept. 2023      **International Conference on TECHNOLOGY & ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE  
APPLIED TO ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING/LEARNING** in collaboration with  
IKSAD Institute Turkiye, University of Basilicata-Italy, University of North Carolina-  
USA and University of Sargodha-Pakistan. (Pakistan) **Session Moderator**
- 2-3 December.2022      **3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on the Philosophy of Language, Literature and  
Linguistics** Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) **Conference Co-  
chair/Organizer**
- 18-20 August, 2022      **ENGLISHERS 2<sup>nd</sup> International Transdisciplinary Conference on LANGUAGE,  
CULTURE AND REVIVAL** Organized by University of Baltistan, Skardu in  
collaboration with EngLishers InternationalL Pakistan (Skardu, Pakistan)  
**Session Chair**

20-22 June, 2022	7th International EMI Entrepreneurship & Social Sciences Congress Organized by TEAM University (Tashkent, Uzbekistan)  <b>Presenter / Guest Speaker</b>
3-5 June, 2022	1st International Transdisciplinary Conference on Language, Culture and Revival Organized by the Englishers LLL and Mianwali University (Mianwali, Pakistan) <b>Keynote speaker</b>
23-24 Feb., 2022	International Conference "TechHighEd PAKISTASN 2022, Smart Higher Education" Organized by Air University (Islamabad, Pakistan) <b>Keynote speaker</b>
9-10 Dec., 2021	Nizami Conference Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Conference Coordinator/Chairman</b>
24-25 Sep., 2021	2 <sup>nd</sup> International Conference on the Philosophy of Language, Literature and Linguistics Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Conference Coordinator/Chairman</b>
12 March 2021	MEFAM conference  Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Moderator</b>
20 Jan. – 21 Jan., 2021	The Englishers' First International Conference on English Language, Linguistics and Literature The Englishers (Ankara, Turkey) <b>Moderator</b>
12 September, 2020	International Conference on the Philosophy of Language, Literature and Linguistics Khazar University (Baku, Azerbaijan) <b>Conference Coordinator/Chairman</b>
3 May – 4 May, 2019	9th International Research Conference on Education, Language and Literature International Black Sea University (Tbilisi, Georgia) <b>Presenter</b>
20 June - 22 June, 2018	4th International Conference on Higher Education Advances (HEAd'18) Universitat Politecnica de Valencia (Valencia, Spain) <b>Attender</b>
11 May – 12 May 2017	The 3rd International Scientific Multidisciplinary Conference on "Social Sciences and Arts". <b>Chairman / Presenter</b> European Academy of Sciences, Albena (Bulgaria)  <u><i>Awarded with the Crystal Plaque for the best research work and presentation.</i></u>
22 Aug 2016–31 Aug 2016	Republican-Practical Conference "Problems in Foreign Language Teaching" Dedicated to the 80 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the establishment of Azerbaijan Language University. <b>Presenter</b>

- 25 Nov 2014–26 Nov 2014 Azerbaijan Language University, Baku (Azerbaijan)  
**Republican-Practical Conference "XXI century Cultural Paradigm in Multicultural Aspect". Presenter**  
 Azerbaijan Language University, Baku (Azerbaijan)
- 18 Apr 2014–19 Apr 2014 **2nd International Scientific Conference of Young Researchers. Presenter**  
 Qafqaz University, Baku (Azerbaijan)
- 22 Apr 2011–23 Apr 2011 **1st International Student Conference on "Modern Approaches in English Language and Literature" dedicated to the 88th anniversary of the National Leader of Azerbaijan, Heydar Aliyev. Presenter**  
 Qafqaz University, Baku (Azerbaijan)

## EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

- 24 Apr. – 28 Apr. 2023 **ERASMUS+ International Credit Mobility**  
 Staff Mobility for Training, Manisa Calal Bayar University (Turkiye)
- 13 Nov.-18 Nov. 2022 **ERASMUS+ International Credit Mobility**  
 Mobility for Teaching, Dumlupinar University, Kutahya (Turkiye)
- 18 July 2017 – 22 July 2017 **ERASMUS+ International Credit Mobility**  
 Staff Mobility for Training, University of Ljubljana, Ljubljana (Slovenia)
- 19 Apr 2015–26 Apr 2015 **MEVLANA Staff Exchange Program /Lecturer**  
 Gazi University, Ankara (Turkey)

## PUBLICATIONS

- September 2022 **Book chapter "Global English and Azerbaijani Newspaper Discourse: Linguistic Change"**  
 In a book entitled "Analysing Media Discourse: Traditional and New " by Cambridge Scholars Publishing (England)
- June 2022 **"Comparative analysis of stylistic devices in the context of Covid-19 pandemic"**  
 Procedure of the Conference Materials 7th International EMI Entrepreneurship & Social Sciences Congress (Tashkent, Uzbekistan)
- December 2021 **"The manifestation of grammatical deficit in the speech of the Azerbaijani-speaking monolingual Broca's aphasics"**  
 Khazar Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences SPECIAL ISSUE, Number 1, 2021 Baku (Azerbaijan)

- December 2021 “Vocabulary Learning Strategies of Azerbaijani Students and its Relation to their Academic and Technical English Vocabulary Knowledge”  
Khazar Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences SPECIAL ISSUE, Number 1, 2021 Baku (Azerbaijan)
- December 2020 “A Comparative Analysis of the Similar Word-formation Processes in English and Arabic”  
Khazar Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences Vol.23, No.4;2020 Baku (Azerbaijan)
- October 2020 “The Necessity of Forming the Skills and Habits of Educational and Research Activity as a Foundation of a Gnostic Criterion of the Evaluation of the Readiness of a Future Teacher for Innovative Activity”  
International Journal of Higher Education Vol.9, No.8;2020  
Published by SCIEDU Press (Ontario, Canada).
- September 2019 “English Language and Digital Technologies”  
Scientific Journal Language and Culture Vol.22 (I/196), 2019  
Kiev National University named after Taras Shevchenko (Kiev, Ukraine)
- May 2019 “Language of Social Media: An Investigation of the Changes that Soft Media has Imposed on Language Use”  
Proceedings Book of the 9th International Research Conference on Education, Language and Literature; International Black Sea University (Tbilisi, Georgia)
- April 2019 “The Role of Digital Technology in English Language Teaching in Azerbaijan”  
International Journal of English Linguistics; Vol.9, N2; 2019.  
Published by Canadian Center of Science and Education (Toronto, Canada).
- December 2017 “Language functions”  
International scientific journal “Philology”, №6 (12), 2017 (Volgograd, Russia)
- April 2017 Thesis “Social networking and its influence on the students’ English language”  
Procedure of Republican-Practical Conference "Problems in Foreign Language Teaching" dedicated to the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the establishment of Azerbaijan Language University. Baku (Azerbaijan)
- October 2016 “Anglicism in Azerbaijani Mass Media”  
Scientific journal “Foreign Languages in Azerbaijan”, №4 (34)/2016 Baku, Azerbaijan
- August 2016 “The impact of social networking on the students’ English language in Azerbaijan”  
Procedure of the Conference Materials "The 3rd International Scientific Multidisciplinary Conference on “Social Sciences and Arts”, Albena (Bulgaria)

October 2015

"Language policy problem in Modern World"  
Scientific - Practical Journal, Baku (Azerbaijan)

26 November 2014

"English as a global language"  
XXI century cultural paradigm in multicultural aspect Materials of Republican Scientific-Practical Conference", Baku (Azerbaijan)

January 2014

"Greek Origin Words and Their Short Description"  
"Khazar View" scientific journal Baku (Azerbaijan)

18 April 2014

"Greek Origin Words and Their Short Description"  
Conference Materials of the 2nd International Scientific Conference of Young Researchers Qafqaz University, Baku (Azerbaijan)

May 2011

"Etymological Survey of the Word Stock of the English Language"  
"Khazar View" scientific journal

22 Apr 2011

"Etymological Survey of the Word Stock of the English Language"  
Conference Materials of the 1st International Student Conference on "Modern Approaches in English Language and Literature" dedicated to the 88th anniversary of the National Leader of Azerbaijan, Heydar Aliyev, Qafqaz University

February 2011

"The Importance of Language Learning"  
"Khazar View" scientific - publicist journal Baku (Azerbaijan)

## SCIENTIFIC ORGANIZATIONS

August 2019

*Linguistic Organization: Englishers LLL International-IKSAD (Turkey)*  
Country head for Azerbaijan

## SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS

January, 2022

*Journal of English Studies in Arabia Felix*  
Editor

March 2020

*ENGLISHERS' LLL International*  
Managing editor

September 2019

*Khazar Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences*  
Scientific team member

January 2018

*Journal of Foreign Language Education and Technology*  
Language editor



