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## Education

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<b>Institution</b>	Yerevan State University
<b>Faculty</b>	Oriental Studies
<b>Date</b>	1999 - 2022
<b>Degree name</b>	PhD student

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<b>Institution</b>	Yerevan State University
<b>Faculty</b>	Oriental Studies
<b>Date</b>	1993 - 1998
<b>Degree name</b>	Masters

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<b>Institution</b>	Pyatigorsk State Institute of Foreign Languages
<b>Faculty</b>	English philology
<b>Date</b>	1985 - 1990
<b>Degree name</b>	Masters

## Scientific Rank/degree

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<b>Institution</b>	Institute of Archaeology and Ethnography National Academy of Sciences, RA
<b>Date</b>	2003
<b>Degree name</b>	Postgraduate
<b>Scientific Supervisor</b>	Garnik Asatrian
<b>Research Topic</b>	The Yezidi Pantheon

## Language skills

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Русский English Հայերեն Deutsch ىسراف

## Scientific interests

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- comparative religions studies; ethno-religious identities, Near Eastern non-dogmatic milieu; Caucaso-Caspian Contact Zone; Heterodox Shi'ism, Yezidism, Folk Islam

## Participation in international conferences and seminars

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<b>05/12/2023 - 08/12/2023</b>	RAU 17th Annual Conference Russian-Armenian University Armenia
<b>17/11/2023 - 18/11/2023</b>	Minority Rights in the Centennial of the Republic Hrant Dink Foundation Turkey
<b>27/10/2023 - 28/10/2023</b>	250-летие присоединения Алании-Осетии к России North Ossetian State University Russian Federation (the)
<b>21/08/2023 - 25/08/2023</b>	Xth Conference of the Societas Iranologica Europea University of Leiden Netherlands (the)
<b>30/05/2023 - 04/06/2023</b>	Ninth Biennial Convention of the Association for the Study of Persianate Societies Russian-Armenian University Armenia
<b>09/04/2023 - 12/04/2023</b>	Epic and Literature Russian-Armenian University Armenia

## Publications

### *Article*

#### **An Unknown Source on Proselytism among the Udis**

Victoria Arakelova, Hakobyan Hayk

Iran and the Caucasus 2023 426-434

### *Article*

#### **О языке езидских религиозных текстов**

Виктория Аракелова

Штудии по кавказско-каспийской словесности 2023 1-13

### *Monograph*

#### **Yazidiha**

Victoria Arakelova

2023 116

### *Conference*

#### **АРМЯНСКОЕ ДУХОВНОЕ И КУЛЬТУРНОЕ НАСЛЕДИЕ И ФАКТОР ВОСТОЧНОХРИСТИАНСКОЙ (РУССКОЙ) ЦИВИЛИЗАЦИИ В ЗАКАВКАЗЬЕ**

Аракелова В.А.