

# Curriculum Vitae

## Personal information

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Nationality

Kyrgyz

Gender

Female

## Work experience

### Dates

**September 2009-**

Occupation or position held

Dr. Lecturer, Kyrgyzstan-Turkey Manas University (KTMU)

Name and address of employer

Jal, Bishkek

### Dates

**January 2009-June 2009**

Occupation or position held

Dr. Lecturer, International Ataturk-Alatoo University

Name and address of employer

Tunguch, Bishkek

### Dates

**July 2001-July 2006**

Occupation or position held

Researcher, Research Centre for Islamic History, Art and Culture (IRCICA)

Name and address of employer

Prof. Dr. Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu, Dr. Halit Eren  
Yıldız Sarayı Seyir Köşkü, P.O. Box 24, Beşiktaş 80692, İstanbul, tel: +90 212 259 1742

### Dates

**1994-2001**

Occupation or position held

Translator

Type of business or sector

Private Sectors, İstanbul/Turkey

## Education and training

### Dates

**2001-2008**

Title of qualification awarded

**PhD**

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

Thesis Title: *"Introduction of Modern Science into Turkistan (1800-1917)"* (in Turkish)  
Supervisor: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mustafa KAÇAR

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of İstanbul, Graduate School of Social Sciences, Department of Philosophy

### Dates

**1998-2001**

Title of qualification awarded

**MA**

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

Thesis Title: *"Matter and Form in the Philosophy of Ibn Sina (Avicenna)"* (in Turkish)  
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Bekir KARLIĞA

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of Marmara, Graduate School of Social Sciences, Department of Philosophy and Religious Sciences

### Dates

**1998-2001**

Title of qualification awarded

**MA**

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

Thesis Title: *"Medrese Education and the Teaching of Awail Sciences During the Timurid Period"* (in Turkish)  
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Ekmeleddin İHSANOĞLU

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of İstanbul, Graduate School of Social Sciences, Department of History of Science

### Dates

**1994-1998**

Title of qualification awarded

**BA**, Department of Oriental Studies, Arabic Language and Literature

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of İstanbul, Faculty of Letters.

**Researches, Grants and Awards:**

Doctoral Research Program, Samarqand University, Uzbekistan, January-May 2006.  
 Doctoral Research Program, Kazan, Russia, June-August 2005.  
 Open Society Institute, Global Supplementary Grant Program 2002-2004.  
 Istanbul Büyük Şehir Belediyesi Bursu, Scholarship for MA and PhD Students 2000-2002.  
 İlim Yayma Vakfı, Scholarship for MA Students, 1999-2000.

**Personal skills and competences**

Mother tongue(s)

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

*European level (\*)***Turkish****Russian****English****Arabic****Turkic Languages****Persian****Kyrgyz**

Understanding		Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production	
	Proficient		Proficient		Proficient		Proficient
	Proficient		Proficient		Good		Good
	Proficient		Proficient		Good		Good
	Good		Good		Good		Good
	Good		Good		Good		Intermediate
	Intermediate		Intermediate		Basic		Basic

(\*) *Common European Framework of Reference for Languages***Courses**

1. Turkish Language, 1 year, TÖMER, Samsun/Turkey
2. Arabic Language, 2 years, Istanbul/Turkey; 3 months, Zerqa/Jordan
3. Persian Language, 6 months, Istanbul/Turkey
4. English Language, 9 months, METU, Ankara/Turkey; 3 months, London/UK
5. Diction, 6 months, İSMEK, Istanbul/Turkey; 4months, Beyazıt Library, Istanbul/Turkey

**Social skills and competences**

1. Organized person, end-oriented work capacity, problem-solving attitude, responsibility, self-respect and self-reliance, ability to establish and maintain good working relations with people of different national and cultural backgrounds.

**Organisational skills**

1. *History and Culture of Central Asia: Samarqand*, Conference and Photograph Exhibition, 13<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> April 2007, IRCICA, Istanbul, Project coordinator
2. *History and Culture of Central Asia: The Karakhanids Heritage*, Kyrgyz Cultural Week, Conference and Exhibition, 30<sup>th</sup> June-11<sup>th</sup> July 2006, IRCICA, Istanbul, Project coordinator

**Computer skills and competences**

Competent with most Microsoft Office programs.

**Courses Taught Over The Years**

Philosophy of Science, SBE-550, FBE-513  
 History of Science, FIL-206  
 Introduction to Philosophy, SOB-201  
 Epistemology, FIL-104  
 History of Islamic Philosophy, FIL-201  
 The World and Turkic Civilizations, TAR-202

**Seminars**

1. "Eastern and Western Philosophy: Knowledge and Wisdom", May 2013, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
2. "İbn Sina (Avicenna)'s Theory of Mind and Soul", KTMU, 14<sup>th</sup> March 2012, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
3. "T. Kuhn's Paradigms and the Problems", KTMU, 20<sup>th</sup> January 2012, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
4. "The World Civilizations, Global Problems and Kyrgyzstan", KTMU, November 2011, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
5. "The Influence of the Methodology of Islamic Science on the West", KTMU, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2011, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
6. "The Role of Atatürk in Developing of Modern Science and Education in Turkey", KTMU, 10<sup>th</sup> November 2010, Bishkek. (in Turkish)
7. "Theism in the Orkhun-Yenisey Monuments", disputant, KTMU, 17<sup>th</sup> March 2010, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
8. "Language, Education and Statehood", Kyrgyzstan-Turkey "Aychurok" Girls High School, October 2009, Bishkek. (in Kyrgyz)
9. "Modern Science in Turkistan and the Russian Policy", KTMU, March 2009, Bishkek. (in Turkish)
10. "The Medreses of Timurid Period: As a Model of Islamic Civilisation and Its Role in History of Science", 13<sup>th</sup> April 2007, IRCICA, Istanbul. (in Turkish)

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**A. Articles in International Journals:**

- A1. Eshenkulova, K., "Avicenna and Descartes: Mind and Body Dualism" forthcoming.
- A2. Eshenkulova, K., "Kırgız, Altay ve Hakas Lehçelerinde Yansımaların Karşılaştırılması", *Turan*, No. 9, January 2010, İstanbul, 2010, pp. 51-80. (in Turkish)
- A3. Eshenkulova, K., "Türkistan'da Eğitim Konusunun Ekim İhtilali Öncesi İdil-Ural Tatar Basınında Akisleri", *Journal of Modern Turkish Studies*, No. 3/3, Ankara 2006 pp. 22-30. (in Turkish)

**B. Papers in Refereed International Conference Proceedings:**

- B2. Eshenkulova, K., "Jadidism in Turkistan: Cultural and Scientific Reforms and Social Transformation", *Second International Symposium on Islamic Civilization in Central Asia*, 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> October 2012, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan. (in Turkish)
- B2. Eshenkulova, K., "Ch. Айтматов: Wisdom, "Traditional Academy" and Moral Crisis", *International Congress on Chingiz Aitmatov and the Renaissance of Turkic Civilization*, 24<sup>th</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> May 2012, KTMU, Bishkek 2013, pp. 279-283. (in Kyrgyz)
- B3. Eshenkulova, K., "Society and Family in the Transition Period in Post-Soviet Kyrgyzstan", *International Symposium The Family in the Muslim Countries and Communities*, 28<sup>th</sup> April 2012, İstanbul, Turkey, 14p. (in Turkish)
- B4. Eshenkulova, K., "Urbanization and the Process of Cultural Change in Kyrgyzstan", *International Seminar Eurasia Twenty Years After 1991 in Retrospect*, 15<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup> February, 2011, Kolkata, India 2012, pp. 183-195. (in English)
- B5. Eshenkulova, K., "Social and Ethic Problems of Uncontrolled Urbanization in Kyrgyzstan", *Third Congress of the Turkic World Sociologists, Globalization and the Turkic World*, 21<sup>st</sup> -24<sup>th</sup> September 2010, Bishkek, 12p. (in Turkish)
- B6. Eshenkulova, K., "Attempts to Reform Classical Educational Institutions in Turkistan After Russian Occupation and Their Results", *Proceedings of International Conference Islamic Civilization in Central Asia*, 4<sup>th</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> September 2007, Astana, İstanbul: IRCICA, 2010, pp. 129-141. (in English)
- B7. Eshenkulova, K., "Turkistan and Turkistans in the Tatar Periodical *Shura*", *Proceedings of the Second International Symposium on Islamic Civilization in Volga-Ural Region*, 24<sup>th</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> June 2005, Kazan, İstanbul: IRCICA, 2008, pp. 441-453. (in Turkish)
- B8. Eshenkulova, K., "The purpose of Russian-Tuzem schools in Central Asia", *International Conference Central Asia-Perspectives from the Field*, 7<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> November 2003, London, 12p. (in English)
- B9. Eshenkulova, K., "The Introduction of Modern Science and Education to Central Asia in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century", *Proc. Int. Central Asia on Crossroads*, 4<sup>th</sup> -6<sup>th</sup> May 2003, Bonn, 15p. (in English)
- B10. Eshenkulova, K., "L. N. Tolstoy and Russian Philosophy", *Tradition and Development*, 16<sup>th</sup> May 2002, İstanbul University, İstanbul, 7p. (in Turkish)

**C. Articles in National Journals:**

- C1. Eshenkulova, K., "Problem of Knowledge in Ibn Sina's Philosophy", forthcoming.
- C2. Edmund L. Gettier, Is Justified True Belief Knowledge? translated by Eshenkulova, K., forthcoming.

**D. Papers in Refereed National Conference Proceedings:**

- D1. Eshenkulova, K., "Moral Values: Islam and its Values", *Ideal Person-the Prophet Muhammad*, 20<sup>th</sup> April 2013, Бишкек.
- D2. Eshenkulova, K., "The Role of Language to Develop Relationships Among the Ethnic Groups in Kyrgyzstan", *Inter-Ethnic Relationships in Kyrgyzstan*, 9<sup>th</sup> April 2009, Bishkek. etc.

**E. Books**

- E1. Baturhan Valihocayev, *Uluğ Bey Medreseleri*, translated by. K. Eshenkulova (from Uzbek Language into Turkish Language), İstanbul: ISAR, 2004.