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Born: 15 May, 1965 in Tbilisi, Georgia

1987 – Georgian Polytechnic Institute, engineer

Photographer, videographer, teacher in photography, digital editor and videography.

Cooperates with the various local and International magazines and companies as a photographer.

Works in the different genres of photography: interior, portrait, commercial, monochrome, event reportage, infrared as well as in 360 panorama photograph.

Since 2008 Photographer and teacher in the Art and design company PHOTOLIFE STUDIO

Since 2008 - Cofounder and chairman of the Board – Association of Photographers of Georgia

2015 - Author and co-supervisor of the International online photo school of EaP countries www.photo-school-eu, lecturer in this school

Author of the video lessons and tutorials in photography

2016 – Video Course in Photography on DVD in Georgian language (series: Photographers videothek, volume I) issued by APG. Author of 14 video lessons, supervisor of the team

Invited lecturer in photography by the several local and International organizations

Since 2014 - Trainer in photography invited by the photographers associations of Ukraine, Armenia, Azerbaijan

Since 2009 - Founder and supervisor of the Internet reality show *Photoman*

2012-2015 – Expert of the International project SAY CHEESE! Eastern Partnership Family Album, funded by European Commission: conducting seminars, business forum, photo contest My Country in Eastern Partnership.

Participated in publishing process of the Eastern Partnership Family Album, issued within this project. Her photo works are placed in this album and were exhibited in the six EaP countries in 2015.

Member of the various local and International Jury:

2013 - Member of the Jury of the International photo salon *Panorama of my Country*

2015 – Consultant of the photo contest Tbilisi, organized by *Tbilisi City Assembly*

Since 2015 – Co founder and chairman of the National qualification photo contest MASTER OF APG certificate.

2016 – Chairman of the Jury – the photo contest *Women in Art*

2016 – Co organized and International Jury member of the *International Photo circle Eastern countries: Ukraine-Moldova-Georgia Drag 2016* conducted under FIAP patronage

2016 – Organizer and International Jury member of the 1st International photo salon *Georgian Drag 2016* conducted under FIAP patronage

Awards:

2014 – EP (European Photographer) certificate of the Federation of European Photographers (FEP)

2015 – Certificate of Appreciation for outstanding contribution as a coordinator on the EU-funded project SAY CHEESE!

2015 – Certificate of Recognition – Expert in photography of Eastern Partnership

2015 - Certificate of Recognition –Photographer of Eastern Partnership

2016 – Honor Member of the Unity of Photographers of Azerbaijan, prizes and diploma for a creative cooperation with UPA;

2016 – Diploma of Appreciation by Uzhgorod Rada