

# Alen Hayrapetyants



## PERSONAL BACKGROUND

I specialize in Iranian philological studies, with particular expertise in Iranian linguistics, comparative and historical linguistics, Ancient Near Eastern art and religion, ancient writing systems and grammatology, Iranian mythology and epic traditions, Indo-Iranian cultural history, textual criticism and manuscript studies, as well as the reconstruction of pre-Islamic Iranian religious and intellectual traditions through linguistic, literary, and historical evidence. My research interests further encompass etymology, historical semantics, comparative mythology, epigraphy, and the intercultural connections between the Iranian world and neighboring civilizations of the Ancient Near East, the Caucasus, Central Asia, and the broader Indo-European sphere.

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## CAREER SUMMARY

- Lecturer at the Institute of Oriental Studies, Russian-Armenian University (2024-until now)
- Assistant to Cultural attaché of the Islamic Republic of Iran, translator, and content writer at the Cultural Center of the IRI (2023 November - until now)
- Exam invigilator at the British Council (2024 March - until 2025 february)
- Customer Support Persian specialist (2018 to May 2024)

## ACADEMIC HISTORY

### Yerevan State University

Oriental Studies, Department of Iranian studies

-Bachelor's degree (2015-2019)

-Master's degree (2020-2022)

-Scientific articles see`

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### Kapan N9 High School

-High School Diploma, Class of 2015

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

Armenian(Native)

Russian (Native)

Persian(Native)

English (advanced)

Spanish (Intermediate)

German (Intermediate)

Ossetic (Intermediate)

Arabic (Beginner)

French (Beginner)

## PUBLICATIONS

- (2021) "Իրանի զրադաշտականների լեզվի որոշ բառապաշարային միավորների շուրջ": Արևելագիտության հարցեր, 19, էջ 145-156
- (2022) "Նորագյուտ DNF արձանագրության խորհրդավոր բանաձևի մեկնությունը՝ "Օչհնություն՝ն, թե՛ խորհուրդ": Արևելագիտության հարցեր, 21, էջ 98-110:
- Hayrapetyants, A. (2024). Missionaries in Persia: Cultural Diversity and Competing Norms in Global Catholicism, by Christian Windler. Iran and the Caucasus, 28(4-5), 516-517. <https://doi.org/10.1163/1573384X-02804017>
- Hayrapetyants, A. (2024), "Nokātī čand darbāre-ye bāvarhā-ye āryāyī, āyīn-e zartošt va ‘aqāyed-e dīnī-ye sakāhā", Pažuhešhā-ye Zabānī-Adabī-ye Qafqāz va Kaspīn, Vol. 11: 53-61.
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- Айрапетянц, А. (2025), "Ossetica I: Заметки о некоторых словах осетинского языка", Pažuhešhā-ye Zabānī-Adabī-ye Qafqāz va Kaspīn, Vol. 12: 27-39.
- Айрапетянц, А. (2025), "Армяно-Осетинские языковые связи: состояние изучения вопроса", Caucaso-Caspica X: 65-72.
- Айрапетянц А. А. Еще раз об этимологии мифонима «Сослан», NARTAMONGÆ. 2025. Vol. XX. С. 276–285.
- Hayrapetians, A. (2025). Sanctity, Gender and Authority in Medieval Caucasia, by Nikoloz Aleksidze. Iran and the Caucasus, 29(2), 229-231. <https://doi.org/10.1163/1573384X-02902009>
- Асатрян Г.С., Айрапетянц А.А. Талышский язык по обе стороны Аракса // Социолингвистика. 2025. No 2 (22). С.64–84. DOI: 10.37892/2713-2951-2-22-64-84

### Scientific-popular publications

- (2022)"All You Need to Know about Zoroastrianism"/ <https://aspirantum.com/blog/all-about-zoroastrianism>
- (2022) "How to say Hello in Persian" / <https://aspirantum.com/blog/hello-in-persian>
- (2023) "How to say Thank you in Persian" / <https://aspirantum.com/blog/thank-you-in-persian>
- (2023) "How to say Goodbye in Persian" <https://aspirantum.com/blog/good-bye-in-persian>
- (2023) "All you need to know about Slavic languages" / <https://aspirantum.com/blog/slavic-languages>
- (2024) "20 surprising words in Russian that have Persian origins" / <https://aspirantum.com/blog/persian-loan-words-in-russian>