

Curriculum Vitae

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Position held: Assoc.Prof., PhD, at the Institute for Ethnology and Folklore Studies with Ethnographic Museum, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences; Dept.of Historical Ethnology

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Main fields of research:

Theory of Ethnicity, Nation and Nationalism;
Ritual Kinship;
Anthropology of Hazards and Disasters.

Education, qualifications, grants and fellowships:

1995-1999: PhD in Sociology; Thesis "Ethnic Origins of National Identity" (in English);

School of Sociology and Social Anthropology, Faculty of Arts, University of New South Wales, Kensington NSW 2033, Anzac Pde, 2033 Sydney, Australia;

1981-1985: PhD in Ethnology, Thesis "Establishment of Bulgarian National Consciousness" (in Russian) Moscow University "M.V.Lomonosov", GSP-1, Leninskie Gory, 119991 Moscow, Russian Federation.

1975-1980: Bachelor Diploma in History with Specialization in Ethnology, Thesis "Calendric Rituals in the Rhodopa Mountain" (in Bulgarian); Sofia University "St.Kliment Ohridski"; 15 "Tzar Osvoboditel" Str., 1505 Sofia, Bulgaria.

Supervision of graduate students (BA, MA) and PhD students; teaching in Universities and high schools (in chronological order):

2015-present: IEFsEM, Hristinka Basheva, Dissertation Title „Приемната грижа - международен модел и българска специфика“;

2004-2011: Lecturer at the University of Plovdiv "Paisii Hilendarski", MA Program "Diplomacy and Foreign Policy", course on: "Ethnic and National Identity"

2011–2014: Lecturer at the University of Sofia "St.Kliment Ohridski", BA Program "Culture and Identity", Sofia

2009–2013: Lecturer at the University of Sofia "St.Kliment Ohridski", MA Program "Anthropology and Globalization", Sofia

2005-до 2009; 2012: Lecturer at Minzu University of China (former Central University for Nationalities), MA and PhD programs, Teaching courses on "Theories of Ethnicity, Nation and Nationalism", "Ritual Kinship" and "Anthropology of Hazards and Disasters"

1985-до 2011 /with interruption in 1994-1999; 2001-2002/: Lecturer in Ethnology at the College for Ancient Languages and Cultures - Sofia; Teaching "Bulgarian Ethnology" and "Ethnology of non-European Peoples and Cultures".

Professional experience:

2001- present-day – Associate Professor;

1988-2001 г. – Assistant Professor;

1985-1988 г. – Researcher.

2011-2014: Head of the Scholarly Council of IEFsEM;

2003-2014: Member of the Scholarly Council of IEFsEM;

2004-2008; 2009-2011: member of the General Assembly of BAS;

Participation in projects (selected):

-- Initiator and Head of the Bulgarian research team in Chinese-Bulgarian joint project on "Disasters and Culture" between IEFsEM and Institute of Ethnology and Anthropology, Chinese Academy of Social sciences, Beijing; first part 2005-2008; second part 2009-2011.

-- Head of the Bulgarian research team of the joint Bulgarian-American project on "Ethnicities and Identities in Bulgaria" between IEFsEM and Pittsburgh Univdrsity, USA, 2008-2010.

-- Head of the Bulgarian research team of the joint Bulgarian-Russian project on "Comparative Study of Slavic Cultures" between IEFsEM and the Institute for Balkan Studies, Russian Academy of sciences; 2009-2011, 2012-2014.

-- Head of the project "Unique Ethnographic Photo Archive at Risk, Sofia, Bulgaria" with the British Library (within the "Endangered Archives Program"); 2013-2014.

-- International project on gender-studies: joint project between BAS and RAS, 2005-2008.

-- International project on migration-studies: joint project between BAS and SANU (Serbian Academy), 2012-2014.

-- National: Project of the Ministry of Education, Bulgaria The Adopted Child - between the Family and the State"; 2005-2010.

Selected personal bibliography:

Books:

2000: *Interpreting Ethnicity. Historiographical Overview and Assessment of Theoretical Discussions.* Sofia, изд. "Аля". 2000. 196 р.

2000, 2005, 2008: *Българска етнография. Първо изд.* София. "Фабер" 2000. - 208 с.; *Българска етнография Второ издание.* Софиял "Фабер", 2005. - 208 с.; Трето допълнено издание. София "Симолини", 2008. - 232 с.;

2010: *Етноси, региони, култури. Четива по неевропейска етнология.* София. "Симолини". 240 с.

2010: Цанева, Е., Николова, В., Кирилова, А. 2010: *Основяването в българската традиционна култура.* София. "Симолини". 236 с.

Editor:

2015: *Disasters and Cultural Stereotypes*, Ed. by Elya Tzaneva with Fang Sumei and Edwin Schmitt. Издание на китайски език - Пекин, Издателство на Академията за социални науки.

2012: *Disasters and Cultural Stereotypes*, Ed. by Elya Tzaneva with Fang Sumei and Edwin Schmitt. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Newcastle.

2009: *Disasters, Culture, Politics. Chinese-Bulgarian Anthropological Contribution to the Study of Critical Situations*. Edited by Elya Tzaneva (Editor-in-Chief), with Fang Sumei and Liu Mingxin. Cambridge Scholars Publishing.

2009: Сл.Гребенарова. *Огънят в обредите на българите. Етнографско-ареално изследване*. С., "Симолини". 2009;

2006: Co-editor with A.Vodenicharova of *Градиво за етнология на миграциите*. Сб.студии, С., 2006;

2006: Editor of the English edition of "*Ethnologia Bulgarica*", V.3, 2006;

1994: Co-editor with R.Popov of *Етнографски проблеми на народната духовна култура*. V.2. София, 1994.

Articles (from the last 5 years):

2013: QUO VADIS: Изследователската парадигма на българската традиционна култура между минали лоялности и съвременни изкушения. - В: *Етнографски проблеми на народната култура*. Съст. А.Анчев. Т.10, София: АИ „Проф. М.Дринов”, 67-100;

2012: Побрратимството у българите - размяна на социални статути? - В: *Етнографски проблеми на народната култура*, Съст. А.Анчев, Т.9. София: АИ „Проф. М.Дринов”. 69-103;

2012: Responding to Foot-and-Mouth-Disease in Bulgaria in 2011. - In: *Disasters and Cultural Stereotypes*. Ed. by Elya Tzaneva with Fang Sumei and Edwin Schmitt. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Newcastle, 2012, 142-165;

2009: Two Cultures' Reaction to a Pandemic (Ethnological Observations on China Combating the Atypical Pneumonia Virus – SARS, in 2003, and Bulgaria Facing a Bird Flu in 2006). – In: *Disasters, Culture, Politics. Chinese-Bulgarian Anthropological Contribution to the Study of Critical Situations*. Eds. E.Tzaneva, Fang S., Liu M. CSP, 2009, 224-249;

2015: Разговори за етнологията // *Българска етнология*. 2015, кн.4, 381-400;

2015: Институт побратимства в традиционной культуре болгар: нормы общения и поведения // *Славянский мир в третьем тысячелетии. Ратный подвиг и мирный труд в истории и культуре славянских народов*. М., 2015, 364-374;

2015: Bulgarian Traditional Ecological Knowledge as Adaptive Strategy // *Envisioning Sustainabilities in Times of Disaster*. Eds. F. Murthy and P.Mcdonagh. *Proceedings from the 17th International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological sciences*. Manchester. Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Newcastle, (forthcoming);

2014: Ethnosymbolism and National Stereotypes // SocioBrains. International scientific online journal. www.sociobrains.com. Issue 1, Sept 2014. Publ. "Smart Ideas, wise decisions" LTD. Bg, 144-154;

2014: 《从族类-象征的角度看民族认同》(An Ethno-Symbolic Approach to National Identity) // *World Ethno-National Studies*, Oct. 2014, No5;

2013: Приемната грижа в България - от ДЪЛГА, през КАУЗАТА до ПРОФЕСИЯТА /Наблюдения върху практиката в няколко села на Смолянска област през 2013 г./ // *Българска етнология*, 2013, №4, 443-459;

2013: Руската традициология в историографската ѝ ретро- и перспектива. - В: *Българска етнология*, № 1, 28-40;

2013: Възход и падение на идеята за преподаването на етнография в българското училище - В: *Моята девиза беше...* Юбилеен сборник с доклади от Научната конференция на Национално етнопедагогическо сдружение „Проф. д-р Иван Шишманов”, 22-23 юни 2012 г., София, 2013, 176-192;

2013: За домодерните етнически символи на българите и националното им въобразяване през XIX в. – В: *Шишманови дни 2012*, отг.ред.Л.Пейчева, София: АИ „Проф.М.Дринов”, 382-395;

2012: Един следовник на Миладиновци: Кузман Шапкарев – събирач и издател на българска народна културна старина. – В: *Дни на Миладиновци 2011*. София: АИ „Проф.М.Дринов”, 204-213;

2012: The Bulgarians „Down Under” – Home and Away. – In: Ed. P.Hristov. *Migration and Identity. Historical, Cultural and Linguistic Dimensions of Mobility in the Balkans*. Sofia:Paradigma. 299-312;

2011: Историческая перспектива традиционных практик усвоения у болгар. – В: *Славянский мир в третьем тысячелетии. Межкультурный и межконфессиональный диалог славянских народов*. Москва, 353-362;

2011: Някои насоки в съвременната етнична теория в Русия, Китай и България. – В Сб. „*Философия, Геополитика, Бъдеще. Сб. Статии от Международна научна конференция, посветена на 90-г. от образуването на „Съюз Евразия” и 70-г. на проф.П.Ганчев – д-р на философските и на политологичните науки*”. Изд. Фабер. С., 2011 /излязла 2012, 207-219;