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Present position:

- Director of the Institute of Psychiatry of the Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Ukraine (since 2019)
- Vice-President of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association (since 2020)
- Country Director of International Technology Transfer Center Ukraine (since 2020)
- Member of the Board of Directors of the International Consortium of Universities for Drug Demand Reduction (ICUDDR) (since 2019)
- Founder and Head of the Ukraine National Chapter of the International Society of Substance Use Prevention and Treatment Professionals (ISSUP) (since 2019)
- Expert on Mental Health of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine (since 2021)

Education and Certification

2011 – P. Shupik National Medical Academy of Postgraduate Education, Kyiv, Ukraine, *Dr.Med.Sci* "Clinical – social study of assisting the elderly with impaired mental health"

2003 – Ukrainian Research Institute for Social and Forensic Psychiatry and Drug Abuse, Kyiv, Ukraine, *PhD in Medicine* «System rehabilitation of patients with dementia in Alzheimer's disease in hospital and community-acquired conditions»

1991-1992 – Internship “Psychiatry”, M. Gorky Donetsk State Medical Institute, Donetsk, Ukraine

1985-1991 – M.Gorky Donetsk State Medical Institute, Donetsk, Ukraine

Professional experience

Since 2019 – Director of the Institute of Psychiatry, Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Ukraine

2012-2019 – Director of the Ukrainian Research Institute for Social and Forensic Psychiatry and Drug Abuse, Ministry of Health of Ukraine, Kyiv, Ukraine

2008-2012 – Director of Hospital, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine

2007-2008 – Deputy Director of Hospital, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine

2005-2007 – Head of Organizational Consultative Department, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine

2001-2005 – Psychiatrist, Psycho-neurological Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine

1992-2001 – Psychiatrist, Regional Clinical Psychiatric Hospital, Donetsk, Ukraine

Since 2021 – Expert on Mental Health of the Ministry Health of Ukraine

2020, 2021 – Consultant to the World Health Organization, Ukraine office

Since 2020 – Country Director of International Technology Transfer Center Ukraine

2017-2020 – Country Director of International President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief, Addiction Technology Transfer Center – Ukraine and Central Asia

2012-2017 – Chief Psychiatrist and Addiction Psychiatrist of Ministry Health of Ukraine

2005-2009 – Chief Psychiatrist of Ministry of Health of Ukraine

2003-2012 – Chief Psychiatrist of the Donetsk Regional State Administration, Department of Healthcare, Donetsk, Ukraine

Membership of professional bodies

Since 2020 – Vice-President of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association

2019 – Member of the Board of Directors of the International Consortium of Universities for Drug Demand Reduction

2019 – Head of the Ukraine National Chapter of the International Society of Substance Use Prevention and Treatment Professionals

2011-2012 – Head of Donetsk Regional Branch of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association, Donetsk, Ukraine

Since 1998 – present Member of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association

Clinical experience:

More than 30-year practical experience in mental healthcare and services as a psychiatrist

Teaching experience:

Since 2019 – Professor, Faculty of Medicine. Supervised three PhD students who defended their PhD theses.

2005-2014 – Professor's assistant and professor at the Department of Family Medicine, P. Shupik National Medical Academy of Postgraduate Education, Kyiv, Ukraine

Research experience:

2022-2023 – Country Director of the project "Research on the implementation of the online course "Introduction to Evidence-Based Prevention" (INEP): Feasibility study at universities in Ukraine, Peru and the Czech Republic".

2020-2021 – scientific supervisor of the research project «MASC: Mental health care: Adverse Sequelae of COVID-19» in Ukraine.

2020-2021 – scientific supervisor of the research project "Investigate the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the mental health of medical workers and develop a comprehensive model for overcoming its negative consequences using modern information and communication technologies".

2002 – leader of the research project in Donetsk region, Ukraine, World Health Organization epidemiological study "Mental Health in the World in 2000".

9 Annual Conferences of the Ukrainian Psychiatric Association were organized, including the WPA European Regional Congress, July, 7-9, 2021, Kyiv, Ukraine and the IX Annual Ukrainian Psychiatric Association International Conference, "The Price of Peace in Our Time", February, 24-25, 2023, Warsaw, Poland.

Member of the Editorial Boards of international scientific journals:

1. «Addiktologie»
2. «Psychiatry and Clinical Neurosciences Reports» (PCN Reports)
3. «Forensic Science International: Mind and Law»

Member of the Advisory Boards of *The Lancet Psychiatry*

Author of more than 150 scientific works, including monographs and training manuals. 24 scientific works published in the journals indexed in Scopus/Web of Science.

Others experience:

- More than 20 years experience in designing and implementing innovative and evidence based approaches to mental health and organizational strengthening of psychiatric service in Ukraine
- Experience in engaging with national stakeholders in the field of mental healthcare at different levels
- Experience in promotion of social inclusion of people with mental disorders.