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Education

- 2007-2009 **Post-graduate study in the National Academy of Sciences**
(PhD in theory of law)
- 1993 – 1998 **Kyrgyz State National University,**
law faculty, specialty – jurisprudence
(honour degree).

Working Experience

- 1999 – until **Associate Professor in the American University of Central Asia**
present
- 2015 – until **Attorney of “Satarov, Askarov and Partners” Law Firm**
present
- 2011 – 2015 **Lawyer of JSC “Meks Resources”**
- June 2006 –April **Managing Partner of «Consultant Company» Ltd**
2010 **Partner of «Consultant Company» Ltd**
- September 2005 **Senior lawyer of USAID Project “Legal Infrastructure For a Market**
– June 2006 **Economy” implemented by ARD/Checchi**
- September 2004 **Legal adviser of “GSAC/GTAC” World Bank Project**
– September **Adviser of the Director of the Agency of the Kyrgyz Republic on Public**
2005 **Service**
- 2000 – 2005 **Head of the Legal department of “TOKTOM” Ltd**
- 1998 – 2000 **Lawyer of JSC “Adviser”**
- 1997 **Lawyer’s Assistant of “Defense” Ltd. law firm**

Additional Information about the Working Experience

- August – **IFC**
December 2017 **Legal expert on analysis of e-money regulation**
- October 2016 – **USAID, IDLO**
May 2017 **Expert, preparing educational modules for arbitrators, members of Aksakal**
courts and mediators; trainer for arbitrators and members of Aksakal courts
- May - June 2016 **USAID, IDLO**
Expert, member of the working group for preparation the draft law on ADR

December 2015 – April 2016	USAID, IDLO Expert, member of the working group for preparation the draft law on mediation
December 2015	ABA Rule of law Initiative, Advokatura of the Kyrgyz Republic Expert on preparation of amendments into the Law on Advokatura and advocacy.
June 2014	EU-Central Asia Rule of Law Platform Expert on analysis of court decisions
December 2012 - 2016	Member of the official working group for preparation of the new Civil Procedure Code of the Kyrgyz Republic
September 2012 - 2016	USAID, IDLO Member of the working group for preparation of the Commentary of the Civil Code of the Kyrgyz Republic
February – March 2012	USAID, IDLO Member of the working group for preparation of the Handbook of Commercial Law for Judges
July – December 2008	UNDP Democratic Governance Programme Legal Expert on optimization of judicial proceedings for land disputes
December 2007 - January 2008	UNDP poverty reduction and democratic governance program Legal Adviser on access to justice affairs
October 2006 – May 2007	UNDP Research project on Leasing for microcredit companies
October 2006 – January 2007	UNDP Expert on monitoring and analysis of Kyrgyz legislation in the sphere of tax disputes

Conferences, Seminars for the Past 5 years:

2010 – 2012	International Research Project on “Comparative Constitutional Law: Theory and Methodology in the Context of Constitutional Reforms” (Institute for Law and Public Policy (Moscow, Russian Federation), CEU (Budapest, Hungary))
April 2010	Inter-University Scholarly Conference on “The Improvement of the Kyrgyz legislation as part of the Implementation of the Strategy of Kyrgyzstan’s Development during 2009-2011 years” (organized by the Kyrgyz-Russian Slavic University), Bishkek;
May 18-22, 2011	19th NISPACEE Annual Conference on “Public Administration of the Future” (Varna, Bulgaria)
June 17, 2012	Training for Arbitrators on “International Commercial Arbitration: Laws, Regulations, and Practice” (Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan)
May 13-14, 2013	International Theoretical and Practical Conference on “Civil Law and Corporate Relations” (Almaty, Kazakhstan)
May 14-15, 2013	Practical Seminar of IFC on “The Leading Role of the Board of Directors in

	Corporate Governance” (Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan)
July 22 – August 3 2013	Summer School on “Introduction to German Business Law” (Berlin, Kiel, Wiesbaden, Germany)
August 5-7, 2013	XIII ESCAS Biennial Conference 2013 “The Steppe and the Sown” (Astana, Kazakhstan)
November 7, 2013	Roundtable on “Harmonization of Legislation of the Customs Union Members” (Astana, Kazakhstan)
November 15-16, 2013	IV International Scientific and Practical Conference on Administrative Law “Law of Administrative Procedures and its Significance for Special Branches of Public Law” (Almaty, Kazakhstan)
Mart 1 –April 1, 2014	Study course in Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law (Heidelberg, Germany)
July 20-23, 2014	Summer School on Civil Procedure in Max Planck Institute for International, European and Regulatory Procedural Law (Luxembourg)
October 8-11, 2015	International ESCAS Conference “Central Asia in the XXI Century: Historical Trajectories, Contemporary Challenges and Everyday Encounters” (Zurich, Switzerland) with presentation on “Courts of Elders and Comrades’ Courts: Comparing Socio-Legal Institution”
December 8-11, 2015	Course for lawyers “German Contract Law” (Berlin, Germany)
May 19-20, 2016	International Theoretical and Practical Conference on “Invalidity of Contracts in Civil Law” (Almaty, Kazahstan)
June 20-23, 2016	International Forum on Administrative Law (Leipzig, Germany)
September 30, 2016	Training on “International Investments”
November 29 – December 1, 2016	Training for judges and advocates on “Conflict of Law and Choice of Applicable Law (Conflict law and International trial)” (Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan)
March 2-6, 2017	Basic Training Course for Mediators (72 hours)
April 10-11, 2017	TOT on “Recognition and Enforcement of International Court Decisions and International Arbitrational Awards”
June 29-30, 2017	International ESCAS-CESS Conference (Bishkek) with presentation on “Courts of Biys and Aksakals in Kyrgyzstan: What Does the History Teach?”
October 5-8, 2017	18th CESS Annual Conference (University of Washington, Seattle) with presentation on “Access to Justice? Impact of Non-State Courts: the Aksakal Courts Example”
December 7-8, 2017	5 th Ministries of Justice of EU and Central Asia Conference (Brussels)

Publications for the Past 5 years:

1. The Handbook for Arbitrators of the International Arbitration Court, Bishkek, 2010
2. Tax Contract: Problems of Correlation Private and Public Interests – Civil law. Issues. Comments. Practice – Issue 36 - Almaty, 2010. – Pages.159-169

3. Abuse of Fundamental Human Rights: A Comparative Analysis of Approaches of the Constitutional Court of the Russian Federation and the European Court of Human Rights - the collected articles of IV International theoretical and practical conference on "Traditions and Innovation of Russian Legal Thought: History and the Present" (Ivanovo, 30 of September – 2 of October, 2010).
4. The Role of Customary Law Institutions in the System of State Bodies and Local Governments (on the Example of Courts Aksakals of the Kyrgyz Republic) - the collected articles 19th NISPAcee Annual Conference "Public Administration of the Future" (May 18-22, 2011, Varna, Bulgaria).
5. Legalization of Nationalization Results: Analysis and Evaluation of Post Nationalization Measures / Comparative Constitutional Review (Russian Federation), №6, 2012.
6. Human Rights Guarantees in the Process of Nationalization: Test for Effectiveness / Yearbook on Human Rights 2011. Human Rights Council with the support of the Danish Institute for Human Rights. Bishkek, 2012.
7. Handbook of Commercial Law for Judges. Part 1 (Chapter 16. Cases related to Execution of Obligations), Bishkek, 2012.
8. Controversial Issues of Application of Civil Law on Nationalization / Bulletin of the Kyrgyz-Russian (Slavonic) University, №1, 2013.
9. Judicial Practice on Fairness and Abuse of Law in Corporate Disputes - Zanger: Bulletin of the Republic of Kazakhstan law, June, 2013.
10. On Current State and Tend of Improving the Legislation of the Kyrgyz Republic on the Termination of Property Right / Bulletin of the Kyrgyz-Russian (Slavonic) University, № 2, 2014.
11. Legal Regulation of Investment Disputes in the Kyrgyz Republic: Review of the Regulatory Framework (co-authored) / Academic Journal of American University in Central Asia, №2, 2013.
12. Harmonization of Civil Legislation of Euroasian Economic Union state-members on Protection of Property: the Problem of Innocent Buyer // Collection of Article of Roundtable on "Harmonization of Legislation of the Customs Union Members" (Astana, Kazakhstan), 2014.
13. Responsibility of a Head of Legal Entity: Conflict of Good Faith Presumption and Presumption of Guilt // Bulletin of the Supreme court of Kyrgyz Republic, , №2 (59), 2014.
14. Aksakals Court: Out of (Non) State Institution of Dispute Resolution: Can there be Parallels with Arbitration and Comrades' court? /Comparative Constitution Review (Moscow), #1, 2015.
15. Interaction Between Litigation Procedures of State and Not State Courts: the Case of Aksakal Courts in Kyrgyzstan // in book on "Procedural Science at the Crossroads of Different Generations," p.175-189.
16. Theoretical/Practical Commentary to the Articles of the Civil Code of the Kyrgyz Republic – B., Graffa, 2015. (co-authored – articles 280-295).
17. Compatibility of Litigation Procedures of State and Non State Courts: the Case of Aksakal Courts in Kyrgyzstan // Bulletin of the Kyrgyz-Russian (Slavonic) University, № 6, 2016.

18. Theoretical and Practical (Article-by-Article) Commentary to the Law of the Kyrgyz Republic "On Freedom of Religion and Religious Organizations in the Kyrgyz Republic" (articles 10, 12, 14-16, 19, 24, 25), Bishkek, 2016.
19. Prohibition of Usurious Transactions: the Practice of Applying the Law of the Kyrgyz Republic "On Limitation Usury Activity in the Kyrgyz Republic" // Bulletin of the Supreme Court of the Kyrgyz Republic, 2016, No. 2, P.106-111.
20. Limitation of Usurious Activities: Problems of Judicial Practice // Bulletin of the Kyrgyz-Russian (Slavonic) University, №2, 2017.
21. Courts of Biys and Aksakals in Kyrgyzstan: What Does the History Teach? (co-authored with Tursunbaeva // Russian Journal of Comparative Law, 2017, 4(1): 3-8.

Additional Information

2017	Accreditation of the Ministry of Justice of the Kyrgyz Republic as an expert in conducting legal and human rights expertise
2016	Certificate of Honor of the Supreme Court of the Kyrgyz Republic
2015	Member of the Scholar Advisory Board of the Supreme Economical Court of CIS
2014	Was included into the Directory "Best lawyers in banking, financial, corporative law and international arbitration, civil procedure, labor law, real estate, tax law" (www.bestlawyers.com).
since 2014	Member of the Scholar Advisory Board of the Supreme Court of the Kyrgyz Republic
since 2010	Arbitrator of International Arbitration Court (Republic of Kazakhstan)
since 2005	Arbitrator of International Arbitration Court (Kyrgyz Republic)
since 2001	License for advocacy