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PhD, Philology

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Developed and implemented the following author's courses: "Principles of discourse: communicative aspect" and "Principles of verbal communication in English-speaking society".

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From 2007 to 2013 - a co-organizer of the annual international conference "Language, identity, society" in R. Bulgaria and Chief editor of the scientific journal, published by the materials of the conferences - http://www.scientific-publications.net/open-access-journals/language-individual-and-society;

From 2011 to 2016. made presentations at 12 international and regional conferences. Among them: Bulgaria (2011.), Ukraine (2012), Spain (2012); United Kingdom (2015); Moscow, Krasnodar, Simferopol, Maykop, Rostov n / Don (2011-2016).

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