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Current position

Prof. assoc. for Climatology and Biogeography at the Institute of Ecology, Ilia State University, Tbilisi, Georgia
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Academic career

08/2020 to 04/2024 Project coordinator of the Caucasus Barcode of Life Project BMBF-funded (co-applicant), at the Leibniz Institute for the Analysis of Biodiversity Change, Bonn, Germany
Lecturer at the Departement of Geography and the Departement of Biology, University of Bonn

10/2019 to 08/2020 Prof. assoc. in Physical Geography, Climatology & Biogeography UNESCO „Ethics Teachers' Training Course“, Tbilisi, Georgia

03/2014 to 10/2019 PostDoc at the Department of Geography, University of Bonn, Section Landscape ecology and Climatology
Research in frame of the LTAER-NO project in Norway

10/2017 Guest lecturer at the University of Bergen, Norway
ERASMUS - Teaching mobility

02/2017 Teaching award "Gute Lehre lohnt sich" awarded by the faculty of Natural science, University of Bonn

10/2016 Guest lecturer at the University of Granada, Spain

02/2014 PhD Dissertation: "On the ecology and biogeography of alpine-tundra arthropods"

04/2010 and 10/2010 Guest lecturer at the Alpine Research Center in Finse, Norway

04/ 2008 to 02/2014 Research assistant and doctoral student in the "Climatology & landscape ecology" working group of Prof. Dr. Jörg Löffler
Research in frame of the LTAER-NO project in Norway

04/2001 to 09/2005 Nordic Philology (focus on Norwegian language), University of Münster

10/2000 to 03/2008 Landscape ecology, University of Münster, Diploma thesis: "Reproduction varies with altitude: Lycosidae in focus"