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The brief biographic information

- Ismayilov Eldar was born in 30 March 1950 in Baku.
- In 1967 graduated from Baku secondary school number 150.
- Same year he entered history faculty of the Azerbaijan State University.
- In 1971 he was transferred to the history faculty of Moscow State University (MSU) for the continuation of his studying which he graduated with honor diploma.
- In 1973-1976 studied PhD at MSU. From March 1977 up to now his career is growing from the head of teaching sector, senior teacher, associate professor to professor of the Baku State University.
- From 1997 up to date along with the University activity he is heading Independent Assistance Centre “For the Sake of Civil Society” (NGO).

Education,Academic Degrees Obtained

- In 1973 graduated from the Moscow State University.
- In 1977 defended his PhD dissertation on the topic “Changes in the number and composition of intelligency of Azerbaijan (1945-1959)”.
- In 1991 defended his Doctor dissertation on the topic “Changes in the social structure of the society in Azerbaijan (1960-1970)”.
- In 1983 he was honored the academic title of associate professor and in 1992 – academic title of professor.

Work Experience

- From 1977 Eldar Ismayilov is working at Baku State University.
- He started as a chief of the teaching sector, then from 1980 continued as senior teacher, associate professor and professor of one of the departments of History faculty.
- Now the name of department is Department of History of Slavonic countries.
- He delivers lectures on the Modern period of history of Slavonic countries.
- He is the author of 60 articles, 6 monographies and books. 2 people made their PhD’s under Ismayilov’s supervision.
- He was the first who researched changes of the social structure of Azerbaijan during the post-war years.
- He is the author of the monographies which for the first time in detail investigated political history of Azerbaijan in 40-50 years of XX century.

Area of research

- Researches of the features of Soviet totalitarian system and its reflections on the concrete realities of Azerbaijan.

Participation in the international conferences, symposiums and seminars

- 2000 - International Seminar on Cold War and Southern Caucasus Republics (Tbilisi, Georgia)
- 2001 – International conference “Socio-political development of Russia in last century” (Tehran, Iran)
- 2001 – International seminar “Citizenship and nationality” (Paris, France)
- 2002 - International Seminar on “Totalitarian system in USSR” (Tsinandali, Georgia)
- 2002 – Annual scientific conference in Columbian University (New-York, USA)
- 2003 – International conference “Repressions and deportations in USSR” (Tehran, Iran)
- 2003 – International Atatürk congress (Ankara, Turkey)
- 2005 – International conference “Historical science in Central Asia” (Almati, Kazakhstan)
- 2006 – International conference “International conflicts on Caucasus and Russia” (Moscow, Russia)
- 2007 – International Atatürk Congress (Ankara, Turkey)
- 2008 – International seminar “End of the Cold War and Northern Caucasus” (Pyatigorsk, Russia)
- 2008 – International symposium “Historical science on post Soviet area” (Moscow, Russia)

Selected works

- Secret archive documents on social tendencies in Azerbaijan. (1945-1953)
- “Caspian Crossroads” Journal, t.3, edition number 3, 2003 (Washington, USA)
- Power and People. Post war Stalinism in Azerbaijan. (1945-1953). Monograph. Baku, 2003
- M.D.Bagirov and political situation in Azerbaijan during first years of the Cold War. – “Vertical Istoriï” Journal, 2004. (Tbilisi, Georgia)
- Azerbaijan. “Ottepel”. Azerbaijan: 1953-1956. First years of “ottepel”. Monograph. Baku, 2006
- On the eve of the sad anniversary – “News of the Baku State University” Journal (Humanitarian series) № 1, 2006
- Sketches of the modern period of history of Russia. Monograph. Baku, 2008