

Academic Curriculum Vitae

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Date of birth: 17.12.1981

Nationality: Russia

Research area: Historical Linguistics, Indo-European Studies, Classical Armenian

Degrees

- Habilitation à diriger des recherches (INALCO, Paris): 21.05.2025.
- Ph.D degree (Leiden University, the Netherlands): 02.05.2019.
- Candidate of Sciences degree (Saint Petersburg State University): 11.12.2008.

Employment

- Postdoc researcher at the Lehrstuhl für vergleichende Sprachwissenschaft of Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg: 01.05.2023–30.04.2026.
- Researcher in historical linguistics at the Department of Indo-European Studies and Areal Linguistics, Institute for Linguistic Studies of the Russian Academy of Sciences (ILS RAS), Saint Petersburg, Russia. Employment since 01.10.2004–30.04.2023.
- Lecturer in historical linguistics at the Department of General Linguistics, Saint Petersburg State University. Employment since 01.09.2008–30.06.2019.

Academic qualification

- Post-graduate programme at Saint Petersburg State University: 01.09.2005–30.06.2008.
- Specialist programme at Saint Petersburg State University: academic years 1999/2000–2004/2005; Specialist diploma *cum laude* (General Linguistics): 27.06.2005.
- Élève diplômé de l'École pratique des Hautes Études (Paris): academic years 2002/2003–2003/2004; diplôme d'élève de l'ÉPHÉ (linguistique comparée): 21.05.2005.

Supplementary education abroad

- Leiden Summer School in Languages and Linguistics (Leiden University, the Netherlands): 10.07.2017–21.07.2017.
- Leiden Summer School in Languages and Linguistics (Leiden University, the Netherlands): 28.07.2008–8.08.2008.
- Leiden University, the Netherlands: National Scholarship for Studying Abroad for postgraduate students in the academic year 2007/2008: 01.10.2007–30.05.2008.
- Yerevan State University, Armenia: intensive courses of Old Armenian and Modern Eastern Armenian: 06.09.2006–31.10.2006.
- Indo-European Summer School (Freie Universität Berlin, Germany): 30.08.2004–10.09.2004.
- École Pratique des Hautes Études, Paris: National Scholarship for Studying Abroad for undergraduate students in the academic years 2003/2004: 30.01.2003–20.12.2004.

Academic stays abroad

- Humboldt Fellow at the Lehrstuhl für vergleichende Sprachwissenschaft of Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg (03.01.2021–30.11.2022).
- Leiden University, the Netherlands: “The Language Diversity in the World programme for young talented researchers”: 01.06.2017–30.08.2017.
- Leiden University, the Netherlands: Guest researcher grant of the Netherlands Organization for Scientific Research (NWO): 01.02.2017–30.05.2017.
- INALCO, Paris, France: “Research in Paris 2013” (Bourse de recherche de la Ville de Paris, Conseil Scientifique du Maire de Paris): 01.12.2013–28.02.2014.

Major research projects

- 2023–2026. *CAVaL: Classical Armenian Valency Lexicon*. DFG-funded research grant. PI Petr Kocharov (Universität Würzburg). <https://caval.dch.phil-fak.uni-koeln.de/>
- 2021–2022. *The Lexicon-Grammar Interface in the History of the Classical Armenian Verb*. Humboldt Research Fellowship for Experienced Researchers (Universität Würzburg).
- 2014–2016. *The PIE Root and Stem-Formation Constituents*. Grant of the Russian Science Foundation. PI Nikolai Kazansky (Institute for Linguistic Studies of the RAS, St. Petersburg).
- 2013–2014 *Studies on the unwritten history of the Armenian language*. Grant of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Russian Federation. PI Petr Kocharov (Institute for Linguistic Studies of the RAS, St. Petersburg).
- 2010–2012. *Derivational morphology of the Classical Armenian verb*. Grant of the Ministry of Education and Science of the Russia. PI Petr Kocharov (St. Petersburg University).

International collaborations

- 2025–. Sub-task for Working Group 1 (corpus building in corpus languages) (PI Dr. Victoria Fendel, University of Oxford) under the CA21167 UniDrive Action Universality, Diversity and Idiosyncrasy in Language Technology, PI Victoria Fendel. Contribution: Classical Armenian dataset.
- 2023–. *Universal Dependencies* (<https://universaldependencies.org/>). Contribution: Classical Armenian treebank and documentation: UD_Classical_Armenian-CAVaL (v2.13 release).
- 2022–. *PaVeDa: Pavia Verbs Database* (<https://paveda.unipv.it/>). Contribution: Classical Armenian dataset.
- 2022–2024. *DALiH: Digitizing Armenian Linguistic Heritage* (<https://anr.fr/Project-ANR-21-CE38-0006>), PI Victoria Khurshudian. Contribution: development of the morphological dictionary of Classical Armenian for the online linguistic corpus of Classical Armenian.
- 2017. *The Global Lexicostatistical Database* (<https://starlingdb.org/>), PI George Starostin. Contribution: annotated 110-wordlist for Classical Armenian.
- 2017. Guest researcher grant of the Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (NWO) as part of the *IEED: Indo-European Etymological Dictionary* project (<https://www.universiteitleiden.nl/en/research/research-projects/humanities/indo-european-etymological-dictionary>). PI Alexander Lubotsky (Leiden University).
- 2013. Early Modern Letters Online (<http://emlo.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/>). PI Helen Watt. Contribution (volunteering): transcripts of the Middle Armenian citations.

International teaching

- 2022, 5–10 September. The Fifth Pavia International Summer School for Indo-European Linguistics (<http://indoeuropean.wikidot.com/>)

International conferences

- Over 40 talks at international conferences and workshops.

Editorial service

- 2024. **Petr Kocharov**, Daniel Kölligan (eds.), *Studies in Armenian Grammar and Lexicon. Proceedings of the Workshop in Armenian Linguistics* (Würzburg, 4–5 April 2022). *Münchener Studien zur Sprachwissenschaft, Beiheft* 35. Dettelback: Röll.
- 2022. Maria Kazanskaya, **Petr Kocharov**, Andrey Shatskov (eds.), *Colloquia Classica et Indogermanica VII. Miscellanea in honorem Nikolai N. Kazansky septuagenarii = Acta Linguistica Petropolitana*. Vol. 18.1 (2022).
- 2012. N.N. Kazansky, **P.A. Kocharov**, V.A. Krylova, J.R. Russell (eds.), *The IXth International Conference on Armenian Linguistics. Abstracts*. St. Petersburg: Nauka, 2012.
- 2008. A. Donabedian, N.N. Kazansky, **P.A. Kocharov**, H. Martirosyan (eds.), I. The Armenian Preterite: Forms and Functions. In: V. Golovko (ed.-in-chief), *Acta Linguistica Petropolitana* 14/1. St. Petersburg: ILS RAS, 2018: 7–268.

Editorial Boards (journals)

- *Indo-European Linguistics and Classical Philology* (Institute for Linguistic Studies of the Russian Academy of Sciences: <https://tronsky.iling.spb.ru/en/>)
- *Armjanskij gumanitarkyj vestnik* [Digest of Armenian Humanities] (Armenian National Academy of Sciences: <https://iae.am/hy/announcements/1208>)
- *Ջահուկյանի ընթերցումներ* [Djahukyan Readings] (Armenian National Academy of Sciences: <https://language.sci.am/hy/jahukyan-readings>)
- *Լեզու և խոսք* [Language and Speech] (Armenian National Academy of Sciences: <https://las.sci.am/>)

Organization of international conferences and workshops

- 2026. Scientific committee of the 13th *International Conference on Armenian Linguistics*. November 18-20, Inalco, Paris.
- 2026. Organizing committee of the *Arbeitstagung der Indogermanische Gesellschaft. Language contact and morphosyntax in ancient Indo-European languages*. September 14–16, Universität Würzburg.
- 2022. Programme committee of the workshop *The Lexicon-Grammar Interface in the Synchrony and Diachrony of Armenian* (April 4-5, 2022, University of Würzburg).
- 2020. Organizing committee of the *7th International Aspectological Conference: Interrelation between Aspect and Adjacent Categories* (5.-8. 5. 2020, St. Petersburg).
- 2017. Reviewing committee of the quadrennial *XIth International Congress of Armenian Linguistics* (to be held October 5–7, 2017, Institute of Language NAS RA, Yerevan).
- 2016. Organizing committee of the workshop *Proto-Indo-European Root Extensions*, held at the 15. *Fachtagung der Indogermanischen Gesellschaft* (18–19 September, 2016, University of Vienna).

- 2015. Programme and organizing committees of the *Armenian Language Contacts through the Ages* (12–14, 2015, ILS RAS, St. Petersburg).
- 2012. Programme and organizing committees of the quadrennial *IXth International Conference on Armenian Linguistics* (November 7–9, 2012, ILS RAS, St. Petersburg).

Memberships in professional societies

- Indogermanische Gesellschaft
- Association Internationale des Études Arméniennes
- Societas Linguistica Europaea
- Sodalizio Glottologico Milanese

Selected publications

1. Kocharov, P. 2025. Grey hair and waves: a story of Armenian *alik'*. In: É. Dieu und D. Kölligan: Homonymie, Polysemie und Etymologie in den indogermanischen Sprachen. Proceedings of the workshop on Indo-European Linguistics, July 11–12, 2023, Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg (Münchener Studien zur Sprachwissenschaft, Beihefte 36). Dettelback: Röll: 133–154.
2. Kharatyan, L., Kocharov, P. 2024. Development of Linguistic Annotation Toolkit for Classical Armenian in SpaCy, Stanza, and UDPipe. In: C. Swaelens, M. Deforche, I. De Vos, E. Lefever (eds), *The First Workshop on Data-driven Approaches to Ancient Languages* (DAAL 2024). Ghent: 58–66.
3. Kocharov, P. 2024. The origin of the Classical Armenian causative. In: Petr Kocharov, Daniel Kölligan (eds.), *Studies in Armenian Grammar and Lexicon. Proceedings of the Workshop in Armenian Linguistics (Würzburg, 4–5 April 2022)*. (Münchener Studien zur Sprachwissenschaft, Beihefte 35). Dettelback: Röll: 97–130.
4. Kocharov, P. 2023. On the markedness of tense-aspect stems in Classical Armenian. *Indo-European Linguistics* 11/1: 96–120.
5. Kocharov, P. 2023. Causatives in Classical Armenian. *Folia Linguistica* 57/3: 593–627.
6. Kocharov, P. 2023. Anticausatives in Classical Armenian. *Journal of Historical Linguistics* 13/2: 255–294.
7. Kocharov, P. 2022. The mixed aorist subjunctive in Classical Armenian. *Indogermanische Forschungen* 127/1: 169–200.
8. Kocharov, P. 2022. Vanuhi BAGHMANYAN. Altarmenisch-Deutsches Phraseologisches Wörterbuch. *Philologia – Sprachwissenschaftliche Forschungsergebnisse*, Bd. 266. Verlag Dr. Kovač. *Kratylos* 67/1: 88–90.
9. Kocharov, P. Liste des publications de N. A. Kozintseva. In : Kozintseva N.A. *Le parfait en arménien*. St. Petersburg: Institute for Linguistic Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences: 211–227.
10. Kocharov, P. 2022. A note on the etymology of *t'anam* 'to wet'. In: M. Kisilier (ed.), *Verus convictor, verus academicus*. St. Petersburg: Institute for Linguistic Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences: 396–402.
11. Kocharov, P. 2020 [2021]. Review of Gabriel KÉPÉKLIAN. — Antoine Meillet. *Manuel élémentaire d'arménien classique*. Traduit de l'allemand par Gabriel Képéklian. Deuxième tirage revu et corrigé. Limoges, 2017, 251 p. *Bulletin de la Société de Linguistique de Paris* 115/2, 69–74.

12. Kocharov, P., Shatskov, A. 2021. Towards a classification of PIE root extensions. *Historische Sprachforschung* 131, 210–226. (WoS, Q3)
13. Kocharov, P., Shatskov, A. 2021. Proto-Indo-European Initial **r* Revisited. *Iran and the Caucasus* 25/4, 398–419.
14. Kassian, A., Zhivlov, M., Starostin, G., Trofimov, A., Kocharov, P., Kuritsyna, A., Saenko, M. 2021. Rapid radiation of the Inner Indo-European languages: an advanced approach to Indo-European lexicostatistics. *Linguistics* 59, 949–979.
15. Kocharov, B. 2020. Armenian *busanum* and Greek πέρφυκα. In: C. Le Feuvre, D. Petit (eds.), Ὀνομασίων Ἰστωρ, Mélanges offerts à Charles de Lamberterie. (Collection linguistique de la Société de linguistique de Paris 106). Louvain, Peeters: 61–69.
16. Kocharov, P. Kloekhorst, A. and Pronk, T. 2000. (eds), The Precursors of Proto-Indo-European: The Indo-Anatolian and Indo-Uralic Hypotheses (= Leiden Studies in Indo-European 21), 2019, Leiden-Boston: Brill-Rodopi, viii + 235 p. *Journal of Language Relationship* 2020/1: 80–95.
17. Kocharov, P. The etymology of Arm. *amp* ‘cloud’. In: L. Repanšek et al. (eds), *Proceedings of the international conference of the Society for Indo-European Studies and IWoBA XII, Ljubljana 4–7 June 2019, celebrating one hundred years of Indo-European comparative linguistics at the University of Ljubljana*. Hamburg: baar: 385–397.
18. Kocharov, P. 2019. Old Armenian nasal verbs: archaisms and innovations. Doctoral thesis. Leiden University Library: <https://hdl.handle.net/1887/72201>.
19. Kocharov, P. 2018. A comment on the vocalization of word initial and medial laryngeals in Armenian. In: L. van Beek et al. (eds.), *Farnah: Indo-Iranian and Indo-European Studies in Honor of Sasha Lubotsky*. Ann Arbor: Beech Stave Press, 123–136.
20. Kocharov, P. 2018. A note on the origin of the Old Armenian mediopassive endings. In: *Transactions of the Institute for Linguistic Studies* 14/1, 137–148.
21. Kocharov, P. 2018. The perfect-present verbs in the history of the **h₂e*-conjugation. In: E. Rieken et al. (eds.), *Akten der Arbeitstagung der Indogermanischen Gesellschaft vom 21.–23. September 2015 in Marburg*. Wiesbaden: Reichert Verlag, 205–218.
22. Kocharov, P. 2017. The etymology of Armenian *ənt’ernul* ‘to read’. In: B.S.S. Hansen et al. (eds.), *Usque ad Radices: Indo-European studies in honour of Birgit Anette Olsen*. Copenhagen: Museum Tusculanum Press, 401–414.
23. Kocharov, P. 2017. The etymology of Armenian *mart* ‘possible’. In: B. Olsen et al. (eds.), *Etymology and Indo-European lexicon. Proceedings of the 14th Fachtagung of the Indogermanische Gesellschaft, Copenhagen 17–22 September 2012*. Wiesbaden: Reichert Verlag, 209–219.
24. Kocharov, P. 2016. Proto-Indo-European lexical aspect and stem patterns. In: *Faits de Langues : revue de linguistique* 47/1, 75–88.
25. Kocharov, P. 2016. Древнеармянская результаивная конструкция с *unel* ‘иметь’ [Old Armenian resultative constructions with *unim* ‘have’]. In: *Transactions of the Institute for Linguistic Studies* 12/3, 651–672. [In Russian].
26. Kocharov, P. 2014. The derivational semantics of the Classical Armenian *-č’-* stems. In: *Transactions of the Institute for Linguistic Studies* 10/1, 202–226.
27. Falileev, A., Kocharov, P. 2013. Celtic, Armenian and Eastern Indo-European Languages: Comments on a Recent Hypothesis. In: Fomin M., Jivanyan A., Mac Mathúna S. (eds.),

Ireland and Armenia: Studies in Language, History and Narrative. *Journal of Indo-European Studies. Monograph Series 61*. Washington D.C.: Institute for the Study of Man, 65–84.

28. Kleiner, S., Kocharov, P. 2013. Перевод перифрастических конструкций с причастием и глаголом *εἰμί* в имперфекте в готском и древнеармянском Евангелиях [Translation of the periphrastic participial constructions with *εἰμί* in the imperfect into Gothic and Classical Armenian]. In: *The Indo-European Linguistics and Classical Philology* 17, 429–444. [In Russian].
29. Kocharov, P. 2012. Perfect Reduplication in Late Indo-European. In: Melchert H.C. (ed.), *The Indo-European Verb. Proceedings of the Conference of the Society for Indo-European Studies, Los Angeles 13–15 September 2010*. Wiesbaden: Reichert Verlag, 161–165.
30. Kocharov, P. 2012. Armenian onomatopoeic verbs. In: *The Indo-European Linguistics and Classical Philology* 16, 376–383.
31. Kocharov, P. 2011. On *ana*-presents of Armenian. In: Krisch T., Lindner T. (hrsg.), *Indogermanistik und Linguistik im Dialog. Akten der XIII. Fachtagung der Indogermanischen Gesellschaft vom 21. bis 27. September 2008 in Salzburg*. Wiesbaden: Reichert Verlag, 271–278.
32. Kocharov, P. 2011. The Air-stone on Nectanebo's Divination Tablet: the Armenian Evidence. In: *Transactions of the Institute for Linguistic Studies* 7/1, 153–158.
33. Kocharov, P. 2009. Др.-арм. *cirani cov* 'багряное море': к вопросу происхождения поэтического эпитета [Arm. *cirani cov* 'purple sea': on the rise of a poetic epithet]. In: *The Indo-European Linguistics and Classical Philology* 13, 302–311. [In Russian].

Digital resources

- 2024– Kocharov, P., Kharatyan L. CAVaL: Classical Armenian Valency Lexicon : <https://caval.dch.phil-fak.uni-koeln.de>
- 2023– Kocharov, P., Kharatyan L. Treebank “UD_Classical_Armenian-CAVaL”: https://universaldependencies.org/treebanks/xcl_caval/index.html
- 2023 Kocharov, P., Kharatyan L. Parsing models for Classical Armenian (Stanza, spaCy, UDPipe 2): https://github.com/caval-repository/xcl_nlp/tree/main/parsers
- 2023d Kocharov, P. The Classical Armenian dataset for the *PaVeDa: Pavia Verbs Database* : <https://paveda.unipv.it/contributions/clas1256>
- 2017c Kocharov, P. The 110-word Swadesh list for Classical Armenian, compiled for the *The Global Lexicostatistical Database*: <https://starlingdb.org>