

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

- Oct. 2007 – Oct. 2010 National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy, Doctoral School. PhD thesis title: “The Dead Sea Scrolls’ Authorship in Historiography.” Thesis defended at the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine on November 29, 2012.
- June 2007 MA degree from NaUKMA (Department of History).
- June 2005 BA degree from Drahomanov National Pedagogical University (Faculty of History).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- April 2018, Feb.-March 2017 Université de Montréal, visiting professor.
- Sept. 2017 – present NaUKMA, MA in Jewish Studies Program, co-director.
- March 2015 – present Ukrainian Association for Jewish Studies, president.
- March 2012 – Sept. 2017 NaUKMA, MA in Jewish Studies Program, coordinator.
- Jan. 2012 – present Judaica Ukrainica journal, editor-in-chief.
- Oct. 2010 – present NaUKMA, Omeljan Pritsak Center for Oriental Studies, research fellow.
- Jan. 2010 – present NaUKMA, Department of History, senior lecturer (2010–2014), associate professor (2014–present).

Courses: History of the Ancient Near East (BA History), History of the State of Israel (BA History), Introduction to Jewish Studies (MA Jewish Studies), History of Judaism (MA Jewish Studies), Jewish-Christian Relations (MA Jewish Studies), History of Zionism and the State of Israel (MA Jewish Studies).

Sept. 2008 –
May 2010,
Sept. 2015 – present

NaUKMA, Interdisciplinary Certificate Program in Jewish Studies, courses: Introduction to the Classic Jewish Texts, History of Zionism and the State of Israel.

February – June 2008

International Solomon University, Department of Jewish Studies, lecturer, course: Jewish History from Biblical to Modern Times.

October 2007 –
February 2010

NaUKMA, Interdisciplinary Certificate Program in Jewish Studies, coordinator.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

- *'Passing the Love of Women': Homoeroticism in Jewish History and Religion* (both in Ukrainian and Russian, two editions), work in progress, scheduled for 2020.
- *Qumran and the Dead Sea Scrolls: Identification, Authorship, Historiography*. Kyiv: Dukh i Litera, 2014. 256 p. (in Ukrainian). Nominated and shortlisted for the best history book in Ukraine in 2014.

Reviewed by Dmytro Tsolin in *Skhidnyi Svit* (The World of the Orient) 1 (2016), pp. 117–120.

Articles, essays, and reviews

- Queering David and Jonathan: What Did We Discover about Biblical Same-Sex Love for the Last Decades?, in *Judaica Ukrainica* 5 (2016), pp. 5–24.
- Qumran and Christian Origins as a Decades-Long Debate in *Visnyk Natsional'noho Universytetu imeni Tarasa Shevchenka* (Academic Proceedings of Taras Shevchenko Kyiv National University) 2 (2017), pp. 84–88 (in Ukrainian).
- Homoeroticism in the Hebrew Bible: Motifs, Narratives, and Interpretations, in *Skhodoznavstvo* (Oriental Studies) 71–72 (2015), pp. 108–121 (in Ukrainian).
- Homosexuality and Judaism in the 20th and Early 21st Centuries, in *Magisterium* 54 (2015), pp. 83–86 (in Ukrainian). Includes Israel case.

- Homoerotic Motifs in Jewish Literature of Late Antiquity (A Few Narratives from TB and TJ), in *Naukovi zapysky NaUKMA* (Academic Proceedings of NaUKMA) 156 (2014), pp. 64–67 (in Ukrainian).
- Review: Peter Schäfer. *The Jewish Jesus. How Judaism and Christianity Shaped Each Other*. Princeton & Oxford: Princeton University Press, 2012, in *Naukovi zapysky NaUKMA* (Academic Proceedings of NaUKMA) 156 (2014), pp. 90–91 (in Ukrainian).
- Review: John J. Collins. *The Dead Sea Scrolls: A Biography*. Princeton & Oxford: Princeton University Press, 2013, in *Judaica Ukrainica* 2 (2013), pp. 222–225 (in Ukrainian).
- Homoeroticism, Homosexuality, and Jewish Tradition, in *Judaism: Gender and Regional Studies. Proceedings of the 2nd Judaic International Youth School (Chernivtsi, June 23–30, 2011)*. Ed. by Anna M. Basauri Ziuzina. Kyiv, 2013, pp. 10–39 (in Russian).
- ‘Passing the Love of Women’: Homoerotic Motifs and Sexual Ethics in the Bible and the Talmud, in *Evrei: drugaia istoriia* (The Jews: An Alternative History). Ed. by Galina Zelenina. Moscow: ROSSPEN, 2013, pp. 11–30 (in Russian). Available online at academia.edu.
- The Jerusalem Theory of the Dead Sea Scrolls Authorship: Origins, Evolution, and Discussions, in *Ukrainian Orientalistics: Special Issue on Jewish Studies*. Ed. by Vitaly Chernoiivanenko. Kyiv, 2011, pp. 9–29 (in English). Available online at academia.edu.

Ukrainian version: in *Skhidnyi Svit* (The World of the Orient) 2 (2011), pp. 161–173.

- Homoerotic Motifs in the 1–2 Books of Samuel and Literary Context: A History of the Problem and Current Discussions, in *Proceedings of the Eighteenth Annual International Conference on Jewish Studies* (February 3–6, 2011, Moscow). Vol. 1. Moscow, 2011, pp. 60–77 (in Russian). Available online at academia.edu.
- Monograph “The History of the Khazars since Early Times until the 10th Century” by A. Yu. Krymskyi, in *Skhidnyi Svit* (The World of the Orient) 3 (2011), pp. 19–34 (in Ukrainian; co-authored with Oleg B. Bubenok and Oleksiy O. Khamray).
- Qumran, the Dead Sea Scrolls and Ancient Historians as Instruments for Mythologizing the “Essene Heritage” in the 20th Century, in *Ukrains’ke Relihiieznavstvo* (Ukrainian Religious Studies) 57 (2011), pp. 73–83 (in Ukrainian).

French version: *Qumrân, les manuscrits de la mer Morte et les anciens historiographes comme instruments de la mythologisation de “l’héritage essénien” au XX^e siècle*. Kyiv, 2011, 20 p. Available online at academia.edu.

- Modern Qumran Studies: Problems, Conceptions, and Historiography, in *Skhodoznavstvo* (Oriental Studies) 52 (2011), pp. 158–174 (in Ukrainian).

- Oswald Spengler's Europe, in *Suchasnist'* (Modernity) 1–2 (2007), pp. 150–156 (in Ukrainian).

EDITORIAL WORK

- *Judaica Ukrainica*. Vol. 7. Kyiv: Laurus Press, 2018 (in English, Ukrainian, and Russian), co-edited with Ze'ev Khanin.
- *Judaica Ukrainica*. Vol. 4. Kyiv: Laurus Press, 2015 (in English, Ukrainian, and Russian), co-edited with Shaul Stampfer.
Available at <http://judaicaukrainica.ukma.edu.ua/content/volume2015>
- *Judaica Ukrainica*. Vol. 3. Kyiv: Laurus Press, 2014 (in English, Ukrainian, and Russian), co-edited with Corinne E. Blackmer.
Available at <http://judaicaukrainica.ukma.edu.ua/content/volume2014>
- *Judaica Ukrainica*. Vol. 2. Kyiv: Laurus Press, 2013 (in English, Ukrainian, and Russian), co-edited with Serhiy Hirik.
Available at <http://judaicaukrainica.ukma.edu.ua/content/volume2013>
- *Judaica Ukrainica*. Vol. 1. Kyiv: NaUKMA Publishing Co., 2012 (in English, Ukrainian, and Russian).
Available at <http://judaicaukrainica.ukma.edu.ua/content/volume2012>
- *Ukrainian Orientalistics: Special Issue on Jewish Studies*. Kyiv, 2011, 412 p. (in English, Ukrainian, and Russian). Available at https://www.academia.edu/6423301/Ukrainian_Orientalistics_Special_Issue_on_Jewish_Studies
- *Judaism: Studies in History and Beliefs. Proceedings of the International Youth Judaic School (July 6–19, 2011, Kyiv–Uman)*. Kyiv, 2011, 254 p. (in Ukrainian and Russian), co-edited with Anna M. Basauri Ziuzina.

CONFERENCE CONVENER

- UAJS annual conference 2018: Modern Israel: From State in Construction to State Facing Challenges (Kyiv, Podol Inn, conference hall, October 15–16).
- UAJS annual conference 2019: “Where the Jews Will Be – That Is the Land of Israel.” Ukrainian-Jewish Literary Contacts in the Second Half of the 19th and First Half of the 20th Centuries (Odessa, Wall Street Business Center, September 25–26).
- Omeljan Pritsak: 100th Anniversary Conference (Kyiv, NaUKMA, May 29–31, 2019), with Taissa Sydoruk and Anna Khrobolova.

MASS MEDIA

- Vitaly Chernoiivanenko on Jewish Studies in Ukraine, interview for The Odessa Review, November-December 2017, in English, available at

<http://odessareview.com/vitaly-chnoivanenko-jewish-studies-ukraine/>

- Shimon Peres: Menedzher Derzhavy Izrail,' interview for RTi (Ukrainian TV channel), December 16, 2016, in Ukrainian, available at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pHMjI0psbpU>
- 'Seichas kazhdyi student mozhet stat' pionerom v izuchenii iudaiki,' interview for jewishnews.com.ua, January 26, 2016, available at http://jewishnews.com.ua/ru/publication/bitaliy_chnoivanenko_seychas_kazhd_uy_student_mozhet_staty_pionerom_v_izuchenii_iudaiki (Russian version) http://jewishnews.com.ua/en/publication/vitaly_chnoivanenko_now_every_student_can_become_a_pioneer_in_the_study_of_judaism (English version)
- 'Issledovanie evreiskoi istorii Ukrainy dolzhno byt' sopriazhenno s mezhnatsional'nym ukrainsko-evreiskim dialogom,' interview for Vaad of Ukraine, January 19, 2016, in Russian, available at <http://vaadua.org/news/vchnoivanenko-issledovanie-evreyskoy-istorii-ukrainy-dolzhno-byt-sopryazhenno-s> (text) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TW7-o-KoedU> (video)
- 'Eksperimenty v Mogilianke: sekret uchenogo so vkusom k zhizni,' interview for studway.com.ua, October 12, 2014, in Russian, available at <http://studway.com.ua/vitaliy-chnoivanenko/>
- 'Ia ne viriu v iudaiku za sumisnytstvom,' interview for historians.in.ua, July 17, 2013, available at <http://historians.in.ua/index.php/intervyu/777-ya-ne-viriu-v-iudaiku-za-sumisnytstvom-interviu-z-vitaliiem-chnoivanenkom> (Ukrainian version) <http://jew-observer.com/tochka-zreniya/vitalij-chnoivanenko-ya-ne-veryu-v-iudaiku-po-sovmestitelstvu/> (Russian version)
- 'O evreiakh, Sodome i Obame,' interview for Gay.ru, April 16, 2013, in Russian, available at <http://www.gay.ru/society/religion/judaism/o-evreyah-sodome-i-obame.html>
- 'Ne lozhis" s muzhchinoi podobno s zhenshchinoi,' interview for Hadashot (Ukrainian monthly newspaper), January 2012, in Russian, available at <http://vaadua.org/Hadashot%202012/Hadashot%2001-2012/Had%2013-01-2012.html>

LANGUAGES

- Fluent: Russian (native), Ukrainian.
- Advanced: English, Hebrew (Biblical and Modern).
- Intermediate: Spanish.
- Reading knowledge: Aramaic (Biblical), Ancient Greek, Latin, Yiddish, Polish, Czech, Belorussian, German, Italian, French.