

# Maksym Ieligulashvili

*Dialogue facilitator, Researcher, Trainer*

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**Sphere of professional interests:** mediation and conflict transformation, conflict prevention and peacebuilding, facilitation of dialogues, and building cross-sectoral partnerships and platforms.

## **Professional experience:**

**Since June 2012**

### **Dialogue facilitator, Researcher**

Facilitator of dialogue, dialogue platforms, and groups, facilitation of dialogue processes at the local/national/international level, work with the conflicts in divided communities and violent conflict. Development of research desks, conducting sociological research and analysis in the field of conflict prevention and transformation and social dynamics. Establishment of cross-sectoral platforms and contact groups to develop strategies and programs (social cohesion, service delivery, development of cross-sectoral partnerships, etc.) Developing, supporting and evaluating programs to strengthen the capacity of central and local government officials to engage citizens and develop participatory public policies. (Ministry of Reintegration, Ministry of Social Policy, Office of Representative of President of Ukraine in the Autonomous Republic of Crimea, Prosecutor General's Office of Ukraine etc.). Customers: OSCE Project Coordinator in Ukraine, Humanitarian Dialogue (Switzerland), International Alert (UK), UNDP, USIP, IOM, CF «Right to Protection», Institute of peace and common ground etc.

**Since May 2010**

### **Facilitator of dialogue, trainer**

Training on human rights issues, combating discrimination, approaches to conflict, conflict resolution and dialogue, fundraising and implementation of small grant support programs, mentoring, and advocacy, etc. During this period, medium- and long-term training programs and mentoring have been developed for International Alert (UK), OSCE Project Coordinator in Ukraine, UNDP, IOM, IREX, IPCG, CF «Right to Protection», OPORA, DOBRE, Ukrainian Helsinki Human Rights Union etc.

- November 2014 – October 2018**      **Coordinator of non-formal education department of The Ukrainian Helsinki Human Rights Union**  
 Development of strategic, working plans of non-formal education direction, coordination of working expert groups, educational events, small grant support programs and their monitoring and evaluation. Writing project applications, preparing analytical reports, writing manuals, developing multimedia videos and online courses. Focus – international humanitarian law, transitional justice and antidiscrimination
- April 2013 – May 2018**      **Manager of Community foundation "Protection" (HUB for NGOs of south Ukraine, UNDP)**  
 Development and implementation of the program of organizational development, project management and developing small grant support programs. Advisory and expert services in project management, fundraising, adult education, and advocacy.
- September 2009 – December 2018**      **Assistant professor in Kherson Academy of lifelong education for teachers**  
 Development of different original educational program for teachers of history, school administrators. Preparation of educational materials of educating youth and adults

**Skills:**

- Social and psychological research – elaboration, conducting, analysis of data and evaluation, focus-group providing, media-monitoring, evaluation of peace projects.
- Facilitation of group work and dialogue processes for conflict de-escalation and conflict prevention,
- Development of educational programs and writing manuals, guidelines, and textbooks.

Work experience and process management in Ukraine, Caucasus and Balkan countries

**Languages:** Ukrainian, Russian, and English