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A psychological scientist-practitioner since 1979, educational consultant, Professor of Psychology & Urban Studies at Fordham University, and the Director of FIRST, the Fordham Institute for Research, Service, Teaching [www.fordham.edu/academics/departments/psychology/faculty-and-staff/harold-takooshian/](http://www.fordham.edu/academics/departments/psychology/faculty-and-staff/harold-takooshian/)

**International psychology activities appear in bold below**

### EDUCATION

Ph.D., 1979, Social-Personality Psychology, City University of New York. NIMH Urban Trainee; **Gulbenkian Foundation Fellow**. Advisors: Morton Bard, Edgar Borgatta, Florence Denmark, Barbara Snell Dohrenwend, Stanley Milgram (chair).

B.A., 1971, Psychology & Sociology, City College of New York.

N.Y.S. Regents Scholar; Dean's List; Varsity gymnast. Honors Advisor: Barbara Dohrenwend.

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Currently: Professor of Psychology & Urban Studies, and past Director, Organizational Leadership Program (2004-2018), Fordham University. Adjunct instructor to Professor, Fordham University (1975-now), and head of its Psychology Program in Manhattan campus (1982-1987, 1997-1999). **Psychology** courses taught: Introductory, Social, Industrial-organizational, Advanced industrial, Testing, Personnel, Personality, Urban, Forensic, Law & psychology, Criminal justice, History & systems, Political; Management, Computers in behavioral research, Media & behavior, Adv library methods. Info retrieval in soc sci, **Cross-cultural psychology**, Intern supervisor, Independent research Director, FIRST (Fordham, Institute for Research, Service, Teaching, 1997-now).

Consulting faculty, Post-graduate program, Ignatius University at the United Nations.

**U.S. Fulbright Scholar, to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, 1987-88, Lebanon (deferred), Russia (2013-14).**

**Visiting Professor, Masters Program in Education, University / Talca (Summer, 1983);**

**M.Sc. Program in Industrial-Organizational Psychology, U / Atacama (Summer, 1984, 1985).**

**Director, various U.S. and global research projects funded by government, industry, or university (1974-now).**

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS (& present/past offices):** Amer. Psychological Assoc.

**(Fellow; APA rep to United Nations; Chair APA Membership Committee; Council rep; President of APA Divisions of General, International) / American Sociological Assoc.**

**(Northeastern US rep) / Eastern Psychological Assoc. (Board of Directors 1996-99, 2003-2005)**

**/ International Council of Psychologists / Psi Chi Honor Society (national officer/President**

**1993-2000, International Ambassador) / Society for Armenian Studies / Society for**

**Industrial-Organizational Psychology / Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues**

**(Fellow; Chair NY regional group; co-founder of Russian SPSSI group) / Armenian**

**Behavioral Science Assoc. (Executive officer) / N.Y.S. psychologist (license #9052).**

**Within APA and its Division of International Psychology: Petitioner and co-founder of the Division, Charter Fellow, inaugural D52 program chair (1998), Fellows chair, Associate Editor of the IP Bulletin, elected President (2003), Representative to APA Council (2010-2015), chair of several committees, APA Representative to the United Nations, organizer of New York international activities (2003-), co-founder/Chair of the new international track in the EPA program (2003- ), and lover of Division 52.**

**AWARDS:** Biographee, Marquis' *Who's Who in America* (2009-), *Who's Who in the World* (2010-).  
The 2021 Frances Mullen Award, from the International Council of Psychologists.  
2013 E. H. Beckman Mentor Award (the mentee/nominator of winner Florence L. Denmark)  
**The 2011 APA Henry P. David International Mentor Award**  
Distinguished Member of Psi Chi (elected in 2010), **Psi Chi International Ambassador (2011- )**  
The 2010 Florence L. Denmark Award, from Psi Chi international honor society, #1 faculty advisor  
**The 2005 Benjamin B. Wolman Award, for promoting international psychology.**  
The 2001 SPSSI Distinguished Service Award, for advancing psychology applied to social issues.  
Honorary Life Member, Psi Beta, Psychology Honor Society for community & 2-year colleges (2001).  
The 1993 Ruth Hubbard Cousins Chapter Award, for outstanding U.S. Psi Chi chapter, at Fordham.  
The 1990 Kurt Lewin Award, from New York State Psychological Assoc., for social psychology.  
The 1988, Florence L. Denmark Award, from Psi Chi national honor society, #1 U.S. faculty advisor.

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

Published 40+ empirical studies on diverse topics, applying scientific psychology to social issues. Areas include: industrial, law, urban, international, teaching, student excellence.  
Supervised over 200 student research presentations and publications.  
Editorial board of several behavioral science publications: books, journals, bulletins

## **BOOKS/ MONOGRAPHS**

Congress, E.P., Meister, D., Osborn, S.E., & Takooshian, H. (2022a). (Eds.). Behavioral science in the global arena: Global mental, spiritual, and social health. [14 chapters in 218 pages by 36 co-authors from 5 nations]  
Congress, E.P., Meister, D., Osborn, S.E., & Takooshian, H. (2022b). (Eds.). Behavioral science in the global arena: Health trends and issues. [14 chapters in 252 pages by 37 co-authors from 7 nations]  
Congress, E.P., Takooshian, H., & Asper, A. (2020). (Eds.). *Behavioral science in the global arena, volume 1: Addressing timely issues at the United Nations and beyond*. Charlotte, NC: Information Age Publishing. [www.infoagepub.com/products/Behavioral-Science-in-the-Global-Arena](http://www.infoagepub.com/products/Behavioral-Science-in-the-Global-Arena) [16 chapters in 230 pages by 28 co-authors from 3 nations]  
Takooshian, H., Gielen, UP, & Denmark, FL, & O'Roark, AM (Eds.). (2018). *Resources for international psychology: 75 years of the International Council of Psychologists*. New York: Global Scholarly Publications. [www.gsp-books.org](http://www.gsp-books.org)  
Rich, G.J., Gielen, U.P., & Takooshian, H. (Eds.) (2017), *Internationalizing the Teaching of Psychology*. Charlotte, NC: Information Age Publishing, Inc. [www.infoagepub.com/products/Internationalizing-the-Teaching-of-Psychology](http://www.infoagepub.com/products/Internationalizing-the-Teaching-of-Psychology)  
Takooshian, H., Gielen, U. P., Rich, G. J., & Velayo, R. S. (2016). International psychology. In D.S. Dunn (Ed.), *Oxford Bibliographies in Psychology*. New York: Oxford University Press.  
[DOI: 10.1093/obo/9780199828340-0184](https://doi.org/10.1093/obo/9780199828340-0184)  
Nalchajian, A.A., & Takooshian, H. (1997). [*The development of psychological thought in Armenia.*] Yerevan: Hogeban.  
Stang, D.J., & Takooshian, H. (1981). *How to use libraries effectively: A guide to research in the social and behavioral sciences*. Washington DC: Pintail Press.

This international teaching, research, and professional service are detailed in some non-USA publications:  
[www.rusrep.ru/article/2013/12/11/psihologi-bolshogo-goroda](http://www.rusrep.ru/article/2013/12/11/psihologi-bolshogo-goroda)  
and videotapes such as: [www.youtube.com/watch?v=ggtdPVAPjJY](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ggtdPVAPjJY)