

# **Prof. Dr. Andrey Andreev**



## **PROFESSIONAL AUTOBIOGRAPHY**

**of Andrey Andreev, Prof. of Russian History**

**at “St Cyril and St Methodius” University of Veliko Tarnovo, PhD**

### **Date and place of birth**

12.02.1960, the town of Sliven, Bulgaria

### **Secondary education**

1978, “Dobri Chintulov” High School, Sliven

### **Higher education**

1984, “St Cyril and St Methodius” University of Veliko Tarnovo; MA in History

### **Assistant Professor**

1986–2002, in History of Russia at the Chair of Modern and Contemporary History at the Faculty of History of “St Cyril and St Methodius” University of Veliko Tarnovo

### **PhD**

1994, in Russian history of Veliko Tarnovo University; PhD thesis: The Beginning of the Dissent in the Russian Orthodox Church in the 50s and 60s of the 17th Century

### **Habilitation**

2002–until now, Associate Professor of Russian history at Veliko Tarnovo University; habilitation thesis: The Russian Orthodox Church and the Soviet Authorities (the first half of the 20th century)

### **Research interests**

- history of the Russian Orthodox Church;
- the Orthodox and the Slavic idea;
- Bulgarian-Russian relations in the 17th–19th centuries

### **Lecturer’s experience**

- courses of lectures in Russian history before archaeology and ethnology bachelor students;
- courses of lectures in Russian history before extramural bachelor students in History and in History and Geography;
- courses of lectures before MA-students:
  - = MA programme “General History”: Russian Political Ideas (19th – the beginning of the 21st century);
  - = MA programme “European Studies”: Eastern Europe and the European Union;
  - = MA programme at the Faculty of Orthodox Theology: Spiritual and Secular Power in the Orthodox World

### **Administrative work**

2007– until now, Dean of the Faculty of History of “St Cyril and St Methodius” University of Veliko Tarnovo

### **Participation in editorial boards of scholarly editions**

Collection “The Bulgarians in the Northern Black Sea Coast Area”, t. VII, Veliko Tarnovo, 2000

### **Research scholarships**

- 1989 (two months), “Lomonosov” State University in Moscow – Russia;
- 1995, Kharkiv University, Ukraine;

- 1996 (three months), Russian State University for the Humanities in Moscow – Russia;
- 2004 (15 days), Bashkir State University in Ufa – Republic of Bashkortostan, Russia;
- 2009, Bashkir State University in Ufa – Republic of Bashkortostan, Russia;
- 2009, Paris 13 University, France;
- 2010 (20 days), Kharkiv University, Ukraine;
- 2011, Bashkir State University in Ufa – Republic of Bashkortostan, Russia