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Arif Salimov -70



On June 7, 2026, Arif Salimov turned into his 70 - a talented mathematician and a wonderful colleague, specialist in the differential geometry, Honored Scientist of Azerbaijan (2019), Doctor of Physical and Mathematical Sciences, Professor, Head of the Department of Algebra and Geometry at Baku State University. He is also the Chairman of the Expert Council on Mathematics and Mechanics of the Higher Attestation Commission under the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan.

He obtained a B.Sc. degree from Baku State University, Azerbaijan in 1978, a PhD and Doctor of Sciences degrees in geometry from Kazan State University, Russia in 1984 and 1998, respectively.

His primary areas of research are: theory of lifts in tensor bundles; geometrical applications of tensor operators; special Riemannian manifolds; indefinite metrics; general geometric structures on manifolds (almost complex, almost product, hypercomplex, Norden structures etc.), Ricci solitons. Arif Salimov is a world-renowned expert in differential geometry, particularly in the areas of tensor operators and lift theory.

Under his supervision, 17 graduate students defended their PhD dissertations in geometry (one of them is a Doctor of Sciences, and 5 are Professors). He presented reports at more than 50 international conferences and published more than 100 scientific articles, 75 of which are in the Web of Science. Salimov's monograph "Applications of Holomorphic Functions in Geometry" was published by Springer/Birkhuser.

From 1995 to 2017, he worked at Atatürk University in Turkey. 4 projects under his supervision received grants from the Turkish Scientific and Technological Research Council (TUBITAK). In 2015, Arif Salimov was awarded the State Prize "TUBITAK PPO-Project Performance Award", one of the most prestigious awards in the field of science in Turkey. Also in 2024, Arif Salimov was awarded the Turkish World Al-Khwarizmi Prize for his achievements in mathematics.

He is a member of the Steering Board of the Turkic World Mathematical Society and members of the Editorial Board of the "TWMS Journal of Pure and Applied Mathematics" indexed by Web of Science.

The staff of the "TWMS Journal of Pure and Applied Mathematics" warmly congratulates Professor Arif Salimov on his birthday and wishes him success in his scientific and organizational endeavors, as well as good health.