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Having over 20 years of experience in STM publishing, editing and translating, I offer the following services (in both English and Russian) to academics, professional societies and businesses at competitive rates:

- Professional copy-editing and immaculate technical editing according to a chosen style;
- Scientific editing of articles/books/theses in the Natural Science domain (Medicine, Biology, Geology, Chemistry & Physics);
- Translations (English ↔ Russian) in Medicine, Biology, Geology & Chemistry;
- Meticulous proof-reading and cross-checking;
- Graphics editing for scientific publications;
- Typesetting and layout.

Qualifications:

1998 PhD (Paleoentomology); Paleontological Institute, Russian Academy of Sciences.
1994 MSc (Zoology), with distinction; Moscow State University, Russia.

Professional experience:

2016 – present Owner: M.M. Geshen-eng / Editing, Translating and Desktop publishing
מ.מ. גשן-ינג / עריכה תרגום והוצאה לאור אלקטרונית

2015 – present Chief Editor / Managing Editor for *Israel Journal of Entomology*, Beit Dagan, Israel
Responsibilities: Development and implementation of the editorial policy and the journal's research scope; supervision of all stages of the journal production to ensure a smooth workflow and timeliness of publication; implementation of cybertaxonomic features; marketing the journal nationally and internationally.

2008 – 2014 Editor-in-Chief / Managing Editor for *African Invertebrates*, Pietermaritzburg, South Africa
Responsibilities: Development and implementation of the editorial policy and the journal's research scope; management of the journal's budget; supervision of all stages of the journal production; updating the journal's Web site and implementation of cybertaxonomic features and XML mark-up; marketing the journal nationally and internationally.

2004 – 2008 Associate & Graphics Editor for *African Invertebrates*, Pietermaritzburg, South Africa
Responsibilities: Supervision of all stages of the journal production; management of the journal's budget; copyediting, typesetting, and proof-reading; graphics editing.

1999 – 2003 Translator into English, *Paleontological Journal*, *Nauka/Interperiodica*, Moscow, Russia Publishing House
Responsibilities: Translate research articles from Russian into English and format them according to the journal's House Style Guide.

1995 – 2012 Subject & Copy Editor for *Paleontological Journal*, Moscow, Russia
Responsibilities: Scientific and language editing of manuscripts; ensuring compliance with the journal's House Style Guide and International Code for Zoological Nomenclature.

Special skills:

- Sound familiarity with Adobe InDesign, Adobe PageMaker, Adobe Photoshop, CorelDraw.
- Work knowledge of Open Journal Systems.

Languages:

English/Russian (bilingual); Afrikaans, Byelorussian, German, Hebrew, Latin, Polish, Slovak, Spanish, Ukrainian (various degrees of proficiency).