

# ARMENIAN STUDIES LECTURE



## Protective Ethnicity

*with Oshin Khachikian*

Oshin Khachikian, winner of the first Armenian Studies Prize in Honor of Sylvie Tertzakian, will present his research “Protective Ethnicity: how Armenian immigrants’ extracurricular youth organizations redistribute cultural capital to the second-generation in Los Angeles.”

**Wednesday, October 2, 2019**

Lecture: 6:30 - 7:00 p.m. | Reception: 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Humanities Gateway 1030  
University of California, Irvine

*Event is free and open to the public*



Oshin Khachikian is a Ph.D. student in sociology at the University of California, Irvine who works with K-12 teachers, PTA parents, students and community volunteers to understand how access to community based resources helps close the achievement gap for the children of immigrants. Khachikian’s research has been published in *Ethnic and Racial Studies*, *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, *The Russell Sage Foundation Journal of the Social Sciences* (co-authored), and *The Society Pages* (co-authored). He holds a B.A. in global studies (magna cum laude) from UCLA and a M.A. in social science from University of Chicago.

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