## NECROLOGUE

Musayev Faig Adil was born on August 19, 1959, in the Guba region of the Republic of Azerbaijan. He graduated from the Azerbaijan State University (Baku State University) physics department in 1981 and began his career at the Institute of Space Research as a young specialist. In 1982, he was hired as a researcher at the ANAS (Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences) Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory. In 1992, Faig Musayev successfully defended his dissertation at



the Special Astrophysical Observatory of the Russian Academy of Sciences and received the degree of Ph.D. on physical and mathematical sciences.

In 1995, he resigned from the Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory at his own request.

Since that year, he was continued his scientific activity at the Special Astrophysical Observatory of the Russian Academy of Sciences, one of the most famous astrophysical centers in the world. He worked there for many years and gained extensive experience in assembling specific electronic light receivers for telescopes. He has established himself as a highly qualified experimenter-spectroscopist in the assembly of optical devices. In recent years, the devices he had collected for telescopes in the observatories of Russia, Poland, and Bulgaria successfully have been tested and proved. Various authors had obtained interesting results based on high-quality observation materials obtained in the devices developed by him. Faig Musayev had special services in expanding relations between the Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory and the Special Astrophysics Observatory of the Russian Academy of Sciences and in modernizing the instrument park of the Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory. In addition, Faig Musayev personally assembled and put into operation the first 30,000-resolution Kude echelle spectrometer used on the 2-meter telescope of the Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory. His contribution to the development of details of the high-resolution fiber echelle spectrograph, designed and currently used by the staff of the Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory, is undeniable. During his tenure, he has published more than 150 scientific articles in the world's leading journals.

On June 1, 2021, Musayev Faig Adil passed away unexpectedly. In this regard, the staff of the Shamakhy Astrophysical Observatory of ANAS expresses

its condolences to the family members of the leading researcher of the Special Astrophysics Observatory of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Ph.D. on physical and mathematical sciences, our compatriot Musayev Faig Adil and expresses deep condolences.

The memory of Faig Musayev will always live in the hearts of those who love him. Rest in peace!