

Houshamadyan

A project to reconstruct Ottoman Armenian town and village life



A presentation by **Vahé Tachjian, Ph.D.**

The Houshamadyan Project was born from a simple and powerful idea to revive virtually the cities, towns and villages where Armenians lived during the Ottoman Empire. It is rebuilding a rich depository of memory using empirical evidence, including town and village chronicles, archival documents, photographs, material objects, and music and visual arts.

Join **Vahé Tachjian** and explore the richness and complexity of a lost world.

Vahé Tachjian is the director and chief editor of the Berlin-based *The Houshamadyan Project*. He was born in Lebanon and earned a Ph.D. in History and Civilization at the Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales in Paris. The presentation will be predominantly in English.

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