

PERSONAL INFORMATION



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Sex Male | Date of birth 24/06/1983 | Nationality Serbian–BiH

WORK EXPERIENCE

- June 2020-present **Vice-Dean for academic affairs**
University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics
- September 2021 - present **Associate professor**
University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics
- June 2021 - present **Member of Supervisory Board**
NLB Banka a.d. Banja Luka
- November 2016 – present **Assistant Professor**
University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics
- Teaching and scientific research in field of International Economics; organizing and visiting conferences; publishing scientific papers; participating in faculty and university service activities; conducting research in the fields of management, entrepreneurship, marketing, international economics and other areas of the economics, as well as various analyses in for-profit, non-profit and government organizations.
- Business or sector** Education
- December 2014 – present **Consultant**
CITY consulting doo Banja Luka
- Preparing project applications in the field of market research, conducting research, and preparing reports and studies; preparing business plans for financial and non-financial organizations, providing technical support to small and medium enterprises from the fields of finance and management; making strategic plans for SMEs, performing econometric analysis in different areas.
- Business or sector** Consulting
- September 2009 – July 2014 **Consultant**
Poslovni savjetnik doo Banja Luka
- Preparing business plans and providing technical support to small and medium enterprises from the fields of finance and management.
 - **Business or sector** Consulting
- July 2007–October 2016 **Teaching Assistant**
University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics
- Assistant for the courses International Economic Relations and International Finances: work and doing practical exercises with students; engagements in research activities in the various projects and activities financed mainly by EU funds in the field of education, research, European integration and development of small and medium businesses.
- Business or sector** Education
- January 2007–May 2009 **Expert Associate**
Republic of Srpska Securities Commission, Banja Luka
- Supervision Department – supervising operations of authorized participants in the securities market and for monitoring trading on the Banja Luka Stock Exchange.
- Business or sector** Administration sector

May 2012 – April 2016

PhD in Economics

University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics (BIH)

- International finance, International Trade and International Trade Policy, Developmental Economics; PhD thesis “Impact of Hard peg Exchange Rate Regimes on Current Account Balance”

December 2007 – November 2011

Magister (Master) Degree

University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics (BIH)

- Study program: Financial management
- Magister (Master) in International Economics,

September 2002 – December 2006

Bachelor of economics

University of Banja Luka, Faculty of Economics (BIH)

- Financial Management and Banking

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Serbian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
Replace with name of language certificate. Enter level if known.					

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills

Good social skills, the ability to adapt to any situation, competences acquired in the different working environments mentioned above, and mainly during works with students, students international exchange, works with researcher and etc.

Organisational / managerial skills

As a participant of numerous projects, I organized a number of events and activities, and was superior to many other participants and staff (up to 25 employees at the same time)

Job-related skills

Good command business planning process in SMEs and strategic planning process of the Government and the public administration, working with databases, performance of econometric analysis, writing scientific papers, organization of workshops, seminars, mentoring in writing scientific papers

Computer skills

Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Power Point, EViews, Stata (Software for Statistics and Data Science)

Driving licence

- B category

Projects

- 2009 TEMPUS project (CD-JEP 41077), Joint Master for South-East Europe in Economics and Management Science Program, active participation in „study stay“ (15 day), University of Udine.
- 2011 TEMPUS „Strategic management of Higher Education Institutions Based on Integrated Quality Assurance System“ (No. 511262 TEMPUS-1-2010-1-BE-TEMPUS SMGR).
- 2011 CUBRIK „Strengthening Quality Assurance System within Western Balkans HEIs in Support of National and Regional Planning“ (158999-TEMPUS-1-2009-1-ES-TEMPUS-SMGR)
- 2011 EURELSMED „EU Support to Institutional Capacity Building for Regional and Local Economic and SME Development, Bosnia and Herzegovina“.
- 2013 BANOROB „Bosnian-Norwegian research based innovation for development of new, environmental friendly, competitive robot technology for selected target groups“.
- 2015 Real Estate Registration Project Impact Value (BA-RERP-51880BA-BL-CQ-CS-C.3.2) – *First wave*, funded by World Bank and Republic Administration for Geodetic and Property Affairs Republic of Srpska – engaged as member of the main project team of the company CITY Consulting Banja Luka.
- 2016 Bussines plan for the Association of Utilities in Republic of Srpska, Bosnia and Hezregovina (author, within Danube Water Program)
- 2017 Enterprise Europe Network - member of the project team of the University of Banja Luka: Currently engaged in the programmes COSME i Horizon 2020 (Key Account Manager under the SME Instrument for BiH)
- 2018 Bloomberg Initiative to Reduce Tobacco - Use The University at Illinois at Chicago, Project: „Accelerating Progress on Effective Tobacco Tax Policies in Low-and Middle-Income Countries“ (coordinator: University of Illinois at Chicago, project period 2018). Member of team from B&H: Econometricians
- 2018 „A Step Forward to Youth Employability“ - The Career and Alumni Centre of Faculty of Economics of the University of Banja Luka is established thanks to cooperation between US Embassy in Bosnia and Herzegovina and Faculty of Economics in Banja Luka through this project. Member of the main project team
- 2019 INTERREG Danube Transnational Programme – „Developing accelerators to provide better access to innovation finance for SMEs“ - ACCELERATOR. Autor of Action plan and Bussines plan for the Accelerator in the Republic of Srpska.
- 2019 INTERREG Danube Transnational Programme – „Embracing failure to facilitate second-chance entrepreneurship in the Danube region“ DanubeChance 2.0. Lecturer and member of Transnational Community Pool of Experts.
- 2019 Bloomberg Initiative to Reduce Tobacco - Use The University at Illinois at Chicago, Project: „Accelerating Progress on Effective Tobacco Tax Policies in Low-and Middle-Income Countries“ (coordinator: University of Illinois at Chicago, project period 2019 -2020). Principal Investigator for B&H and Econometricians
- 2019 Real Estate Registration Project Impact Value (BA-RERP-51880BA-CS-RS-SS-19-C.3.2.2) – *Second wave*, funded by World Bank and Republic Administration for Geodetic and Property Affairs Republic of Srpska – engaged as member of the main project team of the company CITY Consulting Banja Luka.
- 2020 Customer Satisfaction Survey of Users of RAGPA'S Services (BA-RERP-51880BA-RS-CS-CQ-19-C.3.1.2), funded by World Bank and Republic Administration for Geodetic and Property Affairs Republic of Srpska □ engaged as member of the main project team of the company CITY Consulting Banja Luka.

Conferences (most important) Member of organising committee of the conference „Researching Economic Development and Entrepreneurship in Transition Economies - REDETE 2012, REDETE 2014, REDETE 2015 , REDETE 2016, REDETE 2018, REDETE 2019 (<http://www.redete.org/>)

Member of scientific committee of the conference "Econometric Modeling in Economics and Finance", organized by Insitite for Economic Science Belgrade in 2019.

ENSP Conference: "Tomorrow's sustainable development starts now – time to accelerate tobacco control!" , Bucharest (Romania), 27-29 March 2019, (Presenter)

8th European Conference on Tobacco and Health, Berlin (Germany), 19 - 22 February 2020 (Presenter)

Seminars (most important) In period of 23 to 27 june 2008. i attended seminar „Metodology of creation of action plan, Sofia (Bulgaria), organized by Toronto Centre-Leadership in Financial Supervision.

I attended training for internal auditor on 24 and 25 december 2010 in East Sarajevo (Republic of Srpska, BiH), and passed the exam for a certificate of internal auditor in accordance with the requirements of ISO 9001:2008, organized by the Slovenian Institute of Quality and Metrology, University of Banja Luka and University of East Sarajevo

October 2017 – training: "Introduction to the Improve Approach", organized by IMP³rove Academy (Germany)

November 2017 - training: "Action plan development", organized by IMP³rove Academy (Germany)

April 2019 – training: "Agile Innovation Project Management", organized by IMP³rove Academy (Germany)

Honours and awards Among the best-rated teachers and assistants according to a survey of students about the quality of the teaching process

Awards of the University of Banja Luka for participation in International Scientific Project in 2018 (based on international results achieved in scientific research and educational work for 2018)

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Memberships Member of project team of Center for Project Management and Entrepreneurship of Faculty of Economics, University of Banja Luka (<http://www.cpme.efbl.org/en/>).

Member of the editorial board of the scientific journal Acta Economica (<http://www.ae.ef.unibl.org/>)

Member of the Executive Board of the CESEENet Network (Central, East and South-East European PhD Network) <https://ceseephd.net/>

Member of the Supervisory Board of NLB Banka a.d. Banja Luka, from June 2021.

- Other** Member of the commission for the entrance examination for academic 2009/2010, 2011/2012, 2012/2013, 2013/2014 and 2014/2015 year and member of editorial board of The Entrance Exam Guide.
- Coach on the competition for the best technological innovation in 2013, 2014, 2015.,2016, 2017, 2018 and 2019, organized by Ministry for Science and Technology of Republic of Srpska, Innovation Centre Banja Luka and Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development Republic of Serbia.
- Legal expert economic expertise (from december 2015).
- Member of the Acting Group for drafting the Action Plan for the accreditation of University of Banja Luka (Decision No. 01-5062-3/11 of 12/06/2011).
- Member of the Working Group for monitoring, analysis and improvement of quality systems at the Faculty of Economics, University of Banja Luka (Decision No. 13/3.1659-IX-4/12 of 07/13/2012)
- Certified consultant within EURELSMED project
- Certified consultant for SME (by IMP³rove Academy-Germany)
- Author of three rubric of the Encyclopaedia of Republic of Srpska
- Reviewer in several journals in B&H and abroad
- External associate in an insurance company "Krajina osiguranje a.d. Banja Luka" in the period July 2017 – October 2020
- Author of numerous business plans, analysis, studies intended for financial and non-financial companies in Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Excellent knowledge of econometrics software Stata and EViews - Time series analysis, Panel analysis, Cross section data analysis...
- Author of articles in the magazine Poslovna Revija Republike Srpske (PRRS), published by the RS Chamber of Commerce.
- Guest lecturer in the winter semester of the academic year 2017/2018, at the Faculty of Economics, University of Bihać (subject: International Economics).
- Member of the commission for conducting the procedure of internal evaluation of the study program Economics and Business Management, which is performed at the Faculty of Economics, University of Banja Luka (number: 13 / 3.15-IV-6/17 from January 17, 2017).
- Member of the commission for licensing the study program of the first cycle of studies in Economics, Faculty of Economics, Pale, University of East Sarajevo (Decision number: 19.040 / 612-185-4-3 / 19 of June, 16th, 2020).
- Co-author of the study "Economic analysis of water use in the regional basins of the Sava and Trebisnjica rivers", for the needs of the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Water Management of the Republic of Srpska.
- Member of the Interdepartmental Working Group for "Establishment of the Central Registry of the Republika Srpska and continuation of the reform of registration of business entities and legal entities" (Decision of the Prime Minister of the RS number: 04-1-012-2-2070 / 21 of July, 7th 2021).
- Trainer within the Accelerator program and the program "DanubeChance2.0" conducted by the Development Agency of Republika Srpska.
- Member of the external evaluation committee within the program "CHALLENGE TO CHANGE", funded by the Swedish Embassy in BiH.
- Excellent knowledge of statistical and econometric software Stata and EViews - Time series analysis, Panel analysis, Cross section data analysis ...