



Personal information

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Work experience

Dates 1986 on – Resident in Dermatology and Venereology, specialist (attending physician) accordingly (1990 on) in the University Department of Dermatology and Venereology; Zagreb University School of Medicine
Occupation or position held Ordinary (Full) Professor of Dermatology and Venereology of the Zagreb University School of Medicine; Chair of the University Department of the Zagreb University School of Medicine
Main activities and responsibilities 1) Head of the Out-patients Centre (Polyclinic) of the University Department of Dermatology and Venereology; 2) STD Out-patient Centre; 3) Division of Paediatric Dermatovenereology
Occupation or position held 4) Head of the of Reference Laboratory of the Ministry of Health and Social Welfare of Republic of Croatia for Dermatological Mycology and Parasitology
(Mycological Laboratory)

Education and training

Dates 1976-1981
Title of qualification awarded Medical doctor
Name and type of organisation providing education and training Medical School of Zagreb University
Title of qualification awarded Postgraduate Study of Medical Microbiology (1989):
M.Sc. (Master Thesis); Title of Thesis: "The various species of fungus, genus *Candida*, Berkhout, 1923, isolated from the human involved and uninvolved skin and their correlation to the appearance of specific antibodies"
Title of qualification awarded Dr. Sc. (Ph. D.) Postgraduate Study of Dermatology and Venereology (1998):
Title of Doctoral Thesis: "The DNA types of *Human Papillomavirus* in genital skin lesions of men"
Name and type of organisation providing additional education and training Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts, USA, (Department of Dermatology) 1991 and 1995

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) Croatian

Other language(s)	Fluent in English, French, Italian, Modern Greek and Macedonian; Latin and Ancient Greek (accordingly)
Organisational skills and competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ❖ President of the International Symposium on Dermatmycology (Dubrovnik, Croatia, June 16-17, 2000) ❖ President of the <i>Chlamydia trachomatis</i> Study Group (CTSG) (2003-), ❖ President of the 3rd Congress of the Croatian Dermatovenereologists with international participation (Split, Croatia, May 18-21, 2006), ❖ President of the 23rd IUSTI (International Union against Sexually Transmitted Infections) Europe Conference on STIs and HIV/AIDS (Cavtat/Dubrovnik, Croatia, October 11-14, 2007). ❖ Chair of the Local Scientific Committee of the 7th EADV Spring Symposium, (Cavtat, Croatia, May 13-16, 2010) ❖ Vice-Chair of the International Scientific Committee of the 25thIUSTI Europe Conference on STIs and HIV/AIDS, (Tbilisi, Georgia, Sept. 23-25, 2010) ❖ Chair of the International Scientific Committee of the 27thIUSTI Europe Conference on STIs and HIV/AIDS, (Antalya, Turkey, Sept. 06-08, 2012) ❖ Vice-President of the 5th Congress of the Croatian Dermatovenereologists with international participation (Zagreb, Croatia, May 08-10, 2014), ❖ Coordinator (together with Prof. Gross) of the EADV Task Force for the HPV-infections
Awards	<p>Dean's prizes (3X) for the best students' scientific paper.</p> <p>2007 and 2012: Special IUSTI (International Union for Sexually Transmitted Infections) medal and diploma for "outstanding contributions in promoting the international activities in the fight against sexually transmitted infections".</p> <p>2009 "Dr Ladislav Rakovac" – Diploma and Medal from the Croatian Medical Association for the "outstanding contribution to the professional, academic and scientific promotion of the medical knowledge"</p>
Memberships	<p>Croatian Dermatovenereological Society of Croatian Medical Association President (2005-2008); Vice-President (2009 on)</p> <p>European Academy of Dermatology and Venereology , member of the EADV Board of Directors</p> <p>American Academy of Dermatology (non-resident fellow)</p> <p>Founding member and President of the Croatian STD Society of the Croatian Medical Association (2004-)</p> <p>IUSTI (International Union for Sexually Transmitted Infections) Europe Chair of the Committee for International Development and Council member</p> <p>IUSTI World Executive Committee member (2011)</p> <p>Chair of the EADV HPV Task Force (reconfirmed 2016)</p> <p>Alpe- Danube-Adria- STD Society Board member</p> <p>UEMS EBDV member, representative for Croatia</p> <p>Editorial Board member of the JEADV ; Mikologia Lekarska (Poland), APA</p> <p>Honorary member of the German and Hungarian STD Society and Hellenic, French, Jordanian, Macedonian, Serbian etc. Dermatovenereological Societies</p>
Publications and congresses	<p>Published more than 150 papers (36 in Current Contents, the rest in Index Medicus or SCI).</p> <p>Authored/co-authored/edited more than 100 chapters in the international and national textbooks and academic editions in Dermatology and Venereology (Fitzpatrick's Textbook of General Dermatology, 1993 and 1999; Parish and cow., eds. Manual of Gender Dermatology, 2010; Gross, Tyring, eds. Sexually Transmitted Infections, 2011, etc.)</p> <p>Delivered more than 400 invited lectures on different international Congresses and Symposia, mostly on the topics in STD (especially HPV) and Dermatmycology (especially <i>M. canis</i>)</p> <p>Moderator, co-moderator and invited plenary lecturer on many international congresses and symposia (mostly IUSTI and EADV)</p>

