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Major academic interests

Geography of production (spatial economics): location of firms, clusters and industries
Evolutionary economics
International economic integration
European Union
Enlargement of the European Union
Transnational corporations and foreign direct investment (globalisation)
Competition, trade and industrial policies

Education

University of Belgrade, Serbia, Ph.D. (August 1988).
International Economic Integration

Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario (September 1986-September 1987).
Winner of Government of Canada research award
International Economic Integration

University of Belgrade, Serbia (1982-85), M.A. (January 1985).
International Economics (Average: 90%)

University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands (September 1980-May 1981).
Winner of Dutch Government fellowship
Postgraduate Course on European Integration

University of Belgrade, Serbia, B.A. (November 1979).
International Economics. Two years at the University of Novi Sad, awarded as one of the 14 best students in the history of the school; last two years at the University of Belgrade (Four-year average: 81%).

Experience

UN Economic Commission for Europe Economic Affairs Officer in Transport Division (since 2002): secretary of the Working Party on Transport Statistics; assistant secretary of the Working Party on Road Transport; Trade Division (1995-02): trade and investment promotion, desk officer for the relations with the European Union; Division for Economic Analysis and Projections (1992-95): costs, prices and wages in transition economies.

UN Centre on Transnational Corporations, New York (1989-92). Associate Economic Affairs Officer in the Policy Analysis and Research Division. Project Officer: UN Transnational Corporations Library, a series of 20 volumes of select readings on all major economic aspects of transnational corporations (General Editor: John H. Dunning; publisher: Routledge, London, 1993 and 1994). Permanent contract with the United Nations, eligible for the accelerated promotion.

Writer and editor of books, articles, discussion papers and reviews. Have presented papers at various economic policy conferences, given public lectures and courses:

- Austria - Johannes Kepler University, Linz
- Croatia - University of Zagreb
- Cyprus - Intercollege, Nicosia
- Greece - European Summer Academy, Spetsae (Panteion University, Athens)
- Germany - University of Reutlingen
- Italy - Academia Europea, Bolzano; University of Genoa; University of Insubria-Varese; University of Modena
- Japan - Institute of Developing Economies Advanced School (IDEAS) of the Japan External Trade Organisation (JETRO), Chiba-Tokyo
- Republika Srpska (Bosnia and Herzegovina) - University of Banja Luka
- Serbia - The Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts, Belgrade; University of Belgrade; European Centre for Peace and Development of the UN University for Peace, Belgrade; Megatrend University, Belgrade; The Ilija M. Kolarac Foundation, Belgrade; University of Novi Sad
- Switzerland - University of Geneva; University of Basle, Europa Institut
- US - Columbia University, NY; Kent State University, Cleveland, OH; Idaho State University, Pocatello, ID

Lecturer, University of Geneva, European Institute (from September 2008).

Visiting faculty, European Summer Academy at Spetsae (Panteion University, Athens); Director of Studies (1992-2006).

Visiting Professor of Economics (from 2007) and **Senior Research Fellow** (from 1996); European Centre for Peace and Development of the UN University for Peace and Development (Belgrade).

Referee to *Routledge*, *Edward Elgar*, *Journal of Common Market Studies*, *Journal of Economic Integration and Transnational Corporations*

Queen's University, Kingston, 1986-87. Teaching assistant: Principles of Economics.

University of Novi Sad, Serbia (1985-89). Member of an interim multidisciplinary research group on the export possibilities for the Province of Vojvodina.

Nafta-Gas, petroleum company in Novi Sad, Serbia (1982-89) in the Department of International Operations. Includes four months with the Middle East branch office. Twice promoted. Full time work while completing M.A. programme.

Licensed **tourist guide** since 1979. Guided groups in Yugoslavia, Austria and the Netherlands.

List of Awards

1. Offered the Jean Monnet Fellowship.
Period of tenure: September 1989-September 1990.
Place of tenure: European University Institute, Florence, Italy.
2. Winner of the Province of Vojvodina (Serbia) Council for Scientific Research Award for Ph.D. thesis preparation, 1988.
3. Winner of the Government of Canada Award for research in Canada.
Period of tenure: September 1986-September 1987.
Place of tenure: Queen's University, Kingston.

4. Winner of a European Community printing grant for the book *Ekonomika Evropske Ekonomske Zajednice*, (Economics of the EEC), Belgrade: Savremena administracija, 1985.
5. Winner of the Dutch Government Award to study European integration.
Period of tenure: September 1980-May 1981.
Place of tenure: University of Amsterdam.

Personal

Born 19 January 1957 in Novi Sad, Serbia
 Citizenship: Serbia and Switzerland
 Married with two children
 Member: Royal Economic Society, American Economic Association, European Community Studies Association
 Enjoy nature, theatre, film, music, cycling and jogging

References

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Books

1. **International Handbook of Economic Integration** (2010)(forthcoming). Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, editor.
2. **Evolutionary Economic Geography** (2009)(forthcoming). London: Routledge.
3. **Economic Integration and Spatial Location of Firms and Industries: Conceptual Issues** (2007). Foreword by Richard E. Baldwin, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, editor.
4. **Economic Integration and Spatial Location of Firms and Industries: Agglomeration and Clusters** (2007). Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, editor.
5. **Economic Integration and Spatial Location of Firms and Industries: Transnational Corporations and Search for Evidence** (2007). Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, editor.

6. **The Economics of International Integration** (2006). Foreword by Richard G. Lipsey, Cheltenham: Edward Elgar.
7. **Location of Production: Local vs. Global Game** (2006). New York: Nova Science Publishers.
8. **Spatial Location of Firms and Industries: Is Local Superior to Global** (2006). New York: Nova Science Publishers.
9. **The Economics of European Integration** (2005). Cheltenham: Edward Elgar. Translated and published in *Serbian*, Faculty of Economics: Belgrade (two editions).
10. **Geography of Production and Economic Integration** (2001). London: Routledge.
11. **Standards and Regulations in International Trade** (2000). Geneva: United Nations, editor.
12. **International Economic Integration: Limits and Prospects** (1998). Second revised edition; Foreword by Richard G. Lipsey, London: Routledge. Translated and published in *Greek* (2002); Athens: Papazissis.
13. **International Economic Integration: Critical Perspectives on the World Economy - Theory and Measurement** (1998), London: Routledge, editor.
14. **International Economic Integration: Critical Perspectives on the World Economy - Monetary, Fiscal and Factor Mobility Issues** (1998), London: Routledge, editor.
15. **International Economic Integration: Critical Perspectives on the World Economy - General Issues** (1998), London: Routledge, editor.
16. **International Economic Integration: Critical Perspectives on the World Economy - Integration Schemes** (1998), London: Routledge, editor.
17. **European Economic Integration: Limits and Prospects** (1997). Foreword by Alexis Jacquemin, London: Routledge.
18. **International Economic Integration** (1992). Foreword by Richard G. Lipsey, London: Routledge.
19. **The Challenge of Free Economic Zones in Central and Eastern Europe** (1991), co-editor with K.P. Sauvant and N. Zaitsev, New York: United Nations.
20. **EEC and the Developing Countries** (1990), co-author with M. Vukićević, Belgrade: Naučna knjiga.
21. **Economics of the European Economic Community** (1985), Belgrade: Savremena administracija. This manuscript won the European Commission's printing grant.