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**Personal data and education:**

- ❖ Born on November 5<sup>th</sup>, 1960 in Ogulin, Republic of Croatia.
- ❖ Primary school completed in Ogulin, and secondary education in Rijeka in 1979, at the secondary school: Center for Human Resources in Education and Culture, Philosophy – Sociology
- ❖ Graduated from the Faculty of Economics in Rijeka in 1983 – MSc in Economics, major: Economics of Industry. Graduated with score: excellent at the course: Economics of Yugoslavia, topic: *Housing construction in Croatia in the period 1971 to 1981 with reference to 2000.*
- ❖ Postgraduate study program: Business Finance and Accounting as the joint study program of the Faculty of Economics in Zagreb and the Faculty of Economics in Rijeka completed in 1991, having defended a master's degree with excellent score, topic: *Maintaining the real value of working assets in inflationary conditions.*
- ❖ Doctoral dissertation titled *Accounting estimates and calculations of business expansion projects in inflationary conditions*, defended in 1998 at the Faculty of Economics, University in Ljubljana.

**Work Experience:**

- ❖ From 1982 to 1989 employed in accounting and as head of the accounting department in several public sector organizations.
- ❖ Since 1989 employed at the Faculty of Economics of the University in Rijeka at the position of Assistant in the Business Finance course, academic degrees completed until the appointment as a full professor in 2008, and full professor in tenure in 2013.

**Teaching Activities:**

**Courses:**

- ❖ Lectured in a number of courses from undergraduate to the doctoral level of the studies at the home faculty and other faculties inside and outside the University of Rijeka, as lecturer:
  - **At the undergraduate and graduate level of the home faculty:** Business Finance (since 2009), Cost Accounting (since 2000), Restructuring of Enterprises (since 2009), Financial Management (since 2009), Accounting of Financial Institutions (from 1999 to 2009), Risk Management (from 2003 to 2009), Accounting of SMEs (from 2003 to 2009), Accounting (since 2017), Cost Accounting (International Business program since 2014), Corporate Finance (International Business program since 2014)
  - **At the postgraduate and doctoral level of the home faculty:** Investment Management and Financing (Postgraduate Specialist Study: Controlling), Financial Valuation of Investment Projects in the Energy Sector (PSS Energy Economics MBA), Corporate Finance (PSS Finance), Evaluation of Projects in the Public Sector (PSS Public Sector Management), Capital Budgeting (PSS Finance), Cost Accounting (PSS

Accounting), Accounting of Financial Institutions (PSS Accounting – until 2009), Advanced Corporate Finance (Doctoral Study in Economics and Business Economics), Business Decision Making (Master of Science in Management), Selected Topics in Business Economics (Doctoral Study in Economics and Business Economics), Business and Financial Risk Management (Doctoral Study in Business Economics – until 2010).

- **At the undergraduate and graduate level of other faculties:** Investing of Enterprises (Polytechnic of Rijeka, Pula Business Department), Business Finance, Risk Management (University in Zadar, Department of Economics)
- **At the postgraduate and doctoral level of other faculties:** Financial Management of a Healthcare Provider (PSS Management in Health Care - Faculty of Medicine, University of Rijeka), Business Decision Making (Doctoral Study of Technical Sciences - Faculty of Engineering, University of Rijeka).
- ❖ Participated as a visiting professor at the Faculty of Economics, University in Ljubljana at the Postgraduate Study: Business Administration and Organization, at the course: International Comparison of Financial Statements (2002-2006), at the Faculty of Law, University in Rijeka, at the Postgraduate Study: Financial Law of Enterprises, courses: *Preparation and Evaluation of Investment Projects and Unauthorized Behavior on the Capital Market*.

<b>Teaching Activities:</b>
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<b>Participation in the faculty's educational and professional boards:</b>
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- ❖ Head of the Postgraduate Specialist Study: Finance (since 2016)
- ❖ Head of the Accounting Department in two terms
- ❖ ERASMUS Coordinator of the Faculty and a member of the University Commission for ERASMUS (2009-2015)
- ❖ Member of the Commission for International Cooperation of the Scientific-Teaching Council of the Faculty of Economics in Rijeka (since 2016)
- ❖ Coordinator of the home institution for ECTS at the University (until 2015)
- ❖ Member of the Teaching Committee of the Scientific-Teaching Council of the Faculty of Economics in Rijeka (until 2016)
- ❖ Head of Professional Studies at the Faculty of Economics in Rijeka (until 2002)
- ❖ Secretary of the Department of Enterprise Economics in two terms.

<b>Teaching Activities:</b>
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<b>Mentorship:</b>
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- ❖ 4 doctoral dissertations
- ❖ 24 master's and specialist final papers at postgraduate scientific and specialist studies
- ❖ 234 final papers at graduate and undergraduate university studies

<b>Scientific Research Activities:</b>
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- ❖ Head of the scientific project of the Croatian Science Foundation: "Business and Personal Insolvency - the Ways to Overcome Excessive Indebtedness (IP-2013-11-6558; 2014-2018)
- ❖ Head of the scientific project of the University of Rijeka: "Concepts and Methods of Cost and Managerial Accounting in Public Sector of Croatia (13.02.1.2.09; 2013-2018)
- ❖ Head of the scientific project of the Ministry of Science and Education: "Concepts and Methods of Cost Accounting in Public Sector of Croatia (2007-2013)
- ❖ Researcher on scientific projects of the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports at the home faculty:

- „Business Adaptation of Croatian Entrepreneurs in the EU Market Competition“, (2007-2013)
- „Accounting Standards for SMEs in Croatia: Development and Harmonization with Europe“ (2007-2013) – as a co-author of an International Scientific Book: Accounting for SMEs: Multidimensional Aspects and Global Challenges. Lorena Mošnja-Škare, editor(s). Juraj Dobrila University of Pula, Mikrorad d.o.o.Zagreb, 2007, 978-953-7498-07-8
- „Strategic and Operational Management of Enterprises", (2002-2006)
- „Business Process Management Methods and Technologies in the Enterprise" (1991)
- „Redesigning large Croatian companies in the function of economic development“, Faculty of Economics in Split (1998)
- „Eliminating Inflation Effects by Accounting Methods and Company Financial Policies"(1991-1992)
- ❖ Researcher on scientific projects outside the home faculty:
  - „Compliance and administrative costs of taxation in Croatia", Institute of Public Finance, Zagreb (2003-2004)
  - „EU enlargement and labor mobility“ (2002-2003) – Faculty of Law in Rijeka
- ❖ Consultant on the scientific project "Croatia in European and World Accounting Harmonization and Globalization" (2002-2006) Faculty of Economics in Pula
- ❖ Active participation in 36 international scientific conferences
- ❖ Member of the editorial board of the Slovenian scientific journal Economic and Business Review (Cabell's Directory of Publishing Opportunities, DOAJ Directory of Open Access Journals, Ebsco, Econlit, IBSS). (2003-2008)
- ❖ Member of the editorial board of two scientific monographs
- ❖ Published 56 scientific papers, including 8 chapters in scientific monographs - before the promotion into full professor in tenure, and afterwards - 19 scientific papers, of which 8 chapters in scientific monographs

<b>Professional papers and other:</b>
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- ❖ Published 9 professional books and tutorials, of which 3 high school textbooks for schools of economics
- ❖ Published 20 professional articles in various publications and 14 professional studies
- ❖ Participated as a researcher in 4 development studies for local government and self-government units
- ❖ Participated in 9 elaborates of the value of enterprises and the transformation from “social enterprises” (1992-1994)
- ❖ Specialization abroad:
  - ❖ Budapest, Hungary, CEEPUS program of international exchanges of students and scientists, 1995 (1 month)
  - ❖ Warsaw – training course on corporate finance, J. L. Kellogg University, Bator foundation, 1996 (2 weeks)
- ❖ Participation in professional associations and societies and professional education:
  - ❖ Member of the Main Board of the Croatian Association of Accountants and Financial Officers in Rijeka and owner of an authorized accountant license since 1998.
  - ❖ Lecturer in a series of training programs and educations organized by professional associations, publishers, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the University

of Rijeka for entrepreneurs, authorized accountants, members of supervisory boards, and administrative councils and citizens:

- Organized by the Association of Croatian Accountants - participated four times in the creation, implementation and execution of a professional program for authorized accountants with the following topics: Accounting of Financial Institutions, Accounting of Banks and Insurance Companies, Accounting for Small Businesses, Accounting Systems in Croatia;
- Participated twice in training programs for members of supervisory boards and board of directors with the topic: Information from internal business processes, module Corporate reporting and auditing;
- Participated three times in business education in the seminars licensed by the Ministry of the Economy, Labor and Entrepreneurship, with topics related to risk management, business and financial risks of enterprises;
- Participated in professional education and training seminars organized by Verlag Dashofer publisher from Zagreb;
- Participated in programs for the “third age” organized by the University of Rijeka - in the field of personal finance.
- ❖ Engaged as a court expert in damage assessment
- ❖ Participated in a series of commercial projects of entrepreneurs and local self-government units
- ❖ Reviewed over 45 scientific and professional articles, textbooks, study programs, scientific monographs, and scientific projects.
- ❖ Other:
  - ❖ Professional training in statistical and econometric methodology - several programs
  - ❖ Training program for university teachers: Curriculum development based on learning outcomes approach.
  - ❖ Lifelong Learning Program (LLP) - Erasmus, organized by the Croatian Agency for Mobility and Programs