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07.07.1955 - born in Ruse; married, with one child;

1978 - graduated University of Veliko Turnovo, MA, Bulgarian Philology;

1982 - started academic career as lecturer in the Faculty for Foreign Students at the University of Ruse;

1988 - diploma for post-graduate studies in Advanced Teaching Technologies from Sofia University;

1988 - specialization in methods of motivation in Moscow State University, Russia;

1993 - participated in the team, initiating the first degree programme in European Studies in Bulgaria;

1994 - appointed as Principal Assistant Professor at the Department of European Studies;

1995 - specialization in Applied Communication and European Studies at the University of Wolverhampton, UK;

1997 - specialization in Human Resource Management and International Dimensions of Organizational Behavior at University of Central Lancashire, Preston, UK;

1998 - leader of the Commission for the establishment of the degree programme International Economic Relations at University of Ruse;

2001 - participated in the establishment of Bulgarian-Romanian Interuniversity Europe Centre (BRIE); appointed as deputy director;

2002 - PhD awarded by the High Attestation Commission at the Council of

Ministers of the Republic of Bulgaria;

- 2002** - specialization in Intercultural Communication at the University of Munich, Germany;
- 2003** - elected Head of the Department of European Studies;
- 2006** - diploma for Associate Professor awarded by the High Attestation Commission at the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Bulgaria;
- 2008** - elected Vice Dean of the Faculty of Business and Management;
- 2009** - initiated the establishment of Trans-national Interdisciplinary Studies Network in the Area of Social Sciences Bulgaria-Romania-Ukraine (TISCASS);
- 2012** - elected Vice Rector of the University of Ruse in European Integration and International Cooperation;
- 2014** - diploma for Professor;
- 2016** - re-elected Vice Rector of the University of Ruse in European Integration and International Cooperation;
- Member of the General Assembly of the University of Ruse
 - Member of the Academic Council of the University of Ruse;
 - Member of the University Commission in Quality of Education; Internal auditor of the Educational Quality System at the University of Ruse
 - Member of the Faculty Council of the Faculty of Business and Management;
- *Foreign language competences:* English, Russian;
 - *Membership in professional organizations:* member of the council of International Association of Cross-Cultural Competence and Management; member of the Bulgarian Union of Scientists, Ruse branch; member of SIETAR-Bulgaria;
 - *Member of the editorial board of:* European Journal of Cross-Cultural Competence and Management and of Innovative Management Journal;
 - *Member of the Organization Committee* of the annual International Scientific Conference “The Danube – Axis of European Identity”;
 - *Areas of scientific interest:*
 - Intercultural communication;
 - Cross-cultural management;
 - International dimensions of organizational behaviour and corporate culture;
 - Leader/Coordinator of 8 projects with European funding;
 - Leader of 7 projects within the frames of UR Research Fund ;
 - Participant in 5 research projects and 5 educational projects with European funding;
 - Author of 5 books and more than 80 publications in the field of Intercultural Communication, Cross-Cultural Management and Corporate Culture;
 - *Awards:* Diplôme d’Honneur de l’Academie d’Etudes Economiques de Bucarest; Certificate for contribution to the establishment of BRIE; Bearer of: RUSE Prize of the Municipality of Ruse for lifetime achievement and long-term activities in the field of higher education – 2015; Golden Badge of UR; Anniversary Badge and honorary diploma on the occasion of the 70ieth Anniversary of the University of Ruse.

