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## **V I T A**

**Date and place of birth:** Zagreb (Croatia), 1962

### **Education**

- B.A. / University of Zagreb, Dept. of Sociology, 1987
- M.A. / University of Zagreb, Dept. of Sociology, 1989
- Ph.D. / University of Zagreb, Dept. of Sociology, 1996

### **Academic posts**

- Instructor, 1991 (University of Zagreb)
- Assistant Professor of Sociology, 1998 (University of Zagreb)
- Associate Professor of Sociology, 2002 (University of Zagreb)
- Full Professor of Sociology, 2006 (confirmed 2010; University of Zagreb)
- Senior Lecturer, Knowledge Hub for Capacity Building in HIV/AIDS Surveillance, School of Public Health, Medical School of Zagreb, University of Zagreb (2005-)

### **Teaching**

- (1991-1993) Undergraduate level: *Introduction to sociology, Sociology of education*
- (1993-1999) Undergraduate level: *Economic sociology*
- (1996-) Undergraduate level: *Sociology of sexuality*
- (2000-) Undergraduate level: *Sociology of culture*
- (1999-2000) Postgraduate level: *Gender and Sexuality in the USA* (American Studies, University of Zagreb)
- (2001-2003) Postgraduate level: *Rational Choice Theory, Introduction to Sociobiology* (Dept. of Sociology, University of Zagreb)
- (2005) Postgraduate level: *Anthropology of Food* (Institutum Studiorum Humanitatis, Ljubljana, Slovenia)
- (2006-) Doctoral level: *Globalization and Social Theory* (Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb); *Second Generation HIV/AIDS Surveillance* (Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Zagreb)
- (2007-) Undergraduate level: *Human sexuality* (Faculty of Medicine, University of Zagreb)
- (2008) Introduction to Sex Research (guest professor; University of Primorska, Koper, Slovenia)
- (2009-) Introduction to Analytical Sociology

- (2014-) Sociology of Health and Illness

### **Grants**

- Independent Research Grant, Indiana University, 1991
- Salzburg Seminar on Religious and Ethnic Identities, 1994
- Research Support Scheme, Central European University, 1994
- Research Fellowship, The Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study, 1999
- Fulbright Research Fellowship, 1999
- East-East Program (conference grant), Open Society Foundation, Budapest 2001
- Open Society Institute (conference grant), Zagreb 2003
- Senior Fellowship, London School of Economics, 2005
- Hospitality Scheme, University of Oxford, Hertford College, 2006
- Research Fellowship, Indiana University (Kinsey Institute for Research in Sex, Gender, and Reproduction), 2008 & 2012

### **Specialization and training**

- Workshop on Conflict Resolution, Harvard University, 1995
- Professional training in sexual psychotherapy (2004-2012)
- Gestalt psychotherapy (2009-2013)

### **Awards**

- European Federation of Sexology Gold Medal achievement award, 2016
- M. Hanzekovic annual award for the best research paper, Institute for Public Finances, Zagreb, 2016

### **Publications and impact**

- Full list available at: <http://www.ffzg.unizg.hr/socio/astulhof/radovi.htm>
- Jan 2018: 57 references in PubMed, h-index = 23
- 2256 citations in Google Scholar (1370 since 2013)

### **Recent research projects**

- Socio-cultural and Psychosocial Correlates of Explicit Entertainment Consumption (Center for Sex Research, CSU Northridge, 2000-2002)
- South East European Social Survey Project (The Institute of Sociology, Tromso, Norway, 2001-)
- Female Sexual Dysfunctions in a Community Sample (Dept. of Sociology, 2001)
- Informal Economy in Croatia (Institute of Public Finance, 2001)
- Trafficking in Women in Croatia (IOM Croatia, 2002)
- Male Sexual Dysfunctions in a Community Sample (Dept. of Sociology, 2003)
- Sexual Risk-taking in Late Adolescence: A Longitudinal Study (State Office for the Protection of Family, Motherhood, and Youth, Zagreb, 1998-2004)
- HIV/AIDS Risk Taking among Immigrant Workers (IOM Croatia, 2004-2006)
- HIV/AIDS Related Knowledge, Attitudes, and Patterns of Behavior Among Young People in Croatia (Ministry of Health, 2004-2005)
- HIV/AIDS Risks in Croatian Truck Drivers (IOM Croatia, 2005)
- Sexuality and Internet (Dept. of Sociology, 2004-2005)
- Social Exclusion in Croatia (UNDP, 2005)
- Crime as Culture (6<sup>th</sup> Framework Programme of the EU Commission, 2006-2009)

- Internet Pornography and Sexual Socialization of Young Adults (Dept. of Sociology, Texas A&M University at Corpus Christi, 2006-2008)
- Behavioral HIV Surveillance in Croatia (Ministry of Science, 2007-2012)
- Improving the Capacity of the University System to Create a Framework for Battling Discrimination and Corruption Aimed at Academic Integrity (University of Zagreb, 2011-2012)
- Anti-Corruption Policies Revisited: Global Trends and European Responses to the Challenge of Corruption (7th Framework Programme of the EU Commission, 2012.-2016)
- Male sexual interest deficit (University of Lisbon, University of Oslo, and University of Zagreb, 2014)
- Healthy sexual aging – A mixed method study of sexual problem and well-being in older adults across Europe (Norwegian Research Council, 2016-2019)
- Prospective biopsychosocial study of the effects of sexually explicit material on young people's sexual socialization and health (Croatian Science Foundation, 2014-2018)

### **International conferences organized**

- Sexualities in Transition, Dubrovnik, June 12-16, 2001
- Annual International Spring School in Research on Human Sexuality, Grožnjan, since 2007

### **Educational programs/training organized**

- Basic Training in Sexual Therapy, Dubrovnik, June 2-11, 2004

### **Professional positions**

- (1994-1996) Editor-in-chief of Sociological Review (*Revija za sociologiju*), the official journal of Croatian Sociological Association; (2009-) Member of the Editorial Board of *Revija za sociologiju*
- (1998-99) Postgraduate course co-director (*Family Planning*), Inter University Centre, Dubrovnik; (1998-2004) Postgraduate course co-director (*Social Structures and Institutions*), Inter University Centre, Dubrovnik; (2009-) Postgraduate course co-director (*Social Structures and Institutions*), Inter University Centre, Dubrovnik
- (2000-2002) Chairperson of the Dept. of Sociology
- (2001-2003) Chair of the Ethical Committee of the Faculty of Philosophy
- (2003-) Member of the Editorial Board of the journal *Archives of Sexual Behavior*
- (2006-) Chair of the Ethical Committee of the Dept. of Sociology
- (2006-) Postgraduate grants evaluator, International University Centre, Dubrovnik
- (2008-) Consulting Editor of the *Journal of Sex Research*
- (2008-) Affiliated Faculty of the Kinsey Institute for Sex, Gender, and Reproduction
- (2008-) Member of the Editorial Board of the journal *Sexuality and Culture*
- (2007-2011) Vice-President of the Croatian Sociological Association
- (2011-2012) Member of the Supervisory Board of the Center for Human Rights, Zagreb
- (2011-) Member of the Scientific Committee of the European Federation of Sexology
- (2011-) Member of the Scientific Committee of the World Association for Sexual Health
- (2012.-) Member of the Editorial board of the journal *Psychology, Community, and Health*
- (2012.-2016) President of the Governing Board of the Social Sciences Institute I. Pilar
- (2012-2017) President of the Consulting Board of the non-governmental organization Partnership for Social Development
- (2013-2017) Vice-President of the National Scientific Board for Social Sciences

### **Expert assignments**

- Expert witness (District court, Zlatar 2002, District court, Zagreb 2003, City court, Zagreb 2003 and 2005, District court Daruvar, 2008, District court Virovitica, 2008 and 2009)
- Co-author of the *Long-term Strategy of Economic Development of Croatia* (Croatian government, 1999), *Principles of Development of the Republic of Croatia in 21<sup>st</sup> Century* (Croatian government, 2001), *Strategy of Scientific Development of Croatia* (Ministry of Science and Technology, 2002; the document was in 2003 approved by the Croatian Parliament)
- Research project evaluator, Croatian Ministry of Science, 2002 and 2006; Grant Agency of the Czech Republic, 2001-2003; Croatian Science Foundation, 2014
- WHO Short-term consultant in behavioral HIV surveillance, 2005-2014 (missions in Egypt, Iran, Sudan, Yemen, Montenegro, Morocco, Macedonia, Palestine, Kosova, Turkey, Turkmenistan, and Iraq)

### **Memberships**

- Croatian Sociological Association
- Croatian Association for Sexual Psychotherapy
- International Academy of Sex Research

### **Clinical work**

- Couple and individual counseling in sexual health (since 2009)

### **Media and broadcasting**

- Articles in major Croatian weeklies, monthly column in *Croatiabiz* magazine (2004-2005) and *Cosmopolitan*, the Croatian edition (2007-2010).
- Radio-show *Intimate Conversations* (2000-2001), Family Radio, Zagreb
- Sexuality Q & A on [www.plivazdravlje.hr](http://www.plivazdravlje.hr) (2003-2004) and *Cosmopolitan* (since 2011)
- Croatian public TV show *State of Affairs*, author and host (2002-2003)