

• **Dates**

Other academic or professional commitments:

October 2019 -

Member of Horizon 2020 Programme Committee “Secure Societies” – European Commission Migration and Home Affairs, Directorate General - Migration, Mobility and Innovation.

Cost Action - China In Europe Research Network (CHERN) – Management Committee member.

• **Dates**

- Name and address of employer
- Type of business or sector
- Occupation or position held

• Main activities and responsibilities

January 2018 -

“Tirana Business University College” TBU (website: <http://www.tbu.edu.al>)
HEI, Private Academic Institution.

Head of inter-department Centre for Economic and Legal Research and Studies (CELR)

Drafting partnered projects concerning Erasmus+; development of research projects concerning Cross-border Cooperation, land planning as well as business start-up.

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• Main activities and responsibilities

November 2017 - February 2019

“Hëna e Plotë” BEDËR , (website: <http://www.beder.edu.al>)
Faculty of Humanities, Department of Law
HEI, Private Academic Institution

Lecturer Part-Time

Lecturer of the course “History of International Law”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Science Program in International Law*.

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- Name and address of employer

- Type of business or sector

- Occupation or position held

• Main activities and responsibilities

March 2017 - July 2017

University of Tirana , Faculty of Humanities, Department of Political Science
HEI, Public Academic Institution

Lecturer Part-Time

Lecturer of the course “Qualitative research methods”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Sciences Program in Political Theory*

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- Occupation or position held

• Main activities and responsibilities

November 2015 - February 2017

University “A. Moisiu” Durrës ; Department of Political Sciences

Public Academic Institution

Lecturer Part-Time

Lecturer of the courses: “*Decision Theory*” and “*Crisis Management and Conflict Resolution*”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Sciences Program in Geopolitics and Security Systems*

- **Dates**
 - Name and address of employer
 - Type of business or sector
 - Occupation or position held
 - Main activities and responsibilities
- March – July 2015**
 University “A. Moisiu” Durrës ; Department of Law
 HEI, Public Academic Institution
 Lecturer Full-Time
 Lecturer of the course “*International Courts and Tribunals*”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Sciences Program in International Law*
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- **Dates**
 - Name and address of employer
 - Type of business or sector
 - Occupation or position held
 - Main activities and responsibilities
- September 2013 – March 2015**
 HEI “Hëna e Plotë” BEDËR , (website: <http://www.beder.edu.al>)
 Faculty of Humanities, Department of Law
 Private Academic Institution
 Lecturer Full time
 - Lecturer of the course: “*Human Rights*”, for students enrolled in *BA Law program*;
 - Lecturer of the courses: “*International Private Law*”; “*International Arbitration*” and “*International Human Rights*”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Sciences Program in International Law*.
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- **Dates**
 - Name and address of employer
 - Type of business or sector
 - Occupation or position held
 - Main activities and responsibilities
- September 2012 – September 2013**
 International University of Tirana (website: www.unt.edu.al)
 Faculty of Humanities, Department of Law
 Private Academic Institution
 Lecturer Full-Time
 - Lecturer of the courses : “*Sociology of Law*” and “*Philosophy of Law*”, for students enrolled in *BA Law Program*;
 - Lecturer of the courses: “*Leadership*”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Sciences Program in Public Administration* and “*Criminal phenomenology and Research methods*”, for students enrolled in the *Master of Sciences Program in Criminal Law*.
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- **Dates**
 - Name and address of employer
 - Type of business or sector
 - Occupation or position held
 - Main activities and responsibilities
- January 2001 – September 2005**
 International Institute of Sociology of Gorizia, Italy (www.isig.it)
 Research Institute
 External Researcher
 Assisted and conducted researches and studies on international relations and cross-border; ethnic relations and minority rights; peace and conflict resolution; the society and social policy; the economy and local development; democracy and civil society.
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- **Dates**
 - Name and address of employer
 - Type of business or sector
 - Occupation or position held
 - Main activities and responsibilities
- November 2002 – April 2003**
 Ministry of Interior Affairs, Department of International Relations, Tirana, Albania
 Government Institution
 Public Administration Expert
 - Drafting and finalising government bilateral and multilateral agreements concerning cross border cooperation, migration, safety and security at national and international level;
 - Administrative and organizational task based on the code of conduct and procedures of institution.

- **Dates** **September 1998 – September 2000**
- Name and address of employer Institute of Studies and Documentation on Community and Eastern Europe (ISDEE - Istituto di Studi e Documentazione sull'Europa comunitaria e l'Europa orientale), Trieste, Italy
- Type of business or sector Research Institute
- Occupation or position held Researcher
- Main activities and responsibilities Conducted research work on the development dynamics of Eastern European communities and Western Balkans – Albania - in a social, economic and political context.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- **Dates** **January 2001 – April 2005**
- Name and type of organization providing education and training University of Trieste, Faculty of Political Sciences, Department of Humanities, Trieste, Italy
- Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Cross-border cooperation; border conflicts; minorities and human rights; EU institutions; international organizations and International relations; forecasting and research methods; security and free mobility for persons, goods and capitals (borders/ frontiers' management).

- Title of thesis "Cross-border cooperation as an instrument of preventing border conflicts". Case of study: Albania and bordering countries (integrated with qualitative interviews with municipal officials in the border areas)

- Title of qualification awarded **PhD on Trans-border Policies for daily life.**

- **Dates** **September 1995 – September 2000**
- Name and type of organization providing education and training University of Trieste, Faculty of Political Sciences and International Relations, Trieste, Italy
- Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Theoretical and empirical aspects of political sciences and international relations; research methods; leadership and theory of games; commencement of law and diplomacy, etc.

- Title of thesis "*Political élites and the futures of Albania. A round table with Albanian politicians*".

- Title of qualification awarded **BA and MSc Degree on Political Sciences**

MOTHER TONGUE Albanian

Other languages

	ENGLISH	FRENCH	ITALIAN
• Reading skills	Fluent	Good	Fluent
• Writing skills	Fluent	Fair	Fluent
• Verbal skills	Fluent	Good	Fluent

**SOCIAL SKILLS
AND COMPETENCES**

Team Work: I have worked in various types of teams set up for research objectives, awareness campaigns, fund raising, strategy designing, emergency intervention, relief, volunteer management, during my working experience on the ISDEE, ISIG, academic and governmental institutions.

Mediating Skills: I have worked on the borders between institutions, International Agencies, NGO-s networks, beneficiaries, policy makers, and researchers, for example, running workshops and conferences on programming, human rights, development and cross border topics.

Intercultural skills: I am experienced at working and living in multilateral communities respecting **diversity and human rights**.

**ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS
AND COMPETENCES**

Excellent planning, organization, analytical capacity and effective presentation skills.

Flexible, well-organized, reliable person willing to take greater responsibilities.

Good communication and interpersonal skills with sensitivity and respect for diversity; I have participated and coordinated different research projects.

**TECHNICAL SKILLS
AND COMPETENCES**

Full computer literacy

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications

- Border and Conflicts: Territories of Conflictual Phenomena, Botimet Fishta, 2017, Tirana;
- I.S.I.G (Gorizia), Italy, 2001. "*Trans-border Cooperation in the Balkan-Danube area. A SWOT Analysis of Cross-border cooperation Balkan-Danube area*". (Personally led research activities with the countries along the Albanian's border). I.S.I.G & COE 2001-2003
- The article in the quarterly magazine "Futuribili" "*Albanian Road to Modernization*": Round table: "*A political class for Albania's future*"; A. Gasparini., K. Bajraba, (ed. Alb), 2001, Tirana.

**Participation in Scientific
Research projects (Tempus,
national and international
projects)**

- "*Sustainable and Eco Tourism Programme National and Regional Roads Project*" – European Bank Reconstruction Development (EBRD) and Albanian Development Fund (ADF) – 16.06.2020.

Contracted by ABCONS as external economic expert: needs analysis and recommendations on tourism aspects; economic aspects and stakeholder engagements; draft Stakeholder Mapping and inputs to Engagement Programme; interviews and meetings with stakeholders; consultation facilitation for three focus groups; targeted workshop with stakeholders and the Local Liaison Group.

- *Promoting Human Rights and Minority Protection in South East Europe* - Consultancy services – European Union 2014 – 2015.

- *Transborder cooperation in the Balkan-Danub area. An analysis of Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats (SWOT)*, I.S.I.G&COE 2001-2003.

Participation in Conferences as editorial and scientific committee member

International Conference "Light-Shadow of Lekë Dukagjini Code. Special guest: Kazuhiko Yamamoto. Albanian Academy of Sciences, Tirana, 2012.

Participation in Conferences

Echopolis International Conference "Nature and culture-based strategies and solutions for cities and territories: an idea whose time has come!" "A Successful Introduction of Eco-Tourism in Rural Albania: Thethi -an ideal pilot area for eco-tourism in Albania", 26, 27 and 28 November, Athens, Greece, 2018.

International Conference on Law: "Legal Framework for States' Cooperation in Managing the Refugee/Migrant Crisis – Law and Migration June 02, Beder College, Tirana, 2017. Abstract published in Proceedings

The National Scientific Conference "Human Security and Human Rights: Challenges of the 21st Century" - "Security Relationships". Faculty of History - University of Tirana, Institute of European Studies, in cooperation with European Centre, November 4, Tirana, 2016. Abstract published in Proceedings

Third International Young Research Conference on Law – "*Globalisation and International Cooperation in the light of Cybercrime Phenomena*"
HEI "Hëna e Plotë" BEDËR , April 18-19, Tirana, 2014. Abstract published in Proceedings

The State, the Society and the assertion of Rights - A Regional Cooperation – "International Rights and Regional Cooperation" – "Frontiers and Trans-border Cooperation in the light of Madrid Convention: A study case : Albania-FYROM – University "Aleksandër Moisiu" Durrës & "Albanian University", May 23 -24, 2014, Durrës. Abstract published in Proceedings