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1. Education:

After graduating from high school (Law course, professional degree Administrative Affairs Technician) in Smederevska Palanka in 1986, she enrolled in the Faculty of Economics, University of Belgrade. She graduated in 1990 (Business Economics Department, Marketing group, Foreign Trade course). At the Faculty of Economics in Belgrade, in 1997 she defended her MSc thesis entitled "Modern Organization of the World Agricultural Market" and in 2002 a doctoral thesis entitled "European Agricultural Support and Sustainable Rural Development."

2. Work experience:

In the period 1993-1997, she worked at the Plana Meat Industry in Velika Plana (Planning & Analysis Associate, Head of Retail Department, Head of Commercial Services Department), 1997-1998 at the Goša Holding Company in Smederevska Palanka, in the engineering sector of the Equipment and Machinery Factory (Senior Sales Associate) and since February 1998, she has been working at the Institute for Agricultural Economics in Belgrade. She obtained her Research Assistant title in 1998, a Research Associate in 2004, a Senior Research Associate in 2009 and a Principal Research Fellow in 2014.

3. Scientific and professional activity:

In the programming period 2011-2019 she was engaged in the Integrated and Interdisciplinary Research Project no. 46006 "Sustainable Agriculture and Rural Development in the Function of Accomplishing Strategic Objectives of the Republic of Serbia in the Danube Region" financed by the Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development. She deals with issues related to agricultural and rural development policies, agricultural trade and trade governance and sustainable natural resource use in agriculture.

4. Memberships in professional associations:

Member of the Serbian Association of Agricultural Economists (SAAE), Balkan Scientific Association of Agrarian Economists (BSAAE) and the Research Network on Resources Economics and Bioeconomy (RebResNet).

5. Other:

Familiar with computer skills and use of English and French.