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● WORK EXPERIENCE

01/2024 – CURRENT Vienna, Austria

ECONOMIST THE VIENNA INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC STUDIES (WIIW)

10/2018 – 11/2021 Skopje, North Macedonia

SENIOR ADVISOR MONETARY POLICY AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT, NATIONAL BANK OF THE
REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

- Advising the bank management on monetary policy
- Coordinating the process of macroeconomic forecasting (medium-term and short-term forecasting and now-casting);
- Presenting forecasts on the experts meetings for candidate countries in the European Commission;
- Conducting analysis on different economic topics and writing reports for the board and the public;
- Research.

05/2014 – 10/2018 Skopje, North Macedonia

HEAD OF THE REAL SECTOR UNIT MONETARY POLICY AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT, NATIONAL
BANK OF THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

- Organizing the activities of the unit regarding following the real sector of the economy;
- Controlling the quality of the analysis and reports prepared by the team;
- Member of the team for short-term forecasting and nowcasting of GDP and inflation;
- Research;
- Conducting analysis and writing reports for the board and the public.

10/2007 – 05/2014 Skopje, North Macedonia

ANALYST, ECONOMIC MODELLING DIVISION MONETARY POLICY AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT,
NATIONAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC OF NORTH MACEDONIA

- Building and developing the core macroeconomic model for the Macedonian economy;
- Working on the macroeconomic forecast for the Macedonian economy by using medium-scale macroeconomic model;
- Research;
- Policy Analysis.

07/2011 – 06/2013 Skopje, North Macedonia

ECONOMICS RESEARCH ANALYST WORLD BANK PROJECT ON GREEN GROWTH AND CLIMATE
CHANGE ANALYTIC IN MACEDONIA,

Participant in the Computable General Equilibrium Models' (CGE) workshops

09/2011 – 05/2013 Skopje, North Macedonia

ECONOMICS RESEARCH ANALYST TWINNING PROJECT: SUPPORT TO THE NATIONAL
EMPLOYMENT POLICY

Member of the working group for development of macroeconomic model for labour market forecasting and analysis

● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

12/2011 – 03/2015 Skopje, North Macedonia

PHD IN ECONOMICS University "Ss. Cyril and Methodius", Institute of Economics - Skopje

Thesis Determinants of economic growth in transition economies - the case of SEE countries and Macedonia

07/2006 – 12/2007 Stoke-on-Trent, United Kingdom

MSC IN ECONOMIC FOR BUSINESS ANALYSIS Staffordshire University, Stoke-on-Trent

Thesis An unobserved components method to potential output estimation - the case of Macedonia

10/2000 – 09/2004 Skopje, North Macedonia

BA IN ECONOMICS University "Ss. Cyril and Methodius", Faculty of Economics - Skopje

● LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **MACEDONIAN**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
ENGLISH	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
SERBO-CROATIAN	C2	C2	B2	B2	B2
ITALIAN	B1	B1	A2	A2	A2
GERMAN	A2	A2	A1	A1	A1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● DIGITAL SKILLS

Microsoft Office | Eviews | Stata | Matlab

● ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

RESEARCH GRANTS

01/2012

Grant for the study "Do Higher Doing Business Indicators Lead to Higher Investment?"

Awarded by the World Bank Group and the Kauffman Foundation, Washington DC, USA

AWARDS

11/2013

Award for the paper "Does Ease of Doing Business Matter for Investment in Eastern European Countries?"

Olga Radzyner Award of the Austrian National Bank, awarded to young economists from Central, Eastern and Southeastern Europe,