

CURRICULUM VITAE



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Place of birth: Tirana
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married, two children

EDUCATION: **Civil Engineering Degree, University of Tirana, Albania**

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

1991-1992: **University of Tirana**
Assistant-lecturer of Theory of Constructions, Faculty of Civil Engineering

1992-1997 **Swiss Confederation**
Ambassador of Albania to the Swiss Confederation

1994-1997 **Principality of Liechtenstein**
Ambassador of Albania to the Principality of Liechtenstein (resident in Bern, Switzerland)

1997-1998 **Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tirana**
Head of Section of NATO / WEU, Department for Euroatlantic Cooperation,

1998 - 2000: **Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Tirana**
Director
Department for Euroatlantic Cooperation, (EU, NATO, OSCE, CoE)

2000 - 2001: **Diplomatic advisor to the Minister of Defence**

2001 - 2002 **Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Trade**
Director
Department for Economic Cooperation

2002 - 2003: **Ministry of Foreign Affairs**
Director
Department of Europe

2003 - August 2008: **Ambassador of Albania to the Federal Republic of Germany**

September 2008 – July 2009:

Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Director General
Legal, International and Consular Affairs

As of 27th July 2009:

Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Secretary general

WORKING LANGUAGES:

English, Italian