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BIOGRAPHY

Dr. sc. med. Eldan Kapur has been employed at the Department of Human Anatomy, Faculty of Medicine, University of Sarajevo, since 1996 and currently holds the academic title of Full Professor. He graduated from the Faculty of Medicine, University of Sarajevo, in 1996 with a grade point average of 9.4. He completed his medical internship at the Clinical Center of the University of Sarajevo. He completed postgraduate studies at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Sarajevo, in 2000 with a grade point average of 9.9. He defended his Master's thesis in 2002, thereby obtaining the academic degree of Master of Medical Sciences. He defended his doctoral dissertation in 2006 and was awarded the academic degree of Doctor of Medical Sciences.

He was elected to the academic title of Assistant Professor in 2007, Associate Professor in 2013, and Full Professor in 2019 in the scientific field of Human Anatomy. In addition to his assistant and teaching duties at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Sarajevo, he has been

engaged in teaching activities at other faculties of the University of Sarajevo, including the Faculty of Dentistry, Faculty of Pharmacy, Faculty of Philosophy (Department of Psychology), Faculty of Sport and Physical Education, Faculty of Education (Department of Education and Rehabilitation), and the Faculty of Health Studies. He is currently engaged as a Full Professor at the Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Kinesiology, Faculty of Philosophy (Department of Psychology), and the Faculty of Health Studies.

To date, he has authored or co-authored more than 90 scientific papers, which have been presented at 10 international conferences and published in 11 scientific journals, including 56 indexed journals. In addition, he has contributed to the writing of 16 peer-reviewed books, textbooks, and manuals used in teaching at the Faculties of Medicine, Kinesiology, Dentistry, and Philosophy.

In April 2004, he was awarded first place at the congress of the American Society of Regional Anesthesia and Pain Medicine, 29th Annual Spring Meeting and Workshops, Orlando, Florida, USA, and second place in 2006 at the 31st Annual Regional Anesthesia Meeting and Workshops, Las Palmas, California, USA. He has participated as an active researcher in eight scientific research projects at both national and international levels.

In June 2004, he successfully completed a stereology course at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Ljubljana. In July 2005, he completed the prestigious IDFM “Train the Trainer Programme” in Heidelberg, focused on modern methods of teaching and knowledge assessment. He also attended a course on modern teaching and assessment methods at Jahorina in 2006. As a lecturer, he has participated in workshops on modern teaching and assessment methods organized by the Faculty of Medicine in Sarajevo, the Faculty of Medicine in East Sarajevo, and the Faculty of Dentistry in Sarajevo. He also attended the seminar “Quality Assurance through Accreditation” organized by the Faculty of Medicine. He successfully completed Levels III, IV, V, and VI of counselling related to higher education reform and the implementation of the Bologna principles at the University of Sarajevo. He participated in the organization of the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Congress of Morphologists of Bosnia and Herzegovina with International Participation.

From 2017 to 2021, he served as Vice-Dean for Teaching at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Sarajevo. Since May 2024, he has been serving as Head of the Department of Human Anatomy.

From April 1992 to December 1995, he was an active member of the Army of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina during the defensive-liberation war, serving in the 10th Mountain Brigade “115th Motorized Brigade” of the 1st Corps of the Army of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina. For demonstrated courage and commitment, he received written commendations from the command of the brigade and the 1st Corps.

According to Google Scholar, the number of citations of his published scientific papers is **1,197** as of 13 January 2026.