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**Dean of  the Faculty of Arts**

**(staffing, financial and organizational support of the Institute - finalization of the report on scientific activities, pedagogical activities, foreign relations, preparation of the evaluation of the Institute, report on the qualification growth)**

* Guarantor of the study field of Social Work at all levels (Bc, Mgr, PhD, H and I), Social Work and Ethics; Teaching of Social Work (Bc, Mgr, PhD) organization, staffing and committee chairmanship (admission interviews, state exams, habilitation and inaugural commissions) organizing and ensuring rigorous proceedings, organizing doctoral studies and conducting courses PhD. study preparation and organization of admission tests and state examinations.
* Director of the Center for Education and Research of Seniors
* Realization of activities within the Academy of the Third Age in Spišská Nová Ves
* Implementation of activities within the Children's University of Prešov
* Chairman of the Association of Educators in Slovakia
* Member of the Inventory Commission
* Member of the FA PU Senate
* The scientific guarantor of  Journal of sociotherapy
* Preparation of Journal of sociotherapy
* Chair of Editorial Board of Journal of sociotherapy

In pedagogical activities, she focuses on the field of individual work with the client, clinical social work, life situation assessment, family therapy and sociotherapy, with emphasis on counseling and supervision, mediation and probation, socio-psychological training. In scientific research, she addresses the issues of seniority, the meaning and quality of life, social capital, social support, counseling and sociotherapy. On the practical level, she is an active supervisor and a sociotherapist. She is a member of the Editorial Board of the journal: Social Work, Revue of Social Services, Sociotherapy, Yearbook of Lifelong and Competence Education Center, Social and Spiritual Revue, Charity, Philanthropy and Social Work, Edukacja Humanistyczna, Lubelski Rocznik Pedagogiczny.

**Education:**

1993 - completed Masters studies in the study field of Adult Education in Specialization Social Work at Faculty of Arts UPJŠ in Prešov,

2000 - completed a rigorous continuation of the study field of social work at Faculty of Arts UPJŠ in Prešov,

2004 - completed doctoral studies in the field of social andragogy at the Comenius University in Bratislava,

2008 - Habilitation in Social Work at the Faculty of Arts of Prešov University in Prešov

**Additional education:**

1995 - completed additional education at the Faculty of Arts in Prešov,

1997 - completed postgraduate study of ethics at the Methodological Center in Prešov,

2000 - completed a two-year management study at the Salzburg Pedagogical Institute in cooperation with the State Institute for Vocational Education in Bratislava,

1999 – Aconomics for Leaders program, F.A. Hayek Foundation (100 hours),

2000 – Certificate of attendance at the hotel management seminar I., Fondationpour la formation hôteliére awards (60 hours),

2001 – Certificate of attendance at the hotel management seminar II., Fondation pour la formation hôteliére awards (60 hours),

2003 - Certificate Improving the conditions of Roma self-realization in the education system implemented under the authority of the Ministry of Education of the Slovak Republic and the State Office of the SR (128 hours)

2005 - Supervision in Social Work, Center for Counseling, Training and Training Services and Association of Supervisors and Social Advisor (240 hours)

2007 - Star training based on Virginia Satire - Basic, Virginia Satire Institute (220 hours),

2007-2008 - basic training of Adler psychotherapy (80 hours), Alfred Adler Institute in Bratislava,

2007-2008 - basic training of Relaxation-symbolic therapy (100 hours), Institute for training in relaxation-symbolic psychotherapy, Košice,

July 2007 - 2010 Summer School of Adler Psychotherapy (together 120 hours)