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EDUCATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>2012</b> PhD in Nanoelectronics and Photonics, Faculty of Electrical Engineering, University of Belgrade <b>Thesis:</b> Modeling of graded photonic and plasmonic crystals in metamaterial regime Thesis advisors: dr Jelena Radovanović and dr Radoš Gajić</li><li>• <b>2005</b> Dipl. Ing. in Electrical Engineering, Faculty of Technical Sciences, University of Novi Sad Section: Microcomputer electronics, GPA 9.62 (out of 10) <b>Thesis:</b> Analysis of nano-CMOS components</li><li>• <b>2000</b> High School (Gymnasium), Svilajnac, Serbia</li></ul>	
PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>(2019-present)</b> Research Associate Professor</li><li>• <b>(2013-2019)</b> Research Assistant Professor</li><li>• <b>(2010-2013)</b> Research Associate</li></ul>	
RESEARCH INTERESTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• materials and surface science:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- two-dimensional materials, thin films of functional metal-oxides, semiconductor naocrystals, nanoparticles, cells and biomembranes</li><li>- imaging, characterization and manipulation at nanoscale using scanning probe microscopy (SPM) based techniques</li></ul></li><li>• photonics:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- metamaterials and metasurfaces, plasmonic structures</li><li>- tunable structures, switches and modulators</li><li>- refractive index sensors</li></ul></li></ul>	
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• SPM system NTEGRA from NT-MDT (Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM), Kelvin Probe Force Microscopy (KPFM), Electric Force Microscopy (EFM), Conductive AFM (C-AFM), photo-assisted KPFM, photoconductive AFM (PC-AFM), Piezoresponse Force Microscopy (PFM), Friction Force Microscopy (FFM), Force Modulation Microscopy (FMM), AFM based lithography, AFM based nanomanipulation)</li></ul>	

- RETICOLO, the electromagnetic solver based on the rigorous coupled wave analysis
  - COMSOL Multiphysics, the electromagnetic solver based on the finite element method
- EMPLOYMENT**
- **(2007-present)** Employed at the Center for Solid State Physics and New Materials of the Institute of Physics Belgrade, Serbia
  - **(2013)** Postdoctoral studies at Johannes Kepler University, Linz, Austria, at the Nanophotonics group of professor Thomas Klar
- NATIONAL PROJECTS**
- **(2020-present)** "Nanometer thin photovoltaics based on plasmonically enhanced van der Waals heterostructures" (PV-Waals), Science Fund of the Republic of Serbia, PROMIS project (participation)
  - **(2020-present)** "Strain Effects in Iron Chalcogenide Superconductors" (StrainedFeSC), Science Fund of the Republic of Serbia, PROMIS project (participation)
  - **(2011-2019)** Nanostructured multifunctional materials and nanocomposites, Serbian Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development, National research project III45018 (participation)
  - **(2011-2019)** "Ordered Nano-Structures and New Materials in Photonics", Serbian Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development, National research project OI171005 (participation)
- EUROPEAN PROJECTS**
- **(2009-2012)** FP7 project of the European Commission "NIM\_NIL: Negative index materials by nanoimprint lithography" (participation)
  - **(2007-2010)** FP7 project of the European Commission "NanoCharm: Multifunctional Nanomaterials Characterization Exploiting EllipsoMetry and Polarimetry" (participation)
- BILATERAL PROJECTS**
- **(2018-2019)** Bilateral project between the Republic of Serbia and the Republic of Austria: "Nanoscale electrical properties of van der Waals heterostructures composed of two-dimensional materials and organic semiconductors" (project leader from Serbian side)
  - **(2016-2017)** Bilateral project between the Republic of Serbia and the Republic of Austria: "Two-dimensional materials as templates for the growth of organic semiconductors" (project leader from Serbian side)
  - **(2015-2016)** Bilateral project between the Republic of Serbia and the Republic of Germany: "Femtosecond Surface Plasmon DYnamics at the NANOScale" (participation)

- **(2014-2015)** Bilateral project between the Republic of Serbia and the Republic of Italy: "LC-NANOPLASM" (participation)
  - **(2012-2013)** Bilateral project between the Republic of Serbia and the Kingdom of Spain: "Infrared spectroscopy of nanostructured graphene" (participation)
- COST ACTIONS
- **(2014-2018)** Understanding and Controlling Nano and Mesoscale Friction (COST action MP1303)
- COLLABORATION WITH OTHER INSTITUTIONS
- SPM group of Professor Christian Teichert at the Institute of Physics, Montanuniversität Leoben, Leoben, Austria
  - dr Dimitrios C. Zografopoulos at CNR - IMM - Institute for Microelectronics and Microsystems - Rome, Italy
  - Professor Alberto Pomar at Institut de Ciència de Materials de Barcelona, ICMAB-CSIC, Barcelona, Spain
- AWARDS
- 12-month ITO scholarship by the Joint Japan-Serbia Center for the Promotion of Science and Technology of the University of Belgrade (2020/2021)
  - Award of the foundation "Pokreni se za nauku" in 2018 for achieved scientific results in previous work
  - Award of the foundation "Djoka Vlajković" in 2018 for the best scientific paper of young researchers in technical and technological sciences
  - Student award 2013 of the Institute of Physics in Belgrade for the best PhD thesis
- REFEREE SERVICE
- Nanoscale, Nanotechnology, Carbon, ACS Applied Materials Interfaces, Journal of Materials Chemistry C, IEEE Transactions on Nanotechnology, Applied Physics Letters, Optics Express, Optics Letters, Journal of Optical Society of America B, Applied Optics, Journal of Modern Optics, Photonics Journal IEEE, Chinese Optics Letters
- LANGUAGES
- Serbian - mother tongue
  - English
- CITATIONS
- Google Scholar, December 2020: 61 articles in international peer-reviewed journals, 1269 citations, h-index=18

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4. I. R. Milošević, **B. Vasić**, A. Matković, J. Vujin, S. Aškrabić, M. Kratzer, T. Griesser, C. Teichert and R. Gajić, Single-step fabrication and work function engineering of Langmuir-Blodgett assembled few-layer graphene films with Li and Au salts, *Sci. Rep.* **10**, 8476 (2020).
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## 2009

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