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***EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND:***

University of Tuzla *Ph.D. in Economics*

Faculty of Economics *Degree completion: Feb. 26, 2010*

Lindenwood University *Master of Business Administration (MBA)*

St. Charles, Missouri *Emphasis: International Business,*

USA September 2002 - *September 2003*

*Postgraduate Degree completion: Sept. 30, 2003*

*Bachelor of Arts*

*Business Administration/Sports Management August 1996 - May 2000*

*Undergraduate Degree completion: May 20, 2000*

***PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:***

# Consultant / Senior Economic Policy Advisor, April 2023 - present

Office of the Prime Minister of FBiH

Contracted by United Nations Development Program, (October 2018 - March 2022 contracted by the UK Embassy)

## Scope of work in both private and public sector:

* Advising on all macroeconomic and fiscal related issues, including Economic Council of FBiH
* A lead on the design and implementation of fiscal and economic priorities with a particular focus on Covid-19 recovery related measures

- Providing accurate advice to on all the strategic economic measures with objective of achieving and maintaining sustainable and accelerated economic growth to the Prime Minister of FBiH

- Taking a lead on process of designing Policy Papers in area of fiscal and macroeconomic policy as well as lead on the design and implementation of new Socio-economic reform package

- Various engagements with international financial institutions on Economic Reform Package and the inclusion of 14 key priorities in the Government programs

- Close cooperation with Employer’s Association of FBiH as to coordinate all economy related activities

- Design of the laws and bylaws aimed at improving business environment as to stimulate economic growth

- Close cooperation with Representative Trade Unions (all industry sectors) as to facilitate dialogue and activities within Economic-Social Council of FBiH

- Close working relationship with the authorities of Republic of Srpska and Council of Ministers as to align and harmonize economic measures and activities

* **Consultant to the Management Board**

Union Bank, Sarajevo *October 2019 – Present*

***Scope of work:***

* + Advising on future engagement and business and credit expansion
  + Holding mandatory courses and education for the Management members and staff
  + Assisting in collaboration with different financial institutions
* **Assistant/Associate Professor** (EU Analysis/Economic Policy, International Economy, Labor Economics, Public Finance, Public Sector Economics)

Faculty of Economics, Sarajevo School of

Science and Technology *October 2009 – Present*

## Scope of work:

* Teaching classes and taking an active role in education process
* Student-teacher consultations
* Conduction of exams and grading
* Mentoring master and doctoral candidates
* Organization and implementation of educational – research work
* Taking a part in the work of various University Committees
* Taking a lead on various Projects

# Operations Officer

World Bank Office, Sarajevo *July 2017 – October 2018*

## Scope of work:

* + Overseeing entire portfolio of projects
  + Analyzing and following all macroeconomic issues
  + Constant discussions and consultations with the Client
  + Co-lead on different projects
  + Assisting teams with their missions

# Adviser for Public Finance, Cooperation with International Financial Institutions and EU Integration Process

Cabinet of the Prime Minister of Federation of B&H *April 2015 – June 2017*

## Scope of work:

* Analyzing and providing advice on all macroeconomic related issues
* Dealing with various issues involving economic policy formulation and implementation
* Lead-role on the design and implementation of the “Reform Agenda for BiH for the period 2015- 2018”
* Leading role on the budget as well as other fiscal policy related issues
* Taking an active role on economy related strategies and their implementation on entity as well as the state level
* Leading teams in negotiations with various international organizations (mainly, financial institutions such as IMF, WB Group)
* Delegate, on behalf of FBiH, at the Annual and Spring Meetings of the IMF and World Bank Group
* Supervising and overseeing work of government economic departments
* Advising Prime Minister on all issues related to economics and public policy
* Member of EU Coordination Mechanism
* Heading different intergovernmental teams when dealing with broad range of issues related to economy and public policy
* Constant contact and cooperation with finance experts from international community and foreign counterparts

# Economic Policy Adviser

Cabinet of the Prime and Deputy Prime Minister

of the Federation of B&H *April 2011 – March 2015*

## Scope of work:

* Same as for the above position (Advisor to the Prime Minister of FBiH for Public Finance, Cooperation with International Institutions and EU Integration Process)

# Member of the Expert Body

**of the Fiscal Council of B&H** *April 2011 – Present*

## Scope of work:

* Analyzing macroeconomic environment in B&H
* Active role in the design and approval of the midterm Global Fiscal Framework for Bosnia and Herzegovina
* Working on the Document of consolidated budgets across B&H
* Analyzing consolidated revenues and expenditures on all government levels in B&H
* Making midterm macroeconomic projections
* Negotiate the distribution of revenues from Indirect Taxation Authority
* Design and implement fiscal policies within the B&H
* Negotiate arrangements with international financial institutions

# Economic Policy Adviser

Vice-President Office, Federation of B&H *January 2008 – April 2011*

## Scope of work:

* Dealing with various issues involving economic policy formulation and implementation
* Analysis and advice on all macroeconomic related issues
* Leading role on budget drafts of various government levels

Taking an active role on economy related strategies and their implementation on entity as well as the state level

* Close cooperation with international financial institutions
* **Higher Teaching Assistant** (courses: Political Economy, Survey of Economics, Finance and Financial Law, Business Administration and Protocol)

Faculty of Law, University of Tuzla Muhameda Hevaija Uskufija 7

Tuzla *March, 2006 – January 2008*

* **Senior Subcontracts Administrator** Procurement Department, Kellogg, Brown & Root Services, LOGCAP III

Kabul, Afghanistan *March, 2004 – July 2005*

## Scope of work:

* + Negotiating and structuring contracts and purchase orders with clients worldwide
  + Working on projects of the highest significance to the Client
  + Conducting seminars and educating new employees
  + Signature authority
  + Highest security clearance

# Asst. Director of International Relations

Lindenwood University *September 2002 – September 2003*

***PUBLISHED ARTICLES:***

1. Mirascic G. (2005), *„Regionalism as an Allie, or a Threat to Multilateralism*“, Magazine: Transition, No. 15, University of Tuzla
2. Mirascic G. (2005), *„Globalization Phenomenon Than and Now“*, Journal, University of Tuzla
3. Mirascic G. (2005), *„Corelation between Globalization, Regionalism and the example of European Integration“,* Economic Review, No. 5-6, may/november, University of Tuzla
4. Mirascic G. (2006), *„Globalization from Aspect of Political Economy“*, Magazine: Transition, No. 16, University of Tuzla
5. Mirascic G. (2009), *„Potential Risks of Globalization in Countries Lacking Institutional Capacity and International Monetary Fund“*, Proceedings from the Scientific Conference, Faculty of Economics, University of Tuzla
6. Mirascic G. (2010), *„Anti-Crisis Measures of International Monetary Fund for Bosnia and Herzegovina“*, Proceedings from the International Conference „State of the economy and

economic policy measures in 2010“, Faculty of Business Economics, University of „Vitez“ Travnik

1. Mirascic G. & Sarajlic-Maglic D. (2010), *„The Effects of the Greek Crisis on Bosnia and Herzegovina“,* Südosteuropa, 58. Jahrgang, Heft 4
2. Mirascic G. (2011), *„Current Economic Situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina“,* Journal of International & Global Studies, Volume 3, Number 1, Lindenwood University, St. Charles, MO, USA
3. Djapo E. & Mirascic G. (2011), *„Japanese Industrila Policy: Lessons for Bosnia and Herzegovina“*, 9th International Conference on the Economy and Management, International University of Sarajevo
4. Carsimamovic N. & Mirascic G. (2012), *„The Impact of the International Crisis and the Key Challenges for the Economy of Bosnia and Herzegovina“*, Centre for Policy and Governance, Sarajevo
5. Mirascic G. & Selimovic J. (2012), „*Fiscal sustainability as a precondition for macroeconomic stability with special reference to Bosnia and Herzegovina*“, 6th International Conference of the School of Economics and Business, *Beyond the Economic Crisis: Lessons Learned and Challenges Ahead*, University of Sarajevo
6. Mirascic G. & Abaspahic H. (2014), „*Tax policy as a factor of stimulating economic development*“, Proceedings from the II International Conference – Bosnia and Herzegovina and Euroatlantic Integrations: *Current Challenges and Prospects*, year 2 / No. 2, University of Bihac and Centre for Social Research of International Burch University
7. Mirascic G., Umihanic B. & Kurtic A. (2016), „*Perspectives of SMEs in the context of the Reform Agenda for B&H for the period 2015 – 2018”,* Speaker*,* IV International Symposium, Fojnica, B&H, April 2016
8. Mirascic G. (2017), *„Bosnia and Herzegovina: Reform Agenda and the Effects of its Early Implementation Phase“,* Vision 2020: Bosnia and Herzegovina – Towards Its European Future, The Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies – Johns Hopkins University
9. Domljan D., Mirascic G., Ridjic G. & Ridjic O. (2017), *„From Defective to Effective Development Policy“* Acta Economica No. 27, Faculty of Economics, University of Banja Luka
10. Mirascic G. (2019), *„How to accelerate economic growth in (F)BiH?“,* 7th International Symposium – Modern Challenges of Corporate Governance, FINconsult Tuzla
11. Mahmutefendic T. & Mirascic G. (2020), „*Intermediate Macroeconomics Revision Book*“, Primaprom, Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina
12. Mahmutefendic T. & Mirascic G. (2021), „*Labor Economics Revision Book*“, Primaprom, Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina
13. Mahmutefendic T. & Mirascic G. (2021), „*Economics of the Public Sector Revision Book*“, Primaprom, Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina
14. Domljan, V. & Mirascic, G. (2021), „*Employment – Source of Growth*“, *The Necessity of Untying the Prometheus,* Federal Institute for Development Programming, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina
15. Mirascic, G. (2021), „*Initiate Structural Reforms*“, *The Necessity of Untying the Prometheus,*

Federal Institute for Development Programming, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina

1. Mirascic, G. (2021), „*Implement Tax Reforms*“, *The Necessity of Untying the Prometheus,* Federal Institute for Development Programming, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina
2. Mirascic, G. (2021), „*Implement Fiscal Consolidation*“, *The Necessity of Untying the Prometheus,*

Federal Institute for Development Programming, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina

1. Mirascic, G. (2021), „*Analysis of Government of Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina measures in the fight against the negative economic consequences of the pandemic*“, Tax Advisor – Monthly professional journal, No. 11, November/December, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina
2. Mirascic, G. (2022), *“(Un)success of Trump’s Economic Policy”*, Journal of the Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, No. 1, March, University of Tuzla, Bosnia and Herzegovina
3. Mirascic, G. (2023), *“Strengthening the Resilience of the Economy of F(BiH)”*, XX International Economics Forum – CORPORATE GOVERNANCE – ESG CONCEPT, Dubrovnik, Croatia