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**EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

<b>Independent Consultant</b>	<b>2015–</b>
<b>Diplomatic Advisor to the President of Albania</b>	<b>July 2012 - Nov. 2014</b>
<b>Head of the Department for Policies and International Projects</b> Ministry of Education of Albania	<b>2011 - 2012</b>
<b>Advisor to the Minister of Education</b>	<b>2011</b>
<b>Consultant – Institutional Conflicts Resolution</b> European Union Project: Conservation, Revitalization and Promotion of Cultural Heritage in the Cities of Gjirokaster and Berat.	<b>2011-2012</b>
<b>Ambassador of Albania to Canada</b>	<b>2006-2011</b>
<b>Permanent Représentative of the Republic of Albania</b> International Civil Aviation Organisation, Montréal, Canada	<b>2009-2011</b>
<b>General manager</b> The Albanian Institute for Studies and Education on Information Technology	<b>2004-2006</b>
<b>Executive secretary</b> Albanian Atlantic Association	<b>2002-2004</b>
<b>English Language Instructor</b> Harry T. Fultz Community College, Tirana, Albania	<b>2000-2004</b>
<b>Teacher of Physics</b> Turgut Ozal College, Tirana, Albania	<b>1999-2001</b>
<b>Coordinator of Interpreters</b> Operation Sustain Hope, NATO and US Military, Rinas Airport Base, Tirana Albania.	<b>1999</b>
<b>Advisor</b> UNDP Project on Education of Albanian children from Kosovo	<b>1998-1999</b>
<b>Head - Albanian Diplomatic Mission in Belgrade</b>	<b>1995-1997</b>
<b>Researcher –Laser Applications</b> Institute of Nuclear Physics	<b>1986-1993</b>

Academy of Sciences, Tirana, Albania

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT  
MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS**

**Co-Founder and Vice President** **2010-present**  
Canada-Albania Business Council, Toronto, Canada

**Close Co-Operation** **Ongoing**  
Global Organization of Parliamentarians Against Corruption  
B’Nai Brith Canada  
Canadian Society for Yad Vashem. The Atlantic Council of Canada.

**Board Member** **2012-2013**  
Administrative Council of Vlore University, Albania

**Co-Founder of the Albania-Canada Friendship Group** **2008**  
Parliament of Canada

**EDUCATION**

**Master Degree in Physics** **1981-1986**  
University of Tirana, Albania

Fluent in English, Albanian, Italian. Speaks French.