

Academic Curriculum Vitae

Personal data

Name and surname: **Amina Hadžibegić Biccato**
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Citizenship: Bosnia and Herzegovina, Republic of Italy
Date of birth: January 11, 1969, Sarajevo
Sex: female
Current working post/position/function: Associate professor of English language at the Faculty of Public Administration

Working experience

Date: since Sep 2006:
Faculty of Public Administration,
Faculty of Natural Sciences and Mathematics,
Faculty of Criminalistics, Criminology and Security Studies,
Faculty of Law,
Faculty of Pharmacy (UNSA) – associate since Sep 2015

Working post/vocation/
professional title: PhD – Associate Professor of English language
Main duties and
responsibilities: Lecturer and examiner at mentioned modules, Vice Dean for
Student Education and Student Mobility
Name of employer: Faculty of Public Administration in Sarajevo
Type of employer's business: Higher education

Date: Sep 2007 – Sep 2009

Working post/vocation/
professional title: Master of Arts in Linguistics
Main duties and
responsibilities: Lecturer of English III and IV
Name of employer: Faculty of Law in Sarajevo
Type of employer's business: Higher education

Date: Feb 2007 – Sep 2007

Working post/vocation/
professional title: Master of Arts in Linguistics
Main duties and
responsibilities: Lecturer of English Language
Name of employer: "Philip Noel- Baker" International University
Type of employer's business: Higher education

Date: Sep 2000 – Sep 2001

Working post/vocation/
professional title: Teacher of English language
Main duties and
responsibilities: Teaching and organizing UN school model
Name of employer: First Gymnasium in Sarajevo
Type of employer's business: High school education

Date: Apr 1995 Apr 1999

Working post/vocation/
professional title: Senior Assistant and Interpreter
Main duties and
responsibilities: Administrative duties, translation and interpretation
Name of employer: IMG (International Management Group)
Type of employer's business: Supervision of implementation of EC projects

Date: Dec 1992 – Apr 1995

Working post/vocation/
professional title: Senior interpreter/personal assistant
Main duties and
responsibilities: interpretation and translation
Name of employer: UNPROFOR HQ SARAJEVO and IMG
Type of employer's business: Monitoring of Interpreters' Pool
Voluntary work in the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina (May
1992 – Dec 1992) as an interpreter and a radio announcer/editor of
news in English language on BHTV

Education and professional specialization

Date: May 2010

Obtained professional
qualification: Doctor of linguistic sciences (PhD)

Scientific field,
obtained knowledge and
professional skills: Methodology of foreign language teaching: "Overview of modern
methods in English language teaching in elementary schools in B&H
and EU"

Name and type of organization: Džemal Bijedić University in Mostar, Faculty of Humanities

Date: June 2005

Obtained professional
qualification: Master of Arts in linguistics

Scientific field,
obtained knowledge

and professional skills: Methodology of foreign language teaching :”CALL method in a language classroom”

Name and type of organization: Faculty of Philosophy in Sarajevo

Date: Sep 1987 – June 1992

Obtained professional qualification: B.Sc.in English language and literature

Scientific field, obtained knowledge and professional skills: English language and Anglo-Saxon literature

Name and type of organization: Faculty of Philosophy in Sarajevo

Date: Sep 1983 – June 1987

Obtained vocational qualification: High school graduate, Librarian Program

Scientific field, obtained knowledge and professional skills: Librarianship, humanities

Name and type of organization: First Gymnasium in Sarajevo
Mount Desert Island High School in Maine, USA

Scientific research papers publish within formal education

Title of research paper: Post-methodical era or eclecticism in foreign language teaching
Institution publisher: PISMO scientific journal, Faculty of Philosophy in Sarajevo

Place and year: Sarajevo, May 2010
Summary: Overview of eclectic method and its comparison with other normative methods and approaches, with review of situation in schools of EU and convergence with CERF documents

Title of publication: Advantages of the CALL method at early ages
Author: Amina Hadžibegić Bicciano, PhD
Publisher, place and year: SOPHOS, ZINK SARAJEVO, 3/2010
Summary: Overview of implementation of the CALL method in preschool education and advantages of integration of knowledge obtained from informatics, foreign language and reading/listening skills offered by the mentioned method of education

Comments:

Title of publication: Linguistic policy of Europe – multilingualism

Author: Amina Hadžibegić Bicciato, PhD
Publisher, place and year: Faculty of Public Administration in Sarajevo, March 2011
Summary: Overview of multilingualism of EU states impelled by reformed curricula and bibliography, lasting from elementary school to higher education in the form of programs for exchange and mobility of students

Comment: UNTIL BEING ACADEMICALLY APPOINTED AT UNIVERSITY, TAUGHT MODULES OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, 31.03.2011

Published reviewed book: Usage of computers in foreign language teaching in preschool education. Dobra knjiga, Educere Library, ISBN 978-9958-27-111-3, COBISS BH-ID 20176998

Research papers on the Uprava Periodical, EBSCO, CEFOL, CEEOL and Research Bible Bazama. Titles:

1. Language of European educational scope
2. Usage of a language or a discourse as the demonstration of an ideology
3. Society and linguistic evolution
4. Cultural aspects of war in ethnolinguistics
5. Ethnolinguistics and philosophy on language and linguistic arguments in law

Research papers in "Didactic Guideposts" periodical:

1. Aims of English language classes as SL1 and recommended progression in elementary schools in EU, No. 64, Dec 2012, ISSN 15125998, UDK 37
2. English language and curriculum in elementary schools (linguistic progression in final grade of elementary school), No. 68, ISSN, 15125998, UDK 37

Projects and presentations

Title: "Bosnian War Anthology" and "A Bird from Another Flock"
Author: Amina Hadžibegić
Publisher: Sarajevo, 1995
Summary: Translation of the books titled "Bosnian War Anthology" and "A Bird from Another Flock" (Z. Topčić) from Bosnian to English language
Comment: Successfully presented master thesis of student Minela Kurtović titled "Linguistic policy of EU institutions and linguistic integration of B&H"

Participation in the "Mevlana" faculty exchange program, March 2014 at Ondokuz Mayıs University in Samsun, Turkey, and 8 lectures given in English language at the Faculty for Education, Philology Dept.

Participation in educational procedure

As a university lecturer: March 2011 – December 2015

As a assistant professo: since December 2015 – still on. Signatories of the appointment reference paper: Prof. Dr. Midhat Riđanović, professor emeritus of English language and linguistics at Faculty of Philosophy within Sarajevo University; Prof. Dr. Tanja Gradaček-Erdeljić, part-time professor of philology, Anglistic Dept. at University of J.J. Strossmayer in Osijek, Croatia and Prof. Dr. Adisa Imamović, part-time professor of philology, Modern English Language Dept., Faculty of Philosophy, Tuzla, on 02.12.2015. **UNSA (Sarajevo University) academic personnel appointment made on 23.12.2015.**

Miscellaneous: a lecturer 2006 – 2011

Mentorships over preparation of Master and PhD theses:

Master theses: student Minela Kurtović, title of the thesis: “Linguistic policy of EU institutions and linguistic integration of B&H”

Planned projects: Preparation of universal textbook of English language in public administration

Personal skills and competences:

Native language: **Bosnian**

Other languages:

Comprehension		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Speaking interaction	Speaking	

English language

excellent	excellent	excellent	excellent	
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French language

good	good	good	good	
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Italian language

very good	very good	very good	very good	
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Spanish language

satisfactory	satisfactory	satisfactory	satisfactory	
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Scientific, vocational and social competencies

Competency for participation in scientific-research projects

March 2014 – participation in exchange of the faculty in Turkey, Mevlana Exchange Program; Eight lectures given at the Faculty of Education within Ondokuz Mayıs University of Samsun, Turkey