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Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, Kraljice Natalije 45, Belgrade, Serbia

EDUCATION

- PhD in Psychology** October, 2023 - present
Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade
Mentor: prof. dr Ksenija Krstić
- M.A. in Research Psychology** October, 2022 - September, 2023
Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade
GPA: 10.00
Thesis: "Empathy, cognition and personality: Transversal study of cognitive-temperamental constituents of empathy through the prism of Piaget's conception of development"
Mentor: prof. dr Goran Knežević
- B.A. in Psychology** July, 2018 - September, 2022
Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade
GPA: 8.96
Key courses: Psychometrics, Developmental psychology, Personality psychology, Introduction to qualitative research, Psychopathology of youth, Psychological schools and routes
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EXPERIENCE

- Research Assistant** June, 2024 - present
Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory
• Member of EduLab and ActiveLab
- Substitute School Psychologist** May, 2024
Elementary School "King Aleksandar I"
- Substitute Teacher of Psychology** February 2024 - March, 2024
Third Belgrade Grammar School
- Research Analyst** June, 2023 - February, 2024
Institute for Education Quality and Evaluation
• Worked on various international projects in education (ICCS, PIRLS, TALIS)
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OTHER RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

- Project Assistant** November, 2022 - July, 2023
Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade
• Improved REPOPSI (Repository of Psychology Instruments in Serbian Language) by adding the psychological instruments from relevant doctoral theses
- Student Researcher** October, 2020 - present
Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade
• Member of Laboratory of Developmental Psychology and Laboratory for Research of Individual Differences
- Student Mentor** October, 2020 - present
Department of Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade
• Mentor at courses of Psychometrics 1 and 2 and Psychology of Individual Differences
- Freelance Research Consultant** October, 2020 - present

SKILLS

Statistical software:

IBM SPSS
R
Microsoft Excel

Data analysis:

Data visualisation
Problem solving
Attention to detail

Collaboration:

Teamwork
Communication
Presentation skills

Research:

Methodology
Critical thinking
Data interpretation

MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

President

Psychology Students' Association "Stimulus"

October, 2021 - October, 2022

Activities Team Member

Psychology Students' Association "Stimulus"

October, 2020 - October, 2021

Journal of European Psychology Students' Editor

European Federation of Psychology Students' Associations

April, 2022 - November, 2022

Data Analysis Responsible

European Federation of Psychology Students' Associations

May, 2022 - April, 2022

OTHER INFORMATION

Languages:

- Serbian (native)
- English (highly proficient)
- German (beginner)

Informal education:

- Forensic psychology intern
 - Ministry of the Interior
 - Quantitative Research Intern
 - Smart Plus Research Agency
 - Trainee in Constructivist Psychotherapy
 - PLK Centre, Belgrade
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PUBLICATIONS

- Milovanović, A. (2023). *Empathy, cognition and personality: Transversal study of cognitive-temperamental constituents of empathy through the prism of Piaget's conception of development* [Master's thesis, University of Belgrade].
- Karalić, E., Čaprić, G., Randelović, B., & Milovanović, A. (2023). *Kvalitet nastave čitalačke pismenosti i postignuća učenika: PIRLS 2021* [Oral Presentation]. *Pedagoška istraživanja i školska praksa*. PIRLS 2021: Rezultati i implikacije, Belgrade, Serbia, p. 33. <https://www.ipisr.org.rs/images/pdf/naucni-skupovi/Zbornik%20rezime%20PIRLS%202021.pdf>
- Milovanović, A., Filipović, A., Đukić, A., Nedeljković, B., Lazarević, Lj. B., Kušić, M., Knežević, G. (2023). *Is Auto-chauvinism a measurable psychological construct?* [Oral Presentation]. XXIX scientific conference Empirical studies in psychology, Belgrade, Serbia. p. 60-61. http://empirijskaistraganja.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/EIP2023_book_of_abstracts.pdf
- Filipović, A., Milovanović, A., Đukić, A., Nedeljković, B., Lazarević, Lj. B., Kušić, M., Knežević, G. (2023). *There is no one worse than us: The construct validity of the Ingroup criticism scale*. [Oral Presentation]. XXIX scientific conference Empirical studies in psychology, Belgrade, Serbia. p. 61-62. http://empirijskaistraganja.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/EIP2023_book_of_abstracts.pdf
- Milovanović, A., & Pešić, A. (2023). *In search of explanation of violent behavior: A mediating model of personality traits, empathy and bullying*. [Oral Presentation]. XXIX scientific conference Empirical studies in psychology, Belgrade, Serbia. p. 73. http://empirijskaistraganja.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/EIP2023_book_of_abstracts.pdf

- Milovanović, A., Bjelogrić, A., Jovičić, A., & Andiev, L. (2022). *SHAALA-22: Construction, psychometric characteristics and validation of questionnaire for academic self-handicapping*. [Oral Presentation] Proceedings of the 5th Days of Educational Sciences, p. 92.
https://wwwadmin.idi.hr/uploads/Knjiga_sazetaka_DOZ_2022_81b794aecc.pdf
 - Milovanović, A., Bjelogrić, A., Jovičić, A., Andiev, L., & Bjelović, J. (2022). *SHAALA-22: Construction, psychometric characteristics and validation of questionnaire for academic self-handicapping*. [Oral Presentation]. XXVIII scientific conference Empirical studies in psychology, Belgrade, Serbia, p. 65.
http://empirijskaistrazivanja.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/KNJIGA-REZIMEA-2022_FIN-sa-isbn_bez_linija-1.pdf
 - Milovanović, A., Jovičić, A., & Nikolić, M. (2022). *Psychometric properties of the Serbian version of Workplace arrogance scale (WARS) in the sample of members' of students' organizations*. [Oral Presentation]. XXVIII scientific conference Empirical studies in psychology, Belgrade, Serbia, p. 92.
http://empirijskaistrazivanja.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/KNJIGA-REZIMEA-2022_FIN-sa-isbn_bez_linija-1.pdf
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GIVEN LECTURES AND WORKSHOPS

- **Psychology in transition: Critical interpretation of emotions** Per aspera ad animam - Students' Conference Stimuluskup, Belgrade, 29-31 March, 2024.
- **Challenges in parenting early childhood development across cultures** Panel discussion. International Education Centre, Niš, February 9, 2024.
- **Empathy and emotional intelligence: A conceptual prolegomena or what's what?** Psihologija tamo gde je (ne) očekuješ - Students' Conference Stimuluskup, Belgrade, 17-19 March, 2023.
- **Basics of using the SOSCI platform** Workshop at Laboratory for Developmental Psychology, 2022.
- **GDPR compliance and how to create good surveys** Workshop at EFPSA, 2022.
- **Are there limits to human progress: Can intelligence change?** Čovek u fokusu istraživanja - Students' conference Stimuluskup, Belgrade, 15-16 May, 2021.