



European Association of Tissue Banks

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Branka has had 26 years of medical and executive experience in blood transfusion, hematopoietic stem cells collection, processing and storage, including running a cord blood bank. For the last few years she has also been responsible for cardiovascular and eye bank.

She received her MD and PhD from School of Medicine, University of Zagreb, Croatia, and has specialty training in Transfusion Medicine. Currently, she works for University Hospital Centre Zagreb as Head of Department of Transfusion Medicine and Transplantation Biology. She is a member of several European and international organizations in the field of blood transfusion and tissue banking.

At a national level, as an expert of Croatian Ministry of Health, she served as member of National Board for Transfusion Medicine, National Board for Tissue and Cells and president of Board for Postgraduate Education in Transfusion Medicine. She is vice president of Croatian Society for Hematology and Transfusion Medicine and Croatian Society for Bloodless Medicine.

At a European level she was a member of Croatian negotiation team in the process of joining the European Union for Chapter 28: Consumer and Health Protection; as an expert for tissue and cells. As a collaborator she participates in projects co-funded by the European Union Public Health Program: Vigilance and Surveillance of Substances of Human Origin (SOHO V&S), Assisted Reproductive Technologies and Hematopoietic stem cells Improvements for Quality and Safety throughout Europe (ARTHIQS) and Good practices in the field of blood transfusion (EU-Patient Blood Management Project EU-PBM). She is also a Croatian delegate to the EDQM European Committee on Organ Transplantation.

She has published about 35 articles in indexed journals, and she is an author or co-author of more than 30 chapters in books.

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