

BIOGRAPHY

Milena Jaksic was born on 25th September 1970 in Bajina Basta. She completed elementary and secondary school in Bajina Basta. She enrolled into the Faculty of Economics, University of Kragujevac during 1989/90 schoolyear and graduated in 1993. During 1993/94 she enrolled into the postgraduate studies, the streamline *The Theory and Policy of the Economic Growth*. In April 2006 she passed the exams as determined by the curriculum with the average 9,13 (nine and 13/100). She defended her Master thesis *The non-deversification of the financial instruments and institutions-the limiting factor of efficiency of the capital market* on 13th March 1999 at the Faculty of Economics, University of Kragujevac. She attended *The London School of Economics* as part of her master research and writing her master thesis. She defended her doctoral thesis *The Comparative analysis of the developed capital markets* on 12th February 2005 at the Faculty of Economics, University of Kragujevac. In order to do her doctoral thesis in high standard, she attended *The Business School of Economics* in Amsterdam.

During her academic career she participated on two projects financed by the Ministry of Science, Education and Technological development of the Republic of Serbia. The project (1476) of basic research ``The Development of the Corporate Management in the Transition Conditions`` within the cycle of research 2002-2004, the leader of the project being the Faculty of Economics, University of Kragujevac. During the scientific research cycle 2011-2018 she participated in the realization of the sub-project ``The Management and marketing of research as the support of the realization of interdisciplinary projects`` within the interdisciplinary project *The Pre-Clinic research of the bioactive substances* (no. 41010) of the Ministry of Science, Education and Technological development of the Republic of Serbia in the period 2011-2018.

She is the Head of the Department of Finance, Financial Institutions and Insurance. She is also a member of the committee for the provision of quality of the scientific-educational process and the scientific-research work at the Faculty of Economics in Kragujevac. She is also a Vice-dean for Academic affairs. She is a member of the editorial board of the journal *Economic horizons* (Ekonomski horizonti), issued by the Faculty of Economics, University of Kragujevac.

The basic areas of the scientific interest are the financial system, the financial markets, the financial institutions, the measurement of the financial institutions performances, risk management in the financial institutions.