



CURRICULUM VITAE (CV)

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Education:

1996	Professor of Medical Sciences. Vilnius University, Lithuania
1993	Habilitated Doctor of Medicine. Vilnius University, Lithuania
1989 - 1991	Fellowship in Cardiovascular Surgery. Clinic for Thoracic & Cardiovascular Surgery, Bern University, Switzerland
1987	Doctor of Medicine (MD). Vilnius University, Lithuania
1977 – 1983	Student. Kaunas Medical Institute & Medical Faculty of Vilnius University, Lithuania
1976 -1977	Student. Faculty of Mathematics and Mechanics. Vilnius University, Lithuania

Language skills:

LANGUAGE	READING	SPEAKING	WRITING
LITHUANIAN	Mother tongue		
ENGLISH	C2	C2	C1
RUSSIAN	C2	C2	C2
GERMAN	B2	B1	B1

Employment:

Period	Employing organization and your title/position	Country	Summary of activities performed
2026-present	Short-term expert. THE UKRAINE2EU PROGRAMME: SUPPORTING UKRAINE ON ITS PATH TO EU MEMBERSHIP. CPVA, Vilnius, Lithuania	Lithuania /Ukraine	Expertise in documents of the health sector concerning Ukraine's path to EU
2022-present	Expert. Public Health Program EU4HEALTH. HADEA - the Executive Agency of the European Commission, Belgium	Belgium / Lithuania	Assessment of 21 international health projects for public health matters
2020-2026	Expert. EXPAMED by EMA - the Agency of the European Commission, Netherlands	Netherlands / Lithuania	Assessment of scientific data of medical devices before entering the EU market
2025	Presentation "Relevance of improvement of patient safety in healthcare" (remote) at the International Conference „Effective Healthcare: Collaboration among physician and nurse for patient-2025“, Almaty, 15-16 October 2025	Lithuania /Kazakhstan	Actuality of patient safety issues in the world and their improvement in Europe
2023-2024	Project Leader and main expert. Project "Assurance of patients' rights by strengthening the Ombudsman's Office of Moldova". CPVA, Vilnius, Lithuania	Moldova/ Lithuania	Analysis of the situation and elaboration of recommendations for assurance of patients' right to get compensation for the damage to their health during healthcare procedures (the Booklet is prepared in Romanian language)
2023	The main expert.	Moldova/ Lithuania	Analysis of the situation and elaboration of recommendations

	Project “Facilitating civic participation in decision-making process for health matters”. PAS, Chisinau, Moldova		for improvement of the compulsory health insurance system in Moldova
2023	Presentation “Models for modernization of the Compulsory Health Insurance System in Kazakhstan” (remote) at the International Congress “GLOBAL HEALTH”. Almaty-Astana, 01.12.2023	Lithuania /Kazakhstan	Analysis of improvement of Compulsory Health Insurance System in Kazakhstan
2023	The main expert. Project “Facilitating civic participation in the decision-making process for health matters”. PAS, Chisinau, Moldova	Moldova/ Lithuania	Analysis of the situation and elaboration of recommendations for the strategy and planning of human and financial resources in the sector of healthcare and consumer protection for the accession process to the EU
2022	The main expert. Project “Participatory democracy for Rights and Equity in Health”. PAS, Chisinau, Moldova	Moldova/ Lithuania	Analysis of malpractice systems in the world and elaboration of recommendations for their implementation in Moldova
2021	The main expert. Project “New policy for the implementation of integrated methodology for improvement of diagnosis and treatment of patients with acute myocardial infarction”. Age Quod Agis LLC, Chisinau, Moldova	Moldova/ Lithuania	Elaboration of practical recommendations to Moldova under the experience of Lithuania (2014-2019) by using the integrated methodology for improvement of diagnosis and treatment of patients with acute myocardial infarction
2021	The main expert. Project “New policy for implementation of integrated methodology for improvement of diagnosis and treatment of patients with acute ischaemic stroke”. Age Quod Agis LLC, Chisinau, Moldova	Moldova/ Lithuania	Elaboration of practical recommendations to Moldova under the experience of Lithuania (2014-2019) by using the integrated methodology for improvement of diagnosis and treatment of patients with acute ischaemic stroke
2021	The main expert. Technical Monitoring Review of the Loan to Lithuania for	France / Lithuania	Analysis of main objectives and institutional arrangements, including legal settings, categories

	Covid-19 by the Council of Europe Development Bank. CEB, France		of eligible expenditures, criteria for allocating funds, and disbursement modalities, etc.
2020	The main expert. Project “Practical recommendations to improve primary health care for rural populations”. PAS, Chisinau, Moldova	Moldova	Elaboration of a new model for family doctors’ offices in rural areas of Moldova under the experience of CEE countries (the Booklet is prepared in English, Romanian, and Russian languages)
2019-2021	Expert. CHAFAE - the Executive Agency of the European Commission, Luxembourg	Luxembourg / Lithuania	Assessment of 5 international health projects for public health matters under the 3 rd Public Health Program of the EU
2018	EU High-Level Adviser on Health Reform to Moldova. B&S Europe, EU Delegation to Moldova. Chisinau, Moldova	Moldova	Provided advice to the Government of Moldova on Healthcare reform
2017	Vice-Rector for international relations. Kazakhstan Medical University “KSPH”. Almaty, Kazakhstan	Kazakhstan	Provided know-how for the improvement of international relations with other organizations, universities, and clinics
2015-2016	Adviser to the Director. Hospital of Mykolas Marcinkevicius. Vilnius, Lithuania	Lithuania	Participated in the elaboration, development, and implementation of the hospital's strategic plan. Consulting on implementing a new remuneration model for employees
2004-2017	Expert of T.A.I.E.X. The European Commission. Belgium	Ukraine/ Turkey/ Croatia	T.A.I.E.X. mission on medical devices to Kyiv, Ukraine (2015). T.A.I.E.X. mission on patient rights and safety to Ankara, Turkey (2015). T.A.I.E.X. mission on medical devices to Zagreb, Croatia (2004)
2006-2014	Director. State Healthcare Accreditation Agency under the Ministry of Healthcare of the Republic of Lithuania (VASPVT). Vilnius, Lithuania	Lithuania	Leadership in the implementation of Directive 2011/24/EU “Patients’ rights and cross-border health care” (VASPVT contact point in Lithuania). Leadership for the elaboration of the EC co-funded project “IT-register of licensed health care professionals and health care

			establishments” in Lithuania (2012-2014). Leadership for elaboration and implementation of the regulation and management system for high-cost medical devices in Lithuania (2010-2011). Led the development of the project “Accreditation of healthcare establishments in Lithuania” (2007-2012). Leadership for implementing an EC co-funded project for health technology assessment, “JA for HTA,” in Lithuania (2010-2012). Leadership in elaborating and implementing the national program “Patient safety platform in Lithuania 2010-2014”. Led implementation of the EC co-funded patient safety project “EUnetPaS” in Lithuania (2008-2010)
2001-2006	Deputy Director. State Healthcare Accreditation Agency under the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Lithuania (VASPVT). Vilnius, Lithuania	Lithuania	Leadership for elaboration and implementation of a new system of supervision of health laboratories in Lithuania (2005). Leadership for implementation of EC co-founded project for healthcare quality “ENQual” in Lithuania (2003-2004)
1996-2000	Member of the Seimas (Parliament) of the Republic of Lithuania. Vilnius, Lithuania	Lithuania	Member of the Budget and Finance Committee (1998-2000). Member of the Healthcare Committee (1996-1998)
1996-1998	Minister of Healthcare. The 8th Government of the Republic of Lithuania. Vilnius, Lithuania	Lithuania	The Compulsory health insurance system in Lithuania (Reform) was finally elaborated and implemented in 1997. Essential facts of the Reform were the following:

	Chairman of the Mandatory Health Insurance Council. Vilnius, Lithuania .	- Implementation of the following principles was assured: solidarity, equity, mandatory, money follows the patient. -The Compulsory health insurance budget was separated from the State budget, and a new National Financial State Fund (NFSF) was established. - A centralized system of financing by a single legal entity- the National Health Insurance Company (NHIC) and ten territorial branches have been established. - All healthcare organizations have been reorganized into non-profit establishments. - Reimbursement of expenditure on medications for ambulatory care and resort treatment has been taken from the State Social Fund and transferred to NFSF. - NHIC ensured the covering of the ordinary expenditure on out-patient and in-patient healthcare services under the contracts between NHIC and all healthcare legal entities (state and private). - The financing of primary health care services was performed at the basic price / per person. Secondary and tertiary outpatient services were financed / specialist consultation. - In-patient healthcare services were financed at the basic prices set according to the disease treatment profile group per day and the normative length of stay in the hospital (simple DRG system). Results of the Reform in a year (31.12.1998): -The salaries for medical staff increased by an average of 48%. - All state healthcare organizations have covered their debts. - No strikes.
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			- Assured sustainability of the whole healthcare system. - 70 small hospitals have been reorganized into nursing homes, and one of the strategic objectives of the Reform was achieved (1 nursing bed per 1000 inhabitants)
1995-1996	Director. Healthcare Department. Vilnius city Municipality	Lithuania	Responsible for governing 22 legal entities for healthcare in Vilnius city

Publications: More than 80 publications on healthcare governance, management, and cardiovascular surgery.

Lectures, master classes, seminars, assessment of books, University programs on the governance and management in the public health sector abroad: Almaty (2025, 2024, 2023, 2017, 2012, 2011), Astana (2023, 2016, 2014, 2011), Chisinau (2026, 2023, 2022, 2018), Ankara (2015), Kiev (2015), Riga (2014, 2013), Lisboa (2013), Berlin (2013, 2012), Hyderabad (2013), Madrid. (2010).

Appointed as representative of Lithuania at international Organizations:

ISQua (2009-2014).

INAHTA (2008-2014).

EUnetHTA (2009-2014).

WHO (health technology assessment and medical devices, 2010-2014).

Vilnius, 20.09.2026