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Education:

MD degree - Medical Academy in Cracow, 1978
specialist in general and oncological surgery
scientific degree - Professor of Medical Science, 2012

Professional activity:

2018 – now	Chair of IInd Department of General Surgery, Jagiellonian University, Medical College
1978 – 2018	Ist Department of General, Oncological and Gastrointestinal Surgery, Jagiellonian University Medical College
2017 – now	Regional Consultamt in General Surgery of Malopolskie voivodeship.
2015- now	Chair of the Cracow's Section of Association of Polish Surgeons
2011 – 2015	Chair of Hernia Section of the Association of Polish Surgeons
2009 – 2014	Regional Consultant in Clinical Transplantology of Podkarpackie voivodeship

Scientific activity:

2003 – now	Member of the Scientific Council of the Polish Hernia Club
2005 – now	Member of the National Transplant Council

2004 – 2008	Expert in pilot project “Foresight” in the research area: Health and Life (Ministry of Science and Computerisation)
2008 – now	Member of Delphi Analysis External Specialist Team of the National Foresight Program 2020
2008 – now	Member of Rector’s Commission for Clinical Affairs at the Jagiellonian University Medical College
2010 – now	Member of the Central Administration of the Association of Polish Surgeons

Author of more than 100 publications with the total Impact Factor over 100.
 Manager and main investigator of multiple research projects of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education.

Member of domestic and international Scientific Associations.

Didactic activity:

1986 – now	Coordinator of general surgery course in the 1st Chair of General Surgery at the Jagiellonian University Medical College
1999 – now	Member of the National Council Licensure Examinations
2003 – now	Director of postgraduate studies in the specialty of Healthcare Management at the Higher School of Economics and Computer Science in Cracow
2008 – now	Member of the Accreditation Council for Graduate Medical Education
2008 – now	Member of the the State Examination Commission in Clinical Transplantology

Co-author of the principles to vocational training policy and lifelong learning

Local Government activity:

2018 – now	President of the Supreme Medical Council
1997 – 2018	Member of the Supreme Medical Council
2009 – 2018	President of the Regional Medical Council in Cracow
2011 – now	Member of the Programme Council of the Healthcare Forum at the Economic Forum in Krynica
2013 – now	Adviser of the Lesser Poland District Marshal in commenting Health Plan for the region

Social activity:

Member of the Society of Friends of Orphanage in Sieborowice, actively supports such associations and humanitarian organizations, i.e. „Doctors of Hope”, „Doctors Without Borders”. Co-organizer of humanitarian expeditions to Cameroon.

Prizes/Awards:

- Gold Order of Merita, Cracow 2004
- Cracow's Gold Ducat for the owner of the best company in the Lesser Poland District, Cracow 2005
- Manager of the Year in Health Care, granted by Minister of Health, Warsaw 2005.
- Honoris gratia medal awarded by the President of the City of Cracow, Cracow 2008.
- Medal of the Commission of National Education, 2009
- Heart Foundation awarded by the Foundation to assist disabled people, 2012
- Man with a big heart awarded by the Foundation to assist disabled people, 2012
- The winner of the Forbes contest: The Professionals 2012 – Professions of public trust in category: doctor
- Medal of Professor Józef Bogusz, 2013, awarded by Cracow Medical Society
- Gloria Medicinae medal, 2014
- Golden Honor Badge of the Lesser Poland District – Cross of Lesser Poland, 2015

Hobby:

sport, motoring, art, theatre.