

**PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

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| Jul 20-present | <b>FINANCIAL SUPERVISION COMMISSION</b><br><b>Deputy Chair, Insurance</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Overseeing regulations, supervision and sanctions over insurance undertakings, groups, brokers and agents.</li><li>Responsible for enforcing and administering the statutory legislation under Solvency II and IDD.</li><li>Representing the FSC at the Board of Supervisors of EIOPA.</li></ul>  | <b>Sofia, Bulgaria</b>        |
| Feb 20-Jul 20  | <b>ASTANA FINANCIAL SERVICES AUTHORITY</b><br><b>Director, Policy and Strategy Division</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed the regulators strategy fir 2020-2025 in light of changed global environment</li><li>Proposed and implemented more flexible regulatory policy towards authorization of broker-dealers.</li></ul>  | <b>Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan</b> |
| Jan 14-Jan 20  | <b>FINANCIAL SUPERVISION COMMISSION</b><br><b>Board Member, in charge of investor protection and system risk monitoring</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed fintech regulatory policy framework, initiated FSC Innovation Hub</li><li>Streamlined processing of complaints against supervised entities, resulting in higher consumer satisfaction.</li><li>Representing FSC to Board of Supervisors of EU regulatory bodies (ESMA, EIOPA, ESRB).</li></ul>  | <b>Sofia, Bulgaria</b>        |
| Aug 18-Mar 19  | <i>Acting Deputy Chair, Insurance</i><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Completed transposition of EU legislation the Insurance Distribution Directive – into national law.</li><li>Initiated the introduction of bonus-malus system for MTPL insurance premiums.</li></ul>   |                               |
| Nov 14-Oct 17  | <i>Acting Deputy Chair, Investments and Capital Markets</i><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Oversaw licensing, supervision and enforcement over broker-dealers, asset managers, the stock exchange.</li><li>Oversaw transposition / implementation of EU legislation on capital markets, including MiFID II, EMIR, MAR.</li><li>Proposed changes in corporate buyout procedure, to improve corporate governance and investor protection.</li><li>Launched a campaign to clamp downs on non-licensed investment firms.</li></ul> |                               |
| Feb 09-Nov 13  | <b>OTKRITIE FINANCIAL CORPORATION</b><br><b>Managing Director, Head of Research</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Lead analyst of banking stocks in Russia and CIS. In-depth understanding of banking sector trends and dynamics.</li><li>Chief equity strategist. Equity strategy reports, sector allocations, top picks list, trade ideas.</li></ul>  | <b>Moscow, Russia</b>         |
| Sep 06-Jan 09  | <b>CREDIT SUISSE</b><br><b>Director, Head of Research</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Lead analyst of electric utilities in Russia, during a period of structural changes, M&amp;A and IPOs.</li><li>Chief equity strategist. In-depth understanding of economic environment, sector developments and trends, earnings outlook. Equity strategy reports, sector allocations, top picks list, trade ideas.</li><li>Managing a team of 25 analysts. Research-driven commission revenue expanded manifold.</li></ul>           | <b>Moscow, Russia</b>         |
| Oct 03-Aug 06  | <b>URALSIB CAPITAL</b><br><b>Co-Head of Research</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Lead banking and consumer analyst. Covering the Russian banking sector, oversaw coverage of consumer goods &amp; retail. Led bank’s participation in IPOs</li><li>Chief strategist. Assessing impact of economic, political and corporate environment on the Russian equity market</li></ul>   | <b>Moscow, Russia</b>         |
| Sep 00-Sep 03  | <b>UBS</b><br><b>Senior Analyst</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Covering Russian stocks in the banking, retail, engineering, airline and automotive sectors</li><li>Key contributor to the origination and execution of high-profile IPOs</li></ul>   | <b>Moscow, Russia</b>         |
| Jun 99-Sep 99  | <b>THE BANK OF NEW YORK</b><br><b>Summer Associate</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Actively participated in the execution of an acquisition finance deal for a major UK media company</li><li>Identified potential issuers of equity through Global Depository Receipts in Central and Eastern Europe</li></ul>   | <b>London, UK</b>             |
| Jun-93-Aug 98  | <b>BULBANK (now UniCredit Bulbank)</b><br><b>Area Manager, Financial Institutions Department</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed a counterparty risk model based on CAMEL approach used for setting exposure limits.</li></ul>  | <b>Sofia, Bulgaria</b>        |
| Mar 95-Mar 96  | <b>BULGARIAN NAVY</b><br><b>Midshipman</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Commanded and trained platoon of 30 new recruits in the Naval Academy of Reserve Officers</li></ul>  | <b>Varna, Bulgaria</b>        |

**EDUCATION**

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| 1998-2000 | <b>LONDON BUSINESS SCHOOL</b><br><b>MBA, Concentration in Finance</b>                    | <b>London, UK</b>      |
| 1990-1994 | <b>UNIVERSITY OF NATIONAL AND WORLD ECONOMY</b><br><b>MSc in International Economics</b> | <b>Sofia, Bulgaria</b> |

**OTHER**

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| <b>LANGUAGES</b> | Native Bulgarian, fluent English and Russian, basic German, Spanish and French               |
| <b>INTERESTS</b> | Golf, scuba-diving, motorcycles, politics, travel, hard rock, food and wine, science fiction |