


Unievrsity of Niš, Faculty of medicine	COMPETENCE OF PROFESSORS		
<b>Personal data</b>			
Name	Suzana Otašević		
Position	Full Professor		
<b>Academic or scientific position, affiliation</b>			
	Year	Affiliation	Scientific field
Election to the current position	2012.	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš	Microbiology and Immunology
Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	1998.	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš	Medical mycology and immunology
Specialist of Microbiology and Parasitology	1992.	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš	Microbiology and Parasitology
Subspecialist	2015.	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš	Health promotion
Master degreeMSc in field of Microbiology	1993.	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš	Microbiology
Doctor of Medicine (MD),	1986.	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš	
<b>An institution where the teacher works full-time</b>			
Affiliation	Faculty of Medicine, University of Niš		
Date of the employment	01.02.1990.		
<b>List of subjects on which the teacher is engaged</b>			
	Name of the subject		Study program
1.	Microbiology		Integrated academic studies
2.	Clinical microbiology		Integrated academic studies
<b>Representative references</b>			
1.	Tasić-Otasevic S, Golubović M, Trichei S, Zdravkovic D, Jordan R, Gabrielli S. Microfilaremic <i>Dirofilaria repens</i> infection in patient from Serbia. <b>Emerg Infect Dis</b> 2023; 29(12):2548-2550. <b>IF: 7.2</b> (M21)		
2.	Randelović M, Dimitrijević M, Otašević S, Stanojević L, Iščjamović M, Ignjatović A, Arsić-Arsenijević V, Stojanović-Radić Z. Antifungal Activity and Type of Interaction of <i>Melissa officinalis</i> Essential Oil with Antimycotics against Biofilms of Multidrug-Resistant <i>Candida</i> Isolates from Vulvovaginal Mucosa. <b>J. Fungi</b> 2023; 9(11):1080. <b>IF: 4.2</b> (M21)		
3.	Otašević S, Hay R. Editorial: Superficial fungal infections. <b>Front. Cell. Infect. Microbiol.</b> 2023; 13:1285771. <b>IF: 4.6</b> (M21)		
4.	Mila Bojanović, Marko Stalević, Valentina Arsić-Arsenijević, Aleksandra Ignjatović, Marina Randelović, Milan Golubović, Emilija Živković-Marinkov, Goran Koraćević, Bojana Stamenković, Suzana Otašević. Etiology, Predisposing Factors, Clinical Features and Diagnostic Procedure of Otomycosis: A Literature Review. <b>Journal of Fungi</b> 2023; 9(6):662. <b>IF: 4.2</b> (M21)		
5.	Marija Trenkić, Suzana Tasić-Otašević, Marcos Antonio Bezerra-Santos, Marko Stalević, Aleksandar Petrović, Domenico Otranto. Prevention of <i>Thelazia callipaeda</i> Reinfection among Humans. <b>Emerg Infect Dis</b> 2023; 29(4):843-845. <b>IF: 7.2</b> (M21)		
6.	Suzana Tasić-Otašević, Sara Savić, Maja Jurhar-Pavlova, Jovana Stefanovska, Marko Stalević, Aleksandra Ignjatović, Marina Randelović, Bojan Gajić, Aleksandar Cvetkovikj, Simona Gabrielli. Molecular Survey of <i>Dirofilaria</i> and <i>Leishmania</i> Species in Dogs from Central Balkan. <b>Animals (Basel)</b> 2022;12(7):911. <b>IF: 3.0</b> (M21a)		
7.	Mila Bojanović, Aleksandra Ignjatović, Marko Stalević, Valentina Arsić-Arsenijević, Marina Randelović, Vladimir Gerginić, Zorica Stojanović-Radić, Ognjen Stojković, Emilija Živković-Marinkov, Suzana Otašević. Clinical Presentations, Cluster Analysis and Laboratory-Based Investigation of <i>Aspergillus</i> Otomycosis-A Single Center Experience. <b>J Fungi (Basel)</b> 2022; 8(3):315. <b>IF: 4.7</b> (M21)		
8.	Sara Savic, Marina Zekic Stosic , Doroteja Marcic , Isabel Hernández , Aleksandar Potkonjak, Suzana Otasevic, Maja Ruzic, Rodrigo Morchón. Seroepidemiological study of canine and human dirofilariosis in the endemic region of Northern Serbia. <b>Frontiers in Veterinary Science</b> 2020; 7:571. <b>IF: 3.412</b> (M21a)		
9.	Aleksandra Ignjatović, Valentina Arsić-Arsenijević, Milan Golubović, Saša Đenić, Stefan Momčilović, Aleksandra Trajković, Marina Randelović, Vojislav Ćirić , Suzana Otašević. Recurrent Vulvovaginal Candidosis and Cluster Analysis of Clinical Signs and Symptoms: A Laboratory-Based Investigation. <b>J Fungi</b> 2020; 6(3):113 <b>IF: 5.816</b> (M21)		
10.	Valentina Arsić Arsenijevic , Timoleon-Achilleas Vyzantiadis , Mihai Mares , Suzana Otasevic , Athanasios Tragiannidis, Dragana Janic. Diagnosis of <i>Pneumocystis jirovecii</i> Pneumonia in Pediatric Patients in Serbia,		

	Greece, and Romania. Current Status and Challenges for Collaboration. <i>J Fungi</i> 2020; 6(2):49. <b>IF: 5.816</b> (M21)		
11.	Otašević S, Momčilović S, Golubović M, Ignjatović A, Rančić N, Đorđević M, Randelović M, Hay R, Arsić-Arsenijević V. Species distribution and epidemiological characteristics of superficial fungal infections in Southeastern Serbia. <i>Mycoses</i> 2019; 62(5):458-465. <b>IF: 3.575</b> (M21)		
12.	Momčilović S, Cantacessi C, Arsić-Arsenijević V, Otranto D, Tasić-Otašević S. Rapid diagnosis of parasitic diseases: current scenario and future needs. <i>Clin Microbiol Infect</i> 2019; 25(3):290-309. <b>IF: 7.117</b> (M21a)		
13.	Katarina M. Rajković, Nebojša T. Milošević, Suzana Otašević, Sanja Jeremić, Valentina Arsić Arsenijević. Aspergillus fumigatus branching complexity in vitro: 2D images and dynamic modeling. <i>Comput Biol Med</i> 2019;104:215-219. <b>IF: 3.434</b> (M21)		
14.	Čoralić A, Gabrielli S, Zahirović A, Stojanović NM, Milardi GL, Jažić A, Zuko A, Čamo D, Otašević S. First molecular detection of Babesia canis in dogs from Bosnia and Herzegovina. <i>Ticks Tick Borne Dis</i> 2018; 9(2):363-368. <b>IF: 3.055</b> (M21)		
15.	Arsić Arsenijević V, Otašević S, Janić D, Minić P, Matijašević J, Medić D, Savić I, Delić S, Laban Nestorović S, Vasiljević Z, Hadnadjev M. Candida bloodstream infections in Serbia: first multi-center report of a national prospective observational survey in intensive care units. <i>Mycoses</i> 2018; 61(2):70-78. <b>IF: 3.065</b> (M21)		
16.	Colella V, Kirkova Z, Fok É, Mihalca AD, Tasić-Otašević S, Hodžić A, et al. Increase in eyeworm infections in eastern Europe [letter]. <i>Emerg Infect Dis</i> 2016; 22(8):1513-5. <b>IF: 8.222</b> (M21a)		
17.	Tasić-Otašević Suzana, Gabrielli Simona, Trenkić-Božinović Marija, Petrović Aleksandar, Gajić Bojan, Colella Vito, Momčilović Stefan, Cancrini Gabriella, Otranto Domenico. Eyeworm infections in dogs and in a human patient in Serbia: A One Health approach is needed. <i>Comparative Immunology Microbiology and Infectious Diseases</i> 2016; 45:20-22 <b>IF: 1.875</b> (M21)		
18.	Otašević Suzana, Barac Aleksandra, Pekmezovic Marina, Tasic Sinisa, Ignjatović Aleksandra, Momčilović Stefan, Stojanović Predrag, Arsic Arsenijevic Valentina, Hay Roderick. The prevalence of Candida onychomycosis in Southeastern Serbia from 2011 to 2015. <i>Mycoses</i> 2016; 59(3)167-72. <b>IF: 2.252</b> (M21)		
19.	Tasić-Otašević SA, Trenkić Božinović MS, Gabrielli SV, Genchi C. Canine and human Dirofilaria infections in the Balkan Peninsula. <i>Vet Parasitol</i> 2015; 209(3-4):151-156. <b>IF: 2.242</b> (M21a)		
20.	S. Tasić, N. Stoilković, N. Miladinović-Tasić, A. Tasić, D. Mihailović, L. Rossi, S. Gabrielli, G. Cancrini. Subcutaneous Dirofilariasis in South-East Serbia-Case Report. <i>Zoonoses Public Health</i> 2011; 58: 318–322. <b>IF: 1.895</b> (M21)		
<b>Data on published works</b>			
Total number of citations, excluding self-citations	615		
Total number of papers from the SCI list	72		
Total number of papers in journals cited in Medline	35		
Total number of papers in journals of equivalent databases	62		
<b>Participation in projects</b>			
Executive (E) Researcher (R)	Projects	Type of project and financier	The duration of the project
R	2011-present -The importance of laboratory evidence of early biomarkers for outcome of invasive fungal infections in our country	R. Serbia, Ministry of Science and Technological Development	2020-2023.
R	2022 – Present – “Fungal case finder”, Science	Fund of the Republic of Serbia, Ideas program (No. 7754282)	2022-2024.
<b>Google Scholar:</b> sum of the time cited 1120 (all), H-index 19 (all); i10-index 28 (all). <a href="https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=H-A5IVEAAAAJ&amp;hl=en">https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=H-A5IVEAAAAJ&amp;hl=en</a>			
<b>Scopus:</b> sum of the time cited 745, H index 14 <a href="https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=57218861105">https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=57218861105</a>			
<b>Research Gate:</b> sum of the time cited 1,203 (all), H-index 20 <a href="https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Suzana-Otasevic">https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Suzana-Otasevic</a>			
<b>Membership in scientific and professional organizations and associations</b>			
▪	2016-present	Vice-president of Serbian society of medical mycology	
▪	2011-present	Member of board of Serbian society of parasitology	
▪	1989-present	Section of Microbiologists of Serbia, Serbian Medical Society	
▪	2014-present	Member of medical chamber	

- 2016-2021 Member of ESCMID (European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases)
- 2020-present Member of ISHAM (The International Society for Human & Animal Mycology)
- 2014- Present – Member of *European Dirofilaria Society*

**Member of the committee for the evaluation and defense of the doctoral dissertation:**

- Member of the committee for the evaluation and defense of the master's thesis: Examination of the prevalence of canine filariasis onin some areas of Vojvodina, candidate B.Sc. Vet. Aleksandar Tasić at the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Belgrade.
- Diagnostic and epidemiological aspects of the presence of Giardia lamblia in the digestive tract, candidate for M.Sc. Nataše Miladinović-Tasić Faculty of Medicine, Niš;
- Comparative analysis of different methods in diagnosis of dog infection with dirofilaria immitis, candidate of Aleksandar Tasić, MSc - 2009, Department of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Novi Sad;
- Evaluation of sinonasal induction methods secretions for the detection of fungi in the sinuses in physiological and pathological conditions in patients with chronic rhinosinusitis, PhD candidate Aleksandra Barać, 2015,
- Clinical significance of molecular diagnostics of toxoplasmosis in high-risk patients, candidate Dr. Tijana Steiner, 2016,
- Frequency and risk factors for infection T. gondii in the population of voluntary blood donors and pregnant women, candidate Milena Blagojević University of Belgrade, Medical faculty;
- Examining the effectiveness of acrylatesmodified with antifungal substances to prevent the colonization of prostheses by fungi of the genus Candida", candidate of Dr. Milica Išljamović at the Faculty of Medicine, University of Kragujevac, Serbia.
- Member of the committee for evaluation and defense of doctoral dissertation: "MOLECULAR-GENETIC CHARACTERISTICS OF DERMATOPHYTES OF THE GENUS TRICHOPHYTON-CAUSES OF ONYCHOMYCOSIS", candidate Ivan Mikhailovich Pchelin, at St. Petersburg State University in Russia.