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## EDUCATION

University of Zagreb, Zagreb, Croatia

July, '98.

Ph.D. Area: Cognitive psychology

Thesis: Psychometric validation of the construct of emotional intelligence

University of Zagreb, Zagreb, Croatia

June, '88

M. A., Area: Health psychology

Thesis: Cognitive and psychomotor functions in hypertonic and normotonic patients

University of Zagreb, Zagreb, Croatia

June, '80

B. A., Major: Psychology; Minor: Education

Thesis: A Psychometric Properties of Thurstone Psychomotor Test.

## CAREER ACTIVITIES

### Assistant Professor

Department of Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Rijeka

Mart, '99 - Present.

Responsibilities: Psychometrics, Theories of intelligence, Practicum in Methodology, Multivariate Statistics.

### Postgraduate Professor

Department of Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Zagreb.

Sept, '99 - Present

Responsibilities: Theory and Measurement of Emotional Intelligence

### Assistant

Department of Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Split.

Sept, '82 – July, '88

Responsibilities: Psychological statistics, Methodology of non/experimental research, Psychophysiology, Ergonomics, Psychometrics, General psychology, History of psychology

### Clinical Psychology Extern

Sept, '78 – June '79

Center for Research in Mental Retardation, Zagreb

Research assistant

Responsibilities: Cognitive ability assessment and clinical interviewing

## **ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **Visiting Professor**

Department of Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Sarajevo.

Sept, '01 - Present

Responsibilities: Psychological statistics, Methodology

### **Clinical Interviewer**

Program of Psychosocial Help in the War Area of Zadar

Sept, '91 - Jan, '93

Responsibilities: Interviewing and screening for anxiety disorders and assessing coping strategies for civilians

### **Clinical Psychology Intern**

Institute for Medical Researches and Occupational Medicine in Zagreb

Aug, '81 - Sept, '82

Responsibilities: Assessment of Ability Impairments in Working Population

### **International Psychological Seminars**

Social Gerontology in International and Cross-Cultural Perspectives, Dubrovnik  
Structural Equation Modeling. Second Seminar, Dubrovnik,

June '84 – June, '89 .  
Sept, '00.

### **Other Professional Activities**

Continuously participate in various projects sponsored by Croatian Ministry of Science. Jan, '83 - Present

Technical editor of journal "Radovi Filozofskog fakulteta u Zadru".

Sept, '93 – Jan, '97

Member of Program and Organisation Board of Conference "Days of Psychology" in Zadar .

1983 - 1998

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Takšić, V. (December, 2001). Relation between emotional intelligence (skills and competences) and some relevant constructs. Oral presentation at the XV<sup>th</sup> Ramiro Bujas' Days, Zagreb, Croatia.

Takšić, V. (October, 2001) Emotional intelligence: Illusion or something worth mentioning? Oral presentation at the IX<sup>th</sup> Conference of Croatian Psychologists, Pula.

Takšić, V. (October, 2001): What measure emotional intelligence (competence) scales? Oral presentation at the IX<sup>th</sup> Conference of Croatian Psychologists, Pula.

Takšić, V., Tkalčić, M. & Brajković, S. (July, 2001). Emotional Intelligence: An Empirical Validation of the Construct. Poster presented at the VII<sup>th</sup> European Congress of Psychology, London.

Arar, Lj., Takšić, V. i Molander, B. (July, 2000): Determining Consensual Accuracy of Perceiving Affective Content in Art. Poster presented at the XXVII<sup>th</sup> International Congress in Psychology, Stockholm.

Takšić, V. (May, 2000). Convergent and divergent validity of the Emotional Skills and Competence Questionnaire. Oral presentation at the XII<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.

Takšić, V. & Cvenić, S. (May, 1998). Relations between intelligence and some personality traits and staits. Oral presentation at the XI<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.

Takšić, V. & Vulić-Prtorić, A. (October, 1996). Validation of the Anxiety Scale for Children. Oral presentation at the IV<sup>th</sup> Alps-Adria Symposium, Zagreb, Croatia.

Proroković, A., Takšić, V. & Fulgosi, A. (September, 1994). Information analysis of the psychophysiological data. Presentation of the computer algoritm at Symposium Computers in Psychology, Rijeka, Croatia.

- Gregov, Lj., Proroković, A., Takšić, V. & Čavka, M. (May, 1994). Anxiety in the war. Oral presentation at the Second Conference of Croation Psychologists, Božava.
- Sorić, I., Takšić, V. & Proroković, A. (May, 1994). Adaptation of Endler Anxiety Scales. Oral presentation at the Second Conference of Croation Psychologists, Bozava.
- Takšić, V. & Matulović, Z. (June, 1993). Cognitive, conative and physiological determinants of behavior in a stressfull situation. Poster presented at the Third Alps-Adria Symposium, Ljubljana, Slovenia.
- Bautović, A., Takšić, V., Gregov, Lj. & Ivanov, L. (June, 1993). Some aspects of anxiety reactions in the war. Poster presented at the Third Alps-Adria Symposium, Ljubljana, Slovenia.
- Ljubičić, B., Lolić, Z. & Takšić, V. (April, 1993). Research in gravitation stress. Oral presentation at the First Conference of Croation Psychologists, Zagreb.
- Bautović, A., Takšić, V., Gregov, Lj. & Ivanov, L. (April, 1993). Coping with war stress. Oral presentation at the First Conference of Croation Psychologists, Zagreb.
- Takšić, V., Fulgosi, A. & Raboteg-Šarić, Z. (May, 1991). INFO PSYCHOPHYS: BASIC program for informational analysis of psychophysical judgements. Poster presented at the Second Alps-Adria Symposium, Trieste, Italy.
- Takšić, V. & Kunac, Lj. (April, 1991). Efect of mental load and preparation interval on puls frequences. Oral presentation at the VIII<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.
- Matulović, Z & Takšić, V. (April, 1991). Personality traits and states in action of catapulting. Oral presentation at the VIII<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.
- Raboteg-Šarić, Z., Šarić, J. & Takšić, V. (April, 1989). Job redesign on the assembly line: Some effects on job satisfaction and work behavior. Oral presentation at The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Occupational Ergonomics Symposium, Zadar, Croatia.
- Matulović, Z & Takšić, V. (April, 1989). Factors that influence in successful catapulting. Oral presentation at the VII<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.
- Takšić, V., Kos, G. & Mimica I. (April, 1987). Blood presure level and performance in psychomotoric tasks. Oral presentation at the VII<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.
- Takšić, V. (April, 1985). Comparison of some indices of postural load assessment. Oral presentation at The First International Occupational Ergonomics Symposium, Zadar, Croatia.
- Takšić, V., (April, 1985). Personality traits in hypertonic and normotonic patients. Oral presentation at the V<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.
- Bezinović, P., Vlahović, V., Takšić, V. & Božičević, V. (May, 1987). The influence of the situational and cognitive factors on the response style on personality questionnaire in real-life selection. Oral presentation at the VIII<sup>th</sup> Yougoslav Congres in Psychology, Herceg Novi, Montenegro.
- Takšić, V. (April, 1983). Achievement scores on Thurstone's Test of Hand-Eye Coordination. Oral presentation at the IV<sup>th</sup> Days of Psychology, Zadar, Croatia.

## PUBLICATIONS

### English:

- Takšić, V. (1986). Comparison of some indices of postural load assessment. U: E.N. Corlett, J. Wilson & I. Manenica (Eds): *Ergonomics of working postures*. Taylor & Francis, London.
- Fulgosi, A., Bezinović, P., Mimica, I & Takšić, V. (1987). Channel capacity in the magnitude estimation of weight. *Perception & Psychophysics*, 42, 4, 328-332.

- Raboteg-Šarić, Z., Takšić, V. & Božičević, V. (1988). Psychological distress and life satisfaction among the elderly: Relations with some sociodemographic variables. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 27, 141-149.
- Raboteg-Šarić, Z., Šarić, J. & Takšić, V. (1990). Job redesign on the assembly line: Some effects on job satisfaction and work behaviour. U: Wilson, J.R., Corlett, E.N. & Manenica, I. (Eds): *Work design in practice, London*, Taylor & Francis, 169-174.

### **Croatian:**

- Takšić, V. (2001). Upitnici emocionalne kompetentnosti (inteligencije). [Emotional competence (intelligence) Questionnaires]. In: K. Lacković-Grgin. & Z. Penezić. *Zbirka psihologičkih mernih instrumenata [The collection of psychological instruments]*. Faculty of Philosophy in Zadar.
- Takšić, V., Jurin, Ž & Cvenić, S. (2001). Opercionalizacija i faktorsko-analitička studija konstrukta emocionalne inteligencije. [Operationalization and factor-analytic study of the emotional intelligence construct]. *Psihologische teme*, 8-9, 95-109.
- Vulić-Prtorić, A., Sorić, I. & Takšić, V. (1999). Prikaz skale anksioznosti za djecu [An account of the Stress Coping Scale for Children]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 37 (14), 81-101.
- Takšić, V. (1998). *Validacija konstrukta emocionalne inteligencije. [Validation of the Construct of Emotional Intelligence]*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, University of Zagreb.
- Miliša, Z. & Takšić, V. (1997). Studenti, droga, odnos prema radu i religija. [Students, drugs, working values and religion]. *Napredak*, 138 (4), 389-397.
- Miliša, Z. & Takšić, V (1996).. Droga: Stop. [Drugs: Stop] Poglavarstvo grada Murtera.
- Miliša, Z. & Takšić, V. (1996). Istraživanje problema ovisnosti mladih u gradu Zadru. [Study of drug addiction in young population in Zadar area]. Poglavarstvo grada Zadra.
- Gregov, Lj., Proroković, A. & Takšić, V. (1996). Efekti iščekivanja podražaja na srečanu frekvenciju u zadacima različite složenosti. [Effects of preparation interval and task complexity on puls rate]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 35 (12), 39-49.
- Sorić, I., Takšić, V. & Proroković, A. (1995). Provjera Endlerovih skala i modela anksioznosti. [Testing Endler's scales and models of anxiety]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 33 (10), 57-68.
- Gregov, Lj., Proroković, A., Takšić, V. & Čavka, M. (1995). Neki aspekti načina suočavanja sa stresom u ratu. [Some aspects of the ways of coping with stress in situation of war]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 33 (10) 33-44.
- Takšić, V. & Matulović, Z. (1992). Kognitivne, konativne i fiziološke determinante ponašanja u situaciji stresa. [Cognitive, conative and physiological determinants of behavior in stressful situation]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 31 (8), 85-94.
- Miliša, Z., Rako, A. i Takšić, V. (1992). Studenti i politika. [Students and politics]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 30 (7), 211-230.
- Matulović, Z., & Takšić, V. (1992). Efekti stresa na uspješnost pripreme i izvođenja katapultiranja. [Stress effects on the success of the preparations and action in catapulting]. *Radovi FFZd - razdvoj filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 30 (7), 145-154.

- Takšić, V. & Kunac, Lj. (1992). Efekti mentalnog opterećenja i očekivaja podražaja na srčanu frekvenciju. [Effects of mental load and anticipation on heart frequency]. *Primijenjena psihologija*, 12, 3-4, 73-78.
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- Takšić, V. (1988). *Specifičnosti psihičkih funkcija kod hipertoničara*. [Specific Psychological Qualities in Hypertonic]. Unpublished master thesis, University of Zagreb.
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- Takšić, V. Efekti veličine krvnog tlaka na rezultate CRD-serije. [Effect of blood pressure level on complex reaction time] U: Bele-Potočnik, Ž. i Drenovac, M. (ured.), *Zbornik I - Delo s CRD-serijo*, Zavod za produktivnost dela, Ljubljana, 1987., 10-20.
- Smith, D.S., Mimica, I., Krajnović, D. & Takšić, V. (1986). Semantički i sintaktički procesi kod Broca-afazičara. [Semantic and syntactic process in Broca-aphasic patients]. *Primijenjena psihologija*, 7, 1-4, 28-36.
- Fulgosi, A., Bezinović, P., Mimica, I. & Takšić, V. (1986). Informacijska analiza komparativnih sudova težine - prilog informacijskoj psihofizici. [Informational analysis of comparative judgements of weight – contribution to information psychophysics]. *Primijenjena psihologija*, 7, 1-4, 159-164.
- Takšić, V., Veles, N. & Mimica, M. (1986). Povezanost hipertoničnih promjena očne pozadine i uratka u testovima sposobnosti različite složenosti. [The correlation between hypertonic changes of the eye retina and results of ability tests of different complexity]. *Radovi FFZd - razdrio filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 25, 127-140.
- Fulgosi, A., Mimica, I., Takšić, V. & Bezinović, P. (1986). Informacijska analiza komparativnih sudova na području kinestezije - prilog informacijskoj psihofizici. [Informational analysis of absolute and comparative judgements in kinesthetic sensitivity] *Zbornik radova "Dani psihologije u Zadru '85"*, Filozofski fakultet, Odsjek za psihologiju, Zadar, 189-195.
- Takšić, V. (1986). Neke osobine ličnosti normotoničara i hipertoničara. [Some personality characteristics of normotonic and hypertonic persons]. *Zbornik radova "Dani psihologije u Zadru '85"*, Filozofski fakultet, Odsjek za psihologiju, Zadar, 29-35.
- Mimica I. & Takšić, V. (1985). Utjecaj semantičkih i sintaktičkih faktora na razumijevanje rečenica kod Broca-afazičara. [Effect of semantic and syntactic factor on sentences comprehension in Broca-aphasic patients]. *Radovi FFZd - razdrio filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 24, 159-170.
- Takšić, V., Vlahović, V., & Mimica M. (1985). Efekti razine dijastoličkog krvnog tlaka i dobi na učinak u zadacima psihomotorike različite složenosti. [Effects of diastolic blood pressure, and age on psychomotor tasks of different complexity]. *Radovi FFZd - razdrio filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije*, 24, 171-181.
- Takšić, V. (1984). Mjere učinka na Thurstoneovom testu okulomotorne koordinacije. [Achievement scores on Thurstone's Test of Hand-Eye Coordination]. *Zbornik radova "Dani psihologije u Zadru '83"*, Filozofski fakultet, Odsjek za psihologiju, Zadar, 243-251.

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Croatian Psychological Association (CPA)