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EDUCATION

1. 1993 – 1997 School of nursing – General care nurse
2. 2000 – 2004 University of Applied Health Sciences, bachelor's degree
3. 2007 – 2010 University of Applied Health Sciences, master's degree in nursing management
4. 2014 – 2021 University of Ljubljana, Medical Faculty, PhD Biomedicine Public Health

PLACE OF WORK

University Hospital Centre Zagreb, Director Office, Department of Quality Assurance and Improvement

WORK EXPERIENCE

University Hospital Centre Zagreb 1997 – 2025

1. 1997 – 1998 Nursing Internship
2. 1998 – 2005 Bedside nurses at Cardiac Surgery ICU
3. 2005 – 2016 Head Nurse of Cardiac Surgery Anaesthesia and ICU
4. 2016 – 2024 Head Nurse of Department of Anaesthesiology and Intensive medicine
5. 2024 Quality Control

SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

Information about the doctoral thesis:

The doctoral thesis entitled "Burnout syndrome and its association with coping and job satisfaction in critical care nurses" was defended on July 1, 2021 under the supervision of prof. Ph.D. Polona Selič Zupančič as part of the postgraduate doctoral study "Biomedicine - Public Health" of the Faculty of Medicine in Ljubljana. The data for the doctoral thesis were collected by University Hospital Centre Zagreb, University Hospital Centre Sestremilordnice, University Hospital Merkur, University Hospital Dubrava, and University Hospital Sveti Duh.

2023 – Elected for Assistant professor

AWARDS

- 12 May 2012 University Hospital Zagreb
- 08 May 2013 Award for Implementation of Basic Life Support University Hospital Zagreb
- 23 May 2013 Charter Life Keeper - European federation of Critical Care Nurses associations
- Honorary ambassador World Federation of Critical care Nurses (2018 – 2023, 2023 - 2027)
- 07 May 2019 Award for extraordinary contribution to nursing profession, International Nurses Day 2029, Croatian Nurses Council
- 10 October 2023 Fellowship European Specialist Nurses Organization

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

1. President Croatian Nursing Society of Anaesthesia, reanimation, Intensive Care and Transfusion (HDMSARIST)
2. President Croatian National Nursing Federation - CNFF
3. Past president World Federation of Critical Care Nurses – WFCCN
4. President European Specialist Nurses Organization – ESNO
5. President of Congress planning committee International Federation of Nurses Anaesthetists – IFNA
6. President Alumni University of Applied Health Sciences
7. Board member European Patient Safety Foundation – EUPSF
8. Member of Health Committee of Zagreb City

PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

1. Founder and past board member Sustainable Health Equity Movement – SHEM
2. president Croatian Rehabilitation Alliance
3. member of Committee for National Health Strategy Development 2012. – 2020.
4. Council member European federation of Critical Care Nurses Associations
5. Exchange project leader at European federation of Critical Care Nurses Associations
6. Vice president World Federation of Critical Care Nurses
7. Executive board member International Federation of Nurses Anaesthetists
8. Founder and first editor in chief Shock online edition
9. Editorial board member Sestrinskiglasnik
10. Editorial board member Sestrinskivijesnik
11. General secretary Croatian National Nursing Federation
12. Editor in chief E learning portal Croatian Nursing Council

EDITORIAL BOARDS

1. Croatian Nursing Journal
2. International Journal of Critical Care
3. Ex editor of Plavi fokus – Croatian Nurses Council journal
4. Shock online edition
5. Nurses educational portal - SEP
6. Frontiers in Public Health – guest editor
7. Healthcare – guest editor
8. Nurses Report – guest editor

INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

1. Investigation of the rationing/ misses/ unfinished nursing care in central European countries – RANCARE COST supported by the EU Framework Programme Horizon 2020 – national coordinator
2. Improving Working Environments for Nurses in the Critical Care Unit – Erasmus plus – national coordinator
3. International Nursing Advanced Competency based Training for Intensive Care – Erasmus plus – participant
4. Digital innovations in personalized care for patients after intensive care and their families (DIPA project) - financed by the European Intensive Care Association
5. Burnout syndrome of intensive care nurses in the COVID 19 wards – Croatia and Poland (BOSCCN project). Funded by the European Federation of Intensive Care Nurses.
6. Burnout syndrome in nursing students (BOSCRO project) - financed by the Croatian Society of Anaesthesia, Reanimation, Intensive Care and Transfusion Nurses.
7. BeWell Erasmus plus project - coordinator for the European Organization of Specialist Nurses
8. EUVECA Erasmus plus project - coordinator for the European Specialist Nurses Organization
9. The importance of knowledge in recognizing the signs and symptoms of sepsis in the population - funded by the University of Applied Health Sciences
10. NEXR – Nurses education with extended reality – Erasmus + 2025 - 2028

BOOK CHAPTERS

1. Dragica Šimunec, Adriano Friganović, „Organizational Development for Professional Autonomy “, in: Nancy Rollins Gantz (ur.), *101 Global Leadership Lessons for Nurses*, Sigma Theta Tau International, 2010., str. 332-336.
2. Isabelita Maria C. Rogado, Adriano Friganović, Vedran Dumbović, "Safety and Quality Issues in ICU", u Sandra Goldsworthy, Ruth Kleinpell, Paul Fulbrook, "Best Practice In Global Critical Care Nursing", Springer publishing company, 2016.
3. Surgical Nursing Care – Sonja Kalauz and associates 2020.
4. Explantation and transplantation of organs – Biljana Kurtovic and associates

BOOK REVIEWS

1. Critical care in nursing – book for medical schools 2021.

MEMBERSHIPS

1. Croatian Nurses Society of Anaesthesia, reanimation, Intensive care and Transfusion
2. Croatian National Nursing Federation
3. European Specialist Nursing Organization
4. European Society of Critical and Intensive Care Medicine
5. World Federation of Critical care Nurses
6. International Federation of Nurses Anaesthetists
7. Sigma Theta Tau International, Alpha Alpha Gamma Chapter

PUBLISHED ARTICLES – WOS, PUBMED, SCOPUS

1. Georgiou E, Mpouzika M, Llaurodo-Serra M, Friganović A, Sabou A, Gutysz-Wojnicka A, Constantinescu-Dobra A, Alfonso-Arias C, Curado-Santos E, Slijepcevic J, Coțiu MA, Penar-Zadarko B, Režić S, Dobrowolska B, Kyranou M. Intensive Care Unit Nurses' Perceptions of Work Environments: A Cross-Sectional Study From Five European Counties. *J Adv Nurs*. 2026 Feb 27. doi: 10.1111/jan.70559. Epub ahead of print. PMID: 41761430.
2. Husić S, Miletić B, Boskovic S, Jerlekovic M, Friganovic A, Vejzovic V. Invisible But Essential: A Qualitative Study on the Experiences of Informal Caregivers in Home-based Palliative Care. *Inquiry*. 2025 Jan-Dec;62:469580251392458. doi: 10.1177/00469580251392458. Epub 2025 Nov 14. PMID: 41236886; PMCID: PMC12618811.
3. Filipović B, Bernardić T, Čukljek S, Friganović A, Kandrata D, Ledinski S. Perceived Noise Sources and Their Association with Nurses' Health and Work Performance in Intensive Care Units: A Multicenter Study. *Healthcare (Basel)*. 2025 Nov 3;13(21):2790. doi: 10.3390/healthcare13212790. PMID: 41228156; PMCID: PMC12609748.
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2. FINE “Nursing Education for a Sustainable Future: Challenges and Opportunities, 21&23 March 2024, Barcelona, Spain – round table.
3. A. Friganović – 1st International Congress of Mediterranean, 19 – 21 October 2023, Catania, Italy. The European SpecialistNurse: Making impact by community building, connecting and networking”.
4. A. Friganović – 19th Annual Meeting of Japan Academy of Critical Care Nursing1&2 July 2023, Tokyo (online). Cultural Diversity in Critical Care.
5. A. Friganović, 35th Annual Congress European Society of Intensive Care Medicine, October 22 – 26, 2022, Paris – Faculty speaker Panel discussion.
6. A. Friganović - Breaking the walls: Specialist Nurse as Paradigm of the Future. International Critical Care Nursing Conference 2022. June 16 – 18, Manila, Philippines
7. A. Friganović. Burnout syndrome and its association with missed nursing care. 21st Symposium of The Nurse and Midwifery Organization Ljubljana "Missed Nursing Care". May 20, 2022, Ljubljana.
8. A. Friganović. COVID-19 pandemic – what we have done? 18th Emirates Critical Care Conference. May 13 – 15, 2022, Dubai.
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10. A. Friganović. Roundtable "Scientific research in nursing - from challenges to goals". National congress with international participation "On the same path - towards the same goal". Association of Health Workers and Associates of the Republic of Serbia Eskulap, April 7 – 10, 2022, Zlatibor, Serbia.
11. A. Friganović. 14th World Congress of Nurses Anesthetists, president of the organizational and scientific committee. International Federation of Nurse Anesthetists and Croatian Nurses Society of Anesthesia, Reanimation, Intensive Care and Transfusion. May 2 – 5, 2022, Šibenik, Croatia.
12. A. Friganović. Lecturer in the implementation of continuous education in the care of critically ill patients, December 11, 2021, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina.
13. A. Friganović. Nursing Education in Croatia and its Current Issues. 31st Annual Meeting of the Japan Academy of Nursing Education. August 18, 2021.
14. A. Friganović. Family engagement in caring for the critically ill in the time of pandemic. 17th Emirates Critical Care Conference, 16th World Federation of Critical Care Nurses World Congress. June 18 – 19, 2021.
15. A. Friganović. Approaching the year 2020 – the year of nurses. Panel discussion. Futur Z. November 22 – 23, 2019, Opatija.
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17. A. Friganović, S. Vidmanic. The power of nursing – tomorrow. 4th International Congress of the Croatian National Nursing Association. November 7 – 10, 2019, Vodice.
18. A. Friganović. Ventricular Assist Devices. 1st World Congress and 3rd International Congress "For Quality Critical Care". October 1 – 4, 2019, Cancun, Mexico.
19. A. Friganović. Critical Care Nursing Worldwide. 1st World Congress and 3rd International Congress "For Quality Critical Care". October 1 – 4, 2019, Cancun, Mexico.
20. I. Kovačević, V. Krikšić, Š. Ozimec Vulinec, B. Ilić, A. Friganović, S. Ledinski Fičko. 12th International Congress of HDMSARIST. April 11 – 14, 2019, Šibenik.
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30. A. Friganović. "World Sepsis Day – nursing campaign". April 5 – 7, 2018, Dubai, UAE.
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71. A. Friganović. "Quality Standards in Nursing Care in Intensive Care Units" - 2nd International Critical Care Nursing Seminar, October 13, 2012, Zenica, BiH.
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