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Education	2016 Habilitation (postdoctoral degree) in Economics, Poznan University of Economics and Business, Department of Macroeconomics and Agricultural Economics, Poland. Book title: "Hog cycle in light of changes in the global pork market", PWN Publishing House, Warsaw 2017 2003-2007 Ph.D. in Economics, Poznan University of Economics and Business, Department of Macroeconomics and Agricultural Economics, Poland Dissertation title: "The pork market in Wielkopolska region against the
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Research topics	Functioning of agricultural markets, agricultural policy, sustainable development of agriculture, small farm sector, risk management in agriculture
Function at PUEB	Disciplinary Committee for Doctoral Students - Deputy Chairwoman
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Courses taught	Macroeconomics (at various levels of study, also in English), Microeconomics, Food market in the context of globalization, Organization of green economy markets
Publications (last 10 years)	 Zdráhal Ivo, Stępień Sebastian, Lategan Francois PP., Svobodová Eliška, Borychowski Michał, Sapa Agnieszka, Smędzik-Ambroży Katarzyna, Grega Libor: Barriers to participate in short food supply chains: preliminary results from the survey among farmers in Poland and the Czech Republic. In: XIII International Symposium on Agricultural Sciences AgroReS 2024 - Book of Proceedings / Pašalić Boris (ed.), 2024, University of Banja Luka - Faculty of Agriculture, pp. 230-237, DOI:10.7251/ZARS2401230Z

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Research projects

- 2022-2025 National Science Centre (NCN) Grant "Small farms and short food supply chains in the context of economic crisis an example of the COVID-19 pandemic", Project Leader
- 2019-2024 National Science Centre (NCN) Grant "Assets and income on farms in Poland compared to European Union countries in the sustainable development paradigm", Project Researcher
- 2018-2021 Polish National Agency for Academic Exchange (NAWA) Grant "The role of small farms in the sustainable development of the food sector in Central and Eastern European countries", Project Leader
- 2017-2021 National Science Centre (NCN) Grant "Determinants of food security and sustainable development of small-scale farms in Poland compared to the regions of the European Union", Project Researcher
- 2011-2012 National Science Centre (NCN) Grant "Cyclical fluctuations in the live pig market in the world and in selected countries. An attempt to determine convergence and divergence", Principal Investigator
- 2009-2011 Human Capital Operational Programme POKL 4.1.1 "Modern Analytical Techniques in Improving the Quality of Education in Economic Studies" Subject Supervisor
- 2006-2007 National Science Centre (NCN) Grant "The pig market in Wielkopolska compared to national trends", Principal Investigator
- 2005-2006 Interdisciplinary Research Project AR and AE in Poznań "Absorption of CAP Funds in Wielkopolska (Against Nationwide Trends) on the Example of Selected Support Instruments," Researcher

Awards,	2022 Certificate of Appreciation, awarded by the Faculty of Economics of the
honours and	University "1 Decembrie 1918" in Alba Iulia, Romania, for contribution to
certificates	the development of the Faculty and fruitful interinstitutional cooperation
	2021 UEP Rector's Award for original and creative scientific achievements in 2020
	 for a series of publications in highly rated international journals
	2019 UEP Rector's Team Award for original and creative scientific achievements
	in 2019 – for a series of publications in highly rated international journals
	2016 UEP Rector's Team Award for occupying top places in all editions of the
	"Department Ranking" in 2009-2015
	2015 1st degree team award of the UEP Rector for original and creative scientific
	achievements in the academic year 2014/2015 – for the monograph
	entitled "Problems of development of agriculture and food economy in the
	first decade of Poland's membership in the European Union"
	2014 Distinction of the Association of Agricultural and Agribusiness Economists in
	the "Young Scientist" category for the article entitled Structural changes in
	the pork market in China
	2010 Honorary badge "Meritorious for Agriculture", awarded by the Polish
	Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development
	2010 Team award of the 2nd degree of the Rector of the Poznań University of
	Economics for organizational achievements - for the implementation of an
	innovative development project at the Poznań University of Economics
	entitled "Modern analytical techniques in improving the quality of
	education in economic studies"
	2008 Team award of the 2nd degree of the Rector of the Poznań University of
	Economics for the academic year 2007/2008 for scientific achievements -
	for the monograph entitled "Universals of agricultural policy in a market
	economy. Macro- and microeconomic approach"
	2007 Distinction of the Council of the Faculty of Economics of the Poznań
	University of Economics for the doctoral dissertation entitled "The pork
	market in Wielkopolska region against the background of national trends"
	2003 Distinction of the Vice-Rector for Student Affairs and Dean of the Faculty of
	Economics at the Poznań University of Economics for academic
	achievements and graduation with distinction
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Key skills	Designing and conducting empirical research; designing, collecting and
Key Skills	processing primary and secondary data; designing and conducting surveys and
	in-depth interviews; managing project team; data analysis using statistical tools,
	including STATA, Statistica, Gretl; literature management (Mendeley)
Languages	English (C1), Russian (B2)
Othor	Foreign research and teaching internships:
Other	2024 Università di Pavia, Italy, Erasmus internship
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	2024 Universita di Parma, Italy, workshops on Sustainability of small farms and
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	2023 Mendel University in Brno, Czech Republic, workshops on Functioning of
	short supply chains in Poland and the Czech Republic - experiences of the
	post-pandemic crisis
	2023 Akdeniz University, Turkey, Erasmus internship
	2022 Akdeniz University, Turkey, Erasmus internship
	2020 Faculty of Business Economics and Entrepreneurship in Belgrade, Serbia,
	research internship

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	2020 "1 Decembrie 1918" University of Alba Iulia, Romania, research internship
	2020 Mendel University in Brno, workshops on The role of small-scale family
	farming in the delivery of public goods
	2019 Mehmet Akif Ersoy University, Burdur, Turkey, workshops on Small farms
	and public goods in agricultural sector in Poland and Turkey
	2019 Slovak University of Agriculture in Nitra, Slovakia, Workshop on the Role of
	Small Farms in Sustainable Rural Development
	2018 "1 Decembrie 1918" University of Alba Iulia, Romania, Erasmus internship
	2017 Tomas Bata University In Zlin, Czech Republic, Erasmus internship 2016 "1
	Decembrie 1918" University of Alba Iulia, Romania, Erasmus internship
	2016 Universitat de les Illes Balears, Palma, Majorca, Spain, workshop on
	International mobility and personal and university branding development
	2015 Megatrend University, Belgrade, Serbia, Erasmus internship
	2014 "1 Decembrie 1918" University of Alba Iulia, Romania, workshop on The
	Exploratory Workshop: Internationalisation of Higher Education:
	Challenges and Rewards
	2013 Romanian-American University, School of Domestic and International
	Economy and Tourism, Bucharest, Romania, Erasmus internship
	2011 National Superior Institute of Agronomic Sciences, Food and the
	Environment, Dijon, France, workshop on 20 years of farming and rural
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