

ALBULENA UKA



EDUCATION

PhD Candidate in Law

Faculty of Law and Criminology, Ghent University, Belgium

LL.M in International and European Law (advanced)

Faculty of Law and Criminology, Ghent University, Belgium

- Advanced EU Institutional Law, Advanced EU External Relations Law, Autonomous EU Legal Order
- Advanced European and International asylum and migration law, International Employment, IP Law
- Graduated *Summa cum laude*

Bachelor of Law

Faculty of Law, University of Mitrovica "Isa Boletini", Kosovo

- Public and Private International Law, EU Law, International Organisations, Civil and Criminal Law
- International Law on Human Rights, Constitutional Law, Administrative Law, Labour Law, Family Law
- GPA: 10/10

WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Mitrovica "Isa Boletini", Faculty of Law, Kosovo

Ministry of Justice, Government of the Republic of Kosovo

Embassy of Kosovo in Belgium

Constitutional Court of Kosovo

Basic Court in Pristina

Ministry of Health, Government of the Republic of Kosovo

Ministry of European Integration, Government of the Republic of Kosovo

Legal consultant and expert, trainer and project coordinator

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Albanian

Foreign language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C1	C2	C2	C1
TOEFL test overall 100; IBCM English Certificate Proficient English user; IELTS test overall 8.0					
French	B2	C1	C1	A2	C1
Test de connaissance du français (TCF)					
Spanish	B2	B1	B2	B1	B1
Turkish	B1	A2	A2	A2	A2

Skills

- Communication skills, research, individual and teamwork
- Computer and digital skills
- Management and leadership skills

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Presentations

- Presented the paper “The past, present and future of the European legal framework on fundamental rights in the EU” to the International Scientific Conference on Social Sciences, Ohrid, 2021
- Presented the paper “The role of women in mediation: Dialogue Kosovo-Serbia case” to the International Conference “Women, peace and security”, Tbilisi, 2021
- Presented the paper “The tensed coexistence of the Rule of Law and COVID-19 in the European Union” to the 2nd International Scientific Conference on Social and Legal Sciences, Tetovo, 2021
- Presented the paper “The interface between Trademarks and Geographical Indication: Could the CJEU solve the long-standing issue?” to the 4th International Conference – Towards Sustainable Development, Mother Teresa University, Skopje, 2020
- Presented the paper “The legal response of Western Balkans countries to combat the coronavirus pandemic” to the 1st International e-Conference on “The Uncertainties and Challenges in the Balkans: Case of COVID’19”, University of New York Tirana, Tirana, 2020
- Presented the paper “The future of the European Union: Has it successfully withstood the coronavirus pandemic” to the 2nd International Conference of Law and Arts, Pejë, 2020

Conferences

- Presented the paper “Challenges and implications for the future of the Western Balkans towards European Union” to 2nd International Congress “Towards Sustainable Development”, University Mother Teresa, Skopje, 2018
- Presented the paper “Youth decision-making and the law” to 5th International Congress, International Balkan University, Skopje, 2018
- Presented the paper “Rule of law in the Constitution of Kosovo” to 2nd International Congress of Law and Economic science, Prishtina 2017
- Chair of Ghent University Conference “Decrypting the Trade and Investment Agreement between Vietnam and the EU, Ghent, 2020
- Panelist/speaker at Women, Peace & Security Tbilisi International Conference in the panel Women in peace, negotiation and conflict resolution, Tbilisi, 2020
- Ghent Model United Nations (Secretary General of the Conference), Ghent, 2021
- Moscow International Model United Nations (President of the Economic and Social Council), Moscow, 2020
- Ghent Model United Nations (Secretary General of the Conference), Ghent, 2020
- Organiser and panelist of Conference: EU-Mercosur Agreement: Business as usual or legal (r)evolution?, Ghent, 2019

Honours and awards

- Academic Polish Model United Nations (President of the Council of the EU), Warsaw, 2019
- Model United Nations Albania (Chair of the High-level Political Forum), Tirana, 2019
- BME Model United Nations (Director/Chair of the UN Human Rights Council), Budapest, 2019
- Vienna Model European Union (Vice-President of the Council of the EU), Vienna, 2019
- Zagreb International Model United Nations (Chair in the Security Council), Zagreb, 2018
- Model European Union Paris Conference, BETA France, Paris, 2018
- Harvard International Model United Nations Conference, Harvard University, Boston, 2017
- Defence and Dialogue in Eastern Europe, EAD Society, Bucharest, 2017
- Honourable award “The best student” by University of Mitrovica, Faculty of Law, Mitrovica, 2019
- Honourable mention at Brussels Model European Union Conference, Brussels, 2018
- Honourable mention at Baskent Model United Nations Conference, Ankara, 2017

Courses

- Best video on the competition “Why won’t I vote the corrupted candidates?”, KDI, Prishtina, 2017
- Completed the training by GIZ on Project Cycle Management, Prishtina, 2021

Certifications

- Prishtina International Summer University, “Introduction to American Criminal Justice System Course”, ECTS credits: 4, Prishtina, 2018
- Prishtina International Summer University, “Transitional Justice”, ECTS credits: 4, Prishtina, 2019
- Participant at Youth meeting with the Secretary General of the UN, Mr. Antonio Guterres at the United Nations Headquarters in New York, 2020
- Participant at “United in Diversity” Training, Suhareke, 2019
- Participant at workshop “Political parties in Kosovo and Europe”, Prishtina, 2019
- Participant at seminar “Inclusion of women in politics in the 21st century”, Prizren, 2019
- Participant at workshop “International Intervention in Crisis Areas – Conflict Resolution” (NATO simulation), NATO Foundation Defense College, Prishtina, 2018
- Judge in the Mock Trial representing University of Mitrovica, Pristina, 2017
- Participant at Leadership Training, Prizren, 2017