



# FACULTY OF CIVIL ENGINEERING

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*Prof. Dr. Darko Moslavac was born on April 21, 1962, in Skopje. He graduated from the Faculty of Civil Engineering in Skopje in 1986. After graduation, he worked in the construction companies "Mavrovo" and "Pelagonija", through which he acquired great experience working as a B.Sc. in engineering, not only in the Republic of Macedonia, but also in Iraq, Israel, and Kuwait. In October 1995, he was elected assistant at the Department of Roads within the Faculty of Civil Engineering in Skopje. He finished postgraduate studies in 1999, as well as doctoral studies in 2004. Since then until now he has passed all academic steps of promotion to full professor. In the period from 2011 until 2015, he performed the function of Vice Dean for Science and International Cooperation, and editor-in-chief of the International Journal of Civil Engineering, published by the faculty. Since 2015 until present day, he has been the Dean of the Faculty of Civil Engineering in Skopje.*

The Faculty of Civil Engineering is the oldest technical faculty in the country, and an integral part of the largest University in the Republic of Macedonia, the University Ss. Cyril and Methodius. The beginnings of the faculty were on October 6, 1949, the day when the first lessons were delivered to the students in the amphitheatre of the Technical Faculty. At that time, the Technical Faculty consisted of the Departments of Civil Engineering and Architecture. Since then, the Faculty of Civil Engineering went through several phases of development, following the reformations of the University, the demands of the country and the economy, continuously developing civil engineering and related engineering disciplines. With devoted work of our professors, assistants and administrative staff, the Faculty has high success in the accomplishment of its main mission, to provide the best quality in higher education of young engineers, giving a clear landmark in the society development. Today, our Faculty is recognized as a respected institution for higher education of students in civil engineering, geodesy and geotechnics with related disciplines. More than 4.500 students had obtained their diploma degree of graduate engineers, more than 320 students have a master's degree, and 99 students obtained titles of doctors of technical sciences in the fields of civil engineering, geodesy and geotechnics in the past 68 years. The faculty continuously improves the study programmes according to the contemporary scientific achievements, as well as in accordance with the methods and tools for performance of the teaching process. Starting from September 2013, all study programmes are organized according to the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS) model, 3+2+3.



For the first three years in the first cycle studies (undergraduate studies), there are three programmes: civil engineering, geodesy, and geotechnics. The next two years in the second cycle studies (after graduate studies) are in: structural engineering, hydrotechnical engineering, infrastructural engineering, geodesy, geotechnics, and real estate management. The first cycle lasts six semesters (180 credits), while the second cycle lasts additional four semesters (120 credits). The doctoral studies in civil engineering with several modules started in 2011 and last additional six semesters (180 credits). Detailed information about the study cycles is available on the web-site: [www.gf.ukim.edu.mk](http://www.gf.ukim.edu.mk).

The Faculty has 2 amphitheatres and 17 classrooms, with a total area of 1.700 m<sup>2</sup>. In addition, eight laboratories covering an area of 1.400 m<sup>2</sup> are used for practical realization of the education, as well as for scientific and research activities. A library with more than 16.000 titles and journals is available for the students. For the purposes of the educational process at the faculty, contemporary software packages for calculation and design are used, as well as appropriate computer programmes for graphic design and electronic presentation of the technical documentation. The Faculty of Civil Engineering has successful international cooperation with an extensive list of similar universities and faculties in the field of exchange of the teaching staff, scientific research in different programs, mobility of students and professors in different international network programs, etc. In parallel with education as a basic activity, the faculty also develops scientific research that is recognized in the country and abroad. Many researches are published and cited in important international papers and journals. They participate in the European scientific projects, and they are leaders of many national projects. They represent a bridge between the science and the industry, implementing the contemporary methods, new materials and sophisticated structures in practice. The Scientific Journal of Civil Engineering (SJCE), established in December 2012, and published bi-annually, is available online on the web site [www.gf.ukim.edu.mk](http://www.gf.ukim.edu.mk). High quality publications, enhancing objectivity and fairness of the review process are the primary goals of the journal. Our students are the greatest real treasure of the faculty, and all the ideas for improvement of the education process are developed and realized with their ambitious work and help. At the moment, the faculty has approximately 1.800 active students. They represent the engineering force which is ready to significantly contribute to the country's development and its affirmation in the world.



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