

Professor Vida Demarin - the Laureate of the Croatian Academy of Medical Sciences

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On December 11, 2019, held the “Dies Academicus” of the Croatian Academy of Medical Sciences (CAMS) at which on behalf of the Academy the president of the Academy Professor Jasna Lipozenčić and the Chairman of the Academy’s Committee on awards and acknowledgements Professor Šime Mihatov have awarded Professor Vida Demarin as the title Laureate of the Academy for the year 2018. The ceremony venue was the main hall of the Croatian Medical Association. According to the Academy’s protocol, every year they can award one outstanding member. Professor Demarin has been the full member of the CAMS since 1994, in some terms, she had been an active member of Academy Committees and in her professional work, she contributed to the reputation of the Academy in Croatian and international society.

Professor Demarin is not only the reputable researcher, also the Deputy editor in the RAD CASA Medical sciences and President of the Department of Medical Sciences at the Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts, is the full professor with tenure at the University of Zagreb. Her main areas of research studying are vascular disorders of the brain, the cerebral autoregulation and cerebral vasoreactivity. She is a pioneer in s Doppler Diagnostics in Croatia and in Central and Southeastern Europe, and her work has significantly advanced the noninvasive diagnosis of cerebrovascular disorders in primary prevention of stroke. She has published more than 400 scientific papers, 59 papers and 59 books and educational texts. She has given more than 150 invited lectures at international and 50 national conferences on. There are more than 4000 citations in the SCI. She is the editor and also a member of several editorial boards of medical journals. Professor Demarin is successfully organizing several national and international congresses, symposia and courses. Since 2002 she is organizing conferences on evidence based medicine, and since 2003 is leading conferences on brain disorders, organized by the Department of Medical Sciences of the Croatian



Prof. Vida Demarin, MD, PhD, Full member of CASA, Head of the Department of Medical Sciences CASA



Academy of Arts and Sciences. She was a principal researcher in many completed projects of the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Head of the Croatian branch of four international projects, Principal researcher in several international neuropharmacological researches. She is President of the Board or a member of several international scientific societies and was elected a member of the American Academy of Neurologists, the American Society for Heart and Stroke and the European Society for stroke.

Professor Vida Demarin is one of the pioneers of preventive action in the prevention of cerebrovascular disease and improving the quality of life. She was among the founders of the Croatian Neurological Society and CMA, and was its president, then the Croatian Society for Stroke Prevention and the Croatian Society for Neurovascular Disorders of the CMA. She is a member of the Croatian Academy of Medical Sciences since 1994. Professor Demarin affirmed in the country and abroad, and her scientific and professional work has significantly influenced the development of neuroscience in Croatia and worldwide.