

## BIOGRAPHY

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### Vesna Rašković

I have been working as a history teacher for a long time, almost 30 years. For the longest period of time, I have been employed at the Fifth Belgrade High School and I work with students aged 15 to 19. In addition to teaching, I also participated in the development of student achievement standards at the end of high school, as well as in the development of other documents related to the teaching of history. I am the co-author of a textbook for the second grade of high school, and I participated in the preparation and implementation of a seminar for teachers of elective programs in social sciences. During my professional development, I went through many teacher trainings where teaching methods were presented, as well as the results of historiography. Thanks to that, I had the opportunity to apply what I learned at the seminar directly in class. The training provided by the Memorial de la Shoa brings multiple benefits: access to historical sources for work on the topic of the Holocaust and training the participants in how to use different materials in teaching about the Holocaust.

### Anduana Shahini

I have studied history at the Tirana University. I have been working for 17 years as a history teacher at the "16 Shtatori" gymnasium in Shijak. I am directed the school senate and the activities, making possible the inclusion of the students in national and international competitions. As a history teacher a think that the most important way to improve our students and learned them the value education is to involved them in different activities related to history and civilization.

### Aleksandar Veljanoski

Aleksandar Veljanoski, Bitola, Macedonia, professor of History, 14 years of work experience in primary education. Education, as a constant process, needs upgrading. One of the more difficult and persistent topics is the Holocaust. Teamwork, getting to know other cultures, other ethnicities, solving problems, general civilizational values...are a constant challenge for work.