

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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## SELECTED LECTURES BY INVITATION

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University of Belgrade, Graduate School for Multidisciplinary Studies, Yugoslavia  
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Institute for Marine Biology, Kotor, Yugoslavia  
Institute for Biophysics, Puschino, Russia  
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University of Connecticut, Department of Physiology, Farmington, USA  
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RIKEN, Brain Science Institute, Japan  
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## WORKSHOPS / MEETINGS ORGANIZED

Satellite workshop at the 2008 FENS Conference in Geneva, Switzerland on optical imaging with voltage-sensitive dyes ( <http://fens2008.neurosciences.asso.fr/pages/program.html#E>