CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL DATA: Born 1949 in a family of medical doctors (for centuries ancestors where priests), in Belgrade, Yugoslavia, one child.

EDUCATION :

1968 – Graduated from a High School and entered the University of Belgrade, Faculty of Philosophy, Department of Psychology

1974 - Acquired BA Degree in Clinical Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade

1978 - Acquired **MA** Degree in Psychotherapy, Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade

1986 - Completed Specialization in Medical Psychology at the University of Belgrade

1989 - Acquired Ph.D. in Psychotherapy, Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade (cum laudatum)

STUDIES :

1976 – Studied Body-Psychotherapy with Charles Kelley at Radix Institute, Santa Monica, California, and various Humanistic Psychotherapies at several institutes, universities and hospitals in California and London. Upon return to Yugoslavia, organized seminars and lectures on education in Humanistic Psychotherapy, so far unknown in Yugoslavia. Starting school of Body Psychotherapy – TePsynthesis. 1971-73 – Psychoanalysis with Prof.Vojin Matic, Jeftovic(YU) and Jadyr de Araujo Goes (Brazil) 1974-75. 1978-79 – Esalen Institute, Big Sur, Cal.- studied various psychotherapeutic methods, specially "body work", applied in Growth Centers (like Gestalt, Radix, Bioenergetic, Psychosynthesis, Encounter, Structural Integration, etc.).

1979 – Central Foundation, Los Angeles – Psychological Fitness Training; and invited by Biocentric Institute to take part in the workshop at Beverly Hills. Also visited several universities, hospitals and institutes dealing with psychological growth study.

1980 – Completed Radix Course "Segment One" in body-psychotherapy. Continued studying Radix also in Europe for a few years and assisting C. Kelley Radix seminars.

1989 – Completed Radix Training Program and became a **Certified Radix Teacher** (Adjunct to Clinical Psychology). **Licensed Kelley/RADIX Trainer** in 2005.

1977 – 2014 and on: Supervised from Body-Psychotherapy Trainers in her work with her Trainees in her educative courses for Body-Psychotherapy: Lara Amber 1977, David Boadella 1984, Mark Ludwig 1986, William and Lillian Davis 1987, Nelly Pasque 1988, Andrea Pitzal 1988, Marie Schils 1989, Joel Dweck Isacs 1990, Sylvia Amsz 1997, Courtenay Young 1997,98, Christiane Lewin 2004, Erik Jarlnaes 2004, Inge Joachim 2007, Ditte Marcher 2008; Aneesha Laura Dillon 2014; etc.

1993 – The Serbian Certificate of Psychotherapy (SDPS)

1999 – The Yugoslav Certificate of Psychotherapy (SDPJ)

2001 – The European Certificate of Psychotherapy (EAP) and similar Certificates: WCBP, EABP, etc. 2005 – Radix Trainer license (K/R)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE :

1975 – 1999. - Been working as **Clinical Psychologist** at the Psychiatric Clinic of KBC Dedinje Hospital in Belgrade – Psychotherapy and Psycho diagnostic. Supervising students during specialization.

1975 - 2015. Participated in more than 100 conferences, congresses and seminars in the field

1982 - present - Psychotherapeutic private practice in Belgrade, including individuals, groups,

workshops, education, supervision, as well as creating training program in TePsynthesis, etc.

2005 – University Professor at Singidunum University, ALU, Belgrade, YU.

2009 - University Professor at European University in Belgrade, Medical Academy, in Serbia.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE :

Since 1976-1999: Been teaching students coming to the Clinic for practical work in Clinical Psychology, supervising their practical work in diagnosis and psychotherapy with patients.

Since 1976-present: Been teaching the basics of Body -Psychotherapy to psychologists and psychiatrists and supervising their work with clients. **Developing first school for Body-Psychotherapy in YU-TePsynthesis**

1986 - 1999: A number of demonstrations and lectures in the field of Body Psychotherapy - Department of Psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade.

1975 –1998: A number of lectures on humanistic psychotherapy, Body-Psychotherapy and Radix, Postgraduate Studies of the Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade

1976 - participating at Annual Psychological Conference in Monterey, Cal, U.S.A. : Praxis in YU.

In 1984 - Lectures and workshops – Theosophical Society of Yugoslavia

1986 - Psychological summer school – lectures and workshops, Maribor, Slovenia.

1984 - 1988: Lectures and workshops at the Komaja, Mediation School in Zurich and Zagreb.

1989 -leading ECPD Management seminar with Prof. Ante Lauc in Bugojno, Bosna, 22-24 June

1995 – lectures on Psychotherapy and Body Psychotherapy – Department of Psychology, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia. 1993-2004: lectures and workshops - Arx organization in Slovenia

1997-2004 – lectures and workshops: Psychological Growth, in Montenegro: Podgorica, Herceg-Novi,

Budva, Petrovac, Igalo (starts training for Body Psychotherapy in Montenegro).

Lectures on EABP Congresses: 1995 in France, 1997 in Austria, 1999 in Germany, 2004 in Greece.

2003 - lectures on Body Psychotherapy and Yoga at Universities in Sagar and Haridwar, India.

2004 – lectures on FORUM of European schools of Body Psychotherapy about study program in TePsynthesis - in Athens, Greece. Accreditation in Paris, France, 2005.

2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009- lectures as University Professor at **Singidunum University, Belgrade** - **Academy of fine Arts -** ALU – Akademija lepih Umetnosti, Fakultet scenskih i primenjenih umetnosti,

Beograd, Serbia. Lecturing General Psychology, Art Psychology, etc.

2009,10,11,12 – at **European University in Belgrade, Medical Academy**, as regular University Professor, establishing programs for Applied Psychology, Psychotherapy, Clinical Psychology, Counseling, Holism, Body Psychotherapy, Art, etc.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Since 1976 - One of initiators of introducing humanistic and transpersonal psychotherapy in Yugoslavia. Organized and presented the first workshops run by international lectures in Radix bodywork, Primal Integration, T.A. and Gestalt Integration, Biosynthesis and similar techniques from field of psychotherapy. 1976 – present: developing first school for Body-Psychotherapy in Yugoslavia. 1991-In cooperation with European Association for Body Psychotherapy and similar Associations continues her pioneer work for further development of the first School for Body Psychotherapy – TePsynthesis - on the whole territory of ex –Yugoslavia. 1999 TePsynthesis is internationally recognized.

In 1984 - Became the Secretary of Psychotherapeutic Section, Association of Psychologists of Serbia. In 1996 - Established **first Serbian Association for Body- Psychotherapy** – President.

1980-2004. - Growth Center projects: Belgrade 1980; Budva 1987; Herceg Novi 1991,2000; Podgorica, Montenegro 1997-9.

1998– Established **first Yugoslavian Association for Body-Psychotherapy** (Founder and President YABP)

2003 - Founder of the **World Committee for Body Psychotherapy** in World Council for Psychotherapy 2005 – National representative in EABP Council of National Associations.

2005 – Accreditation of TePsynthesis from Forum EABP in Paris,; WCBP Accreditation – 2003, India. 2005, 06, 07, 08, 09 developing program in Art psychology at Academy of fine Arts – ALU.

2009/12 – developing programs at European University in Belgrade, Medical Academy, as regular University Professor.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES : Lectures for general public, writing for scientific and popular magazines, holding seminars, demonstrations, presentations, and running workshops, at various professional conferences in Yugoslavia, Serbia and abroad.

Over a 500 of TV, radio, community and other lectures for nonprofessionals.

PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS:

Psychotherapy, personal growth, humanistic and transpersonal psychology, bodywork, psychosynthesis. Current research: The function of bliss and power.

OTHER INTERESTS :

Dancing, painting, writing, massaging, swimming, diving, hill walking, skiing, traveling, creating dresses, color arrangements, has diving license, able to use PC, etc. – Studying "The Art of Living"

MEMBERSHIPS :

Serbian Association for Body Psychotherapy – Founder and President till 2013 Serbian Council for Body Psychotherapy – Founder and President from 2014 Association of Psychologists in Serbia , Serbian Associations for Psychotherapy (Board Member) Radix Teachers Association (K/R) European Association for Psychotherapy, EAP, European Association for Body Psychotherapy, EABP World Council for Psychotherapy (WCP) and World Council for Body Psychotherapy (WCBP), etc.

PUBLICATIONS :

1. **BOOKS:**

I. "**Body-Psychotherapy** (**To Orgasm and further**) ", a book summarizing all my work up to date, Eko – primat, Zemun YU, 1995. Second enlarged edition: Skripta international, Beograd, 2001. Trite enlarged edition: UTPJ, Beograd, 2004. Forth enlarged CD edition: UTPS, Beograd, 2012.

II. Monograph: Psihosomatsko jedinstvo umetničkog izražavanja - važnost izražajnog jezika živog u Umetnosti (Psychosomatic unity of artistic expression – importance of expressive language of living in Art) – UTPS, Beograd, 2010.

III. Monograph: *TE-PSINTESIS* - škola telesne psihoterapije (TePsyntesis – school of Body Psychotherapy Synthesis) – UTPS, Beograd, 2010.

IV. Monograph : Telesna Psihoterapija i Psiho-telesna sinteza (Body Psychotherapy & Psychocorporal synthesis) – WCBP, Beograd, 2019.

 INTRODUCTIONS for a few books on Body Psychotherapy published in YU, such as: "Function of Orgasm" by W. Reich, 1988; "Body Faith", by T. Mandic, 1991; "The Fulfillment of Female Sexuality" by Lonnie Garfield Barbach, 1999. etc.

3. CHAPTER IN BOOK:

Chapter: "Body Psychotherapy" in textbook for Faculty of Medicine, University of Belgrade, postgraduate study, PSYCHOTHERAPY, ed.Lj.Eric, Medicine University Belgrade, 2001, 2002, 2006.

4. SCRIPT - TEXTBOOK:

Psychosomatic unity in Art - Jedinstvo psihe i some u Umetnosti, **Academy of fine Arts -** ALU – Akademija lepih Umetnosti, Fakultet scenskih i primenjenih umetnosti, Beograd, 29. nov. 68a, 2007.

5. **EDITOR:** Editing the book: **Oblaci nad gradom** (Clouds over the city), Dr Slavke Mihajlovic Klisic (1955), writing introduction and foreword, Bgd, second edition 2008; 3.edition 2015. **Chapters**: 1. Psihološki rast (Psychological growth); 2. Telesno psihološka sinteza (Body psychological synthesis); in book: Oblaci nad gradom, Dr Slavke Mihajlović, ed.Lj. Klisic, 2008, 2015, Bgd.

- 6. **PROFESSIONAL WEB-SITE**: in Internet, for a professionals in the field:
 - 1. Tepsintesis Škola telesne psihoterapije, 2006 and on: www.tepsyntesis.org
 - 2. World Council for Body Psychotherapy, 2008 and on: <u>www.wcbpt.org</u>
 - 3. You Tube channel TV interw: you tube Tepsyntesis Ljiljana Klisic

7. **THESIS:**

1 Doctoral research: "Evaluation of Successfulness in Training Psychotherapists for Application of Radix Psychotherapy Method", University in Belgrade, 1989.

2. Masters research: "Validation of Intervening Techniques-guided images and movements", University in Belgrade, 1978.

- 8. **ARTICLES** published in scientific journals, such as:
- a.1. "An Idea for Projective Technique", PSYCHOLOGICAL BULLETIN No.1 2, Belgrade, 1977
- a.2. "Psychotherapy and Criteria in USA", PSYCHOLOGY Journal of Serbian Association of Psychologists, Vol. X, No. 1. Belgrade, 1977.
- a.3. "Overcoming the Orientation to Pathology During Psychotherapy", COLLECTION OF WORKS of 3 rd Congress of Psychotherapists of Yugoslavia, Belgrade, 1979
- a.4. "Radix Education and Functional Psychotherapy New Alternatives in Psychotherapy", PSYCHOLOGY - journal of Serbian Association of Psychologists, Vol. XIII, No, 1 - 2, Belgrade, 1980,

- a.5. "Psychological Growth: Neoreichian approach" New Group Psychotherapies, AVALA, 1980
- a.6. "Character Structure and Types", PSYCHIATRY TODAY, Vol. XIII, No.4, Belgrade, 1981
- a.7. "Psychological Factors in Vision Problems and Therapy Possibilities", BODY & MIND, Medical Center Dr Dragisa Misovic, Belgrade, 1983.
- a.8. "Education in Neoreichian Bioenergetic RADIX Method ", Psychology News, no.91.Vol.X. Belgrade, 1986.

a.9. "Sexuality on different levels of consciousness - clasification", publications of V.Congress YU. Psychotherapists, Sarajevo, 1987.

- a.10. "Education in Reichian Psychotherapy and our Experiences in Radix Orientation", 9 Th Congress of Psychologists of Yugoslavia, pub: Serbian Association of Psychologists, 1988.
- a.11, "Pulsation in Radix Psychotherapy", AVALA, Publications of 19 Th Educational Seminar of The Psychiatric Clinic of the University Center of Belgrade, 1989.
- a.12. "Bioenergetic Therapy", Psychotherapy: Doctrine-Eclectic-Integration, AVALA, Belgrade, 1991.
- a.13. "Orgasm Concept", in: Body Psychotherapy-The Art of Contact, EABP, Berlin, 1992,
- a.14. "Reichian versus Tantric Understanding of Sexuality", RADIX REVIEW, European Radix Teachers Association, 1993, Vol. III, Augsburg, Germany
- a.15. Primitivism and moral system development in B-P; Psych.Assoc.43.anual.publ. 1995.
- a.16. "Orgasm Development" in: ENERGY AND CHARACTER, Volume 28, No. 1. May 1997, London
- a.17. "Sexuality versus Spirituality", Brain and Consciousness, ECPD, 1997, Belgrade
- a.18. "100 years Wilhelm Reich "Psychology News, Belgrade, 1997.
- a.19. Education in Body-Psychotherapy postgraduate level; Psychology News, Belgrade, 1997
- a.20. "The Function of Bliss" 7.EABP Congress pub. Travemunde, Germany, 1999.
- a.21. "Body Psychotherapy and TePsynthesis" Psych.Assoc.47. annual, publ.Belgrade, Yu, 1999
- a.22. "Psychological Growth and Development" ISKRE, 85-103, Afina, Podgorica, 2000.
- a.23. "Power of Body-Psychotherapy and TePsynthesis"; Psych.Assoc.48.anual.publ, Nis, 2000.

a.24. "Transference or Eros?" Psych.Assoc.48.anual.publ, Nis, 2000.

- a.25. "Bioregeneration and sexuality" School for bioregenerative medicine, YU-BDORT, Bgd, 2001.
- a.26. "Body Psychotherapy" in PSYCHOTHERAPY, Eric, Medicine University textbook, Belgrade, 2001.
- a.27. TePsyntesis as a method of psychosomatic preparation in sport: mountain-climbing; in: Planinarstvo u 3. milenijumu, PSS, 2001.
- a.28. "Body Psychotherapy Synthesis" Mental health Inst, IMZ: Between body and soul, Belgrade, 2002.

a.29. "Orgasm: measuring,norms and function" 31.educative seminar,Normal and disturbed sexual behaviour, Med.Fak.Univ.of Belgrade, Megraf,2003

a.30. TePsynthesis and ethics,; Psych.Assoc.51.anual.publ,B.Koviljaca, 2003.

a.31. TePsynthesis in mangment network,; Psych.Assoc.51.anual.publ,B.Koviljaca, 2003.

a.32. TePsynthesis workshop: Pulsation; Psych.Assoc.51.anual.publ,B.Koviljaca, 2003.

a.33. TePsynthesis Between East and West (Agression development) – publ. International Conference on Psychotherapy, Yoga and Traditional Therapies, Sagar, India, November, 2003.

a.34. Two roads in psychotherapy (Bliss), University of Haridwar, Jagdamba Pub.Co.,India, Feb.04.

a.35. Energy and consciousness, publ. Homeopathic medicine conference, Beograd, Dec. 2002.

a.36. Identity of Light vs. Identity of Shadow, in European Identity&Psychotherapy, EAP, YUAP, IMZ, Belgrade, 2005.

a.37. TePsynthesis = YU Training School of BodyPsynthesis, in: Forum book, EABP, 2005.

a.38. Zaboravljena žena(Forgoten woman): Dr Slavka Mihajlović Klisic, u Mapiranje mizoginije u Srbiji (Mapping misogyny in Serbia), AZIN, 2005.

a.39. Gordijev čvor mizoginije: senzualnost kao objekt mržnje (Sensuality like object of hate), u Mapiranje mizoginije u Srbiji (Mapping misogyny in Serbia), AZIN, 2005.

a.40. Between Love and Hate, in: Love and Psychiatry, Mental health Inst, IMZ: , Belgrade, 2006.

a. 41. Survival in crisis - panel, publ. 10. EABP Kongress, Askov, Denmark, 2006.

a.42. Jedinstvo tela i psihe (Mind-body Unity) – Psych.Assoc.anual.publ 2006, Zlatibor, Serbia.

a.43. Iskustva Profesora na Umetnickim Akademijama(Experiences of the Proffessor on Art Academy) – Psiholoske novine, maj, 2007.

a.44. From Aggression To Power (2007) Radix K/R website

a.45. Psychosomatic unity of artistic expressions- ALU lectures, CD textbook, 2007.

a.46. Psihološki rast; and: Telesno psihološka sinteza; in book: **Oblaci nad gradom**, Dr Slavke Mihajlović, ed.Lj. Klisic, 2008, Bgd.

a.47. TePsyntesis; in Psychotherapy, Science and Yoga Traditions; 2010, Chandigarh, WCP-Asi.ch., India. a.48. Body Psychotherapy and Spirituality; in Psychotherapy, Science and Yoga Traditions; 2010, Chandigarh, WCP-Asi.ch., India.

49. Klisic, Ljiljana & Djordjevic, Anja (2011). BODY PSYCHOTHERAPY AND TE-PSYNTESIS; Symposium of Quantum-Informational Medicine QIM 2011, Belgrade.

50. Klisic, Ljiljana & Djordjevic, Anja; Ana Ristovic, Nebojsa Milicevic, Sladjana Djordjevic, Jelisaveta Rogosic, Biljana Jokic, Maja Lekic, Saša Bogdanović, Elena Kuzmanovic, Nikola Djordjevic, (2011). SCIENCE AND BODY PSYNTESIS HOLISTIC APPROACHES; Symposium of Quantum-Informational Medicine QIM 2011, Belgrade.

51. Klisic, Ljiljana & Djordjevic, Anja; Jelena Vojnovic, Igor Pavlukovic, Elena Kuzmanovic, (2011). TE-PSYNTESIS BODY PSYCHOTHERAPY; Symposium of Quantum-Informational Medicine QIM 2011, Belgrade.

 Klisic, Ljiljana & Mandic, Tijana & Djordjevic, Anja (2015). TePsyntesis approach to trauma; publ.1st International Congress on Psychic Trauma:Prenatal, Perinatal & Postnatal Aspects(PTPPPA2015)Belgrade.
 Mandic, Tijana & Klisic, Ljiljana & Djordjevic, Anja (2015). Renegotiating of the trauma; publ.1st International Congress on Psychic Trauma:Prenatal, Perinatal & Postnatal Aspects(PTPPPA2015)Belgrade.
 Klisić, Ljiljana. (2022). Primat srca u TePsyntesis - Heart Primacy in TePsyntesis, Introjekcija-Projekcija; sem. Ljudi govore: Man and Psyche; IMZ:, Belgrad.

55. Klisić, Ljiljana. (2022). Dr Slavka Mihajlović-Klisić : model za identifikaciju -**Identification model;** Srbske intelektualne heroine; Prijatelji Srpske Kulture, Belgrad

56. Klisić, Ljiljana; Milić, Andrea; Čolić Mina (2022). O Telesnim Psihoterapijama – About Body Psychotherapies; Visoka škola soc.rada - Psihoterapija: medicina, nauka ili umetnost, Belgrad.
57. Klisić, Ljiljana. (2023) Telesno-Psiholoska sinteza rada sa Granicama u Te-Psy; Borders; u Granice Granica; sem. Ljudi govore: Man and Psyche; IMZ:, Beograd.

Ect.

ADDITIONAL STUDIES :

Transpersonal Psychology:

Ljiljana Klisic Ph.D. have been active on her spiritual path in learning Transpersonal Psychology from Douglas Russel (1976,Pasadena, U.S.A.), Stanislav Grof (1978,79,Esalen, U.S.A.), David Boadella (1984), Joel Dweck (1978,79,90), Courtney Young (1997,98 Findhorn, UK), Prof.Dr.Ganesh Shankar, Prof.Dash, Prof. Giri at Depart. of Yogic Science, University of Sagar and Univ.of Haridwar (2003, 2010) India, etc. Also, she studied Theosophy, Yoga, Tantra, Tao, Buddhism, Christian mysticism and another spiritual traditions.

She has been in presence of great Spiritual Teachers, stayed in spiritual communities, ashrams, participated in seminars, exercises and / or gets lectures, interviews, and spiritual praxis:

Satyananda - Bihar University of Yoga, India, 1979 – 2009. In Lipice 1982 – personal contact.

Daskalos (Dr.Stilianos Atteshlis) - Christian mysticism, in Cyprus, 1991 – 92. – personal contact.

Osho Rajneesh Multiversity sannyasins in Esalen, Cal, 1978-79; 1980 – 2014 and on, Mahavira, CG. Osho - Aneesha Laura Dillon 2014 and on;

Makaja – Komaja meditation school, Zurich, Zagreb, 1982 – 1992

Philip Kapleau, Za-zen school, Japan, in Bgd. 1984.

Vishnu Dewananda - Yoga, Shivananda, India, in Medjugorje 1987.

Sai Baba – Yoga, in India, 1990.

Shivabalayogy - Yoga, in India, Bangalore, 1990.

Baba Sam – Tantra, in Sri Lanka, 1990.

Dalai Lama – Tenzin Gyamco, Tibetan Buddhism, in Budapest, 1990.

Namkhai Norbu Rinpoche – Tibetan Buddhism, 1987- 2016, in Bgd. Transmisions – 1990;

Otac Tadej – Orthodox Christian mysticism, in Vitovnica, Yu, 1990.

Oliver Leick- Yantra Yoga - Tibetan Buddhism, Wien - Bgd, 1991, 2012,13.

Paagal Baba – Tantra & Krya Yoga, India, in Slovenia, 1993 – 1996 and 2003 in India.

Aristid Havlichek – Theosophy, Ljubljana, 1983 – 2016.

Sivamurti - Bihar school of Yoga, 1987 in Budva, in Nis and Bgd.1992 - 2014 and on.

Lama Navang - Tibetan Buddhism, in Bgd. 1996

Lopsan Mongush – Shaman: Living Shamanism treasure- from Tiva, Kizlar, Rusia, 1996 July in Wien. Yvon Bec Myo Ken – Za-zen, in Hungary, 1996-99.

Lama Ole Nydahl - Tibetan Buddhism, 1988-Poland, 1999-Hyngary, Bgd: 2005, 06,07,2013;

Prota Milutin Ranisavljevic - Ortodox Christian mysticism, in Rajkovac, 1998

Omega – Spiritual exploration group, PEAT, Thai-chi, chi-gong, ESP, meditation, etc: 2000-2014.

Prof.Swami Ananta Bharati, Himalayan International Insitute, in India, 2003.

Vladika Porfirije, Ortodox Christian mysticism, Kovilj, 2007,08, 09, 10...

Lama Mönlama (Karmapa) transmisions, Bgd, 2008.

Yogiratna Dr Shashi Bhushgan Mishra (Shivananda, Jyotirmayananda) in India, 2010.

Dzogchen, Thayasling, Tibetan Buddhism, 1987-2020 - and on, Bgd.

Mooji, Shri Ramana Maharshi tradition, from 2017, 20 & on,

Yeshi Namkhai, Dzogchen, Tibetan Buddhism, Merigar; 1987-2023 - and on; e.t.c.