

Metodija Najdoski

Metodija Najdoski received his Ph.D. in Materials Chemistry from the Ss. Cyril and Methodius University in 2000. He holds his position at Ss. Cyril and Methodius, Faculty of Natural Sciences, Institute of Chemistry since 1993 and in 2011 was promoted in a full professor status. He teaches courses on General and Inorganic Chemistry, Methodology of Chemistry experimentation, Experimental Inorganic Chemistry, Microscale Chemistry Experimentation and Forensic Chemistry.

Over the past 30 years, has published around 120 papers with 2378 citations (Google scholar), mainly in the area of Materials Science of Inorganic Thin Films, Infrared Spectroscopy and has significant number of educational papers related to the design of chemical experiments and Microscale Chemistry. Ten books are also written by him in the area of Experimental chemistry, Experiments for Chemical Education and General Chemistry. Besides the books, he has also published close to 10 Laboratory manuals in the same areas. Prof. Najdoski was visiting professor in Mexico at the Ibero-American University, Babes- Bolyai University, Romania and twice in Leipzig University in Germany. As an invited lecturer he has given lectures in Romania, Japan, Germany, Kuwait, many times in Israel etc.

Metodija Najdoski gave in total around 60 invited lectures and workshops. Just this year he gave workshop for professors in chemistry from Thailand, Malesia, Philippines and another one for German professors in chemistry. He has few patent applications and one of them is for Educational Chemistry Kits. In 2006 he received a Medal of distinguishing visiting professor at Universidad Iberoamericana and in the same year he received a Prize for the most successful innovation from Macedonian Universities for Educational Chemistry Kits. In 2007 he was the recipient of Award plaque of the Ss. Cyril and Methodius University as a sign for the contribution in the affirmation of the University and in the same year he received award a Bronze Medal with Nikola Tesla's Face from the Belgrade Association of Inventors and Authors of Technical Improvements.