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**INTEREST AREA**

Finances; Financial law and financial-law relations; Bank and banking-law relations; Financial markets; Economic-financial integration; Taxes; Tax law and tax-law relations; Budget; Budgetary approach and budgetary-law relations; Public needs; Public expenditures; Fiscal transparency; Tax evasion; Local finances; International Tax Law.

**ACADEMIC EDUCATION**

2004: Doctor of Law Sciences (field: Finance and Financial Law), University Karl Franzens – Faculty of Management and Social Science – Institute for Public Economics, Graz – Austria, and University of Pristine, Faculty of Law (modular system).

2002: German Academy on Economics and Statistics (Deutsche Academy für Wirtschaft und Datenverarbeitung – DAWIDAK)

2000: Master in Law (field: Finance and Financial Law), Faculty of Law, University of Pristine.

1994: Law Degree, (GPA 9.20), Faculty of Law, University of Pristine.

## **AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

17 October, 2014: “Golden Medal”, Crans Montana Forum, “in honour of personal achievements, competences and to emphasize the ongoing efforts of the Republic of Kosovo for integration into the World Community”. Award given at the 16<sup>th</sup> International Summit on “Transnational Crime and Homeland & Global Security” held in Geneva from 15 to 17 October, 2014. This forum presents multi-dimensional prestigious platform presentation of financial institutions, governments, parliaments, public administration and international organizations. Furthermore, this award is granted by Crans Montana’s Forum "in special cases, by special decision, for the recognition of successful achievements in favour of a more humane world”(ref:<http://carteron.typepad.com/jean-paul-carteron/2014/10/prof-dr-bedri-peci-chairman-of-the-board-of-the-central-bank-of-republic-of-kosovo-is-awarded-with-t.html>)

2002: Beneficiary of the scholarship in doctoral studies by the World University Service – Austria (WUS)

1998: Beneficiary of the scholarship of master degree from the World University Service – Austria (WUS)

1994: Distinguished Student Degree (awarded by University of Pristine on annual basis to students who have shown excellent success during studies)

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

03.10.2019-currently: Member of Advisory Panel of Elsevier. Elsevier is a data analysis company that helps institutions, health professionals and science improve their performance for the well-being of humanity.

06.06.2019 –Currently: Member of European Association of Tax Law Professors (EATLP), Amsterdam, Netherlands. It is a professional organization of (tenured, full) professors teaching tax law at universities in Europe. Because of the importance of taxation for the further development of Europe the association wants to contribute to: -the development of a common approach to the study of tax issues;-the harmonisation of taxes within the European Union;-the promotion of academic teaching & research on international, domestic and comparative taxation at the universities in Europe.

January 2010 - Currently: A permanent associate at the International Bureau of Fiscal Documentation (IBFD), Amsterdam, Netherlands, in the analysis of Corporate Tax Law and Personal Income Tax in Kosovo, as well as other analyses in Kosovo tax legislation. IBFD is the world's leading cross-border tax authority. Schools, tax practitioners, government institutions, etc, from all over the world rely on the high quality publications of IBFD. <https://www.ibfd.org/IBFD-Profiles/Bedri-Peci>

October 2018 – Currently: Full Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina “Hasan Prishtina” in subjects: a) Finance and Financial Law, and, b) Legal Fiscal Clinic - bachelor

studies while in master studies in subjects; a) International Tax Aspects, b) Tax and Budget Law, c) Fiscal Policy and Rule of Law, d) Commercial Tax Law.

2012 - Currently: Head of the Department of Finance-Law Sciences

29.04.2014 – 28.02.2018: Chairman of the Board of Central Bank of Kosovo elected by the Board of Central Bank of Republic of Kosovo.

28.02. 2013 - 29.04.2014: Non-Executive Member of the Board of Central Bank of Kosovo elected by the Assembly of Republic of Kosovo and decreed by the President of the Republic of Kosovo.

2013 – 28.02.2018: Head of the Audit Committee of the Central Bank of Kosovo.

2012 - 2016: Member of the Commission of Studies at the Rectorate of the University "Hasan Prishtina", elected by the Senate of the University "Hasan Prishtina"

October 2010 – October 2018: Associate Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina" in subjects: a) Finance and Financial Law, and, b) Legal Fiscal Clinic - bachelor studies while in master studies in subjects; a) International Tax Aspects, b) Tax and Budget Law, c) Fiscal Policy and Rule of Law, d) Commercial Tax Law.

2007 - 2009: Head of Finance-Law Department at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina".

2007 - 2009: Chair of the Disciplinary Commission at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina"

July 2005-October 2010: Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina" in subjects: a) Finance and Financial Law, and, b) Legal Fiscal Clinic - bachelor studies and master studies in subjects; a) Budget Law, b) Tax Law, and c) Fiscal Technique and Fiscal Administration.

March 2004-July 2005: Assistant Teacher at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina" in subjects: a) Finance and Financial Law, b) Fiscal Law – bachelor studies.

May 1997-2004: New Assistant at the Faculty of Law, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina" in subjects: a) Finance and Financial Law, b) Fiscal Law – bachelor studies.

November 2003: Trainer from the field of public finances for Kosovar staff of the Ministry of Economy and Finance for the relevant fields as; "Taxes and Taxation System of Kosovo", "Budget and Budget Procedures" and "Fiscal Decentralization in Kosovo", engaged by the European Union - Advisory Team - (Training and Development Sector - Ministry of Economy).

Jan. 2004-Dec. 2004: Finance Expert, European Union - Advisory Team - (Training and Dev. Sector. Engaged for advisory assistance to the Kosovo Assembly Committee for Economy

and Finances on the occasion of handling draft laws on Personal Income Taxes, Profit Tax, etc. with a view to assisting the Commission to identify international requirements in this area.

Jan. 2004-July 2004: Financial Analyst, Kosovo Research and Documentation Institute (CODE). Responsible for research and public policy studies from the legal and financial dimension.

Jan. 2000-August-2003: Senior Legal-Financial Adviser at UNMIK's Office for Non-Profit Organizations. Responsible for analyzing the annual financial reports of the International Non-profit Organizations.

1997-1998: Secretary in the editorial office "Law", periodical journal of the Faculty of Law.

### **CONFERENCES, LECTURES, STUDIES AND INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUMS**

26.10.2016: Conferences - Aligning Monetary Policy with Financial Stability - Reports and Interactions in Times of Uncertainty, organized by the University of Oxford (SEESOX) and Central Bank of Albania.

June 10-13, 2015: The 26th Annual Session of the Crans Montana Forum in Brussels.

October 15-17, 2014: Crans Montana Forum "International Summit on Transnational Crime and Homeland Security and Global Security" 16th annual session, Geneva, Switzerland.

May 12 and 13, 2014: "42nd Economics Conference -" Towards a European Banking Union: Taking Stock "Central Bank of Austria, Vienna.

2012: "Fiscal Transparency in False Law and Practice - The Case of Kosovo" presented at the 7th International Annual Meeting of the Alb-Science Institute in Skopje. Specifically, the paper is presented on dt. 29.09.2012, Wednesday, Hall 1. / Hall 1, 15: 00-16: 30 under the moderation of Prof. Dr. Gentian Zyberi

2011:"Tax System Design in Kosovo After Independence and its Key Functions" presented with a poster at the VI International Annual Meeting of the Institute of Alb-Science in Prishtina. Specifically, the paper is presented on date 03.09.2011, Saturday, Hall 1. / Hall 1, Session 6-A, 15: 00-16: 30 under the moderation of Mrs. Eleni Vangjeli.

2009: Panellist presented the study "Fiscal and Macroeconomic Effects of Privatization in Kosovo" at the International Scientific Conference "Privatization of Publicly Owned Enterprises in Kosovo - Opportunities, Lessons, Benefits and Challenges" organized by AAB-Riinvest University.

2003,2004,2005: Public Finance Lobby and Fiscal Law organized by international institutes, such as the one organized by the International Centre for Non Professionals from Washington - Lecture "Financial Analysis of Annual Reports of Non-Governmental Organizations in Kosovo - Challenges "; East-West Management Institute-USAID, lecture "Fiscal evasion and

Kosovo"; Voluntary Association for International Service, lecture "Fiscal Decentralization in Kosovo"

2001: The Panel presents the study "Modernization of Tax Administration in Kosovo" at the World Bank Conference held in Pristina in 2001.

2000: Participant in the two-week project "Development of Academic Personnel" in Budapest, organized by the Central European University (CEU).

2000: Study / Permanent Research in the Field of Taxation and Tax Policy twice a month for Karl Franzes University of Graz University.

1999: Organizer of the First Albanian-Albanian Conference, held in Tirana on 25-26 November 1999, on the topic "Economic development of Albanian territories and their regional and global integration".

He has also participated in many other symposiums such as Thessaloniki, Tirana, Skopje, Sweden and others.

## MENTORING

Leader / Mentor in 145 master theses in Master's Studies in Financial Law at the Faculty of Law of the University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina". Mentor in 2 dissertation theses/candidates and member of the committee for reviewing doctoral dissertation topics to 3 theses/candidates in Doctorate Studies in Financial Law at the Faculty of Law of the University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina".

## PUBLICATIONS

1. Bedri Peci, Taxes and tax systems with particular view in Kosovo, Monograph, Artini, (ISBN 978-9951-690-94-2), 2018, fq. 187.
2. Bedri Peci, Science on Finance and Finance Law, University book, University of Pristina "Hasan Prishtina", (ISBN 978-9951-00-196-0), 2017, fq. 438.
3. Bedri Peci, - "*Kosovo - Corporate Taxation*", chapter book in European Tax Surveys (ETS), Global Tax Surveys, IBFD, Amsterdam 2018, Linku: [https://online.ibfd.org/kbase/#topic=doc&url=/collections/gtha/html/gtha\\_k1\\_chaphead.html&WT.z\\_nav=Navigation](https://online.ibfd.org/kbase/#topic=doc&url=/collections/gtha/html/gtha_k1_chaphead.html&WT.z_nav=Navigation)
4. Bedri Peci, - "*Kosovo - Individual Taxation*", chapter book in European Tax Surveys (ETS), Global Tax Surveys, IBFD, Amsterdam 2018, Linku: [https://online.ibfd.org/collections/gthb/printversion/pdf/gthb\\_k1.pdf?print=yes](https://online.ibfd.org/collections/gthb/printversion/pdf/gthb_k1.pdf?print=yes)
5. Fitore Gezim Morina, Bedri Peci, "*The Concept of the Common Market: Advantages and Disadvantages in the Spectre of Harmonization the Tax System and the Benefits for Kosovo*", EuroEconomica, Vol.36, No 2 (2017), Danubius University Of Galati, Romania, ISSN:1582-8859 ISSN: 2065-3883, Linku : <http://journals.univdanubius.ro/index.php/euroeconomica/article/view/3726>
6. Arben Dermaku, Bedri Peci, Arber H. Hoti, "*Review of Accounting Developments during 1945-2016 in Kosovo and Challenges for the Future*", EuroEconomica, Vol 36, No 2 (2017), Danubius University Of Galati, Romania, Online ISSN:1582-8859, Print ISSN:

- 2065-3883, Linku :  
<http://journals.univdanubius.ro/index.php/euroeconomica/issue/view/258>
7. Fitore Gezim Morina, Bedri Peci, “*Harmonization of Corporate Income Tax (CIT) in the EU - Achievements and Challenges*”, Acta Universitatis Danubius. (Economica, Vol 13, No 6 (2017). Danubius University Of Galati, Romania, Online ISSN 2067-340X, Print ISSN 2065-0175. Linku:  
<http://journals.univdanubius.ro/index.php/oeconomica/article/view/4407>,
  8. Bedri Peci, Fitore Morina, “*The Legal Framework for harmonization of Value Added Tax (VAT) in European Union*”, Acta Universitatis Danubius. Juridica, Vol 13, No 1 (2017), pp.83-96, Danubius University Of Galati, Romania, Online ISSN : 2065-3891, Print ISSN 1844-8062, Linku:  
<http://journals.univdanubius.ro/index.php/juridica/article/view/3867/3943>
  9. Bedri Peci, “*Fiscal Evasion in the Republic of Kosovo*”, Acta Universitatis Danubius. (Economica, Vol 13, No 1 (2017), pp. 29-39, Acta Universitatis Danubius. (Economica, Online ISSN 2067-340X, Print ISSN 2065-0175, Linku: <http://journals.univ-danubius.ro/index.php/oeconomica/article/view/3693/3848>
  10. Bedri Peci,(2016) “*Fiscal Transparency in Theory and Practice: The case of Kosovo*” International Journal of Business and Management, Online ISSN 2336-2197, Vol. IV(4), pp. 78-91; DOI: 10.20472/BM.2016.4.4.004, Linku: <http://www.iises.net/international-journal-of-business-management/publication-detail-891>
  11. Bedri Peci, (2016), “*Tax Reforms in Selected Balkan Countries: The Case Study of Kosovo*”, Applied Economics and Finance, (ISSN 2332-7294; E-ISSN 2332-7308)Vol. 3, No. 4; pp.168-178. URL: <http://dx.doi.org/10.11114/aef.v3i4.1783> , Linku:  
<http://redfame.com/journal/index.php/aef/article/view/1783>
  12. Bedri Peci,(2016), “*Tax incentives in Kosovo Tax System*”, Acta Universitatis Danubius. (Economica Vol.12, No 4, pp. 233-239, Acta Universitatis Danubius. (Economica, Online ISSN 2067-340X, Print ISSN 2065-0175, Linku:  
<http://journals.univdanubius.ro/index.php/oeconomica/article/view/3436/3519>
  13. Bedri Peci – (2015), “*Overview of Major Issue of Tax Treaties Law in Kosovo*”, Acta Universitatis Danubius.Oeconomica Vol 11, no 3, p. 15-23, Acta Universitatis Danubius. (Economica, Online ISSN 2067-340X, Print ISSN 2065-0175, Linku:  
<http://journals.univ-danubius.ro/index.php/oeconomica/article/view/2757/2427>
  14. Bedri Peci,“*Rregullimi i marrdhënieve financiare në mes të organeve qëndrore dhe lokale në shtetet bashkëkohore*”Constitutio”, Nr. 3 dhe 4 2013, pp. 47-61.14.
  15. Bedri Peci,- “*Role of the Legislature in the Budget Procedure: The Case of Kosovo Assembly*”. ILIRIA International Review in cooperation with Felix – Verlag (Germany), Issue 1 (2013) pp.9-36. 28, German ISSN (2192-7081),  
<http://iliriapublications.org/index.php/iir/article/view/94>
  16. Peci, Bedri “*Reform of Kosovo tax system after independence and its key functions*” Iliria International Review in cooperation with Felix – Verlag (Germany), Iliria International Review in cooperation with Felix – Verlag (Germany), German ISSN (2192-7081), Linku: <http://iliriapublications.org/index.php/iir/article/view/116>
  17. Bedri Peci, “*The role of indirect taxes in the tax structure of the tax system in Kosovo for the period 1999-2010*”, "Law" - scientific journal for legal and social issues, publisher Faculty of Law, University of Pristine, Issue 2/2012,pp.20-35.

18. Bedri Peci, “*Poreski podsticaji kao važan segment poreskih reformi u balkanskim zemljama i slučaj Kosova*” Godišnjak Pravnog Fakulteta u Sarajevu . Dec, 2011, Vol. 54, pp. 245-269. 25. 2 Charts, 1 Graph.
19. Bedri Peci, 科索沃消除双重征税的方法 (Metodat e eleminimit të tatimit të dyfisht në Kosovë), Taxation Translation Journal, Beijing, China, Serial Number 75, No.1 (April, 2010), pp. 43-46.
20. Bedri Peci, “*Relief from Double Taxation in Kosovo*”, European Taxation Journal, Issue 1 (2010), IBFD, Amsterdam, pp.44-46.3.
21. Bedri Peci, “*Tax harmonization in order to promote common European market*”, “Law” Journal for Legal and social issue, publisher Faculty of Law, University of Pristine, , Issue 2(2010), pp.43-65.22.
22. Bedri Peci, “*Neke Karakteristike Sistema i Poreske Politike Kosova: Tradicija i Izazovi (Godine 1945-2008)*”, Godišnjak Pravnog Fakulteta u Sarajevu , Issue 52 (2009), pp. 269-299. 31. 6 Charts.
23. Bedri Peci, “*Tax Reforms in the Balkan Countries–Kosova Case*” Thesis Kosova-International Research Review, AAB-Riinvest , Issue 2 (2009), pp.39-67.29p, [http://www.universitetiaab.com/repository/docs/02-2009-EN-05\\_-\\_Bedri\\_Peci.pdf](http://www.universitetiaab.com/repository/docs/02-2009-EN-05_-_Bedri_Peci.pdf);
24. Bedri Peci, “*The Kosovan Tax System*”, European Taxation Journal, Issue 4 (2009), IBFD, Amsterdam, pp.221-224.
25. Bedri Peci, - “*The role of the parliament for the increase transparency of budgetary procedures in the budgetary theory and practice – the case of Kosovo*”, “Law” – Journal for legal and social issues, Publisher-Law school of University of Pristine. , Issue 1(2006), pp.135-148.
26. Bedri Peci, “*Development of budget and budgetary system of Croatia at the transition phase*”, “Law”- Journal for juridical and social issues, Publisher-Law school of University of Pristine. Issue 2-4(2005) pp.83-94.
27. Kadriu, Sabri & Peci, Bedri “*Classification of taxes –the case of OECD*”, “Law”- Journal for juridical and social issues, Publisher-Law school of University of Pristine. Issue. 1(2005) pp.7-15.9.
28. Bedri Peci, “*The reformation of the public finances in transitional countries –case of Poland*”, “Law”- Journal for juridical and social issues, Publisher-Law school of University of Pristine, No. 3-4/2004, pp.89-101.13.
29. Bedri Peci, “*The fiscal decentralization –the case of Kosovo*”, “Law”- Journal for juridical and social issues, Publisher-Law school of University of Pristine. Issue 1/2004, pp.133-143.
30. Bedri Peci, “*Kosovo Tax System – Tradition and Challenges*”, “Kosovo & Balkan Observer” Issue 1(2001), KACI, pp.111-129.18.
31. Bedri Peci, “*The structure of Contemporary tax systems-the case of Kosovo*”, Dardania Sacra - Scientific review of social, economic and technological issues of Kosovo, Issue 3(2001), pp.371-382.

## ANALYSES AND REVIEWS IN PRESS RELEASE

Bedri Peci, "Fiscal policy in support of standards for sustainable economy", Koha Ditore, 09.02.2005;

Bedri Peci, "The importance of the fiscal decentralization component in Kosovo" "Koha Ditore", 16.02.2005;

Bedri Peci, "Budget control in function of budget transparency" "Koha Ditore" 02.03.2005;

Bedri Peci, "Tax evasion as challenge of fiscal policy" "Koha Ditore" Annex to the economy, no. 215, "Koha Ditore", March 2005;

Bedri Peci, "The role of principle of equality in taxes," Supplement to Economy, no. 224, "Koha Ditore", Maji 2004;

Bedri Peci, "How independent is the Office of the Auditor General of Kosovo", Annex to the Economy, no. 212, "Koha Ditore", March 2005;

Bedri Peci, "The success of decentralization depends on the sustainability of local governments", Annex to the Economy, no. 210, "Koha Ditore", February 2005;

Bedri Peci, "Unsustainable Kosovo budget income", Annex to the Economy, no. 209, "Koha Ditore", February 2005;

#### **IN PROCESS FOR PUBLICATION**

Books; a) Budget and Budget Law, a) Tax Law

#### **LANGUAGES**

English

Serb- Croatian