

ALBANIEN

Minister of Education and Science

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Prof. Dr. Myqerem TAJAJ

Born on 14 November 1957

Native Language

- Albanian

Foreign languages

- German
- English

Degrees/titles

1997	“Professor” title obtained
1996	Dr. Sc. , University of Stuttgart – Hohenheim, Germany
1988	Candidate of Science
1982	Graduated from the Faculty of Veterinary, Agricultural University of Tirana

Post university qualifications

1990 – 1991	One-year post university course on development policies offered by the German Foundation of International Development (DSE)
1992 – 1996	Ph. D. studies , University of Stuttgart - Hohenheim, Germany
1999 – Aug. 2001	Visiting professor at University of Stuttgart-Hohenheim, Germany, supported by “Alexander von Humboldt” Foundation

Professional Career

- 09.2005 - 08.2009 Advisor on education and science at the Prime Minister Office and Chief Administrative Officer at the Council of Ministers, Republic of Albania (2006-2007)
- 09.2001 – 08.2005 Lecturer at the University of Stuttgart-Hohenheim, Germany
- 03.1997 – 07.1997 Minister of Higher Education and Science
- 07.1996 – 02.1997 General Director of Science, Ministry of Higher Education
- 1 Dec. 1982 Appointed lecturer at Agricultural University of Tirana, Albania

Publications, Advising Contributions

Selected as the expert on educational policies in the Balkan countries, in the framework of the Stability Pact and the PHARE Program of European Union

- Member of the “Albanian Humboldtianeve League”
- Member of the Council of Higher Education and Science
- Member of the Scientific Qualification Commission
- Chair of Experts’ Group for the Reform of Science

Political Engagement

- 2009 Member of the Albanian Assembly, (list of Assembly Member for Tirana Region)
- 2005 – ongoing Member of the Steering Committee, Democratic Party
- 2005 Member of the National Council of Democratic Party of Albania
- 1997 Candidate for Member of Albanian Assembly, Electoral Zone N 26
- 1997 Minister of Higher Education and Science
- 1991 Member of Democratic Party of Albania