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Prof. Mihael Skerlev was born in Zagreb, Croatia, on February 20, 1958.

His **present position is Attending Dermatovenereologist and Ordinary (Full) Professor of Dermatology and Venereology**, Medical School, Zagreb University, Croatia working as a **Head of the STD Out-patients Clinic and of the Reference Laboratory of the Ministry of Health and Social Welfare of Republic of Croatia for Dermatological Mycology and Parasitology (Mycologic Laboratory)**. Dermatology and Venereology **D. Sc. (PhD)** - (1998): "The **DNA types of *Human Papillomavirus*** in genital skin lesions of men". **Board certified in Dermatology and Venereology in 1990** (Zagreb, Croatia). His field of work and special interest are: STD, HPV in particular, HIV-infection, Dermatologic Mycology and Parasitology, and Paediatric Dermatology.

Prof. Skerlev spent 4 months at the Department of Dermatology on **Harvard University** mostly with Prof. J.S. Dover and Dr R.A. Johnson. M. Skerlev is **founding member and President of the Croatian STD Society**, the member of the **Croatian Dermatovenereological Society**, of the **American Academy of Dermatology** (non-resident fellow), and he has been appointed the **President (2005-2008) and, respectively, Vice-President (2009 on) of the Croatian Dermatovenereological Society**; **European IUSTI Europe Council member and Chair of the Committee for the International Development of the IUSTI (International Union for Sexually Transmitted Infections) Europe**, **Chair of the HPV Task Force of the EADV (European Academy of Dermatology and Venereology)**, member of the **Board of Directors of the EADV**, member of the **European Dermatology Forum (EDF)**, delegate in the **UEMS-Board for Dermatology and Venereology**, member of the **IUSTI World Executive Committee (2011-2019)** and the **Board member of the Alpe- Danube-Adria- STD Society**; He is also the, member of the **Editorial Board of the Journal of the European Academy of Dermatology and Venereology (JEADV)**, and the **Honorary member of the German and Hungarian STD Societies and the French, Macedonian, Serbian, Jordanian etc. Dermatovenereological Societies.**

On the year 2007, and 2012 respectively, Prof. Skerlev was awarded special **IUSTI Silver medal and diploma for “outstanding contributions in promoting the international activities in the fight against sexually transmitted infections”**. Prof. Skerlev has presented more than **350** papers on different international Congresses, mostly as **invited speaker** on **STD (mostly HPV) and Dermatomyology**, has chaired different sessions and has been member of the international organizing and scientific committees worldwide. Prof. Skerlev had been appointed the **President of the International Symposium on Dermatomyology** (Dubrovnik, Croatia, 2000), **President of the 3rd Congress of the Croatian Dermatovenereologists with international participation** (Split, Croatia, May 18-21, 2006), **President of the 23rd IUSTI Europe Conference on STIs and HIV/AIDS** held in Cavtat/Dubrovnik, Croatia, October 11-14, 2007, and of the **International Symposia: “STIs-New Horizons**, Brijuni Islands, Croatia. He has been also appointed the member of the Advisory Board of the MSD for quadrivalent and nonavalent HPV vaccine and the principal investigator for Croatia.

Prof. Skerlev has published about 140 papers (mostly in Journals referred in Index Medicus and Current Contents), and has edited, co-edited, authored and co-authored many different chapters in domestic and international textbooks **including Fitzpatrick's Textbook Dermatology in General Medicine, Gross-Tyring's Sexually Transmitted Diseases and Infections, Katsambas-Lotti's European Handbook of Dermatological Treatment** etc. .

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