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Major Activities

1998 - present	LPTMS, CNRS, at University Paris Sud, Orsay, France
1997 – 2000	consultant of Los Alamos and Brookhaven National Laboratories, USA.
1972 –1998	Landau Institute for Theoretical Physics, Moscow, Russia
1969 &1972	Master degree and PhD from Moscow Physical Technical Institute
1988 – present	Regional Editorial of the Journal "Synthetic metals", Elsevier.
1993 – present	Co-chairmen of the International Workshops on Electronic Crystals - ECRYS
2012, 2016	Chairman of the international conferences IMPACT 2102 & 2016
	Electronic States and Phases Induced by Electric or Optical Impacts

Invited visiting positions:

Brazil: Int. Inst. of Physics - Natal; Croatia: University of Zagreb;
Denmark: NORDITA - Copenhagen; Russia: Nat. Univ. for Sci. & Technol. MISiS
France: ILL and ESRF - Grenoble, LPS, LURE, CNRS & University Paris sud - Orsay;
Israel: Weizmann Institute - Rehovot; Italy: ISI - Turin, ICTP - Trieste;
Japan: Univ. of Tokyo, Yukawa Inst. - Kyoto; Korea: SNU, Inst. Basic Research, APCTP;
Switzerland: ETH – Zurich; USA: BNL, LANL, University of Chicago, UCSB.

International Confs., invited talks: >50; Publs.: >170, # of references: >6000, h-index: 36.

Scientific achievements and current directions:

Phase transitions: "Brazovskii phase transition" of weak crystallization.

Light emitting conducting polymers – "Brazovskii-Kirova model".

Liquid crystals: theory of the "blue phase".

Low-dimensional electronic systems and applications to properties of synthetic materials – organic metals, chain conductors, conjugated polymers;

Electronic crystals - charge/spin density waves, charge order, ferroelectricity;

applications to tunnelling in nanostructures, nonlinear and femtosecond optics.

Pinning and sliding of electronic crystals, plastic flows,

applications to space resolved synchrotron radiation studies *).

Topological defects in electronic systems: solitons and instantons, topological confinement of charge and spin, dislocations, solitonic lattices and FFLO in superconductors, exact solution for many-body problems, understanding of solitons seen by STM and in quasi 1D Mott insulators. Electric-field-induced electronic phases and for superconductivity induced by electrostatic doping.

Co-discovery of electronic ferroelectricity *); its prediction in conducting polymers.

Ground state reconstruction and spacio-temporal processes in nano-junctions of CDWs *).

Oscillatory evolution, dynamical phase transition and domains patterns under optical pumping *). Hidden phase reached under optical or voltage pilses in a polaronic Mott crystal TaS2.

Dynamical phase transitions and self-focusing in evolution of optically pumped ensembles of excitons; applications to neutral-ionic transition.

(* In collaborations with experimental groups from Grenoble, Ljubljana, Moscow, Orsay)