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His scientific activities focus on diseases of the thyroid, iodine deficiency, the norms for the thyroid volume and thyroid cancer, particularly on the link between autoimmune thyroiditis and thyroid cancer and the impact of environmental factors on the epidemiology of thyreopathies. He is the author of 500 lectures and posters (80 abroad) and 150 publications.

Since 1989, he has been a member of the Committee of the Slovak Association of Endocrinology, and since 2018 he has been its Vice-president. Since 2007, he has been a member of the European Thyroid Association and European Society of Endocrinology. He is President of the Commission of the Ministry of Health for iodine deficiency disorders and acts as a regional specialist for endocrinology.