

STANDPOINT

By Prof. Dr. BORISLAV DIMITROV KITOV, MD, PhD

Regarding: participation in the competition for the academic post of "Assoc. Professor" in a scientific specialty 03.01.41. Neurosurgery, professional direction 7.1. Medicine in the field of higher education 7. Health care and sports, for the needs of the Neurosurgery Clinic of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda" EAD, Sofia

According to the decision of the scientific council of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda" (Protocol No. 53/26.06.2024) and order №: 15-05-98/05.08.2024 of the Executive Director, I have been designated as a member of the scientific jury (preparation of an standpoint) for the occupation of academic position "Assoc. Professor" in the scientific specialty of neurosurgery at the Neurosurgery Clinic of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda"

One candidate participated in the competition - Dr. Asen Hristov Cekov, MD, PhD

All the necessary documents have been prepared by the candidate and provided to me on an electronic medium, complying with the requirements of the Law on the Development of the Academic Staff in the Republic of Bulgaria (ZRASRB), the Regulations to it and the Regulations for the Development of the Academic Staff of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda "

BRIEF BIOGRAPHICAL DATA OF THE CANDIDATE

Dr. Asen Cekov, MD, PhD, was born on 01.06.1985. He graduated from the Medical University of Sofia in 2011. From 01.12.2011 to the present, he is a doctor at "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda", Sofia, Bulgaria, Clinic of neurosurgery. In 2014, he acquired a specialty in Health Economics and Health Management at the Sofia University. In 2018, he acquired a specialty in neurosurgery, and in 2019, the educational and scientific degree "PhD" in the scientific specialty 03.01.41 "Neurosurgery. In the same year, he was awarded AD "Assist. Professor" in the Neurosurgery Clinic of "Ajibadem City Clinic MBAL Tokuda", Sofia. In 2018, he won the "Young Doctor of the Year" award of the BLS, and in 2023 he received the "Award for Best Practices in Spine Surgery" at the BALKAN MEDICAL AWARDS.

After graduating from the university, Dr. Cekov conducted numerous specializations in Bulgaria, Germany, Austria, Finland, Hungary, obtaining certificates in the field of spinal

CONCLUSION

The analysis of the scientific-research, teaching-teaching and diagnostic-treatment activity of Dr. Asen Hristov Cekov, MD, PhD shows that the candidate meets the conditions under Art. 29 of ZRASRB and the criteria for the acquisition of academic position "Assoc. Professor" of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda" In accordance with the requirements of the scientific council of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda" for the acquisition of academic position "Assoc. Professor" 400 points, Dr. Asen Cekov, MD, PhD presents 680.95 points (Table 1).

Table 1. Scientific indicators of Dr. Cekov, MD, PhD

Group of indicators	Contents	Minimum national requirements	Indicators of Dr. Cekov
A	Indicator 1	50	50
B	Indicator 2	Not required -	-
C	Indicator 3	100	100
D	Sum of indicators from 5 to 9	200	325.95
E	Sum of indicators from 10 to 12	50	205
F	Sum of indicators from 13 to the end	-	-
TOTAL		400	680.95

For these reasons, I consider it reasonable to give my positive assessment and to propose to the honorable members of the Scientific Jury to vote positively for the preparation of a report - a proposal to the Scientific Council of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda" for the election of Dr. Asen Hristov Cekov, MD, PhD of the academic position "Assoc. Professor" in the field of higher education 7. Health care and sports, professional direction 7.1. Medicine and the scientific specialty "Neurosurgery" for the needs of the Neurosurgery Clinic of "Ajibadem City Clinic UMBAL Tokuda"

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