



APPLICATION FORM FOR the NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVE OF RUSSIA



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Gynaecological oncology develops rapidly nowadays. Here, at Almazov NMRC, we try to keep the finger on the pulse through extensive collaboration with Russian and European professional societies. Being a Federal Referral Medical Centre, we naturally accumulate patients with the most severe disease or unusual presentation, often with multiple comorbidities. This naturally requires modern animal and wet-lab facilities to carry out fundamental and applied research that are available within Almazov NMRC. I am currently involved in both clinical work and research. Having received certificates in ob&gyn, ultrasound, colposcopy, I manage patients with both benign and malignant conditions. I run the Sci Laboratory for Operative Gynecology, which is engaged in research in the following areas: studies of endometrial and ovarian cancer from the perspective of metabolomics and metagenomics, developing a neural network for the analysis of colposcopic images. Besides, we assist in the clinical implementation of the oncofertility program. This is done through animal and tissue studies to optimize the cryoprotocol and interaction with INCIP ESGO.

In my opinion, intensive interaction between leading medical and research centres is the key factor for development of medicine in the future. Therefore, I strive to create new interactions and strengthen the existing ones. One of our reliable partners is the Karolinska Institute in Sweden, where I had the honour to defend my doctoral dissertation and where I am now a post-doc.

I believe that my experience and skills gained in one of the leading medical universities will be useful as a national representative of ENYGO.