

Fatjona Kraja

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Dr. Fatjona Kraja is a Clinical Oncologist, full-time academic staff of Oncology at the Faculty of Medicine at the University of Medicine, Tirana. Since 2014, she has been working at the University Clinic of Oncology, at the University Hospital Center “Mother Teresa” in Tirana combining clinical work with teaching and research.

She has pursued international training and fellowships in Europe supported by the ESMO, ESO and IAEA, at leading cancer centers, gaining expertise in SBRT, adaptive radiotherapy, re-irradiation and radiobiology. In 2022, she was awarded the prestigious Fulbright Scholarship from the US Government, for postdoctoral studies in Radiation Oncology at the University of Kansas Medical Center, USA. She later joined the EU Horizon 2020 HITRIPlus Project for a clinical fellowship in Particle Therapy at CNAO, Italy. She has also completed fellowships.

In 2025, Dr. Kraja has been Faculty Member of the European School of Oncology contributing to international oncology education and training. She is also an active contributor to several European Commission initiatives, including the ECICC on Colorectal Cancer. She participates in international research networks such as the ESTRO Quality Indicators initiative, COST Action projects, and EORTC working groups on breast cancer and QoL. Her research interests include cancer epidemiology, radiotherapy toxicity and outcomes, and QoL in cancer patients. Since 2024, she is part of Albania’s first national project on QoL in cancer patients.

Through her clinical, academic, and research contributions, Dr. Kraja has become a recognized voice in advancing cancer care and quality standards both in Albania and internationally.