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Sergey Suchkov was born in the City of Astrakhan, Russia, in a family of dynasty medical doctors, i.e., father, Dr Victor Suchkov, was a surgeon, and mother, Dr Elena Suchkova, is an endocrinologist.

In 1980, Suchkov graduated from Astrakhan State Medical University and was awarded with MD. During the studentship Suchkov was extensively involved into research in the area of ocular immunology and won in 1980 the First Prize at the First International Contest among the Medical Students in Prague. In 1985, Suchkov maintained his PhD as a PhD student of the I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy and Institute of Medical Enzymology, USSR Academy of Medical Sciences, Moscow, Russia. In 2001, Suchkov finished the PostDoc Research Fellowship Program and maintained his Doctor Degree at the National Institute of Immunology, Russia.

From 1985 through 1987, Dr Suchkov worked as a Post Doc Research Associate, Department of Medical Biotechnology, Institute of Medical Enzymology, USSR Academy of Medical Sciences to be involved into research in clinical enzymology and applications of DNA-dependent enzymes in clinical medicine.

From 1987 through 1989, Dr Suchkov was a senior Researcher, Lab of Developmental Immunology, Koltzov Institute of Developmental Biology, USSR Academy of Sciences to deal to developmental immunology.

From 1989 through 1995, Dr Suchkov was a head of the Lab of Clinical Immunology and Immunobiotechnology, Helmholtz Eye Research Institute in Moscow to resume studies in the area of eye immunology done earlier as a medical student.

In 1989, Dr Suchkov trained at:

(i) the Lab of Immunology, NEI, Bethesda, MD, USA., NIH and Lab of Immunology;

(ii) Wills Eye Hospital, Philadelphia, USA;

(iii) University of Florida in Gainesville;

as well as at some of the British Universities on the invitation of the Royal Society for Immunology.

From 1995 through 2004, Dr Suchkov was a Chairman of the Dept for Clinical Immunology, Moscow Clinical Research Institute (MONIKI) and the Immunologist-in-Chief of the Moscow Regional Ministry of Health to do research, to cover different areas of the clinical activities and to manage regional immunological services.

In 1993-1996, Dr Suchkov was an Executive Secretary-in-Chief of the Editorial Board, Biomedical Science, an international journal published jointly by the USSR Academy of Sciences and the Royal Society of Chemistry, UK.

At present, Dr Sergey Suchkov, M, PhD, is:

(i) Professor in Immunology, Dept of Pathology, School for Pharmacy, I.M. Sechenov Moscow Medical Academy;

(ii) Executive Director, Lab of Molecular Immunology associated with Hybridoma Technologies and Stem cell research, Igor Kurchatov National Center for Science and Technologies;

(iii) Dept of Clinical Immunology, School for Medicine, Moscow State Medical and Dentistry University to cover a lot of responsibilities including research in the area of functional antibodies, mechanisms of chronization, intertalks between innate and adaptive immunity, and, later on, in the area of *Subclinical Diagnostics*.

He has been collaborating with scientists from USA, Japan, Germany, Israel and other countries to set up a new brand in the modern medicine, i.e., *Predictive (Personified) Medicine associated with Subclinical Diagnostics*.

Apart from the above-mentioned, Dr Suchkov is a Dean of the Department (Faculty) of The Development and Implementation of the Biomedical Technologies into The Medical Practice, and the First Vice-President of the University of The Business, Politics and Economy in Moscow.

Dr Suchkov is an author of more than 500 publications and 10 patents. He is a member of the ARVO (American Association for Research in Vision and Ophthalmology), ISER (International Society for Eye Research), All-Union (from 1992 - Russian) Biochemical Society, All-Union (from 1992 - Russian) Immunological Society.

Dr Suchkov is a member of the Editorial Boards, "Immunologiya" (Russia), "Open Journal of Autoimmunity" and EPMA Journal.

In 1991-1998, Dr Suchkov is a Co-Supervisor over the Russian-American Agreement on scientific and clinical collaboration in the field of ocular immunology between Russian Academy of Sciences and National Institutes of Health (NIH); in 1991-1995 – a member of The Reciprocal Exchange Fellowship Program between Russian Immunological Society and British Society for Immunology.

Dr Suchkov is a member of the International Advisory Board of EPMA (Brussels, Belgium).