



## Alumni Interview

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*“Vaccination saves lives! So, as long as we can do something - let’s do it!”*

**What did ADVAC bring to you on both a personal and professional level?**

ADVAC offered me the great chance to know and to listen the most dedicated people within vaccinology field. ADVAC taught me to become brave and more confident in my profession and also, in my life.

**What in your opinion have been the most important advances and challenges in vaccinology over the past 20 years?**

Vaccines are the most cost-efficient public health intervention against vaccine preventable diseases. Vaccination helped the world to eradicate smallpox and to eliminate polio and annually decreased the infant’s deaths. Nowadays, all over the world face with a very strong wave against vaccination and our main duty is to find out, day by day, the appropriate way to make the people to become more confident into the vaccination benefits.

**Why does this field remain so important?**

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