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<p>Tomáš Doucha was born 1943 in Prague. He graduated in 1965 on the Czech Agricultural University (CAU) Prague - Faculty of Farm Economy. On the same university he received the doctor's degree (1981) and habilitated as associate professor (2001) in the field of agricultural economics.</p> <p>Since the graduation on the CAU in 1965 he gradually worked as the economist on a cooperative farm, as the official for investment in an intermediary agricultural company, as the IT programmer on the CAU and as the head of the department for the Management Information System (MIS) in the General Directory for machinery and repair services for agriculture.</p> <p>Since 1976 he has been working as researcher. Up to 1990 it was in the field of the MIS for the Federal Ministry of Agriculture (in the Research Institute of Economics in Agriculture and Food Industry), followed by economics, management and information on the farm level (in the Czech Institute of Agrarian Economics).</p> <p>After 1990 he was oriented mainly on the research support for policy making in agriculture. Since the separation of the Czech and Slovak republics in 1993 he has been working in the new established Research Institute of Agricultural Economics Prague, at present the Institute of Agricultural Economics and Information (IAEI) after merging two institutes in 2008), in leading positions as the deputy director for research and the director of the institute (1998 - 2004). In 2006 – 2007 he was appointed as the deputy minister in the Ministry of Agriculture.</p> <p>He coordinated or participated in more national and international research projects (Czech Grant Agency, National Agency for Agricultural Research, PHARE, ACE, EU Framework Programmes, etc.). He has been cooperating with OECD, FAO, European Commission, World Bank and with other research institutes abroad. He is author/co-author many publications at home and in abroad. He disseminates the research findings in frequent presentations on workshops, seminars and conferences. He has been a long term member of the Scientific Board of the CAU and the previous Institute of Tropics and Subtropics, the Presidium of the Czech</p>	

Academy of Agricultural Sciences, the scientific councils at the Ministry of Agriculture and at the Ministry of Social Affairs, the Editorial Board of the Agricultural Economics, etc. In abroad he has been the member of the Executive Committee of the European Association of Agricultural Economists (1999 – 2005), the Scientific Board of the IAMO Halle, the Steering Group for the EuroChoices journal, the International Association of Agricultural Economists, the OECD expert group for East –West relations, the FAO network for agricultural policy, etc.

Recently since 2012 he has been working as an IAEI representative and as a leading member of the ministerial team for the preparation of the Strategy for Growth for the Czech agriculture and food industry.

He passed more short-term studies in abroad, e. g. in the United Kingdom, USA, the European Commission and Japan. He was also the member of the Global Club of Directors (of research institutes oriented on agricultural economics and its implementation for policy making).

Since 2009 he has been also functioning in the present Faculty of Tropics and Subtropics (FTS) – Department of Economics at the CAU (during 2009 – 2010 as the Head of the department). As a teacher, he is responsible for the subject “Agricultural Policy in Developing Countries”.