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It all started in September 1992 when the first 300 young players began training at basketball school in Vilnius. In 1994 the new scholl campus was inaugurated in Raitininku Street, Vilnius. President of the State Algirdas Brazauskas, several representatives of the Goverment, and foreign guests participated in the opening festivities. After graduating from the Academy, the players are exepected to be not only brilliant athletes but also universally educated and honest yong fellows. Now our Academy has over 800 boys between the age of 6 and 19.

Born 17th of July, 1960. 1982 graduation from the Institute of Physical Education in Kaunas. Lithuanian youth Champion with "Zalgiris" Kaunas, Lithuanian Champion with "Atletas" Kaunas, Lithuanian Champion (as coach) with "Lietuvos Rytas", European Champion with the Lithuanian Men's "22 and under" national team, "Coach of the Year" in Germany (2006), Lithuanian honoured coach, Doctor of social science (1995), Associate professor (1997), held several lectures for basketball coaches in Germany, Poland, Scotland, and Lithuania, 2010 wrote a monograph "The study of preparation of young basketball players".

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