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*Bogdan Smiljanić Volunteer, Diplomat, Detainee and Collaborator  
of French Resistance*

*Summary*

Life of Bogdan Smiljanić is excellent example of one more complex personality. His development from the pupil from Karlovci, Serbian volunteer, warrior from Salonika Front, French student, diplomat, member of the French Resistance, Detainee, immigrant witnesses also the intricacy of his time. Smiljanić's biography is specific "contribution" to the studying of social, political and diplomatic relations within the period for over than 30 years and at the same time it is excellent example of the history of individual and of the family history. As a French student married with the French woman, he lost a child early, lived a life serving diplomacy between Yugoslavia and France. He himself was the example how personal contacts but also his profession could play an important role in heavy social-political situation as was occupation. His engagement in various tasks during his long career of the officer of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs is best example of confidence that Yugoslav diplomacy had in Smiljanić.