

Personal information

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📅 **Date of birth** 02 February 1977 | 🇺🇦 **Nationality** Croatian

Work experience

September 2020-recent

Ministry of Environmental Protection and Green Transition (ex Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development)

Head of Service for EU ETS

- participation in the preparation and drafting of EU and national laws and other regulations, plans, programs and reports in the field of climate protection, monitoring their implementation and monitoring compliance of legislation with EU regulations;
- participation in the adoption of new international agreements, participation in the preparation of documents and positions of the Republic of Croatia for the meetings of the Working Groups for Environment of the Council, the Ministers Council for the Environment, for the meetings of the committees and other working bodies of the European Commission in the field climate change (monitoring greenhouse gas emissions in the EU ETS and monitoring emissions from shipping)
- determination of activities and greenhouse gases for which it is necessary to obtain a permit, issuance and updating of permits for greenhouse gas emissions, and determination of aviation activities and administration of aircraft operators assigned to the Republic of Croatia in cooperation with Eurocontrol and administrators in the member states of the European Union.
- preparation and drafting and monitoring of the obligations of operators of that emit greenhouse gas emissions through their activity in calculating free emission units for industrial installations, submitting to the Commission requests for free emission units for aircraft operators.
- management and implementation and participation in the of TAIEX Expert Mission on EU ETS
- representative of the Republic of Croatia in the in the Climate Change Committee, Working group for EU ETS and Aviation, Expert Group of the European Commission for Aviation, Free allocation, Shipping and other expert groups in DG CLIMA), European Aviation and Environment Working Group (ICAO)
- active and constant cooperation with administrative bodies, legal entities, non-governmental organizations, civil society and entrepreneurs in the industry.
- Proposes and participates in the design and adoption of investment programs and state aid programs for funding projects from the Modernization Fund, as well as calls for proposals.
- Nominated national focal point Innovation fund.

April 2019-September 2020

Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs

diplomatic position I secretary

During the Presidency of the Republic of Croatia in the Council of the EU as coo-chair in Working party of Environment (Climate change):

- Representation of the interests of the Republic of Croatia in the part of its departmental competence in relation to the competent bodies of the European administration with which the departmental representative is notified,
- Establishing, supporting, and developing interdepartmental collaboration with other EU member states,
- Collecting, evaluating, analyzing, and exchanging information required for the Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development
- Follow departmental instructions and providing assistance to the Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development
- Involvement and consultation in area of climate change
- Participation in conferences, work and professional meetings, and gatherings organized by the European Union;
- Receiving and exchanging official documents, legal acts, and professional literature related to departmental activities

August, 2010- April 2019

Ministry of Environmental and Nature Protection, Directorate for Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development

Senior adviser, Service for Climate Activities and Ozone Layer Protection

Administrative and professional tasks of keeping the European system of trading greenhouse gas emission allowances (EU ETS). Working on determining activities and greenhouse gases which are required to obtain a license, issuing and updating permits for greenhouse gas emissions and establishing aviation activities of aircraft operators, taxpayers emissions trading system in cooperation with EUROCONTROL and administrators in the Member States of the European Union; prescribing obligations of installation operators that their activities emit greenhouse gases, making the calculation of free allowances for installations according to the benchmark values, communication and cooperation with the European Commission, central state administration bodies, competent administrative departments in local and regional (regional) governments, with businesses, non-governmental organizations, Croatian agency for the environment and nature, the Environmental Protection and Energy Efficiency Fund, the Croatian Accreditation Agency, Croatian chamber of Commerce, ministries in the member states of the European Union.

Participating in TAIEX and ECRAN as an ETS expert

2002 - 2010 **CEMEX Hrvatska d.d.**

geologist

Work on exploration, sampling, interpretation and mapping of the geology of exploitation fields; work on the preparation and control of the chemical composition of raw materials for cement production; active participation in the collection, updating and management of legally required documentation related to the exploitation of mineral resources, participation in the working group Croatiacement; project management of research works; participate in the evaluation of possible exploitation of mineral resources, monitoring of costs; participation with foreign and local experts and consultants on several projects; daily updating of documentation for ISO standards of quality ISO 9001: 2008, and participation in internal audits as an internal auditor; work on surveying and geological maps using AutoCad program; contacts with the Ministry of Economy, mining, the Institute for Adriatic Crops and Karst Reclamation, the city administration of Kaštela and Solin, and professional associations.

Education

 2001 **Mag. geol.**

Faculty of Mining, Geology and Petroleum Engineering, University of Zagreb, Croatia.

 1995 **Geological technician**

Chemistry Technology School, Zagreb, Croatia

Training

2019 Professional English language course for the needs of the Presidency of the Republic of Croatia in the Council of the EU (Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

2019 Introductory seminars of the General Secretariat of the Council

2014 Seminar on "Statistics and uncertainty in the monitoring and reporting of greenhouse gas emissions" (Croatian Metrology Society)

2012 Training "Regulatory Impact Assessment" (the Office of Legislation of the Croatian Government)

2011 Training „Assessing Carbone Capture and Storage (CCS) value chains-ECCO Project“ (ECCO)

2011 The training "Fundamentals of the European Union" (Foreign Ministry)

2011 State exam (Ministry of Public Administration)

2006 Training for operators of computer design - AutoCAD 2D, 3D (Pro-Anima Open University)

2006 Internal quality risk manager, HRN EN ISO 9001:2008 (Det Norske Veritas)

2005 Professional exam for Independent Geological Research (Ministry of Science and Technology)

2004 Business English Certificate –ESOL (Faculty of Economics, Split)

2004 Training for MS Office administrators (WIN200, Word I i II, Excel I i II, Power Point)

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue Croatian

Other language English, active use, reading and writing

Organisational skills and competences ▪ Developed during the work experience in the Ministry.

Computer skills and competences ▪ MS Office programs, AutoCad, SAP, eGOP.

Driving licence ▪ B category

