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## WORK EXPERIENCE

**03/01/2015 – CURRENT** – Virovitica, Croatia

### Senior Lecturer and Head of Department for tourism

Virovitica University of Applied Sciences

- Teaching
- Planning and coordination in Department for tourism
- Cooperation and connection with the local community and other stakeholders
- Professional-scientific and research work

Courses: Tourism Attraction Base, Enogastronomy, Tourism Destination Management, Tourism and Hospitality Businesses in Rural Tourism, Integral Tourism Product Management, Experience Economy and Tourism, Tourism Policies and Tourism Organization

**01/01/2012 – 03/01/2015** – Virovitica, Croatia

### Lecturer

Virovitica College

- Teaching
- Professional-scientific and research work

Courses: Tourism theory and Organization of Tourism, Tourism Destination Management, Ecotourism, Gastronomy and Oenology, Tourism and Hospitality Businesses, Event management, Marketing

**03/09/2003 – 31/12/2011** – Pitomača, Croatia

### Headmaster of Pitomača VET School

Pitomača VET School

- VET Education management
- Coordinating teaching process
- Planning and development
- Cooperation with parents and students
- Cooperation and connection with the local community and other stakeholders

**01/09/1999 – 03/09/2003** – Virovitica, Croatia

### VET teacher and head of separate school department

Virovitica VET school

- Teaching
- VET Education management
- Cooperation with parents and students

Courses: Tourism basic, Marketing, Catering business, Gastronomy

**01/09/1994 – 01/09/1999** – Pitomača, Lj.Gaja 26/1, 33 405

Pitomača, Croatia

### Head of the Department for Social services, education of all levels, sports, civil sector and tourism

Pitomača Municipality

- Coordinating staff and process in the Department
- Planning and development
- Cooperation and connection with the local community and other stakeholders
- Tourism destination development
- Organizing events

01/09/1993 – 01/09/1994 – Virovitica, Croatia

**VET teacher**

Virovitica VET School

- Teaching
- Cooperation with parents and students

Courses: Tourism basic, Tourism economics, Catering business, Gastronomy

## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

1999 – Cara Hadrijana 10, pp 330 , Osijek, Croatia

**Certificate of acquired pedagogical-psychological and didactic-methodological education**

Faculty of Education, Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek

01/10/1988 – 29/09/1993 – Primorska 46, p.p. 97, Opatija, Croatia

**Master of Economics**

Faculty of Management in Tourism and Hospitality in Opatija

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## LANGUAGE SKILLS

**MOTHER TONGUE(S):** Croatian

**OTHER LANGUAGE(S):**

English

<b>Listening</b> B2	<b>Reading</b> B2	<b>Spoken production</b> B1	<b>Spoken interaction</b> B1	<b>Writing</b> B1
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## DIGITAL SKILLS

Microsoft Office / Microsoft Excel / Microsoft Powerpoint / Microsoft Word / Outlook / Zoom / Google Docs / Instagram / Facebook / Internet user / LinkedIn / Social Media

## DRIVING LICENCE

**Driving Licence: B**

## PROJECTS

**15/11/2020 – 28/02/2021**

● **Visitor Management Action Plan - EPIcentar Sequoia, KK.06.1.2.02.0037**

Associate project leader and author of the document

**01/07/2014 – 28/02/2015**

● **Tourism Development Master Plan of the Municipality of Kreševo for the period 2014 - 2020**

Associate in project development

**01/06/2013 – 01/03/2014**

● **Implementation of destination management in the area of Virovitica-Podravina County - Tourism Development Master Plan of the Municipality of Pitomača until 2020**

One of the project leader and author of the Master plan which was developed as part of the project

**2009 – 2011**

● **Modernization of school curriculum and development of practicum for education in sustainable organic agriculture and ecotourism, IPA4.1.3.1.07.01.c27**

- Author of the project idea and an active participant in project preparation
- Preparation and lecture of two educational workshops on ecotourism and tourism in protected areas.
- Editor and one of the authors of Handbook of the basics of organic agriculture, marketing of organic products and ecotourism, (ISBN 978-953-56216-0-9) which was developed and printed as a one of the results of project

## PUBLICATIONS

● **CROSBİ Profile**

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