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EDUCATION

- **Professor of English language and literature and German language, BA** | 1981 | Faculty of philosophy, University of Zagreb
- Language courses | 1981 | University of Buffalo

POLITICAL CAREER

• 2001-2009: Mayor of the City of Dubrovnik (2001 - 2005; 2005 - 2009)

OFFICES HELD IN THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT

- 2013-...: Member of the European Parliament, Brussels, Belgium (2013-2014; 2014-2019; 2019-)
- 2019 ...: Vice-Chair of EPP Group in European Parliament
- 2013-...: Head of Croatian EPP delegation in European Parliament
- 2017 2019: Vice-Chair of Foreign Affairs Committee (AFET) in European Parliament
- 2013 2019: Vice-Chair of the Delegation for relations with Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Kosovo (DSEE)
- 2013 ...: Committee on the Environment, Public Health and Food Safety (ENVI) in the European Parliament
- 2014 ...: Delegation for relations with the United States (D US) in the European Parliament
- 2014 2019: Committee on Women's Rights and Gender Equality (FEMM) in the European Parliament
- 2014 2017: Committee on Transport and Tourism (TRAN) in the European Parliament
- 2017 2019: Special Committee on Terrorism (TERR) in the European Parliament

OFFICES HELD IN THE EU INSTITUTIONS AND EUROPEAN ORGANISATIONS

- 2012-...: Vice-President of EPP Women (2012-2015, 2015-2018, 2018)
- 2004-2014: Vice-President of the Council of Europe Congress of Local and Regional Authorities (2004-2006; 2006-2008; 2008-2010; 2010-2012; 2012-2014)
- 2004-2014 : Chair of the Croatian delegation to the Council of Europe Congress of Local and Regional Authorities
- 2004-2009: Member of the governing board, European Association of Historic Towns and Regions Vice-President of the Council of Europe Congress of Regional and Local Authorities

OFFICES HELD IN THE CROATIAN PARLIAMENT

- 2000-2011: Member of the Croatian Parliament, Zagreb, Croatia (2000-2004; 2004-2007; 2007-2011)
- 2008-2011: Vice-Chair of the Croatian Parliament European Integration Committee
- 2008-2011: Member of the Croatian Parliament Tourism Committee
- 2000-2004; 2008-2011 : Member of the Croatian Parliament Interparliamentary Cooperation Committee
- 2008-2011 : Member of the Executive Board of the Croatian National Parliament Group in the Interparliamentary Union
- 2000-2004: Chair of the Croatian Parliament Committee on the Family, Youth, and Sport
- 2000-2004 : Member of the Croatian Parliament Committee on Local and Regional Self-Government

OFFICES HELD IN A POLITICAL PARTY

- 2012-...: Chair of the HDZ (Croatian Democratic Union) Committee on Foreign Affairs and European Integration
- 2012-2016: Vice-President of the HDZ
- 1998 ...: Member of the HDZ Central Committee
- 1998-2014 : Chair of the HDZ Dubrovnik City Committee
- 1990-...: Member of the HDZ

OFFICES HELD IN OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS

- 2008-2011 : Head of the Croatian Parliament delegation to the Mediterranean Parliamentary Assembly
- 2000-2004 : Substitute member of the Croatian Parliament delegation to the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly

OFFICES HELD IN A REGIONAL ASSEMBLY

- 1997 -1998: Councillor, Dubrovnik City Council
- 2009 2015: Councillor, Dubrovnik City Council
- 2006-2009 : Councillor, Dubrovnik-Neretva County Assembly
- 1998-2001 : Councillor, Dubrovnik-Neretva County Assembly
- 1991 -1993: Member of City Government, in charge of education

OFFICES HELD IN REGIONAL GOVERNMENT BODIES

• 2005-2009: Member of the Board, Union of the Association of Towns and the Association of Municipalities of the Republic of Croatia

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

- 1998-2000 : Lecturer of German, American College of Management and Technology, Dubrovnik, Croatia
- 1996-2000 : Director, Gimnazija Dubrovnik Secondary School, Dubrovnik, Croatia
- 1994-2000: Lecturer of English, Dubrovnik Polytechnic, Dubrovnik, Croatia
- 1992-1994: Lecturer of English, Maritime Faculty, Dubrovnik, Croatia

- 1990-1992 : English and German language teacher, Luka Sorkočević Art School, Dubrovnik, Croatia
- 1988-1990 : English and German language teacher, Dubrovnik Centre for Vocational Education and Training, Dubrovnik, Croatia
- 1981-1988 : English and German language teacher, 'Lapad' Primary School, Dubrovnik, Croatia

PERSONAL SKILLS

Languages: Croatian (Native), English (C2), German (C2)

HONOURS

- World Mayor 2009 'Linus Pauling' Gold Charter with Gold Pin
- 2006 World Mayor top 10 (World Mayor Award City Mayors)
- Knight of the European Knighthood of the Vine, Croatian Knights' Consulate European Knighthood of the Vine
- Mayor of the Year 2005. 'Tourist Flower' Quality for Croatia award