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CONTACT



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WORK EXPERIENCE

2002 - CURRENT - Ljubljana, Slovenia

University lecturer

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts

2001-2011, Archaeological Conservation Course,

from 2012 ongoing, Public Archaeology Course,

from 2014 ongoing, Archaeological Heritage Management Course,

from 2009 ongoing, Interdepartmental study of Heritology

2020 - CURRENT - Ljubljana, Slovenia

Director general, Cultural Heritage Directorate

Ministry of Culture

Senior official leading one of the three Directorates of the Ministry of Culture.

2014 - 2019

Freelance consultant

2015-2017, member of the working group drafting European Heritage Strategy for the 21st century,

2018-2019, chair of the Ministry of Culture working group drafting Slovenian Cultural Heritage Strategy 2020-2023,

2018-2020, member of the Ministry of Culture group of experts for immovable cultural heritage

2009 - 2014 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

Director General

Institute for the Protection of Cultural Heritage of Slovenia

Leading position responsible for management of public institution with cca 200 staff members.

Ljubljana, Slovenia

2008 - 2009 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

State undersecretary

Ministry of Culture

Cultural heritage international relations; analysing, programming and evaluation of heritage projects.

Ljubljana, Slovenia

2004 - 2008 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

Secretary of state

Ministry of Culture

Political responsibility for the national heritage policy. Chair of the Steering Committee for Cultural Heritage of the Council of Europe (2004 - 2006). Active participation in the Slovenian Presidency of the European Council (2008).

Ljubljana, Slovenia

2001 - 2004 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

● **State undersecretary**

Ministry of Culture

Cultural heritage international relations, member of the EU accession team in the field of culture, member of Council of Europe Steering Committee for Cultural Heritage (1993 - 2012).

Ljubljana, Slovenia

1995 - 2001 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

● **Counsellor to the Government**

Ministry of Culture, Cultural Heritage Office

Administrative responsibility

Ljubljana, Slovenia

1991 - 1995

● **Director**

Institute for the Protection of Natural and Cultural Heritage of Slovenia

Leading position responsible for the overall management of the Institute covering protection of natural and cultural heritage.

Ljubljana, Slovenia

1985 - 1991 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

● **Senior Conservator**

Institute for the Protection of Natural and Cultural Heritage of Slovenia

Expert in cultural heritage protection

Ljubljana, Slovenia

1978 - 1985 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

● **Researcher**

Urban Planning Institute

Research in architectural and urban history.

Ljubljana, Slovenia

LANGUAGE SKILLS

MOTHER TONGUE(S): Slovenian

English

Listening
C1

Reading
C2

Spoken
production
C1

Spoken
interaction
C1

Writing
C2

French

Listening
C1

Reading
C1

Spoken
production
B1

Spoken
interaction
B2

Writing
B1

German

Listening
B1

Reading
B1

Spoken
production
A1

Spoken
interaction
A2

Writing
A1

Croatian

Listening
C1

Reading
C1

Spoken
production
B2

Spoken
interaction
C1

Writing
B1

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

1989 - 1991 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

Doctoral Degree

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts
Conservation science

EQF level 8

1971 - 1975 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

Master degree

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts
History of architecture and urban planning

EQF level 7

1967 - 1971 - Ljubljana, Slovenia

Graduate degree

University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts
History of art - subject A
English language and literature - subject B

EQF level 6

DIGITAL SKILLS

MS Office (Word PowerPoint Excel) | Windows | Word | Google Gmail | dobro poznavanje paketa MS Office | Obdelava informacij | Uporaba računalnika in upravljanje datotek

JOB-RELATED SKILLS

CURRENT

Teaching skills

Experience acquired during twenty years of teaching students, young people and volunteers, including distance and hands-on learning, debating and problem solving.

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Public communication

Advanced communication skills gained through the experience in chairing international and national conferences, communication with media and participation in communication campaigns.

ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS

Managerial and organisational skills

Skills gained during top management and team-leading positions (responsible for organisations composed of 150 to 250 staff members and research teams of 5-20 team members), financial and human resources management, organisation of team work.