

**EUROPEAN  
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**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

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**WORK EXPERIENCE**

• Dates (from – to)	2011 – today tenure professor 2006 – 2011, Full Professor 2002 - 2006 Associate Professor 1996 - 2002, Assistant Professor 1.12.1985 – 1996, Assistant 1.04.1981 – 30.11.1985, apprentice; Head of General Affairs Dpt.
Name and address of employer	1985 – today, Faculty of Law Rijeka 1981 – 1985, Insurance Co. Triglav, Rijeka
Type of business or sector	University Professor
Main activities and responsibilities	International Law

**EDUCATION**

Date	1994	1985	1980
Place of education	Zagreb	Zagreb	Rijeka
Name and type of organisation providing education	Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb	Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb	Faculty of Law, University of Rijeka
Title or qualification awarded	PhD (Doctor of Law)	Master of Law	lawyer

**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

Year	2003	1997, 1998	1994
Place of training	Oslo, Norway	Charleston, West Virginia	United States
Name and type of organisation providing training	F. Nansen Institute	Charleston University, W.V.	ABA/ CEELI
Field	International Law	Seminar in American Democratic Processes	Legal clinics in education

Year	1991	1989-90
Place of training	Geneva, Switzerland	The Hague, The Netherlands
Name and type of organisation providing training	United Nations, International Law Commission	Asser Institute for International Law
Field	International Law	International Law

TEACHING	
Undergraduate and graduate studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- International Law</li> <li>- International Law of the Sea</li> <li>- European Convention for the protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms,</li> <li>- Civil Law Legal Clinic</li> </ul>
Postgraduate studies: Law of European Integrations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- European Convention for the protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms</li> <li>- EU Institutions</li> <li>- Sources of European Law</li> <li>- Protection of Minorities</li> </ul>

WORK ON SCIENTIFIC PROJECTS	
National projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2006 – 2013 principal investigator of scientific project of the Faculty of Law Rijeka, Ministry of Science MZOS 115-1152437-2490 „Human rights and minority rights in European Legal Area“.</li> <li>- 2005 – 2006 principal investigator of scientific project of the Faculty of Law Rijeka, Ministry of Science MZOS 0115019 "International private law aspects of the consumers' protection – harmonisation with EU law»,</li> <li>- 1997 – 2002 researcher in project of the Faculty of Law Rijeka, Ministry of Science, "Legal, Social and Economic Status of Women", principal investigator prof. dr. Velinka Grozdanić;</li> <li>- 1991 – 1995 researcher in scientific project "Succession of states as a result of dissolution of the predecessor state", Croatian Academy for Science and Arts, principal investigator prof. dr. Vladimir Đ. Degan</li> </ul>
International projects	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2002 – 2006 researcher in international project "Implementation of legal measures for protection of regional marine environment: The role of maritime jurisdiction" with .Fridtjof Nansen Institute from Oslo (dr. Davor Vidas, principal investigator).</li> <li>- 1997 – 2002 researcher in joint international project Faculty of Law Rijeka and Institute for Criminology Ljubljana "Women in Transition – Women and Prison Sentence", principal investigator prof. dr. Velinka Grozdanić;</li> </ul>

PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENT	
	<p><b>EXPERT BODIES IN CROATIA:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• member of the evaluation panel for law of the Croatian Science Foundation</li> <li>• Member of the Main Commission for Law of the National Council for Science, from 2009. From 2013 to 2017 chair of the same body</li> <li>• member of the expert group for the arbitration dispute between Croatia and Slovenia, since 2011</li> <li>• expert review AZVO for study programmes and scientific projects of the Ministry for education and Science</li> </ul> <p><b>INTERNATIONAL BODIES:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2013 – 2015 Agent for Croatia, International Court of Justice, Case Concerning the Application of the Convention for the Prevention and Punishment of the Crime of Genocide, Croatia v. Serbia,</li> <li>• 1998 – today, member, since 2013 chair of the Committee of Experts of the Council of Europe for the European Charter for regional or minority languages</li> <li>• Candidate for the judge of the European Court for Human Rights, 2003 and 2012,</li> <li>• expert review NAKVIS (Slovenia) for study programmes,</li> <li>• member of the Main Commission of the University of Tetovo, FYRM</li> </ul> <p><b>TEACHING AT THE POSTGRADUATE STUDIES IN OTHER INSTITUTIONS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• University of Strasbourg, Faculty of Law, specialty Minority Rights from the Master 2 Human Rights, .</li> <li>• University of Sarajevo – Interdisciplinary postgraduate studies "Democracy and Human Rights" (ERMA),</li> <li>• lecturer at the Inter-university Centre in Dubrovnik and the University of Zagreb;</li> <li>•</li> </ul>

	<p><b>CONFERENCES:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>invited speaker at a number of national and international conferences (see below),</li> </ul> <p><b>MASTER AND DOCTORATE MENTOR:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>mentor to candidates and a member of several commissions for doctorate candidates in universities of Rijeka, Zagreb, Ljubljana, Osijek and Zenica (Bosnia and Herzegovina),</li> <li>mentor to candidates at the postgraduate level at universities of Rijeka, Zagreb and Sarajevo</li> </ul> <p><b>MENTOR TO STUDENT TEAMS IN INTERNATIONAL COMPETITIONS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>P. C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, Washington, DC</li> <li>Regional competitions in Human Rights and Humanitarian Law in Sarajevo and Belgrade</li> </ul> <p><b>MEMBERSHIP IN EDITORIAL BOARDS of the:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collected Papers of the Faculty of Law University of Rijeka (Zbornik Pravnog fakulteta u Rijeci),</li> <li>Comparative Maritime Law (Poredbeno pomorsko pravo),</li> <li>Rule of Law (Vladavina prava)</li> </ul> <p><b>MEMBERSHIP IN ASSOCIATIONS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>International Law Association</li> <li>Croatian Society for International Law</li> <li>Croatian Association for Comparative Law</li> <li>International Academy of Comparative Law</li> <li>Croatian Academy for Legal Science</li> </ul>
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<b>ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES</b>	<p><b>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>dean of the Faculty, 2017-</li> <li>head of the international Law Chair</li> <li>Vice-Dean for academic Affairs, 1993-1995, 2005- 2011</li> <li>co-director of the Civil Law Legal Clinic since 1995</li> </ul>
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**PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES**

Mother tongue(s)	Croatian
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Other language(s)	
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Language Speaking Writing Understanding (listening and reading)	<b>English</b>	<b>French</b>	<b>Italian</b>	<b>Russian</b>
	Excellent	Basic	Basic	Basic
	Excellent	Basic	Basic	Basic
	Excellent	Good	Good	Good

PUBLICATIONS (SELECTION)	
	<p><u>Books:</u></p> <p>1) Pravo međunarodnih ugovora, knjiga, 341 p., Pravni fakultet Rijeka, Rijeka 2002.</p> <p>2) International Law and the Use of Force at the Turn of Centuries, Essays in honour of V. Đ. Degan, edited with. M. Matulović, Rijeka 2005.</p> <p><u>Articles:</u></p> <p>1. "Committee of Experts of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages: June 2004 - June 2005", European Yearbook on Minority Issues (Vol. 4, 2004/05), p. 541-555.</p> <p>2. "Zaštita potrošača u praksi Europskog suda za ljudska prava", in: Tomljenović V., Čulinović-Herc, E. (eds.): 2. Zaštita potrošača i ulagatelja u europskom i hrvatskom pravu – Izazovi međunarodnog tržišta roba i kapitala, Rijeka 2005., p. 375-384.</p> <p>3. "Impunity and Universal Jurisdiction in Present International Law", International Law and the Use of Force at the Turn of Centuries, Essays in honour of V. Đ. Degan, Vesna Crnić-Grotić and Miomir Matulović (eds.), Rijeka, 2005, p. 299-320;</p> <p>4. "Fundamental Rights and Freedoms", (s Nenadom Hlača), "The Legal System of Croatia", in: Modern Legal Systems Cyclopedia, Vol.8, William S. Hein &amp; Co. Law Publisher, Buffalo &amp; New York, (2005), p. 21-28.</p> <p>5. "The Work of the Committee of Experts of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages (June 2005 - June 2006)", European Yearbook on Minority Issues (Vol. 5, 2005/06), 2007, p. 273-291.</p> <p>6. Pravni leksikon, Leksikografski zavod M. Krleža, editor Vladimir Pezo, Zagreb 2007., 66 entries</p> <p>7. Donna Gomien, Europska konvencija o ljudskim pravima (translation from English) with Miomir Matulović, Sanja Barić, Sanja Grbić i Masha Marochini, Pravni fakultet Sveučilišta u Rijeci, Zadar 2007, Chapters 13-20, p. 205-266,</p> <p>8. "The Work of the Committee of Experts of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages (June 2006 - June 2007)", European Yearbook on Minority Issues (Vol. 6, 2006/07), Boston 2009, p. 387-407.</p> <p>9. „Non-State Actors and International Humanitarian Law: The Status of Private Military Companies“, International Law: New Actors, New Concepts—Continuing Dilemmas; Liber Amicorum Božidar Bakotić, B. Vukas and T.M. Šošić (eds.), Koninklijke Brill NV., 2010, p. 455–477,</p> <p>10. „The Impact of the Charter“, in: „Minority language protection in Europe: Into a new decade“, Council of Europe, April 2010, p. 35-40;</p> <p>11. „The European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages and Transfrontier Co-operation“, International Conference - Minorities in a Seamless Europe - The Role of Transfrontier Co-operation in Maintaining Ethno-cultural Diversity, Ferenc Gémesi, Budapest, 2010, p. 51-54;</p> <p>12. „Developments in the Field of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages“, European Yearbook of Minority Issues Vol 7, 2007/8, 2010 Koninklijke Brill nv., p. 497-512;</p> <p>13. „Ljudska prava u Europskoj uniji u praksi Europskog suda u Luksemburgu“, co-author: Nataša Sgardelli Car, Zbornik Pravnog fakulteta u Zagrebu, God. 2010, Br. 5, p. 971-994.</p> <p>14. „Zaštita socijalnih prava kao temeljnih ljudskih prava u praksi Europskog suda za ljudska prava“, in: Socijalna prava kao temeljna ljudska prava, N. Bodiroga Vukobrat and S. Barić (eds.), Zagreb 2010, p. 98-104.,</p> <p>15. „Developments in the Field of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages in 2009“, European Yearbook of Minority Issues Vol 8, 2009, ISBN 978 90 04 19521 9, 595-615 (2011 Koninklijke Brill nv. Printed in The Netherlands), p. 595- .</p> <p>16. „Application Ratione Temporis of the European Human Rights Convention with regard to Croatia“, N. Bodiroga-Vukobrat / S. Rodin/ Gerald G. Sander / (Ed.), Legal Culture in Transition: Supranational and International Law before National Courts; Europäisches und Internationales Wirtschaftsrecht, Band 4, (Logos Verlag Berlin, Germany), 2013, str. 209-225.</p> <p>17. „Developments in the Field of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages“, European Yearbook of Minority Issues Vol 9, 2010, ISBN13: 9789004229341 (2012 Koninklijke Brill nv. Printed in The Netherlands)</p> <p>18. „Minority Languages in Official Use – The Case of Spain“, Nada Bodiroga-Vukobrat, Gerald G. Sander &amp; Sanja Barić (Hrsg./eds.), Unsichtbare Minderheiten - Invisible Minorities, Schriften zum Sozial-, Umwelt- und Gesundheitsrecht, Band 4, Verlag dr. Kovač, ISBN 978-3-8300-6856-3, str. 281-292.</p> <p>19. „Utjecaj presuda Europskog suda za ljudska prava na izvore prava u pravnom sustavu Republike Hrvatske“, Marko Novaković (ur.), Basic Concepts of International Law - Monism and Dualism, Beograd, 2013.</p> <p>20. „Developments in the Field of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages in 2011“, European Yearbook of Minority Issues Vol 10, 2011, ISBN 978-90-04-25634-7 (2013 Koninklijke Brill nv, Leiden), str. 469-485.</p>

	<p>21. „The Right to Self-determination – The Kosovo Case before the International Court of Justice“, su-autor Dunja Kasipović, Zbornik Pravnog fakulteta Sveučilišta u Rijeci, Vol. 34, br. 2, str. 895-910;</p> <p>22. „Developments in the Field of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages in 2012“, European Yearbook of Minority Issues Vol 11, 2012, ISBN 978-90-04-28329-9 (2014 Koninklijke Brill nv, Leiden), str. 231-249.</p> <p>23. „Rapporto tra Italia e Croazia dal punto di visto del diritto internazionale - Protezione della lingua delle minoranze“, ur. Cosio, Sgroi i Smokvina: Italia-Croazia Ordinamenti a Confronto, 2015, Giappichelli Editore – Torino, ISBN/EAN 978-88-348-5942-1, str. 3-9.</p> <p>24. „One Law, One Court and Human Rights“, su-autor Masha Marochini Zrinski, Europeanization and Globalization, Vol. 1, Nada Bodiroga-Vukobrat et al. (Eds): New Europe - Old Values?, (Springer Int. Publ. Switzerland 2016) ISBN 978-3-319-02212-3, p. 15-29.</p> <p>25. „Developments in the Field of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages in 2013“, European Yearbook of Minority Issues Vol 12, 2013, ISBN 978-90-04-30613-4 (2016 Koninklijke Brill NV, Leiden), str. 223-243</p> <p>26. „Protection of Croatian as a Minority Language in Europe“ in Wolfrum, R., Seršić, M. and Šošić, T.M. (eds.): Contemporary Developments in International Law – Essays in Honour of Budislav Vukas, (2016 Koninklijke Brill NV, Leiden), str. 477-499.</p>
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<p><b>CONFERENCES (MORE RECENT)</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) „The Impact of the Charter“, znanstveni skup: „The ECRML: Achievements and Challenges“, Bilbao, 20-21 April 2009,</li> <li>2) „Human Rights and Non-discrimination in International Law“, Integrating Differences – Human Rights, Social Inclusion and Social Cohesion in the Balkans on its Road to the EU, Ohrid, Makedonija, 28. do 31.05.2009.</li> <li>3) „The European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages and Transfrontier Co-operation“, International Conference - Minorities in a Seamless Europe - The Role of Transfrontier Co-operation in Maintaining Ethno-cultural Diversity, Budapest, 15 September 2009.</li> <li>4) The Committee of Experts and the Irish language in the third monitoring cycle for the United Kingdom, POBAL Conference on the application of the Charter for regional and minority languages, Belfast, 23 June 2010</li> <li>5) Information Seminar on the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages for judicial authorities, Moscow, 19 October 2010 (<a href="http://www.coe.ru/doc/Jp_minorities/Seminar%2010.../Vesna%20CrnicG.doc">http://www.coe.ru/doc/Jp_minorities/Seminar%2010.../Vesna%20CrnicG.doc</a>)</li> <li>6) Europska konvencija za ljudska prava, radionica, Državna škola za pravosudne dužnosnike, 11.05., 1. i 8.06.2011.</li> <li>7) Application Ratione Temporis of the European Human Rights Convention, Conference „Legal Culture in Transition - Supranational and International Law in National Courts, Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence, Opatija, June 17-18, 2011;</li> <li>8) „Minority Languages in Official Use – The Case of Spain“, International Jean Monnet Conference „Invisible minorities“, Rijeka, Croatia, 14 and 15 October 2011;</li> <li>9) Utrecht Network Summer School on Borders of Europe, Masaryk University Brno, 13-16 July 2012;</li> <li>10) Primjena Povelje o manjinskim i regionalnim jezicima u RH, Okrugli stol: Jezik Srba u Hrvatskoj, Zagreb, 10. svibnja 2013.</li> <li>11) „One Law, One Court and Human Rights, Accession Agreement of the European Union to the European Convention on Human rights“, Legal culture in Transition: NEW EUROPE – OLD VALUES? REFORM AND PERSEVERANCE, Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence, Opatija, 11. svibnja 2013.</li> <li>12) „Utjecaj presuda Europskog suda za ljudska prava na izvore prava u pravnom sustavu Republike Hrvatske“, Konferencija: Basic Concepts of International Law - Monism and Dualism, Čanj, Crna Gora, 29-31. svibnja 2013</li> <li>13) „Minority Languages before Administrative Bodies“, ICML XIV - Dominated Languages in the 21st Century, The Plurilingualism Research Unit at the University of Graz, Graz 11. do 14 rujna 2013. (abstract)</li> <li>14) „International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights - Source of Inspiration or Obligation for EU Member States?“, SOCIAL RIGHTS AND SOCIAL POLICY IN PURSUIT OF A NEW EUROPEAN SOCIAL PARADIGM, Opatija, 20. do 21. rujna 2013.</li> <li>15) „PRINCIPLES SETTLED BY THE EUROPEAN CHARTER FOR REGIONAL OR MINORITY LANGUAGES REGARDING THE USE OF REGIONAL OR MINORITY LANGUAGE, Konferencija: Preferential use of the Basque language in public administration, Working-day, 2014 September 19, Donostia, Koldo Mitxelena Kulturunea</li> <li>16) Protection of the Sami language by the Charter, SAMI - THE PEOPLE, THEIR CULTURE AND LANGUAGES AND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, Sajos, Inari, Finland, 27-29 November 2014</li> </ol>
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	<p>17) Legislation and minority languages – the role of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages in Spain, Mercator Network LEARNMe Project: 3rd workshop on linguistic diversity and language policies, Barcelona, 8 - 9 April 2015,</p> <p>18) Minority Languages in Administration under the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages, Mercator LEARNMe conference, Budapest 18-19 September 2015,</p> <p>19) The importance and role of the Charter in the CoE system Protection of identity through language rights, 25th anniversary conference of the European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages, 13-14 November 2017, Budapest</p> <p>20) "Minority Protection at a Crossroads", Mariehamn, Åland Islands, 31 March 2015</p> <p>21) THE IMPACT OF THE EUROPEAN COURT OF HUMAN RIGHTS ON THE RULE OF LAW AND HUMAN RIGHTS PROTECTION IN CENTRAL EUROPE, The impact of the European Institutions on the Rule of Law and Human Rights Protection in Central and Eastern Europe Nova univerza in Slovenia - Graduate School of Government and European Studies and European Faculty of Law, 10-11 November 2017,</p> <p>22) Međunarodni sud i dokazivanje elemenata zločina genocida, Znanstveni skup Akademije pravnih znanosti Hrvatske, Međunarodno kazneno pravo – naslijeđe i novi izazovi, Zagreb 12.12.2017.</p> <p>23) Ratification of the Charter by Portugal, The European Charter for Regional or Minority Languages, Miranda, Portugal, 14-15 December 2017</p>

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