



## Europass Curriculum Vitae

### Personal information

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### Work experience

Dates	October 2017. –
Occupation or position held	Vice-Dean for Professional Study Affairs
Main activities and responsibilities	Member of the management, in charge of studies and students' affairs for the Professional Study Programme
Name and address of employer	University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law, Hahlić 6, HR-51000 Rijeka, Croatia
Type of business or sector	Education, Science
Dates	<b>February 2016 - ...</b>
Occupation or position held	Assistant Professor – Chair of Labour Law and Social Security Law Research Associate (Field: Labour and Social Security Law)
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures, consultation with students, research in the fields of European and Labour law, Sports law, writing of academic and professional articles
Name and address of employer	University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law, Hahlić 6, HR-51000 Rijeka, Croatia
Type of business or sector	Education, Science
Dates	<b>December 2009.- February 2016 -</b>
Occupation or position held	Research Assistant; Senior Research Assistant (Labour Law, Social Law, Sports Law, EU Law); Research Associate (Field: Labour and Social Security Law)

Main activities and responsibilities	Assistance in lectures, consultation with students, research in the fields of European and Labour law, Sports law, writing of academic and professional articles
Name and address of employer	University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law, Chair of Labour and Social Law, Croatia
Type of business or sector	Education, Science
Dates	<b>February 2013 – 2017</b>
Occupation or position held	Visiting Research Associate
Organisation	Edge Hill University Centre for Sports Law Research, UK
Type of business or sector	(Director, Professor Richard Parrish) Science (Sports Law, EU Law)
Dates	<b>2019 – 2022.</b>
Occupation or position held	CAS Arbitrator (general list and football list)
Main activities and responsibilities	Arbitration
Organisation	Court of Arbitration for Sport (Lausanne, Switzerland)
Dates	<b>2019 – 2021.</b>
Occupation or position held	UEFA Football Law Programme Session Director
Main activities and responsibilities	Session Director of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Session in Rijeka (Croatia)
Organisation	UEFA (Nyon, Switzerland))
Dates	<b>2008 - 2012, 2012 – 2016, 2016 - (nominated for a new period of 4 years)</b>
Occupation or position held	Court Interpreter for the Italian language nominated by The Decision of the President of the County Court in Rijeka
Main activities and responsibilities	Translations of documents from Italian into Croatian, Translation of documents from Croatian into Italian
Type of business or sector	Legal Translation
Dates	<b>2019 - ...</b>
Occupation or position held	Member of the Committee for professional sports club, Central State Office for Sport of the Republic of Croatia
Main activities and responsibilities	Monitoring the activities of professional sports clubs
Dates	<b>2014 - 2018, 2018 - (nominated for a period of 4 years)</b>
Occupation or position held	Arbitrator of the Arbitration Tribunal of the Croatian Football Federation
Main activities and responsibilities	Arbitration
Type of business or sector	Sports Justice
Dates	<b>2014 - ...</b>
Occupation or position held	Arbitrator of the Arbitration Tribunal of the Croatian Chamber of Economy
Main activities and responsibilities	Arbitration
Type of business or sector	Labour Law

Dates	<b>February 2007- December 2009</b>
Occupation or position held	Legal trainee in a Law office
Main activities and responsibilities	fields of experience: civil law, criminal law, labour law, business law, insolvency law; contract drafting, legal counselling
Name and address of employer	<b>Lawyer Alen Bošković, F. Supila 13, HR-51000 Rijeka, Croatia</b>
Type of business or sector	Lawyer's Profession, Law, Judicature
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	<b>2014.</b> Teachers' Competences: Teaching and Learning in Higher Education (30 ETCS) Faculty of philosophy, University of Rijeka, Croatia
Dates	<b>October 2011</b>
Title of qualification awarded	Erasmus Mobility of Academic Staff
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Sports Law, Labour Law
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Udine, Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Law, Italy
Dates	<b>August 2011</b>
Title of qualification awarded	Research visit (Mentor: Prof. dr. Robert C.R. Siekmann)
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Sports Law, Labour Law
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	<b>T.M.C. Asser Institute, Den Haag, The Netherlands</b>
Title of qualification awarded	<b>Seminar (June 2010)</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	MARKET FREEDOMS AND FUNDAMENTA RIGHTS IN THE ENLARGING EUROPEAN UNION
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Law University of Zagreb, Interuniversity Centre, Dubrovnik, Croatia
Dates	<b>25<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> May 2009</b>
Title of qualification awarded	Course
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	TRANSNATIONAL SOCIAL RIGHTS AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION – INTERACTION BETWEEN THE INTERNAL MARKET AND NATIONAL LABOUR MARKET
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Law University of Rijeka, Croatia
Dates	<b>2008 - 2009</b>
Title of qualification awarded	TEMPUS Project (II terms)
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	ENGLISH FOR EU LAW
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Croatian Jurisprudence Academy and Faculty of Law University of Rijeka, Croatia

Dates	<b>20<sup>th</sup> December 2008</b>
Title of qualification awarded	Passed The Bar Examination
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Ministry of Justice of the Republic of Croatia
Dates	<b>2008 - 2012</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Postgraduate Study: PhD Programme (3 years) PhD Study – Law PhD thesis: Free movement of sportspeople and the specificity of their labour law status in the EU, defended 8/8/2012
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	European Law Faculty in Nova Gorica, Slovenia
Dates	<b>2001 - 2006</b>
Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor of Law Science
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	General Knowledge of Law Final work: The Elysian Fields (Phillip C. Jessup Moot Court Competition Memorial of the Applicant) : 5,00 / 5,00
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law, Croatia
Level in national or international classification	ISCED 5
Dates	<b>2005 - 2006</b>
Title of qualification awarded	Phillip C. Jessup Moot Court Competition (Washington DC, USA)
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Public International Law - Member of the Croatian Team (Faculty of Law University of Rijeka), writing memorials and oral rounds in Washington DC, USA
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	International Law Students Association
Dates	<b>1997 - 2001</b>
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	High school: Prva riječka hrvatska gimnazija
<b>Membership in Law Associations</b>	
2011 -	Sport&EU : Association for the study of Sport and EU
2011 -	SLSA: Socio-Legal Studies Association
2011 -	Hrvatsko udruženje za športsko pravo: Croatian Association for Sports Law
2012 -	Hrvatska udruga za poredbeno pravo: Croatian Comparative Law Association
2013 -	UACES
2019 -	Hrvatsko udruženje za radno pravo i socijalnu sigurnost: Croatian Association for labour law and social security
<b>Personal Awards and Merits</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• University of Rijeka Award for Teaching Excellence 2017 &amp; 2019</li> <li>• University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law: Award for the best scientific article in a foreign journal 2019</li> </ul>

Mother tongue(s) **Croatian**

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

*European level (\*)*

**English**

**Italian**

**Slovenian**

Understanding		Speaking		Writing
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
C2	C2	C1	C1	C1
C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
C1	C1	B2	B2	B2

*(\*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages*

Social skills and competences

- 2017-19: President of the working group for the new Sports Act, by the Croatian Central State office for Sport
- 2017-19: Member of the working group for the new National Sports Programme, by the Croatian Central State office for Sport
- 2015: Member of the working group for the new Sports Act, by the Croatian Ministry of science, education and sport
- 2014: Member of the working group for the new Sports Act, by the Croatian Ministry of science, education and sport
- 2012: Consultation of the working group for the new Sports Act, by the Croatian Ministry of science, education and sport
- Journals peer-reviewer: Zbornik Pravnog fakulteta Sveučilišta u Rijeci (2013, 2018), Zbornik Veleučilišta u Rijeci (2016), Zbornik Fakulteta zdravstvenih studija (2016), Naše more (2016) etc.

Organisational skills and competences

- President of the Organisation Committee: *1<sup>st</sup> International Scientific Conference: European Sports Labour Law: Towards the social dialogue in Croatia*, Rijeka 25/5/2012 (organised by: Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence Opatija, Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka),
- Member of the Organisation Committee: *Conference on the Croatian Labour Act*, Rijeka, 15/3/2013 (organised by: Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka)
- President of the Organisation Committee: *International Scientific Conference: Legal Conference – The friendship day between Italy and Croatia (In Croatian: Pravno savjetovanje – Dan Europskog prijateljstva Hrvatske i Italije, Opatija, 1/7/2013.* (organised by: Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence, Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka and Croatian Bar Association),
- Member of the Organisation Committee: International Scientific Conference: *„Envisioning a new social model for Europe - the economic crisis aftermath (Lessons from Transition)“*, 17.-18/10/2014, Opatija, Croatia (organised by: Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence Opatija, Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka),
- President of the Organisation Committee: *2<sup>nd</sup> Rijeka EU Sports Law seminar: Introduction to EU Sports Law*, Rijeka, 15-16/10/2015 (organised by: Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka, Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence Opatija, Croatian Football Federation),
- President of the Organisation Committee: *Presentation of the book “Italia-Croazia, ordinamenti a confront, G. Giappichelli Editore, and the Meeting of Italian and Croatian entrepreneurs for potential investments in Croatia*, Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka, Rijeka, 6/11/2015, (organised by: Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka, Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence, Association of Italian entrepreneurs in Croatia, Croatian Bar Association and Consulate General of Italy in Rijeka)
- President of the Organisation Committee: *3<sup>rd</sup> Rijeka EU Sports Law seminar: FIFA Financial Fair-Play – different aspects*, Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka Rijeka, 27/4/2017 (organised by: Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka; Jean Monnet Inter-University Centre of Excellence Opatija, Croatia; Edge Hill University, Centre for Sports Law Research, UK and Sports Law and Policy Centre, Italy).
- President of the Organisation Committee of the *4<sup>th</sup> Rijeka EU Sports Law seminar: The Regulation of Football Agents*, Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka Rijeka, 10/6/2019 (organised by: Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka);
- President of the Organisation Committee of the conference *Best Practice in Sports Diplomacy*, Hotel Academia, Zagreb, 12/6/2019, (organised by: Faculty of Law of the University of Rijeka and the Croatian Central State Office for Sport);

Teaching in law:	<p>Teaching in labour law and social security law:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law (Croatia), Assist. Prof. of Labour and Social Security Law, International labour and social security law (Integrated undergraduate / graduate university Study of Law); Assist. Prof. of Labour and Social Security Law (Undergraduate Professional Study Programme in Administration Studies)</li> <li>• Faculty of Law, University of Split (Croatia), Professor of Labour, Social Security Law and Civil Service Law (Undergraduate Professional Study Programme in Administration Studies) - <i>Academic year 2016/2017.</i></li> <li>• University of Udine, Italy - Labour Market Law – Study Programme Economics – Science Economiche [790] (LM-DM270) – <i>Academic year 2015/16.</i></li> </ul> <p>Teaching in sports law:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law (Croatia), Professor of Sports Law (Integrated undergraduate / graduate university Study of Law);</li> <li>• Faculty of Kinesiology, University of Split (Croatia), Professor of: Sports Law and Misdemeanours in Sports, <i>Academic year 2016/17 – 2018/19.</i></li> <li>• Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb (Croatia), Visiting Associate: Sports Law</li> <li>• University College of management and Design ASPIRA, Split (Croatia), Professor of: Sports Law</li> </ul>
Scientific projects:	<p><b>PAST:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Researcher at the scientific project of the Croatian Ministry of science, education and sports (2009.-2013.): <i>Social Security and Market Competition - European Requirements and Croatian Solutions</i>, (code: 115-1151212-2637),</li> <li>• Researcher at the project of the Italian Ministry of university: <i>Legal_Frame_Work. Employment and legality in the inclusive society</i> (2010-2014)</li> <li>• Researcher at the University of Rijeka Project: <i>Social Security and Market Competition - European Requirements and Croatian Solutions</i> (2014-2018),</li> <li>• Researcher at the scientific project of the Croatian Science Foundation: <i>Perspectives of maintaining the social state: towards the transformation of social security systems for individuals in personalized medicine</i> (2014-2018) principal investigator: Professor Nada Bodiroga-Vukobrat, (code O-3070-2014),</li> <li>• Researcher at the scientific project of the Croatian Science Foundation: "Flexicurity and New Forms of Employment (Challenges regarding Modernization of Croatian Labour Law" (2015-2018), principal investigator: Assoc. Prof. Sandra Laleta (code: UIP-2014-09-9377).</li> <li>• Researcher at the scientific EC project programme „Improving expertise in the field of industrial relations"- <i>“CEELAB – Improving knowledge on the impact of Central- and Eastern European social partners on competitive labour market reforms facing the global crisis”</i> (2017-2018), coordinator: Assoc. Professor Sandra Laleta (code: VS/2016/0368)</li> </ul> <p><b>CURRENT:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Erasmus + project, collaborative partnership, Member of the working research team for the project "Promoting and supporting good governance in the European football agents industry" (2018-2020) coordinator: Professor Richard Parrish (code: 590562-EPP-1-2017-1-UK-SPO-SCP)</li> <li>• Erasmus + project, collaborative partnership, Member of the working research team for the project "Promoting a Strategic Approach to EU Sport Diplomacy" (2019-2021) coordinator: Professor Richard Parrish (to start 01/01/2019)</li> <li>• Researcher at the University of Rijeka Project: <i>Digital transformation of society: Legal aspects</i>, principal investigator: Assoc. Prof. Ana Pošćić (2019-2021).</li> </ul>
Computer skills and competences	MS Office, Internet
Driving licence	Yes
<b>Additional information</b>	Confidential references in English are available on demand

## PUBLICATIONS:

### Books and Book chapters

1. Parrish Richard, Cattaneo Andrea, Lindholm Johan, Mittag Jürgen, Perez-Gonzalez Carmen, Smokvina Vanja: *Promoting and Supporting Good Governance in the European Football Agents Industry*, Zagreb – Rijeka: European Commission Representation in Croatia, University of Rijeka, Faculty of Law, 2019. (BOOK).
2. Učur Marinko Đ., Smokvina Vanja: *Healthcare Act - with commentary and contributions* (In Croatian: Zakon o zdravstvenoj zaštiti - s komentarom i prilozima), Rijeka: Libertin Naklada, 2019 (BOOK).
3. Bodiroga-Vukobrat, Nada, Smokvina, Vanja, Špadina, Helga: *Der Schutz der Sozialen Grundrechte in der Rechtsordnung Kroatiens*, pp. 139-215 in *Soziale Grundrechte in den 'neuen' Mitgliedstaaten der Europäischen Union* (Ed. Julia, Iliopoulos-Strangas), Baden: Nomos, 2019. (BOOK CHAPTER).
4. Smokvina, Vanja, Laleta, Sandra: *Croatia*, pp. 183-205 in *Collective Bargaining in Labour Law Regimes - A Global Perspective* (Ed. Ulla Liukkunen), Heidelberg: Springer, 2019. (BOOK CHAPTER).
5. Smokvina Vanja: *Doping in Sports: Legal and Other Aspects*, pp. 255-268, in *Personalized Medicine in Healthcare Systems* (Eds. Bodiroga-Vukobrat Nada, Rukavina Daniel, Pavelić Krešimir, Sander, Gerald G.), Heidelberg: Springer, 2019 (BOOK CHAPTER).
6. Bilić Andrijana, Smokvina Vanja: *Labour Law Status of Professional Athletes* (in Croatian Radnopravni status profesionalnih sportaša), pp. 475-518 in *Sportsko pravo* (in Croatian: Sport Law) Ed. Hrvoje Kačer), Sveučilište u Splitu, Pravni fakultet, Split, 2018 (BOOK CHAPTER),
7. Smokvina Vanja: *Sports Law in Croatia*, Wolters Kluwer , Alphen aan den Rijn, 2017. (BOOK)
8. Smokvina Vanja: *Disciplinary Procedures in Croatian Football*, pp. 273-295, in *Disciplinary Procedure sin football, An International and Comparative Analysis* (Eds. Marc Cavaliero, Michele Colucci), Sports Law and Policy Centre, 2017. (BOOK CHAPTER),
9. Smokvina Vanja: *Collective dismissal in Croatia*, in *The collective dismissal in the European Union: a comparative analysis*" (Eds G. Mamzone, V. Di Cerbo, F. Curcurutto, R. Cosio), Wolters Kluwer, Alphen aan den Rijn, 2017. (BOOK CHAPTER),
10. Smokvina Vanja, Iveta Vladimir: *The implementation of FIFA Regulations in Croatia*, pp. 219-233, in *FIFA Regulations on working with intermediaries. Implementation at national level, II Edition* (Ed. Michele Colucci), Sports Law and Policy Centre, 2016. (BOOK CHAPTER),
11. Laleta Sandra, Smokvina Vanja: *The protection of Whistleblowers in the Republic of Croatia*, pp. 73-10., u *Whistleblowing - A Comparative Study* (Eds. Gregor Thüsing, Gerrit Forst), Heidelberg, New York, Dordrecht, London: Springer, 2016. (BOOK CHAPTER),
12. Smokvina Vanja, Iveta Vladimir: *The implementation of FIFA Regulations in Croatia*, pp. 168-180, in *FIFA Regulations on working with intermediaries. Its implementation at national level* (Michele Colucci (Ed.)), Sports Law and Policy Centre, 2015. (BOOK CHAPTER),
13. Cosio Roberto, Fonzo Fabio, Sgroi Antonio, Smokvina Vanja: *Italia e Croazia – due ordinamenti sul diritto del lavoro a confronto*, G. Giappichelli Editore, Torino, 2015 (BOOK),
14. Smokvina, Vanja: *Gli incentivi per le assunzioni di giovani nel periodo di crisi economica in Croazia*, in Cosio, Roberto; Fonzo, Fabio; Sgroi, Antonio; Smokvina, Vanja, *Italia e Croazia – due ordinamenti sul diritto del lavoro a confronto*, Giappichelli Editore, Torino, 2015 (BOOK CHAPTER),
15. Smokvina, Vanja: *Employment Relationships at National Level: Croatia*, pp. 73-99 in *International and Comparative Labour Relationships in Sports*, (Eds. Michele Colucci, Hendrickx, Frank), Sports Law and Policy Centre, 2014. (BOOK CHAPTER),
16. Siekmann Robert C. R.; Parrish Richard; Smokvina Vanja; Bodiroga-Vukobrat Nada; Sander Gerald G. (Eds.), *Social Dialogue in Professional Sports – On some Topics about European Sports Law – Emphasis on „old and new EU Member States“*, Shaker Verlag, Aachen, 2013 (BOOK),
17. Smokvina Vanja: *Is There a Need for a Change in the Legal Status of Professional Sportspeople in Croatia?*, p. 209-230, in Siekmann Robert C. R.; Parrish Richard; Smokvina Vanja; Bodiroga-Vukobrat Nada; Sander Gerald G. (Ur.), *Social Dialogue in*



Professional Sports – On some Topics about European Sports Law – Emphasis on „old and new EU Member States“, Shaker Verlag, Aachen, 2013. (BOOK CHAPTER),

18. Horak Hana, Bodiroga-Vukobrat, Nada, Smokvina, Vanja: *Fundamental Economic Freedoms of the European Union and Sport*, p. 73-124, in Siekmann Robert C. R.; Parrish Richard; Smokvina Vanja; Bodiroga-Vukobrat Nada; Sander Gerald G. (Ur.), *Social Dialogue in Professional Sports – On some Topics about European Sports Law – Emphasis on „old and new EU Member States“*, Shaker Verlag, Aachen, 2013. (BOOK CHAPTER),
19. Smokvina, Vanja: *Sports Justice in Croatia*, pp. 289-307, in *International and Comparative Sports Justice* (Michele Colucci, Jones, Karen L. (Eds.), Sports Law and Policy Centre, 2013. (BOOK CHAPTER),
20. Učur, Marinko Đ., Smokvina, Vanja: *Sources of Labour Law – Implementing Regulations with the Labour Act* (In Croatian: *Vrela radnog prava – provedbeni propisi uz Zakon o radu*), Pravni fakultet Sveučilišta u Rijeci (*Faculty of Law University of Rijeka*), Rijeka, 2011. (BOOK),
21. Učur, Marinko Đ., Smokvina, Vanja: *Labour Act and Other Sources of Labour Law* (in Croatian: *Zakon o radu i druga vrela radnog prava*), Veleučilište u Gospiću (*University of Applied Sciences Gospić*), Gospić, 2010. (BOOK),
22. Smokvina, Vanja: *Free Movement of Workers in the Context of Sports Labour Law*, pp. 71-90. In Bodiroga-Vukobrat Nada, Đerđa Dario, Pošćić Ana: *Collection of ECJ Decisions (Selection of Recent Case Law)*, (In Croatian: *Zbirka presuda Europskoga suda (Izbor recentne prakse)*), Inženjerski biro d.d., Zagreb, 2011. (BOOK CHAPTER – previously published AD 51);

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23. Gadžo Stjepan, Smokvina Vanja, *Croatia: Sports and Taxation - selected issues, Global Sports Law and Taxation Reports*, Vol. 9 (2019) No. 1., pp. 49-52 (ARTICLE).
24. Smokvina Vanja, *The specificity of some aspects of temporary agency work in Italy and Croatia*, *Zbornik Pravnog fakulteta Sveučilišta u Rijeci* (Collected Papers of the Law Faculty of the University of Rijeka), Vol. 39. (2019), no. 4, pp.1909-1926 , (PROFESSIONAL WORK),
25. Smokvina Vanja, *Trasformazione del diritto del lavoro in Croazia dal 1990 fino ad oggi (passando per l'Unione europea)*, *Lavoro e diritto*, Vol. 32 (2018) No. 3, pp. 545-565. (SCIENTIFIC WORK),
26. Vlahov Lorena, Smokvina Vanja: *A contribution to the discussion on the flexicurity and new form of employment* , (In Croatian: *U prilog raspravi o fleksigurnosti i novim oblicima rada*), *Hrvatska pravna revija*, Vol. 18 (2018) No. 3, pp. 22-35, (PROFESSIONAL WORK),
27. Drageljević Tatjana, Smokvina Vanja: *The specificity of strike in view of the case-law* (In Croatian: *Posebnost štrajka s aspekta sudske prakse*), *Radno parvo*, Vol. 18 (2018) No 5., pp. 3-15, (PROFESSIONAL WORK )
28. Butorac Lamia, Smokvina Vanja, *Social prestations in the social welfare system (guaranteed minimum aid, status of a parent caregiver or status of careers and foster care)* (In Croatian: *Socijalne prestacije u sustavu socijalne skrbi (zajamčena minimalna naknada, status roditelja njegovatelja ili status njegovatelja i udomiteljstvo)*), *Hrvatska pravna revija*, Vol. 17 (2017) No. 7-8, pp. 35-46, (PROFESSIONAL WORK )
29. Učur Marinko Đ., Smokvina Vanja, *Specificity of the Labour Law Status for Workers in the Maritime Fisheries with Special Emphasis on Work Hours and Rest* (in Croatian: *Posebnosti radnopravnog statusa radnika u pomorskom ribarstvu s posebnim osvrtom na radno vrijeme i odmore* ) , *Naše more*, Vol. 63 (2016) No. 4., Supplement, pp. 98-106 (SCIENTIFIC WORK),
30. Smokvina Vanja, Šamija Krešimir, *The need for a unique national data system in Croatian sports system* (in Croatian: *Nužnost postojanja jedinstvenog Informacijskog sustava u hrvatskom sportu*), *Zbornik radova 6. Međunarodne znanstvene konferencije "Razvoj javne uprave"* (Eds. Smoljić Mirko, Belaj Ivan), Veleučilište u Vukovaru, Vukovar, 2016, pp. 338-355 (PUBLISHED CONFERENCE PAPER),
31. Učur Marinko Đ., Smokvina Vanja, *The issue of the labour law status of seafarers and workers on maritime fishermen boats in the Republic of Croatia with special reference on the registration procedure of the contract of employment* (in Croatian: *Problematika*

radnopravnog statusa pomoraca i ribara u pomorskoj plovidbi u Republici Hrvatskoj s posebnim osvrtom na registraciju ugovora o radu), Naše more, Vol. 62 (2015) No. 4, pp. 104.-112 (SCIENTIFIC WORK),

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33. Učur, Marinko Đ., Smokvina, Vanja, *Neglected Autonomous Regulation of Security and Protection of Health at Work* (In Croatian: Zapostavljeno autonomno reguliranje sigurnosti i zaštite zdravlja na radu), Pravo u gospodarstvu (Law in Economy), vol. 54., 2015, no. 3, pp. 491-516. (PROFESSIONAL WORK),
34. Smokvina, Vanja, *Implementation of the Agreement regarding the minimum requirements for standard players' contract in professional football, with emphasis on Croatian sports*, (in Croatian: Implementacija Sporazuma o minimalnim zahtjevima za standardni ugovor igrača u profesionalnom nogometu s naglaskom na hrvatski sport), Law in economy (Pravo u gospodarstvu), Vol. 53 (2014) no. 6, pp. 1225-1250. (PRELIMINARY SCIENTIFIC WORK)
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