



## **Europass curriculum vitae**

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### **Personal**

Born November 20, 1959 in Rijeka.

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### **Work experience**

10/1996 – ongoing

Full Professor

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Department of Education, Omladinska 14, 51000 Rijeka

Higher Education

10/1989 – 9/1996

Associate Professor

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Education, Department of Education, Omladinska 14, 51000 Rijeka

Higher Education

9/1982 – 9/1987

Assistant Professor

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Education, Department of Education, Omladinska 14, 51000 Rijeka

Higher Education

9/1982 – 8/1987

Assistant

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Education, Department of Education, Omladinska 14, 51000 Rijeka

Higher Education

## **Education**

B.A. in Education (Faculty of Education in Rijeka, 1982)

M.Sc., field of education, 1984, (The Status of Creative Students in the Educational Process)

Ph.D. in Humanities and Social sciences, field of education, 1986, (The Problem of Provenance and Determination of the Educational Goal in the Recent Development of Educational Theory in Croatia)

## **Research projects**

### **International projects:**

„Academic Profession and Societal Expectations: Challenges for University Civic Mission"; part of a collaborative project "*The Academic Profession in Europe: Responses to Societal Challenges*" (EUROAC); a part of a EUROCORES program „*Funding initiative in the field of Higher Education and Social Change* (EuroHESC)" offered by the European Science Foundation (ESF); project leader; 2009 - 2011.

"Development of Quality Assurance System in Higher Education"; TEMPUS JEP Project; contact person for the University of Rijeka; 2002.

"Establishing and Strengthening a Core Network Promoting Third Sector Studies in the Central and Eastern European Region"; Rockefeller Brothers Fund project's participant; 2001.

"The Quality of Teaching in Higher Education: the Croatian Case"; OSI/HESP RSS scholarship No.: 43/1997, project leader, 1997 - 1999.

"Initiating Philanthropic Activities in Croatia (Rijeka) through Teacher's Education"; project by the Center on Philanthropy at Indiana University; project leader; 1995 - 1997.

### **Projects funded by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports:**

"University and its Environment in the Context of European Integration Process" (009-0000000-0931); project leader; 2007 - ongoing.

"Civil society Combined Social Policy in Croatia" (project associate; 2007 – ongoing)

"Preconditions for the Quality Assurance System in Higher Education" (0009004); project leader; 2002 - 2006.

*"The Quality of Teaching in Higher Education: Criteria, Present State and University Staff Development Culture of Quality" Model*" (000913); project leader; 1996 - 2000.

*"The Presumptions and the Criteria of University Teaching Efficiency"*; associate and project leader; 1990 - 1995.

### **Other projects:**

"Science Day"; a project offered by the Golden Section Society in cooperation with L'Oreal, project associate; 2009; 2010.

"The incentive to introduce civil society topics in Croatian higher education"; project by CERANEO; associate, 2008, supported by the National Foundation for Civil Society Development.

"Development of scientific literacy through active learning"; a program offered by the Golden Section Society; project associate, 2007/2010; supported by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports.

"Physics in Public Spaces»; a project offered by the Golden Section Society; program associate; 2007/2008; supported by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports.

"Student volunteers – developing social responsibility in university students"; project of the University of Rijeka Foundation; associate; 2007 - 2008.

"Development of Quality Assurance System in Higher Education"; TEMPUS JEP Project; contact person for the University of Rijeka; 2002.

"Establishing and Strengthening a Core Network Promoting Third Sector Studies in the Central and Eastern European Region"; participant in the project supported by the Rockefeller Brothers Fund; 2001.

"Citizens' involvement in civic initiatives through volunteering"; head of the project coordinated by SMART, Association for Civil Society Development; 2001.

"The Quality of Teaching in Higher Education: the Croatian Case"; OSI/HESP Individual RSS grant no: 43/1997; 1997 - 1999.

"*Values in Education: The Problem of Ideologizing*"; project of the Open Society Institute - Croatia; head of the project; 1996 - 1998.

"*Learning the Skills Needed for Life in the Contemporary Society*"; project of the Open Society Institute - Croatia; associate; 1997.

"Initiating Philanthropic Activities in Croatia (Rijeka) through Teacher's Education"; project of the Indiana University Center on Philanthropy; head of the project; 1995 - 1997.

"*The Analysis and Future Development of the Graduate Programmes at the University "Vladimir Bakarić" in Rijeka*"; project of the University of Rijeka; associate; 1984.

"*Group work in secondary education*"; associate; 1982.

### **Fulbright Fellowship**

Indiana University (Bloomington School of Education); work with Professor B.Edward McClellan; March 1994 - November 1994

The Center on Philanthropy at Indiana University; work with Professor Robert Payton (Fulbright Fellowship extended); December 1994 – February 1995

### **Scientific and professional conferences (selection)**

"Non-formal education and informal learning for adults, Šibenik, May 29 – 31, 2009 (Ćulum, B., Ledić, J.: The concept of citizens and civic competences - the implications for educational programs)

EQIBELT (Education Quality Improvement by E-learning Technology) Workshop, Rijeka, Sept 25 – 26, 2008 (Ledić, J., Ćulum, B.: Developing and Delivering E-courses in Educational Science: Mutually Challenging Performance; Workshops 2007 - 2008 Proceedings, pp. 321-324)

Lifelong learning for sustainable development, Plitvice, May 20 – 22, 2008 (invited lecture: Understanding Sustainable Development: where are we and where are we going?, In proceedings: Uzelac, V.; Vujicic, L. (ed.). Lifelong Learning for Sustainable Development - Volume 1, Rijeka: University of Rijeka, Faculty of Education in Rijeka, 273 - 285)

4th International Barcelona Conference on Higher Education: New challenges and emerging roles for Human and Social Development, Barcelona, Spain, March 31 – April 2, 2008 (Ledić, J., Ćulum, B., Nuždić, S., Jančec, L. (2008). What Role Do Croatian Higher Institutions Play? A study on University Civic Mission.)

The First Croatian Congress of Pedagogy: Pedagogy: towards lifelong learning and knowledge society. Zagreb, September 19 - 21, 2007. (Ledić, J.: Searching for the civic mission of Croatian Universities)

29<sup>th</sup> Annual EAIR Forum *In Search of Identity: Dilemmas in Higher Education*, Innsbruck, August 26 - 29, 2007 – poster presentation (Ćulum, B., Ledić, J., Nuždić, S.: A Civic Dimension in Official University Documents – The Croatian Case)

26th Annual EAIR Forum *Knowledge Society Crossroads*, October 5 – 8, 2004 Barcelona, Spain (Kovač, V., Ledić, J., Rafajac, B.: Development of Quality Assurance Processes at Croatian Universities: Strategies and Aims)

Sustainability of the Third Sector in Central and Eastern Europe: Integrating Analysis, Learning and Vision, Budapest, Hungary, September 28 - October 1, 2000. (Ledić, J.: The NGO Sector in Higher Education: A Croatian Experience)

ECER 2000 (European Conference on Educational Research), University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh, Scotland, September 20 - 23, 2000. (Ledić, J.: Croatia Above All: Values/messages in Croatian Elementary School Curriculum)

4th ISTR International Conference, Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland, July 5 - 8, 2000. (Ledić, J., Mrnjauš, K.: *Gangs, Mafia and Groups of Renegades*: (Mis)conceptions about Civil Society and Third Sector in Croatia)

VOLUNTAS Symposium *Ten Years After: Civil Society and the Third Sector in Central and Eastern Europe*, Prague, October 15 - 16, 1999. (Ledić, J.: The Future of Nonprofit Sector Teaching and Research in CEE)

ECER 98 (European Conference on Educational Research), Ljubljana, September 17 - 20, 1998 (Ledić, J., Hoić-Božić, N.: The Differences Between Teachers' And Students' Assessment Of Higher Education Teaching Quality: A Case From Croatia)

6<sup>th</sup> International *Improving Student Learning Symposium*: Improving Student Learning Outcomes, University of Brighton, Falmer Campus, September 7 - 9, 1998. (Ledić, J., Kovač, V., Rafajac, B: Students' Assessment of "Ideal" and "Real" Teaching: A Case From Croatia, Work-in-progress)

44<sup>th</sup> ICET World Assembly, Muscat (Oman), December 13 - 20, 1997; (Ledić, J., Rafajac, B., Kovač, V.: The Quality of Teaching in Higher Education: the Croatian Case; paper presented and accepted for publishing in 1997 ICET Yearbook)

10<sup>th</sup> ELRA Congress: Leisure, Culture and Tourism in Europe: The Challenge for Reconstruction and Modernization of Communities, Dubrovnik, September 29 - October 1, 1997; (Ledić, J.: Training of School Teachers for Leisure Education)

CIVICUS Second World Assembly, Budapest, Hungary, September 23 - 26, 1997, panelist at the section *Universities, Research and Civil Society*

Sparks (Southampton International Festival of Science and Invention), August 28 - 30, 1997, International Participation Award for the contribution: "Training of Indirect Laryngoscopy and Nasopharyngoscopy without a Patient" (authors: Darko Manestar & Jasminka Ledić)

Round table discussion: Youth Leisure and Tourism; Rijeka, March 20, 1997. (Ledić, J. & Kovač, V.: Leisure Education for Pedagogues and Teachers at the University of Rijeka School of Education)

### **Mentoring young researchers**

Marko Turk, research assistant on the research project "*Preconditions for the Quality Assurance System in Higher Education*" (2005 - 2007), "*University and its Environment in the Context of European Integration Process*" (2007 - ongoing).

Bojana Ćulum, MSc, research assistant on the research project "*Preconditions for the Quality Assurance System in Higher Education*" (2005 - 2007), "*University and its Environment in the Context of European Integration Process*" (2007 - ongoing).

Vesna Kovač, PhD, research assistant on the research project "*The Quality of Teaching in Higher Education*" (1996 - 2000), "*Preconditions for the Quality Assurance System in Higher Education*" (2001 - 2005).

Nataša Hoić-Božić, PhD, research assistant on the research project "*The Quality of Teaching in Higher Education*" (1996 - 2000).

Elvio Baccarini, PhD; curriculum development based on the project "*Values in the Period of Transformation*", 1996 - 1998.

### **Courses thought (2009/2010)**

#### **Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Rijeka**

The European Dimension in Education – graduate program

The European Higher Education Area: Structures and Trends – graduate program

Education and Globalisation – graduate program

The History of Education – undergraduate program

The National History of Education – undergraduate program

The History of Childhood – undergraduate and postgraduate program

Education for Civil Society – undergraduate program

Leisure Education – undergraduate program

#### **Faculty of Education in Rijeka**

Leisure Education

### **University of Zagreb, Faculty of Law (2008/2009)**

Civil society and social policy – graduate and postgraduate program in Social policy (with Professor Gojko Bežovan, Ph.D.)

### **Invited lectures**

"Children and the media", invited lecture on a Conference for leaders of county professional councils for elementary school teaching, teacher mentors and advisors, Education and Teaching Training Agency, Rijeka, June 17, 2009.

"Do university teachers encourage contempt towards training for teachers"; invited introductory presentation at a round table discussion "Elementary and Secondary Education: Croatian Qualifications Framework, scientific basis and teacher training"; Croatian Academy of Arts and Sciences, Committee for Cooperation with Croatian universities and scientific Institutes and Croatian Rector's Conference, Zagreb, May 18, 2009.

"Developing and delivering e-learning courses in educational science: The challenge of being first", (Ćulum B., Ledić J., Rončević N.), JFDP Regional Conference "Teaching methods and Techniques at the Universities in South Eastern Europe", March 12 – 15, 2009;

"*Meeting the European Higher Education Area: foundations, changes and standstills*"; invited to participate at the graduate program in Education at the University of Zagreb Faculty of Philosophy, June 11, 2004.

"*Meeting the European Higher Education Area*"; invited to participate at the graduate program in Education at University of Zagreb, Faculty of Philosophy, March 8, 2002.

"*How to be successful at teaching?*"; invited by University of Rijeka, School of Medicine, April 28, 1998.

"Higher Education in Croatia: Status, Problems and Approaches to Solutions"; invited by University of Klagenfurt, May 26, 1997.

"*How to be successful at teaching?*"; invited by University of Rijeka, Faculty of Maritime Studies, January 20, 1997.

### **Professional academic training**

"The analysis of the first semester of a Preschool Education study program and a Professional Teachers Study at the Faculty of Education in Rijeka (based on the learning outcomes approach)", Nov 2008; study and presentation for the Faculty of Education at the University of Rijeka.

"Development of curricula based on the learning outcomes approach"; program associate; Feb 2008, (in the context of the Action Plan for implementing learning outcomes set in the Development strategy of the University of Rijeka)

"*Syllabus - Innovative Approach in Higher Education Teaching*"; organised by Association for Development of Higher Education "Universitas", associate; March, 2007.

"The Programme of Initial Training for Teachers in Higher Education – INIOS", program supported by the Open Society Institute – Croatia, (OSI program 11661300 Faculty Development), project obtained through the activity of Association for Development of Higher Education "Universitas", head of the project, 2003 – 2004.

"Discussions on Higher Education", program supported by the Open Society Institute – Croatia, (OSI program 32261500 12910 Developing Public Awareness), head of the project, 2003 - 2004.

Curriculum Development: graduate program "Contemporary Trends in Teacher's Education" - program supported by the Open Society Institute – Croatia (OSI program 11761300 Curriculum

Development), project obtained through the activity of Teachers' College in Rijeka, head of the project, 2003.

"Towards European Higher Education Area: Strengths, Weaknesses, Opportunities and Threats"; workshop given in the frame of the project *"The Improvement of Quality Teaching in Higher Education"*; Association for Development of Higher Education "Universitas", facilitator, Rijeka, February 19, 2002.

*"The Improvement of Quality Teaching in Higher Education"*, program supported by the Open Society Institute – Croatia (OSI grant 6388811021), project obtained through the activity of Association for Development of Higher Education "Universitas", head of the project, 2001.

## **Associations**

Association for Development of Higher Education "Universitas"; president of the Board and one of the founders (2000 - 2004); member of the Board 2005; member of the executive board 2007; president 2009.

The "Golden section" Association; one of the founders and member of the Board; 2004 – ongoing.

Forum for freedom in education, associate member; 2004 – ongoing.

SMART - Association for Civil Society Development; founded 1999; Member of the Board (1999 - 2001); Member of the Advisory Board (2001 - 2006).

Regional Center for Development of Non-profit Organizations; one of the founders 2000, President (2000 - 2002), membership ended 2004.

National Geographic Society; member from 1983.

## **Reviewer for (selection):**

Jasna Burić and fellow speakers: Among Us. Nakladni zavod Globus, Zagreb 2009 (book reviewer)

Bojana Ćulum: Why and how to measure volunteering? Zagreb 2008, Ministry of Family Affairs, War Veteran and Intergenerational Solidarity (study reviewer)

The National Foundation for Science, Higher Education and Technological Development of the Republic of Croatia – member of the evaluation board (2008)

The Social Research Journal (2008)

Foundation of the University of Rijeka - member of professional evaluation commissions (2007)

Unity through Knowledge Fund (2007)

National Council for Higher Education (2005 – ongoing)



Projects financed by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports (2006-2007)

*The Journal of Social Policy* (2005 - ongoing)

"The Child and Childhood" (eds. Nada Babić and Stanislava Irović), School of Education in Osijek, Osijek 2003

Gojko Bežovan: "Civil Society", Nakladni zavod Globus, Zagreb 2004

Snježana Pejović: "A jump from the Bridge: Education between educational policy and interpersonal relations", Alineja, Zagreb 2002.

Paolo Freire: "Pedagogy of the Oppressed" (translation), Odraž, Zagreb 2002 –reccomendation to publish a translation of the book.

"Radovi - Razdio filozofije, psihologije, sociologije i pedagogije", Faculty of Arts and Sciences in Zadar, reviewer-associate.

VOLUNTAS (International Journal of Voluntary and Nonprofit Organizations)

Teaching in Higher Education Journal: Transforming Higher Education and Standards and Quality in Higher Education; Volume 3, Number 2, 1998.

Ledić, J. Inspiring Book on Improving University Teaching, *Napredak*, 3 (140)/1999, pp. 384-385. (review of the book: Mihevc, B., Marentic-Pozarnik, B. et al. (1998). *Za boljso kakovost studija. Pogovori o visokosolski didaktiki*. Ljubljana: Center za pedagogsko izobrazevanje Filozofske fakultete in Slovensko drustvo za visokosolsko didaktiko.

"Vjesnik PAR" (M. Cop: Borba za narodnu školu na cresko-lošinjskom području do 1918. godine, Vjesnik PAR, 37/95., pp. 231-271.)

### **Member of committees and working groups (selection)**

Regional Scientific Council for Social Sciences, member (April 9, 2009)

Andrija Mohorovičić High School in Rijeka, school board member (2009)

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, 2010.

<http://www.festivalznanosti.hr/2010/index.php>

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, 2009.

<http://www.festivalznanosti.hr/2009/index.php>

City of Rijeka, Local Youth Program (LPDM), member of the Professional Council, 2008.

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, 2008.

<http://www.festivalznanosti.hr/2008/index.php>

Working Group for establishing portfolios of employees at the University of Rijeka, member, appointed Nov 6, 2007.

City of Rijeka, Evaluation committee for CSO project proposals, member, appointed Sept 20, 2007.

Journal of Higher Education, member of the Editorial Board, 2007

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, 2007. <http://www.festivalznanosti.hr/2007/index.php>

Working group for launching graduate programs for university teachers, member, 2006 - ongoing

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, 2006.

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, 2005.

Committee for 2005 ICED council meeting, member, Rijeka, April 2005

Science Festival Committee, member, Rijeka, April 26 - 30, 2004.

Ethics committee at the Faculty of Arts and Sciences, president, October 25, 2004 – October 25, 2006.

Regional Committee for Istria and Rijeka Region; National Foundation for Civil Society Development, member, 2004.

Committee for election procedures in educational sciences; member, February 10, 2003.

"Youth house", Rijeka, member of the Council; 2003.

Rector's Council Committee for the procedure of university teachers promotion, president, September 25, 2002.

The Committee for Teaching Improvement at the University of Rijeka, member, 2001.

Government of the Republic of Croatia, member of the working group for *Education* in the frame of the project "Croatia in the 21st century" (Strategy for development of Croatia), July 2000.

Member of the Council for the research project "Establishing cooperation between local government and nonprofit organizations in Rijeka", carried out by CERANEO, Zagreb, funded by AED (Academy for Educational Development); 1999 - 2000.

Listed as consultant/trainer in the *Register of trainers and consultants* set up by AED (Academy for Educational Development); 2000.

AED (Academy for Educational Development); NGO Development Program; member of the Assessment Committee, 1998.

Open Society Institute Croatia - member of the HESP (Higher Education Support Programme) commission, 1997 - 1998.

CIVICUS Task Force on Visibility and Understanding (author of the Civic sector profile for Croatia); 1997.

CIVICUS European Regional Group (CIVICUS European Regional Meeting, Tallin, May 9, 1997.

"Development of a Regional Center for Nonprofit Education and Development", working group sponsored by the Indiana University Center on Philanthropy, Budapest, September 23, 1997.

Croatian National Council for Higher Education: member of the Commission for evaluating a graduate program in the field of educational science at the University in Zagreb, Faculty of Arts and Sciences (November 27, 1997).

ICET (International Council for the Education of Teachers), member of the Network for teacher education research and development, 1997.

WLRA (World Leisure and Recreation Association), member of the Commission for volunteerism, 1997.

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Education, member of the Committee for ethics and research (April 10, 1996).

Croatian Ministry for development and renewal: member of the Council for human and educational values (November 1, 1996).

### **Other professional activities (selection)**

Panel discussion organised by the Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas": „The state matriculation examination: the meaning and importance for the Croatian education system“; discussion moderator, Rijeka, May 27, 2009 (speakers: Želimir Janjić, State Secretary at the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports, Josip Ujević, Advisor to the Minister of Science, Education and Sports, Jasminka Buljan, Ph.D., National Centre for External Evaluation of Education, Petar Bezinović, Ph.D., Institute for Social Research)

Panel discussion organised by the Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas": „The Bologna reform - disaster or opportunity: the humanities and social sciences in higher education reform“; discussion moderator, Rijeka, May 6, 2009 (speakers: Profesor Valentin Bucik, Ph.D., dean, Professor Frančiška Trobevšak Drobnak, Ph.D., vice-dean, Professor Martin Germ, Ph.D., vice-dean, all from Faculties of Humanities and Social Sciences in Ljubljana and Professor Mladenka Tklačić, Ph.D., vice-dean at the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Rijeka, Iva Buchberger and Nikola Vincetić, graduate students from the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Rijeka)

Panel discussion organised by the Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas": „Presentation of University of Rijeka Rector candidates“; discussion moderator, Rijeka, Feb 10, 2009 (speakers: Professors Goran Kalogjera, Vinko Kandžija, Pero Lučin, Pavao Komadina and Branko Rafajac)

„The incentive to introduce civil society topics in Croatian higher education“ (workshop within the project by CERANEO; Zagreb, Dec 11, 2008, participation with a topic: Civility and University)

PHARE 2005 program „Support to the Judicial Academy: Developing a training system for future judges and prosecutors“; (Croatian expert, 2008, preparing a manual „How to become (and remain) a successful mentor“)

Panel discussion at the Science Festival – „Urban waters – a sanctuary for biodiversity?“; discussion moderator (speaker: Slaven Ključanin), Rijeka, April 25, 2008

Panel discussion organised by the Association of Development of Higher Education "Universitas" - "External evaluation of higher education institutions: procedures, deadlines and criteria" - discussion moderator (speakers: Professor Rafajac Branko, Ph.D., Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Rijeka, member of the National Council for Higher Education), Rijeka, April 4, 2008

Panel discussion organised by the Association of Development of Higher Education "Universitas" - Higher education qualifications, academic title and mobility: a real or virtual implementation of the Bologna Process in Croatia? – discussion moderator (speakers: Professor Siniša Rodin, Ph.D. (Jean Monnet European Law Professor, Law School in Zagreb), Rijeka, Feb 11, 2008

Round Table "Volunteering is cool: University Social Responsibility – initiator of the culture of volunteering" (participant, organised by The Foundation of the University of Rijeka), Rijeka, Dec 4, 2007

Panel discussion organised by the Association of Development of Higher Education "Universitas" - "Projects funded by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports – where to go from there? - speaker (together with Professor Dražen Vikić-Topić); the discussion moderated by Saša Zelenika, Ph.D., Rijeka, March 28, 2007 (teleconference transmission Zagreb-Split-Osijek)

Ministry of Justice, Justice Academy, permanent associate (2005 – ongoing).

Conference "Civil society in Croatia - work in progress", presentation: "Why do (not) citizens volunteer?" Zagreb, June 13 – 15, 2007.

"Old and new – perceiving and preserving our heritage", discussion at the Science Festival, discussion moderator, April 26, 2007 (guests: Marina Vicelja-Matijašić, Jasna Rotim Malvić, Ervin Dubrović).

"Understanding and raising Croatian social capital - an imperative of development", discussion organized by the Association for Development of Higher Education "Universitas", discussion moderator (guest: Lidija Pavić-Rogošić, dipl. ing. arh.), Rijeka, February 27, 2007.

"Associations in public eyes 2005 - 2006", round table on the perception of non-governmental organizations, introductory speaker, Rijeka, September 26, 2006.

Discussion at the Science Festival: "The Educational Pyramid – challenges and approaches to solutions", guests: Zlatan Car, Bojan Čukić, Predrag Pale, discussion moderator, Rijeka, April 26, 2006.

CARDS project: Reform of the Judiciary – Support to the Judicial Academy of Croatia (EuropeAid/115163/C/SV/HR) – Croatian training expert (2004 - 2005).

Discussion at the Science Festival: "Changes ahead: science, education and European integrations", discussion moderator (guests: Mladen Petrovečki and Predrag Pale).

"Elementary school catalog – step ahead?", moderator of discussion organised by The Golden Section Association, "Universitas" and Faculty of Arts and Sciences in Rijeka, Rijeka City Council Hall, November 11, 2004.

"Researchers, journalists and the public: for a better understanding"; moderator of a round table discussion organised during the "Science festival" in Rijeka, April 26, 2004.

2nd Austrian-Croatian Science Days: "Towards the European University Networks – Trends and Challenges in Higher Education", panelist, Zagreb, November 28 – 30, 2002.

"New European Challenges for Croatian Non-governmental Organisations", international seminar, moderator in session "The Role of Non-governmental Organisations in the Stability Pact, Zagreb, March 5, 2002.

Branimir Bilić (ed): "Thoughts of the 21<sup>st</sup> century", book presentation, Rijeka, February 8, 2002.

Founding the "Philanthropic Collection" (selection of books, journals and other materials); 1995.

## **Academic administration**

Vice-dean for Academic Affairs (1998 - 2000); University of Rijeka, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

Vice-dean for Academic Affairs (1991 - 1993); University of Rijeka, Faculty of Education

## **Awards**

The Foundation of the University of Rijeka, Certificate of appreciation for the participation in a volunteer activity to celebrate the International Volunteer Day held on Dec 4, 2009 at the Department for Children with Visual Impairments, Primary School "Pećine" in Rijeka

The Foundation of the University of Rijeka, Certificate of appreciation for the participation in a volunteer activity to celebrate the International Volunteer Day held on Dec 5, 2008 at the Neosurgery Clinic at the Clinic Hospital Centre in Rijeka

The University of Rijeka, Certificate of appreciation for the City of Rijeka Award; 2007

City of Rijeka Award "for outstanding contribution to science popularization during the Science Festival in Rijeka" (awarded to the Golden Section Association, member of the management and organizing committee of the Science Festival), 2007.

"Ivan Filipović Award" for contributions in the field of higher education, 2003.

Association for Civil Society Development "SMART", Acknowledgement for successful collaboration and support in the development of civil society in Croatia, June 16, 2004.

## **Publications**

### **Books**

Ledić, J. (2007). *Zašto (ne) volontiramo. Stavovi javnosti o volonterstvu*. Zagreb: Academy for Educational Development (AED)

Kovač, V., Ledić, J., Rafajac, B. (2005). *Understanding University Organizational Culture: The Croatian Example*. Frankfurt am Main: Peter Lang

Ledić, J. (2001). *Biti volonter/volonterka? Istraživanje uključenosti građana u civilne inicijative u zajednici kroz volonterski rad*. Smart – Udruga za razvoj civilnog društva, Rijeka, ISBN 953-98751-0-2, p. 207

Ledić, J. (2000). *Dnevnik Mladena Lokara: uvod u povijest djetinjstva*. Rijeka: Filozofski fakultet

Ledić, J. (1999). *Škola i vrijednosti*. Rijeka: Filozofski fakultet

Ledić, J. (1988). *Kreativni učenici i nastavni proces*, Rijeka: Izdavački centar Rijeka

## Articles, other papers and publications

Ćulum, B., Ledić, J. (2010). Učenje zalaganjem u zajednici – integracija visokoškolske nastave i zajednice u procesu obrazovanja društveno odgovornih i aktivnih građana. *Revija za socijalnu politiku*, 17(1):71-88.

Ledić, J., Ćulum, B. (2009). Konceptije građanina i građanske kompetencije – implikacije za obrazovne programe. (In: Zbornik radova 4. međunarodne konferencije Neformalno obrazovanje i informalno učenje odraslih, Šibenik, May 29 – 31, 2009, Hrvatsko andragoško društvo, Zagreb: 45-56)

Rončević, N., Ledić, J., Ćulum, B. (2009). „Nisam sigurna što je, ali je bitno” – analiza stavova studenata Sveučilišta u Rijeci o održivom razvoju. *Suvremene teme*, 1(1):62-75.

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Nedostatak standarda i odgovornosti. *Fokus*, October 16, 2000

Protiv *shopping-tura*. *Fokus*, October 6, 2000

### **Personal skills and competences**

#### **Mother tongue**

Croatian

### **Other Languages**

English (TOEFL 590)

Italian, French - basic

### **Activities of lifelong learning and education (selection)**

„Project Management“, course participant; organized by the IT Academy, University of Rijeka, Feb 2010

MS Excel with an online mentor (e-learning seminar COGNITA), March 7, 2009

ECDL – module 1 (test day: Sept 16, 2008)

ECDL – module 2 (test day: Sept 16, 2008)

"Socially useful learning as a new teaching method" (workshop participant; organized by the Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas", March 10, 2008)

"E-learning in teaching practice" (Jan-Feb 2008); (module 3 program, 3 ECTS); program participant

"Peer groups and peer review (Nature, Elements and Tasks)", workshop participant; organized by the Slovenian Commission for Higher Education Quality, Maribor, May 14, 2003

"Change Management", workshop participant; held within the project "Quality Management in Higher Education ", Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas", Oct 14, 2002

"Active learning for university students"; workshop participant; held within the project "Improvement in Higher Education", Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas", Rijeka, Feb 21, 2002

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"Designing or Redesigning a Course"; workshop participant, lead by David Baumea, Director of the Teaching Development Centre for Higher Education Practice, The Open University, organised by Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas", Rijeka, Oct 15, 2001

"Getting and Using Student Feedback"; workshop participant; lead by David Baumea, Director of the Teaching Development Centre for Higher Education Practice, The Open University, organised by Association for Higher Education Development "Universitas", Rijeka, Oct 15, 2001

"Uvajanje v autonomni studij"; workshop participant; organised by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Ljubljana, Slovenia; part of an international project "Improving teaching and learning in higher education" (TEMPUS - JEP 1850), Portorož, June 22 - 24, 1992

"Aktiviranje in motiviranje studentov"; workshop participant; organised by the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences in Ljubljana, Slovenia; Lubiana, June 22 - 24, 1992

"Successful communication at lectures and seminars"; workshop participant; organised by the School of Education at the University of Rijeka, Rijeka; Dec 14 – 16, 1989

### **Social skills and competences**

Spent a year (1994 - 1995) in Bloomington, Indiana, USA as a Fulbright scholar with a six-month old child; made a lot of professional and long-lasting family relationship with people of different nationalities. Even though built the entire career at the university, worked a lot with the non-profit sector, governmental bodies and the local community on projects which included teamwork.

### **Organisational skills and competences**

As head of the project(s), successfully coordinated several research and other kinds of projects. Worked in numerous committees, networks and working groups on different levels (university, state). Held shorter and longer education programs. Led the process of founding and administrating associations, capable of doing simple accountant work.

### **Technical skills and competencies**

MS Office, Photo Editor, data base; work with digital camera, work with various gardening equipment.

### **Artistic skills and competencies**

Photography (awarded by "More" magazine).

### **Other skills and competencies**

Licensed for fishing with various fishing tools by the Ministry of agriculture (2004); able to sail 34 ft boat, row, swim, ski and water-ski, play tennis, drive a bicycle and scooter. Registered as an olive grower at the Island of Krk.

### **Driving license**

Licensed for driving a car (1977) and a motor boat.