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## EDUCATION

- 2004: Doctoral degree (Ph.D.) at Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb;
- 1990: Master of Science degree (M.S.) at Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb;
- 1986: Graduate at Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb;

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Comparative Politics, Democratization, Post-communist Transition, Globalization, Political Culture, Civic Education, Media and Politics, Croatian Politics.

## RESEARCH GRANTS AND TRAININGS

- 2017/2018 - DePaul University Chicago, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences / Department of Political Science: two study visits (*Project Global Learning Experience: Digital Game for Croatian Civic Education*);
- 2015. - DePaul University Chicago, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Department of Political Science (*Program Global Learning Experience: Debate on Democracy – Political Participation and Political Competence*);
- 2012: University of Sts. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava, Slovakia, Faculty of Social Sciences, Department of Political Science (*Erasmus Mobility Programme*);
- 2012: DePaul University, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, Department of Political Science, Chicago, USA (*Program Promoting and Supporting Civic and Political Education*);
- 2007: Erasmus Universiteit Rotterdam, Netherlands – Grant for research and training program (*Tempus Programme Individual Mobility Grant*);
- 2006-2007: Central European University Budapest, Hungary – Grant for *Course Portfolio Project*;
- 2006: Central European University Budapest, Hungary – Grant for *Course Development Competition Program*;

- 2005: Central European University Budapest, Hungary – *CRC New Media and Politics Session*.

## PROFESSIONAL CAREER

- 2004–present: University of Dubrovnik (Faculty);
- 2003–2004: Pro Radio d.o.o. / Radio Laus, Dubrovnik (General manager);
- 1997–2003: Dubrovački vjesnik d.d., Dubrovnik (Marketing director, General manager);
- 1991–1997: Dubrovnik Student's Boarding School (Principal);
- 1988–1990: Dubrovnik Youth Organization (President);
- 1986–1987: City of Dubrovnik Department for high and higher education (expert assistant).

## PUBLICATIONS

### BOOKS:

- Maldini, Pero, 2011: *Politička kultura i demokratska tranzicija u Hrvatskoj*, Sveučilište u Dubrovniku, Dubrovnik;
- Maldini, Pero, 2008: *Demokracija i demokratizacija*, Sveučilište u Dubrovniku, Dubrovnik.

### EDITED VOLUMES:

- Maldini, Pero / Pauković, Davor (eds.), 2015: *Croatia and the European Union: Changes and Development*, Ashgate, Farnham and Burlington; second edition 2016: Routledge, London and New York;
- Maldini, Pero / Vidović, Davorka (eds.), 2007: *Transition in Central and Eastern European Countries: Experiences and future perspectives*, Centar za politološka istraživanja, Zagreb.

### ARTICLES IN PEER-REVIEWED ACADEMIC JOURNALS:

- Šošić, Dajana; Maldini, Pero, 2019: Influence of Social Networks on National Television News Programmes, *Collegium Antropologicum*, (43) 4: 271-280;
- Maldini, Pero; Takahashi, Marta, 2017: Refugee Crisis and the European Union: Do the Failed Migration and Asylum Policies Indicate a Political and Structural Crisis of European Integration?, *Communication Management Review*, (2) 2: 54-72;
- Mezeiova, Gabriela / Maldini, Pero, 2016: Vývoj participatívnej demokracie: Komunitné organizovanie v postkomunistickom kontexte, *Studia Politica Slovaca* (forthcoming);
- Maldini, Pero, 2016: Network Society and Democracy: How ICT Mediated Communication and Virtual Socialization Affects Political Participation, *Communication Management Review*, (1) 1: 104-121;
- Maldini, Pero, 2014: Politički i administrativni aspekti regije: regionalizam, regionalizacija i regionalna politika, *Zbornik Sveučilišta u Dubrovniku*, (1) 1: 125-154;
- Sviličić, Nikša / Maldini, Pero, 2014: Political Myths and Totalitarianism: An Anthropological Analysis of their Causal Interrelationship, *Collegium Antropologicum*, (38) 2: 725-738;
- Maldini, Pero, 2013: The Nation-State and Global Surroundings: The Issue of Sovereignty, *Studia Politica Slovaca* (6) 2: 5-23;
- Sviličić, Nikša / Maldini, Pero, 2013: Visual Persuasion and Politics: Ideology and Symbols of the Totalitarian Regimes / Case study: Hammer and Sickle, *Collegium Antropologicum*, (37) 2: 569–582;

- Maldini, Pero (2012): Nationalism in Croatian transition to democracy: Between the structural conditionality and impact of historical and political-cultural legacy, *Contemporary Issues* (5) 1: 6-20;
- Maldini, Pero (2012): Higher Education Policies in Transition: What drives Trends in the Restructuring of Universities?, *Anali Hrvatskog politološkog društva* (9) 1: 385-409;
- Lalić, Dražen; Maldini, Pero and Andrijašević, Ivana (2010): Otupjelo oruđe: Neprijemnost tranzicijskog koncepta za analizu konsolidacije demokracije, *Anali Hrvatskog politološkog društva* (7): 29-50;
- Maldini, Pero (2008): Uzročni procesi demokratskih promjena: socioekonomski razvoj ili sociokulturni činitelji, *Društvena istraživanja* (17) 3: 327-349;
- Maldini, Pero (2008): Političko povjerenje i demokratska konsolidacija, *Politička misao* (45) 1: 179-199;
- Maldini, Pero (2007): Relevantnost tranzicijskog modela u postkomunističkom kontekstu, *Društvena istraživanja* (16) 4/5: 781-804;
- Maldini, Pero (2006): Političko kulturalni preduvjeti demokratizacije, *Politička misao* (43) 3: 87-108;
- Maldini, Pero (2006): New approaches in political education: Course Portfolio applied on Political Culture Course, *Političko obrazovanje* (2) 1/2: 15-42;
- Maldini, Pero (2006): Obnovljena religioznost i demokratizacija hrvatskog društva, *Društvena istraživanja* (15) 6: 1105-1125;
- Maldini, Pero (2005): Demokratizacija i vrijednosne orijentacije u hrvatskom društvu, *Anali Hrvatskog politološkog društva* (2): 81-103;
- Maldini, Pero (2002): Građansko društvo i demokracija u tranzicijskim društvima, *Politička misao* (39) 4: 129-145.

#### BOOK CHAPTERS:

- Maldini, Pero, 2020: Understanding Democracy, in: Meka, Eltion; Bianchini, Stefano (eds.), *The Challenges of Democratization and Reconciliation in the Post-Yugoslav Space*, Nomos Verlag, Baden-Baden: 59 – 80;
- Maldini, Pero, 2019: Croatia and the European Union, in: Laursen, Finn (ed.), *Oxford Encyclopedia of European Union Politics*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, UK: 1-26;
- Maldini, Pero, 2018: Sociocultural and ideological determinants of memory culture in Croatian society, in: Pavlaković, Vjeran; Pauković, Davor (eds.), *Framing the Nation and Collective Identities: Political Rituals and Cultural Memory of the Twentieth Century Traumas in Croatia*, Routledge, Abingdon and New York: 31-49;
- Maldini, Pero, 2016: Globalization, Cultural Shift and Political Changes toward Democracy, in: Jerbić, Vedran; Milardović, Anđelko; Špehar, Hrvoje (eds.) *Globalization of Culture: European and Global Networks*, Fakultet političkih znanosti, Zagreb: 54-71;
- Maldini, Pero, 2015: Croatian Accession to the European Union: EU Democratization Potential and Issues of Democratic Consolidation, in: Maldini, Pero; Pauković, Davor (eds.), *Croatia and the European Union: Changes and Development*, Ashgate, Farnham and Burlington / 2016: Routledge, London and New York: 11-32;
- Maldini, Pero; Pauković, Davor, 2015: Introduction, in: Maldini, Pero; Pauković, Davor (eds.), *Croatia and the European Union: Changes and Development*, Ashgate, Farnham and Burlington / 2016: Routledge, London and New York: 1-10;
- Maldini, Pero (2013): Postkomunizam i postdemokracija: kriza demokracije i mjerila demokratske, in: Milardović, Anđelko i Jožanc, Nikolina (eds.); *Demokracija i postdemokracija*, Pan liber / Institut za europske i globalizacijske studije, Zagreb: 209-239;
- Maldini, Pero (2012): New media and politics: Their reaches and limits in political processes, in: Petranová, Dana / Magál, Slavomir / Pravdová, Hana (eds.), *Megatrendy a médiá 2012: Demokracia verzus mediokracia*, FMK/UCM, Trnava: 226-246;

- Maldini, Pero (2011): Information Society and Transformation of Politics: The Impact of New Modes of Communication, u: van Dijk, Jan A. G. M. / Jožanc, Nikolina (eds.), Information Society and Globalization: Transformation of Politics, Centar za politološka istraživanja, Zagreb: 45-80;
- Maldini, Pero (2008): Globalization and its Influence on Democratic Development of Post-Communist Societies, in: Milardović, Anđelko / Pauković, Davor / Vidović, Davorka (eds.), *Globalization of Politics*, Centar za politološka istraživanja, Zagreb: 193-217;
- Maldini, Pero (2007): Sociocultural Aspects of Transition, in: Maldini, Pero / Vidović, Davorka (eds.), *Transition in Central and Eastern European Countries: Experiences and future perspectives*, Centar za politološka istraživanja, Zagreb: 63-76;
- Maldini, Pero, 2007: Introduction, in: Maldini, Pero / Vidović, Davorka (eds.), *Transition in Central and Eastern European Countries: Experiences and future perspectives*, Centar za politološka istraživanja, Zagreb: 7-15.

#### REVIEWS AND OTHER ARTICLES

- Maldini, Pero (2011): Politološka lektira – Što čitati: Wolfgang Merkel: Transformacija političkih sustava. Uvod u teoriju i empirijsko istraživanje transformacije, *Političke analize*, (2) 8;
- Maldini, Pero (2006): Svjetsko natjecanje brodomodelara – Dubrovnik 2006, *Naše more*, (53) 3/4: 165-169;
- Maldini, Pero (1998): Dubrovački šambek XVIII. stoljeća, *Naše more*, (45) 1/2: 91-95.

#### CONFERENCE PAPERS

- 2019. - *Populism and Sociocultural Prerequisites of Democratic Viability*, presented at international conference American Political Science Association's 115th Annual Meeting & Exhibition: "Populism and Privilege", Marriott Wardman Park, Washington, DC, USA;
- 2019. - *Politički sustav*, presented at conference of Večernji list "Hrvatska kakvu trebamo – dvije godine poslije", Hotel Esplanade, Zagreb;
- 2018. - *The reach of EU democratization policies on Western Balkans: Sociocultural and political-historical prerequisites*, presented at international conference Jean Monnet Network International Conference "Democratization and Ethnic Reconciliation: Theoretical challenges and the role of European integration", University of New York Tirana, Albania;
- 2018. - *European Experiences with Populism*, presented at international conference American Political Science Association 114<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting: "Democracy and Its Discontents", Hynes Convention Center, Boston, MA, USA;
- 2018. - *Janus or two faces of populism: A threat to democracy or demand for more democracy?*, presented at international conference "ASN (Association for the Study of Nationalities) European Convention: Nationalism in Times of Uncertainty", The Centre for Southeast European Studies, Karl-Franzens-Universität Graz, Austria;
- 2018. - *Social networks and applications in the service of propaganda and manipulation: How and why are false news increasingly spread?* (with co-author T. Levak), presented at international conference "Information, Technology and Journalism (ITJ23): Circular economy and free information and content in media" and IPSA Workshop: "Hybrid journalism, celebrities and popular culture: rethinking newsworthiness", Interuniversity Center (IUC) Dubrovnik;
- 2018. - *Democracy challenged: Populism as corrective or threat?*, presented at international conference "Comparative Media Systems: Challenges to journalism in the digital age", Interuniversity center (IUC) Dubrovnik;

- 2017. - *Kriza demokracije i populizam: antidemokratska manipulacija ili prodemokratska participacija*, presented at conference "Hrvatski politološki razgovori: Slabljenje demokracije – jačanje populizma", Fakultet političkih znanosti, Zagreb;
- 2017. – *Croatia's Path to Democracy*, presented at DePaul University, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences / Department of Political Science, Chicago, IL, USA;
- 2017: *Refugee crisis and European Union: Do the failed migration and asylum policies indicate a political and structural crisis of European integration?*, presented at international conference "Communication Management Forum – Living in crisis mode: Time to reconsider definition, meaning and practice?", Edward Bernays College of Communication Management, Zagreb;
- 2011: *Democratization and Human Rights: Political, Legal and Sociocultural Controversies of Concept Implementation*, presented at international conference "Crime Prevention through Criminal Law and Security Studies: Criminal Law and Human Rights", Interuniversity Center (IUC) Dubrovnik;
- 2017: *Politički sustav*, presented at Večernji list conference "Hrvatska kakvu trebamo", Hotel Esplanade, Zagreb;
- 2016: *The political and legal implications of ICT-mediated information: Between the public's right to information and crime*, presented at international conference "Crime Prevention through Criminal Law and Security Studies: Technology and Criminal Law – Manifestations and Implications", Inter-University Centre (IUC) Dubrovnik;
- 2015: *Sociocultural context and structure of social cleavages as predictors of ideological divisions and (re)interpretation of political history*, presented at international conference "In Search of Transcultural Memory in Europe, COST Action 1203", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2015: *Croatian Democratic Transition: Challenges of Post-Socialist and Post-Conflict Political Development*, presented at DePaul University, College of Liberal Arts and Social Sciences / Department of Political Science, Chicago, USA;
- 2015: *Network Society and Democracy: How ICT Mediated Communication and Virtual Socialization Affects Political Participation*, presented at international conference "Communication Management Forum - Reconciling the traditional and contemporary: the new integrated communication", Edward Bernays College of Communication Management, Zagreb;
- 2012: *Postkomunizam i postdemokracija: kriza demokracije i mjerila demokratičnosti*, presented at conference "Demokracija i postdemokracija u Hrvatskoj i Europskoj uniji", IMIN/CPI Zagreb;
- 2012: *Promoting Civic Education in Croatia*, presented at international conference "Midwest Political Science Association Annual National Conference", Palmers House, Chicago, USA;
- 2012: *New media and politics: Their reaches and limits in political processes*, presented at international conference "Megatrends and Media 2012", Smolenice, Slovakia;
- 2011: *Higher Education Policies in Transition: What drives Trends in Restructuring of Universities*, presented at international conference "IPSA RC32 Conference – Developing policy in different cultural contexts: Learning from study, learning from experience", Centre for Advanced Academic Studies (CAAS), Dubrovnik;
- 2011: *Internet and Social Capital: The Power of Virtual Bonds in Social Life*, presented at international conference "Information Technology and Journalism (ITJ16): E-democracy – Virtual or Real", Inter-University Centre (IUC) Dubrovnik;
- 2010: *Politics in the Age of Network Society: Scope and Significance of Changes*, presented at international conference "Dubrovnik Media Days", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2010: *The Impact of New Communication Forms on Politics*, presented at international conference "Information Society and Globalization: Transformation of Politics", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;

- 2009: *The Nation State and Global Surroundings: The Issue of Sovereignty*, presented at international conference "Sovereignty in the Age of Globalization", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2008: *Ascendancy of Global Culture Patterns: Culture Shift and Political Changes in Democratizing World*, presented at international conference "Globalization of Culture", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2008: *Social Policies and Perspectives of New Democracies*, presented at international IPISA Conference on Public Policy "Constructing policy work in a changing governmental environment", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2007: *Impact of Globalization on Democratic Development in Postcommunist Societies* presented at international conference "Globalization of Politics", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2007: *Digital democracy - Information technologies and political participation*, presented at international conference "Information Technologies and Journalism: New Collaborative Media", Interuniversity Center Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2006: *Normativno-institucionalni i političko-kulturalni okviri djelovanja medija*, presented at international conference "Dubrovnik Media Days", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2006: *Sociocultural Aspects of Transition*, presented at international conference "Transition in Central and Eastern Europe", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2006: *Political Culture – Course Portfolio: A new Model of Knowledge Sharing*, presented at international conference "Information Technologies and Journalism: Information Strategies and Content Management", Interuniversity Center Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2005: *Proces demokratizacije i sloboda medija*, presented at international conference "Dubrovnik Media Days", University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2005: *New Information Technologies and new Study Programme*, presented at international conference "Information Technologies and Journalism: Information and Media Strategies and Policies in European Union", Interuniversity Center Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2005: *Development and implementation of educational portals using the example of University of Dubrovnik*, presented at international conference "Information Technologies and Journalism: Information and Media Strategies and Policies in European Union", Interuniversity Center Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik;
- 2004: *Media and Social Culture*, presented at international conference "Journalism studies development", International Center for Education of Journalists, Opatija.

## TEACHING

### UNDERGRADUATE:

- 2016 – present: Course *Political Communication* at Public Relations Management Graduate Study at Edward Bernays College of Communication Management, Zagreb;
- 2013 – present: Courses *Introduction to Political Science* and *Mass Media, Politics and Democracy* at Undergraduate Study *Communication management* at Edward Bernays College of Communication Management, Zagreb;
- 2006 – present: Courses *Political Culture*, *Political System of Croatia* and *Advertising Techniques* at Undergraduate Study *Media and Culture* at Department of Media and Communication, University of Dubrovnik;
- 2005 – present: Courses *Introduction to Political Science 1* and *Introduction to Political Science 2* at Undergraduate Study *Media and Culture* at Department of Media and Communication, University of Dubrovnik.

#### GRADUATE:

- 2009 – present: Course *Contemporary Political Processes* at Graduate Study *Media* at Department of Media and Communication, University of Dubrovnik;
- 2008 – 2009: Course *Media and Political Processes in Croatia* at Graduate Study *Media* at Department of Media and Communication, University of Dubrovnik.

#### POSTGRADUATE:

- 2012 – present: Courses *Contemporary Social and Political Processes* and *Political Culture, Public, and Democratic Citizenship* at Interdisciplinary Doctoral Study *Communication Science* at Doctoral School of University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek.

### STUDY PROGRAMS EVALUATION AND CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

- 2019 – Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of new graduate international (master level) study program in the accreditation process of the Consortium of Universities (EuroPS) Joint Master Program in Political Science;
- 2018 – National Centre for Public Accreditation (NCPA), Russian Federation: evaluation of three graduate (bachelor level) and four graduate (master level) programmes in reaccreditation process at Chelyabinsk State University, Russia;
- 2017 – University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek: evaluation of one university interdisciplinary graduate (master level) and one university undergraduate (bachelor level) study program;
- 2016. – Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of new graduate international (master level) study program in accreditation process at University of Ljubljana, Slovenia, and The South East European University Tetovo, Republic of Macedonia (FYROM);
- 2015. – Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of new postgraduate (doctoral level) study program in accreditation process at University Alma Mater Europaea – Evropski center, Maribor, Slovenia;
- 2014: Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of new undergraduate (bachelor level) study program in accreditation process at University of Ljubljana, Slovenia; study programs in accreditation process at Fakulteta za mednarodne in slovenske študije, Kranj, Slovenia;
- 2014: Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of new undergraduate (bachelor level) study program in accreditation process at Univerza na Primorskem, Koper, Slovenia;
- 2012: Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of 3 graduate (master level) study programs in re-accreditation process at Univerzitetno in raziskovalno središče in Novo mesto, Slovenia;
- 2012: University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek: Author of Study Programme of Interdisciplinary Doctoral Study *Communication Science* at Doctoral School of Social and Humanistic Sciences of University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek;
- 2012: Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of 4 new graduate (master level) study programs in accreditation process at University of Ljubljana, Slovenia;
- 2012: Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS): evaluation of 18 graduate (master level) study programs in re-accreditation process at University of Ljubljana, Slovenia;

- 2012: *Republic of Slovenia Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (NAKVIS)*: evaluation of 13 undergraduate (bachelor level) study programs in re-accreditation process at University of Ljubljana, Slovenia;
- 2011: *University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek*: evaluation of one university postgraduate (doctoral level) study program;
- 2010: *University of Dubrovnik*: revision of teaching plans and study programs of undergraduate (bachelor level) study "Media and Social Culture" and graduate (master level) studies "Media" and "Public Relations";
- 2009: *Republic of Croatia Agency for Science and Higher Education (AZVO)*: evaluation of one university postgraduate (doctoral level) study program;
- 2008: *University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek*: evaluation of one university undergraduate (bachelor level) study program;
- 2008: *University of Zagreb*: evaluation of one university postgraduate (specialist) study program;
- 2008: *Republic of Croatia Agency for Science and Higher Education (AZVO)*: evaluation of one university undergraduate (bachelor level) study program;
- 2004: *University of Dubrovnik*: Author of Study Programme of undergraduate study "Media and Culture".

#### **OTHER ACTIVITIES AT HOME UNIVERSITY**

- 2007. – 2018. – Editor in Chief of *Unidu Radio* (University of Dubrovnik Students' Radio);
- 2007: Author and director of university senior faculty training program *Methodical Standards in Higher Education*;
- 2007: Program author and director of university junior faculty workshop *Bologna Process and New Lecturing Methods*;
- 2004 – 2006: Main designer and project manager of University Web Site Project *www.unidu.hr*;
- 2005: Producer and co-script of documentary-promotional movie *University of Dubrovnik*;
- 2005: Author of Brochure *University of Dubrovnik* with supplements.

#### **POSITIONS**

- 2016–present – University of Dubrovnik: Head of Media and Communication Department;
- 2016–present – University of Dubrovnik: Member of the Senate;
- 2013 – present – Edward Bernays –College of Communication Management, Zagreb: Head of Cathedra of Interdisciplinary Sciences; Member of Academic Council;
- 2012–present – University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek / Doctoral School of Social Sciences and Humanities: Vice-President of the Doctoral School Council;
- 2012–present – University of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in Osijek / Doctoral School of Social Sciences and Humanities: Head of the Postgraduate Interdisciplinary Doctoral Study *Communication Science*;
- 2010–2012 – University of Dubrovnik: Head of Media and Communication Department;
- 2010–2012 – University of Dubrovnik: Member of the Senate;
- 2010–2012 – University of Dubrovnik: Member of University Board of internal quality assurance and teaching quality development;
- 2004–2012 – University of Dubrovnik: Member of University Publishing Committee;
- 2004–2005 – University of Dubrovnik: Head of the University Marketing and Publishing Office;
- 2003–2004 – American College of Technology and Management in Dubrovnik, visiting lecturer.



## **JOURNAL EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIPS**

- 2011–2018: Member of *Medianali Journal* Editorial Board;
- 2009–2015: Member of *Contemporary Issues Journal* Editorial Board.
- 2008–2018: Member of *Anali HPD Journal* Editorial Board;

## **PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS MEMBERSHIPS**

- 2015 – present: Member of American Political Science Association (APSA);
- 2013 – present: Member of *Institute for European and Globalization Studies* (IEGIS);
- 2007 – present: Member of *Croatian Political Science Association* Executive Board;
- 2006 – present: Member of *Croatian Public Relations Association* (HUOJ);
- 1986 – present: Member of *Croatian Political Science Association* (HPD).

## **OTHER SKILLS AND COMPETENCES**

- Music: instrumentalist (acoustic and electric guitar);
- Hi-Fi & High End Audio: audiophile and author of a series of articles in audio engineering in *Hi-Fi Media*, Croatian leading audio magazine in the period 1997–2002;
- Ship-modeling: researcher on maritime (shipbuilding) heritage and scientific reconstruction (model constructor) of ancient wooden sail ships (co-founder and member of *Argosy*, Dubrovnik ship modelers association, 1995–present; participant and winner of several national and international model ships championships, 1996–2000; judge of the Croatian ship modelers' association *HSB*, 2000–present; international judge of the World ship modelers' association *Naviga*, 2004–present);
- Photography: analog (B&W) and digital;
- Advanced PC user (MS Office, graphic design apps, multimedia).

## **LANGUAGES**

- English