

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Sex Male | Date of birth 19/03/1982 | Nationality Croatian

WORK EXPERIENCE

- 07/2017–Present **Vice-Rector for Business Affairs**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Management of financial, technical, marketing, teaching and human resources
- 10/2014–06/2017 **Head of Department of Economics and Business Economics**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Management of university department with 30 people and 700 students
- 10/2017–Present **Researcher**
The Economics Institute, Zagreb (Croatia)
 - Researcher on project: Digital transformation and economic outcomes in the Republic of Croatia
 - Researcher on project: The impact of digital transformation on the Western Balkans: Tackling the challenges towards political stability and economic prosperity
- 01/2017–Present **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Principal investigator and project manager: Possibilities for reindustrialization of Croatian economy - funded by Croatian Scientific Foundation
- 03/2010–Present **Researcher**
Staffordshire University, Stoke-On-Trent (United Kingdom)
 - Fellow of the Centre for Applied Business Research
 - Part-time lecturer in Advanced Macroeconomics (2012)
 - Part-time PhD supervisor (1 successful completion, currently supervising one PhD student)
- 10/2010–06/2017 **Researcher/Consultant**
University of Rijeka, Rijeka (Croatia)
 - External consultant: Intellectual property value assessment "Identification and quantification of B-lines procedure in ultra-sound diagnostics of lungs disease" (2017)
 - External consultant: Intellectual property value assessment "Medical simulation tool for endoscopic surgical procedures on sinuses - Fess slices" (2017)
 - Researcher at scientific project: The Competitiveness of Croatian Exports (Jan 2015-Jan 2017)
 - Researcher at scientific project "Innovativeness, Technology transfer and competitiveness of Croatian exports" (Oct 2010 - Jun 2012) funded by Croatian Ministry of science, education and sports
- 05/2015–02/2016 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)

Principal investigator and project manager: EA SEA WAY funded by IPA Adriatic programme

- 11/2014–02/2016 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Principal investigator and project manager: Regional patterns of deindustrialization and prospects for reindustrialization in South and Central East European countries funded by Global Development Network and WIIV
- 01/2014–01/2016 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Principal investigator and project manager: Barriers to SME internationalization in Croatia funded by University of Dubrovnik
- 01/2013–06/2014 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Principal investigator and project manager: The role of FDI spillovers in regional productivity dynamics funded by CERGE-EI foundation and Global Development Network
- 06/2013–07/2015 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Senior expert: TT Adria- technology transfer infrastructure in the Croatian Adriatic region funded by IPA Regional competitiveness programme
- 03/2013–09/2014 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Senior expert: Intermodal - Intermodality model for the development of Adriatic littoral zone funded by IPA Adriatic programme
- 12/2010–03/2011 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Researcher at scientific project: The possibilities for the valorization of the economic potential of river Trebizat region funded by Ecological society "Lijepa naša" Bosnia-Herzegovina
- 05/2008–01/2010 **Researcher**
Center for Social and Economic Research (CASE), Warsaw (Pol)
Researcher in the international research project: Micro-Dyn funded by the European Commission's framework VI programme
- 01/2006–01/2007 **Researcher**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Researcher at scientific project: Croatia on European touristic market in conditions of globalisation funded by Croatian Ministry of Science, Education and Sports
- 01/2006–Present **Lecturer**
University of Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik (Croatia)
Teaching modules:
■ Principles of economics

- Microeconomics 1 and 2
- Economic policy
- Theory of firm
- Applied microeconomics
- Applied macroeconomics
- Open economy macroeconomics
- Competitiveness of modern economies

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/2007–03/2011	<p>PhD in Economics</p> <p>Staffordshire University, Stoke-On-Trent (United Kingdom)</p> <p>Thesis "Competitiveness, restructuring and firm behaviour in transition: The case of Croatia" (Immediate Phd award)</p>	EQF level 8
03/2013–03/2013	<p>Postgraduate certificate</p> <p>Staffordshire University, Stoke-on-Trent (United Kingdom)</p> <p>Postgraduate certificate in Research supervision</p>	EQF level 7
06/2007–06/2007	<p>Postgraduate certificate</p> <p>Staffordshire University, Stoke-on-Trent (United Kingdom)</p> <p>Postgraduate certificate in Economics for business analysis</p>	EQF level 7
12/2006–12/2006	<p>Postgraduate certificate</p> <p>Staffordshire University, Stoke-on-Trent (United Kingdom)</p> <p>Postgraduate certificate in Research methods</p>	EQF level 7
10/2001–09/2005	<p>Master of Art</p> <p>University of Dubrovnik, Faculty of Tourism and Foreign Trade, Dubrovnik (Croatia)</p> <p>Thesis: How to improve competitiveness of Croatian exports to EU market</p>	EQF level 7

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Croatian

Foreign language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
German	B1	B1	B1	B1	B1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user
 Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills

- good communication skills gained through my experience as participant in numerous project teams and communication with students
- ability of adaptation to multicultural environments gained through participation in Erasmus programme, international project teams and work in Croatia and United Kingdom

Organisational / managerial skills

- Responsible for management of financial, technical, marketing, teaching and human resources

- affairs at University of Dubrovnik (240 employees and 2000 students)
- Responsible for management of Department of Economics and Business Economics at University of Dubrovnik (30 employees and about 700 students)
- Responsible for organisation of research activities and management of multiple research teams in several research projects
- Management and supervision of young researchers through PhD stage - one successful completion and one student under supervision
- Organisation of scientific conferences on topics of Smart specialisation and Digital transformation

Job-related skills

- Participation in several research projects dealing with competitiveness of firms and industries in a globalised world as project manager, principal investigator and researcher
- History of research on the competitiveness at micro-level (see list of publications)
- History of research on the export behaviour of firms with emphasis on barriers to innovation activities, quality upgrading and integration in global value chains
- Rich experience in establishing large datasets - Responsible for development of methodology, organisation of surveys and establishment of web database of eight project partners in three countries (Italy, Croatia and Albania) within Intermodal project (over 1500 participants at each project partner level)
- Experience in working with anonymised firm-level data such as Eurostat Community Innovation Survey
- Experience in working with cross-country large scale firm-level databases such as Amadeus
- Extensive knowledge of quantitative methods of analysis - advanced user of statistical software Stata, SPSS, EViews, Microfit
- Good skills in organisation and animating thematic and sector specific events related to the competitiveness of firms such as brokerage events, workshops, educations and seminars
- Establishing industry-science links within TT Adria project
- President of organising and scientific committees of bi-annual international scientific conference "Smart Ideas and a New Concept of Economic Regeneration in Europe - SINCERE" organised by University of Dubrovnik, Department of Economics and Business Economics

Digital skills

SELF-ASSESSMENT				
Information processing	Communication	Content creation	Safety	Problem solving
Proficient user	Proficient user	Independent user	Proficient user	Proficient user

Digital skills - Self-assessment grid

- Advanced knowledge of statistical software Stata, SPSS, EViews, Microfit
- Intermediate knowledge of R and SAS

Driving licence

A, B

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications

List of publications (in chronological order)

- Stojcic, N., Anic, I-D. and Aralica, Z. (2019). Spatio - temporal determinants of structural and productive transformation of regions in Central and Eastern Europe. Economic Systems (forthcoming).
- Stojcic, N., Vojinic, P. and Aralica, Z. (2018). Trade liberalization and export transformation in new EU member states. Structural Change and Economic Dynamics, 47
- Stojcic, N., Aralica, Z. (2018). (De)industrialization and lessons for industrial policy in Central and

- Eastern Europe. Post-communist economies. 30(6)
- Stojcic, N., Orlic, E. and Hashi, I. (2018). Creativity, innovation effectiveness and productive efficiency in the United Kingdom. *European Journal for Innovation Management*, 21(4).
 - Stojcic, N., Becic, M. and Vojinic, P. (2016). The impact of migration movements on innovation activities in Croatian counties. *Drustvena istrazivanja/Journal for general social issues*, 25(3).
 - Stojcic, N., Aralica, Z. and Bacic, K. (2016). Is creative economy in Croatia myth or reality? - Some evidence on the impact of creativity on economic growth. *Croatian economic survey*, 18(2)
 - Stojcic, N., Bezic, H. and Galovic, T. (2016). Economic structure and regional economic performance in advanced EU economies. *South east European journal of economics and business*, 11(1)
 - Stojcic, N., Orlic, E. (2016). Foreign direct investment and structural transformation of exports. *Ekonomska misao i praksa*, XXV(2)
 - Bezic, H., Galovic, T. and Stojcic, N. (2016). The profitability of SMEs within retail sector of advanced EU economies. *Economic and social development* (Cingula, M., Vlahov, R.D, Dobrinic, D. eds.), Varazdin, Croatia
 - Stojcic, N., Benic, D. and Karanikic, P. (2014). Regional determinants of export competitiveness in Croatian manufacturing industry. *Proceedings of Rijeka Faculty of economics*, 32(2)
 - Stojcic, N., Hashi, I. (2014). Firm productivity and type of innovation: Evidence from Community Innovation Survey 6. *Croatian economic survey*, 16(2)
 - Hashi, I., Stojcic, N. (2013). The impact of innovation activities on firm performance using a multi-stage model: Evidence from the Community Innovation Survey 4. *Research policy*, 42(2)
 - Stojcic, N., Hashi, I. and Telhaj, S. (2013). Restructuring and competitiveness: Empirical evidence on firm behaviour in new EU member states and candidate countries. *Eastern European Economics*, 51(4)
 - Hashi, I., Stojcic, N. (2013). Knowledge spillovers, innovation activities and competitiveness of industries in EU member states and candidate countries. *Economic annals*, LVIII(198)
 - Stojcic, N. (2012). Theoretical foundations and measurement of competitiveness. *Poslovna izvrsnost*, 6(2)
 - Stojcic, N. (2012). Two decades of Croatian transition: A retrospective analysis. *South east European journal of economics and business*, 7(2)
 - Stojcic, N. (2012). Patterns and determinants of enterprise restructuring in Central and Eastern European countries. *Ekonomska misao i praksa*, 21(2)
 - Stojcic, N. (2012). The competitiveness of exporters from Croatian manufacturing industry. *Ekonomski pregled*, 63(7-8)
 - Stojcic, N., Bezic, H. (2012). Restructuring and barriers: Cross-country evidence on the competitiveness of exporters in transition. *Managing global transitions*, 10(2)
 - Stojcic, N., Becic, M. and Vojinic, P. (2012). Decision to export and decision to innovate: Empirical evidence on firm behaviour in CEECs and SEECs. 6th International conference "An enterprise Odyssey: corporate governance and public policy - Path to sustainable future", Sibenik, Croatia
 - Stojcic, N., Becic, M. and Vojinic, P. (2012). The competitiveness of exports from manufacturing industries in Croatia and Slovenia to the EU15 market: A dynamic panel analysis. *Croatian economic survey*, 14(1)
 - Stojcic, N., Vojvodic, K. (2012). Determinants of profitability of firms in retail sector: The case of Croatia. in *Interdisciplinary management research VIII* (Barkovic, D., Runzheimer, B. eds.), Opatija, Croatia
 - Hashi, I., Stojcic, N. (2011). Determinants of the choice between different innovation regimes amongst firms in the enlarged European Union. *The Adriatic Balkan area from transition to integration* (Canullo, G., Chiapparini, F. and Cingolani, G. eds.), Edizioni Scientifiche Italiane, Napoli, Italy
 - Stojcic, N., Hashi, I. (2011). The structure and quality upgrading of Croatian exports to EU15 market. 9th International conference *Challenges of Europe: Growth and competitiveness - reversing the trends*. Split, Bol, Croatia
 - Bezic, H., Vojvodic, K. and Stojcic, N. (2010). Export competitiveness, firm behaviour and obstacles for doing business. *Business logistics in modern management*, vol. 10
 - Dragicevic, M., Stojcic, N. (2009). Possibilities and guidelines for development of sustainable eco-

tourism on example of Dubrovačko primorje. Poslovna izvrsnost, 3(1)

Honours and awards

- Global development network/CERGE-EI regional research competition research grant (2013)
- Erasmus Mundus scholarship within MA Economics of Globalization and Economic Integration programme 2013 - visiting scholar to Wang Yanan Institute, Xiamen University, China
- Open Society Institute - Staffordshire University PhD scholarship - 2007-2011
- Rector's award for best student in 2001/2002; 2002/2003 and 2004/2005 academic years
- Selected among top 25 students in Croatia in 2003/2004 by weekly magazine "Nacional"

Journal editorial boards and organization of events

- Junior editor of "Ekonomska misao i praksa/Economic thought and practice" (ISSN:1330-1039)
- Section editor in South east European journal of Economics and Business (ISSN: 2233-1999)
- Editorial board member in Croatian economic survey (ISSN: 1330-4860)
- Editorial board member in Economic review (ISSN: 0424-7558)
- Editorial board member in Management/Journal of Contemporary Management (ISSN: 1331-0194)
- President of organising and scientific committees of international conference "Smart ideas and a new concept of economic regeneration in Europe - SINCERE" organised by University of Dubrovnik, Department of Economics and Business Economics
- Organiser of workshop "Knowledge and technology transfer in tourism and health" at University of Dubrovnik in February 2015
- Organiser of workshop "Transformation of innovation in useful products and services" at University of Dubrovnik in January 2014

Citations

Current Contents Connect: 59

Web of Science: 62

Scopus: 90

Google Scholar: 243