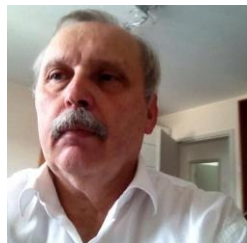




## Europass Curriculum Vitae



### Personal information

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Date of birth 14. 5. 1956

Gender male

### Desired employment / Occupational field

### Research Projects, Consulting

#### Work experience

Dates **2016 -**

Occupation or position held **Director**

Main activities and responsibilities Areas of work:  
management and coordination of the founders; presentation of the results of studies and expertises;  
mentoring young researchers; contacts with international institutions and networks; coordination of  
sectoral projects; evaluation of local, regional and CBC development programs

Name and address of employer ISRR - Institute for Sectoral and Regional Research, [www.isrr.si](http://www.isrr.si), [miran.zager@isrr.si](mailto:miran.zager@isrr.si)

Type of business or sector Research and Consulting

Dates **2015 -**

Occupation or position held **Senior expert (instructor/mentor)**

Main activities and responsibilities Areas of work:  
coordinating of EU (interreg and H2020) projects; pre-evaluation of proposals; instruction / education  
of young researchers; proposals and coordination of international projects (also CBC, IPA, H2020,  
COSME, HEALTH); CBC and CLLD evaluator; member of the AE-ROBO.net cluster board

Name and address of employer EU-Plan EEIG, Trieste (Italy), [www.eu-plan.org](http://www.eu-plan.org), [mzager@eu-plan.org](mailto:mzager@eu-plan.org)

Type of business or sector Research and Consulting

Dates **2004 - 2016**

Occupation or position held **Head of Research**

Main activities and responsibilities Areas of work:  
researches, consulting and coordinating projects based on operational experience and proposing  
impact solutions tailored to the needs of public and private entities or/and with other institutes; regional  
and sectoral strategies; Local-Led Community Development – CLLD Strategies; strategic R&D pro-  
jects for private enterprises; proposals and coordination of international projects (also CBC, IPA,  
H2020, COSME, HEALTH)

Name and address of employer ISRR - Institute for Sectoral and Regional Research, [www.isrr.si](http://www.isrr.si), [miran.zager@isrr.si](mailto:miran.zager@isrr.si)

Type of business or sector Research and Consulting

Dates	<b>2000-2004</b>
Occupation or position held	<b>Director</b>
Main activities and responsibilities	Areas of work: management and coordination of the founders; presentation of the results of studies and expertises; mentoring young researchers; contacts with international institutions and networks; coordination of sectoral projects; evaluation of regional development programs
Name and address of employer	CIC – Center of International Competition, Ljubljana, Slovenia, <a href="http://www.cic.si">www.cic.si</a>
Type of business or sector	Research and Consulting
Dates	<b>1997-2000</b>
Occupation or position held	<b>Head of Research</b>
Main activities and responsibilities	Areas of work: coordination and management of R & D projects of sectoral/regional character; introduction of new methodologies and research techniques; international cooperation with institutes and networks; transfer of knowledge within the region (the Balkans)
Name and address of employer	CIC – Center of International Competition, Ljubljana, Slovenia, <a href="http://www.cic.si">www.cic.si</a>
Type of business or sector	Research and Consulting
Dates	<b>1996-1997</b>
Occupation or position held	<b>Adviser to the Government</b>
Main activities and responsibilities	Areas of work: monitoring and analysis of the competitiveness of Slovenian industry prior to joining the EU; formalization of the analytical model of competitiveness of the industry; assessment of the implications of Slovenia's accession to the EU for Slovenian manufacturing industry; coordination of Slovenian Industrial Policy
Name and address of employer	Ministry of Economic Development and Technology, Ljubljana, Slovenia, <a href="http://www.mgrt.gov.si">www.mgrt.gov.si</a>
Type of business or sector	Government
Dates	<b>1980-1996</b>
Occupation or position held	<b>Head of Research:</b> ✓ foreign exchange; ✓ competitiveness; ✓ tourism
Main activities and responsibilities	Areas of work: head researcher in the project WB-Yugoslavia "Econometric Model of YU economy"; as a responsible researcher for Slovenia cooperated in the formulation and assessment of regional development disparities in Yugoslavia, using factor analysis (for Yu Government); co-author of methodology to assess the effectiveness of the Yugoslav export products to the EU markets (the EU Commission and the Government of Yu); as a key researcher with colleagues he developed a model for analytical / empirical evaluation of product competitiveness of Slovenian industry (for Slo Government)
Name and address of employer	IER – Institute of Economic Research, Ljubljana, Slovenia, <a href="http://www.ier.si">www.ier.si</a>
Type of business or sector	Research and Consulting

## Education

Dates	1990
Title of qualification awarded	<b>Master of Science (MSc)</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Thesis Title: Intra-Industry Trade (Yu-Europa) mentor: prof.dr. Lojze Sočan
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Economic Faculty, University of Ljubljana
Level in national or international classification	VIII *ISCED/6
Dates	1980
Title of qualification awarded	<b>Bachelor of Science (BS)</b>
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Thesis Title: Cost/Benefit of Computer Based Bibliographic Data Bases mentor: prof.dr. Janez Grad
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Economic Faculty, University of Ljubljana
Level in national or international classification	VII *ISCED/5

**Training** Institute for World Economics, Kiel  
Institute for Innovation Research & Entrepreneurship, Munich  
OECD, Paris  
EUROSTAT, Luxemburg

## Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Slovenian**

Other language(s)

Self-assessment <i>European level (*)</i>	Understanding		Speaking		Writing
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
<b>English</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
<b>Croatian</b>	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
<b>German</b>	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2

(\*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Social skills and competences

- ✓ Economic Modelling – World Bank (educational module)
- ✓ Strategic Analysis – AT Kearney (educational and working module)
- ✓ Industrial Policy – Unido (educational module)
- ✓ Regional Planning – AACC (educational module)

Organisational skills and competences

- ✓ Member of ex-YU Consortium of Economic Research Institutions
- ✓ Member of national Council for Statistics and Econometry
- ✓ Co-author/founder of SGLTP (national Tech Platform for wood industry)
- ✓ Co-author/founder of PTP (national maritime Tech Platform)
- ✓ President of Advice Council of Upper Savinja Valey (region)
- ✓ Member of Italian EU-Plan network (international)
- ✓ Member of Slovenian Red Cross organisation and adviser to president

Computer skills and competences

- ✓ Competent with most MS Office programs (Word, Power Point, Excel, Outlook),
- ✓ Internet
- ✓ MS Project
- ✓ Adobe

**Bibliography** More than 140 research monographs.  
The list is available on the COBISS system:  
<http://cobiss6.izum.si>