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ABOUT ME

I am a teaching associate at the Faculty of Tourism and Hotel Management in Kotor and I am also a student in the second year Master's program at the same faculty. In 2020 I completed an Erasmus plus exchange program in Finland, at Saimaa University of Applied Sciences as a student and in the same year, I was on a cultural exchange program in the United States, Work and Travel. My master thesis topic is „Innovative entrepreneurship in the function of sustainable tourism development through Blue economy concept at Montenegrin coast“. I have been participating in several projects co-founded by the European Union and several summer school programs, conferences, round tables, etc.

WORK EXPERIENCE

[17/12/2021 – Current]

University teaching assistant

University of Montenegro, Faculty of Tourism and Hotel Management

City: Kotor

Country: Montenegro

Courses: Social impact of tourism, Innovations in tourism, Quality management in tourism, Hotel Management, Tourism and cultural resources, Tourism regions, Internship 1,2 and 3.

[01/06/2021 – 30/11/2021]

Office clerk

Local Tourism Organization Budva

City: Budva

Country: Montenegro

[10/06/2020 – 10/10/2020]

Receptionist

Sea Crest Beach Hotel

City: Falmouth

Country: United States

[10/06/2019 – 15/09/2019]

Office clerk

Local Tourism Organization Budva

City: Budva

Country: Montenegro

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

[10/10/2020 – Current]

MSc in tourism

Faculty of Tourism and Hotel Management Kotor <https://www.ucg.ac.me/ftH>

Address: Stari grad 320 kotor, 85330, Kotor, Montenegro

Field(s) of study: Tourism

Final grade: Awaiting defense

Thesis: „Innovative entrepreneurship in the function of sustainable tourism development through Blue economy concept at Montenegrin coast“

Entrepreneurship in tourism – to understand and define entrepreneurs, their characteristics, and the importance of entrepreneurship in tourism. Understanding entrepreneurship and interpreting the relationship between entrepreneurship, and innovations that accompany the process of entrepreneurship implementation.

Innovations in tourism – to define various concepts in innovations, analysis of innovation processes and their influence on the flow of innovations itself, and analysis of changes that lead to the implementation of innovations.

Decision-making methods - to understand the system view approach creation of various aspects of the structure, to acquire the skills of analytical and empirical research of existing organization and decision-making processes, to develop skills for quantitative and qualitative decision-making methods for organization of management at both micro and macro levels.

[15/07/2017 – 10/09/2020]

BSc in tourism

Faculty of Tourism and Hotel Management Kotor <https://www.ucg.ac.me/fth>

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Field(s) of study: Tourism

[07/01/2020 – 15/06/2020]

Saimaa University of Applied Sciences, Finland, Erasmus+ exchange program

<https://lab.fi/en>

Address: Lappenranta, Finland

HONOURS AND AWARDS

The best student of the academic year 2019/2020 Awarding institution: Faculty of Tourism and Hotel Management

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

[09/01/2023 – 15/01/2023]

Integrated Learning for Peace Sarajevo, Bosna and Herzegovina

Covered topics:

1. Understanding the concept of Peace Building
2. What is the conflict and how it can be overcome
3. Innovative tools for youth
4. How to avoid the conflict

[27/11/2022 – 30/11/2022]

2nd Kotor International Maritime Conference Kotor

I was participating in the conference and I presented a paper titled:

"The Blue Economy and Climate Adoption: Tourism and Maritime Management Challenges in Montenegro"

[17/10/2022 – 22/10/2022]

Summer school on „ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN HERITAGE TOURISM“ Kotor

Covered topics:

1. Heritage Tourism.
2. Innovation in Heritage Tourism
3. Heritage Entrepreneurship
4. Creative industries
5. Digital Heritage innovation
6. Sustainable Heritage Management
7. UNESCO World Heritage Sites
8. Branding UNESCO destinations

9. Virtual and Smart cultural tourism
10. Managing Heritage stakeholders
11. Developing business ideas in heritage tourism
12. Soft skills training for heritage/tourism entrepreneurship

[28/06/2022 – 30/06/2022]

Training on practice-oriented teaching methods within WP3 of the project Sustainable University- Enterprise cooperation for improving Graduate Employability/SUCCESS

Lublin, Poland

Covered topics:

1. The teaching of how to learn through experimentation, experience, and other methods activates students.
2. Teaching creativity, innovation, critical thinking, and teamwork skills.
3. Cooperation with business partners in social science.
4. Intercultural entrepreneurship- how to include intercultural aspects in regular classes.
5. Using digital technologies in the process of teaching and learning.
6. Cooperation with business partners in IT sector.

[28/04/2022 – 29/04/2022] **Innovation and entrepreneurship (I&E) practices in the Blue Economy**

Kotor

Covered topics:

1. Blue Economy concepts
2. Innovation and Entrepreneurship in the Context of Developing the Blue Economy Concept
3. Good practices and comparative analysis

[10/05/2019 – 12/05/2019] **Fostering innovation system in Adriatic-Ionian Region** Lustica, Herceg Hovi

Rural Yoga Montenegro

PROJECTS
[Current]

Sustainable University - Enterprise Cooperation for Improving Graduate Employability (SUCCESS) Erasmus+ project

Goals of the project:

1. To develop relationships with the professional environment and to evaluate its need and Participation in the education of students to increase employability in WBC.
2. To modernize 3 technical study programs at each partner country's HEI by introducing practice-oriented teaching and modules with real-life problems from practice in the specific courses. Based on that, 4 courses within those study programs will be updated. Modernization of study programs will also introducing entrepreneurship course in those 3 study programs.
3. To reinforce existing and establish new Start-up services at 8 WBC HEIS.
4. To develop and implement internship programs at the 8 WBC HEIs.
5. To create a wide university-enterprise network in the Region as well as to set up innovative cooperation platforms for the sharing of good practices between academia and business environment.

Link: <https://success-project.ba/>

[Current] **DUALMON Erasmus+ project**

DUALMON Erasmus+ project for strengthening capacities for the implementation of dual education in Montenegro higher education. Co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union.

The main aim of the project is to improve the competences of higher education graduates in Montenegro, through the development of generic model of dual education (DUALMON model) and legal framework for introduction of dual education in order to support different needs and interests of students, companies, higher education institutions (HEIs) in the country and to provide recommendations to HEIs for implementation of dual education in the entire Montenegro.

The model will be implemented, as a pilot test, at four faculties of University of Montenegro, from different fields: Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality and Faculty of Maritime Studies. Development of generic model of dual education (DUALMON model) will be conducted through transfer of knowledge from HE institutions from programme countries: University of Novi Sad (Serbia), FH Joanneum Gesellschaft M.B.H. (Austria), and Academia (Slovenia).

Link: <https://www.dualmon.ucg.ac.me>

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): Montenegrin

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C1 READING C1 WRITING C1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C1 SPOKEN INTERACTION C1

German

LISTENING A2 READING A2 WRITING A2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A2 SPOKEN INTERACTION A2

Turkish

LISTENING A1 READING A1 WRITING A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A1 SPOKEN INTERACTION A1

DIGITAL SKILLS

Microsoft Office | Microsoft Word | Microsoft Excel | Social Media | Outlook | Google Drive | Zoom | LinkedIn | Skype