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She has PhD in Sociology. In 2000 she started working as a junior researcher at the Institute for Social Research in Zagreb. She worked in the group for urban-rural sociology on several research projects. From 2001 to 2003 she was doing the post-graduate studies of Sociology at the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Zagreb.

She got a Master's degree at the Faculty of Philosophy in Zagreb in 2006. The thesis was entitled "Sociological aspects of the settlement network in Zagreb region". At the Faculty of Philosophy, University of Zagreb, she received a Doctor's degree in 2009 with the thesis "The influence of social actors on the processes of gentrification and pauperization: the example of Zagreb".

In 2010 she was elected as research associate, in 2015 she was promoted to senior research associate and in 2022 she was promoted to senior scientist in the field of sociology.

In 2016 she was elected Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Forestry, University of Zagreb. Since 2009 until 2022 she has worked as external associate at the Faculty of Forestry teaching undergraduate students of Urban forestry, nature and environment protection a mandatory course "Sociology of urban and protected space".

Since 2012 until 2018 she has been Editor-in-Chief of the scientific journal *Sociologija i prostor* (Sociology and Space) published by the Institute for Social Research in Zagreb.

Since 2015 she has been a member of the Editorial Board of *Urban izziv* [Urban Challenge], journal of the Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia.

Since 2018 she has been a member of the Editorial Board of *Družboslovne razprave*, journal published by the Slovenian Sociological Association and the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ljubljana.

She has reviewed numerous scholarly papers and books for local, regional and European journals and libraries.

In 2017 edited thematic issue of *Sociology and Space* (Volume 55 (1), 207) with Croatian and Slovene guests editors titled *(Re)Branding destinations in Southeastern Europe: An interdisciplinary perspective*.

In 2017 participated in workshop organized by Slovenian Evaluation Society and Republic of Slovenia, Ministry of Culture: Smart heritage protection, 30–31 May 2017 in Ljubljana, Slovenia.

In 2019 she participated in two interdisciplinary courses - Citylab VII Summer School named The Sustainable City. An Integrated Perspective organized by University of Antwerp in Belgium from 1st to 5th July, and in Technopolitics in urban regeneration: co-creating public space: international conference + summer school 2019, 24 jun - 06 jul 2019, ISCTE-IUL, Lisbon, Portugal.

From 2021 she is a member of the *European Network for Housing Research* (ENHR) where she and her team participated in international conferences with presentations (2022 and 2023).

2021-2025 - She is the supervisor in the doctoral thesis for an assistant on the HRZZ project. 2023- reviewer/evaluator for Croatian Science Foundation (HRZZ) and Slovenian Research and innovation Agency (ARIS).

She has published scientific and professional papers in Croatian and international journals and books (on Croatian and English language). She has participated in many scientific seminars and conferences and presented her work, in Croatia and abroad.

She is a member of the Croatian Sociological Association and of the European Network for Housing Research (ENHR) (Netherlands). From 2015 is in collective Institutional membership in ESA (European Sociological Association).

She is fluent in both written and spoken English.

She was a project leader in the following projects:

- 2024-2027 ISRZ Research Programme – Ministry of Science and Education via NextGenerationEU Fund, European Commission - *Effects of the Europeization Process in the Selected Rural-Urban Areas of Croatia*
- 2020-2023 Bilateral project: *Quality of living in the Housing Estates of the socialist and post-socialist era: a comparative analysis between Slovenia and Croatia* in collaboration with Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana (HRZZ and ARIS)
- 2020-2021 Creation of a sectoral sociological study for the Program for the Comprehensive Reconstruction of the Historic Center of the City of Zagreb, Institute for Spatial Planning of the City of Zagreb, leader of the sociological study.
- 2018–2019 Bilateral project: *Urban revitalization process in Ljubljana city center (in comparison with Zagreb city center)* organized by Institute for Social Research in Zagreb in collaboration with Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana;
- 2015-2016 bilateral project: *Transitional transformations of urban and rural areas in the capital cities Zagreb and Podgorica*, bilateral project in collaboration with the Faculty of Philosophy in Nikšić, University of Montenegro (financed by the Ministry of Science, Education and Sports)

Selected bibliography (2019–2024):

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2. Svirčić Gotovac, A. and Ursić, S. and Vukić, J. (2023). Overall layout of socialist and post-socialist large housing estates in Croatia. In: REAL CORP 2023: let it grow, let us plan, let it grow: nature-based solutions for sustainable resilient smart green and blue cities: proceedings of 28th International Conference on Urban Planning, Regional Development and Information Society. CORP – Competence Center of Urban and Regional Planning, Wien, 595-602. ISBN 978-3-9504945-2-5
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4. Svirčić Gotovac, A. and Adamović, M. and Zlatar Gamberožić, J. (2022). Main challenges of post-earthquake renovation in the case of Zagreb city center. *Journal of Regional and City Planning*, 33 (2). pp. 115-132. ISSN 2502-6429 (Online) <https://doi.org/10.5614/jpwk.2022.32.2.7>
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6. Svirčić Gotovac, A., Kerbler, B. (2019). From post-socialist to sustainable: The city of Ljubljana. *Sustainability*, 11 (7126), 1–16.