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WORK EXPERIENCE

10/2020 – CURRENT Maribor, Slovenia

TEACHING AND RESEARCH ASSISTANT UNIVERSITY OF MARIBOR, FACULTY OF LAW

Researcher and teaching assistant at Department of Labour law

Main research areas: new forms of work, protection of privacy and personal data of the worker, collective labour law, human rights, the challenges of digitisation and artificial intelligence, platform work, etc.

Work experience: teaching, research, administrative and project work, translation of scientific texts, text editing, report writing, presentations at national and international scientific conferences etc.

Assistant of the Editorial board of the Lexonomica journal (WoS, ESCI); Faculty coordinator of Moot court and MUN competitions

Selected publications:

SENČUR PEČEK, Darja, POLAJŽAR, Aljoša. Privacy at work in Slovenia. V: HENDRICKX, Frank (ur.), MANGAN, David (ur.), GRAMANO, Elena (ur.). Privacy@work : a European and comparative perspective. Alphen aan den Rijn, The Netherlands: Kluwer Law International B.V., [2023]. Str. 469-491. ISBN 978-94-035-3106-9.

POLAJŽAR, Aljoša. Access of platform workers to collective rights – the fall of the binary divide?. Časopis pro právní vědu a praxi. 2024, roč. 32, č. 2, str. 195-212. ISSN 1210-9126. <https://journals.muni.cz/cpvp/article/view/38115>, DOI: 10.5817/CPVP2024-2-1. [SNIP, Scopus]

POLAJŽAR, Aljoša. Covert surveillance at the workplace and the ECtHR approach : possible risks of breaching GDPR rules. E-journal of international and comparative labour studies. 2023, vol. 12, no. 3, str. 20-46. ISSN 2280-4056. https://ejcls.adapt.it/index.php/ejcls_adapt/article/view/1451. [SNIP, Scopus]

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

10/2020 – 09/2024

PHD IN LAW University of Maribor, Faculty of Law

Thesis Ph.D. thesis defence in September 2024 («Collective Labour Rights of Platform Workers» under mentorship of Full Professor Darja Senčur Peček, Ph.D.)

2018 – 2020

MASTER OF LAWS LL.M. University of Maribor, Faculty of Law

Highest GPA in generation: 10.0

Thesis The limits of permissible surveillance of workers (with the) use of information and communications technology at the workplace : selected aspects

2015 – 2018

BACHELOR OF LAWS LL.B. University of Maribor, Faculty of Law

Highest GPA in generation: 9.93

09/2017 – 04/2018

ERASMUS STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME Maastricht University, Faculty of Law

Subjects: Comparative income and business taxation; Private International law; Public international law; European law; Comparative contract law; European administrative law

2013 – 2015

IBO BILINGUAL HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA International Baccalaureate, Il. gimnazija Maribor

Final grade: Maximum score of 45/45 points (achieved by 0.3% of students from more than 70.000 candidates worldwide)

- **DRIVING LICENCE**

Driving Licence: B

- **HONOURS AND AWARDS**

2020

The Best Student award – University of Maribor

Awarded "the best student" on the level of the University (for academic performance, publications, research work, extracurricular activities, etc.)

2020

Rector award – University of Maribor

Award for best academic performance in the generation

2020

Perlach award – University of Maribor

Award for outstanding achievements at group competitions and in research

2019

Best delegate award at POLMUN – Model United Nations, Poland

2019

Best delegate award at PSUTMUN – Model United Nations, Jordan

2018

Best delegate award at MUNLaws – Model United Nations, Slovenia

2018

Honorable mention for memorandum for respondent – Vis Moot Court Competition

2015

Golden award at the Slovene national completion in essay writing "Cankar's competition" (Art)

2014

1st place at "Generation Euro" competition (ECB, Economics) – European Central Bank

2014

Golden award at national competition in History

1st place (2012), Golden award (2013) and Silver award (2014) at national competition in Chemistry – The Association for Technical Culture of Slovenia (ZOTKS)

- **HOBBIES AND INTERESTS**

Interest in: Business and Economics, Technology, History, Politics, International relations, Law, HRM, Industrial Relations, Sports etc.
