



ANAMARIJA MUSA

- Date of birth: 21 May 1974
- Place of birth: Zagreb

UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB FACULTY OF LAW

- Employed from 2001 to present
- In 2019, she was elected to the scientific-teaching title of associate professor (social sciences, field of Law)

FUNDAMENTAL EDUCATION

- 2009 Doctor of Science, Social Sciences, field of Law, University of Zagreb Faculty of Law
- 2004 MSc, Social Sciences, London School of Economics and Political Science, United Kingdom
- 1999 Graduate lawyer, University of Zagreb Faculty of Law

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Vice-rector for Quality Management and Ethics

Anamarija Musa, PhD, was born on 21 May 1974 in Zagreb. She graduated from the University of Zagreb Faculty of Law in 1999. She completed her master's degree in European politics and governance with the highest grade in 2004 at the London School of Economics and Political Science, where she resided as an awardee of the British government's Chevening scholarship. On 8 December 2009, she defended her doctoral thesis in the scientific areas of the social sciences, Law, and Administrative Law and Public Administration, entitled "Europeanization and Agency Model of Public Administration" at the University of Zagreb Faculty of Law.

She has been employed at the University of Zagreb Faculty of Law since 2 May 2001, where, after working as a junior researcher and assistant, she was elected to assistant professor on 20 October 2010, to senior research associate on 2 July 2015, and to associate professor on 6 March 2019. Before that, she briefly worked as an intern at the State Attorney's Office (2000 – 2001).

At the University of Zagreb Faculty of Law, she served as the coordinator for quality management during its establishment from 2011 to 2013, a member of the same committee (2011 – 2015, 2017 – 2019), and president of the Lifelong Learning Committee (2019 – 2022). She was also a member of the committee for re-accreditation. At the University of Zagreb, she heads the postgraduate university interdisciplinary specialist study in Public Administration (2019 – 2022) and was a member of the study councils of Crisis Management and Military Leadership and Management. She was a member of the

working groups for creating study programmes for postgraduate university studies at the University of Zagreb Crisis Management (2010) and public administration study programmes at the Faculty of Law in Zagreb (2011). As part of the IPA2008 project entitled, "Establishment of a legal framework to combat discrimination and corruption to improve academic integrity" (2011 – 2012), she actively participated in creating a legal framework model for ethical behaviour and integrity at the University of Zagreb.

For postdoctoral training, she attended the Public Management Institute at the Catholic University of Leuven in Belgium (2010) and the George Washington University School of Law in Washington DC, USA (2019 – 2020) as a Fulbright scholarship recipient. She participated in the US International Visitors Leadership Program (2017). She graduated from CARNET's E-learning academy for e-learning mentors (2011 – 2012), specifically e-learning management (2012–2013) and studied teaching methodology and mentoring of doctoral students.

Since 2018, she has been a member of the editorial board of the journal "Central European Public Administration Review." From 2012 to 2018, she was a member of the editorial board of the journal "Croatian and Comparative Public Administration." She was the editor of the Forum for Public Administration series of the Institute of Public Administration and the "Friedrich Ebert" Foundation (2012 – 2019). She is a member of the Editorial Board of the Scientific Council for State Administration, Judiciary and Rule of Law at the Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts.

Since 2004, she has taught at all levels and types of studies at the Faculty of Law and interdisciplinary postgraduate studies at the University of Zagreb, and she has also taught at the Faculty of Political Science (2009 – 2015). In addition to the main subject, Administrative Science, she is a co-proponent and/or teacher of many courses in legal studies (Public Administration Reform in the European Context, Sociology of Public Administration), social work studies, and professional public administration studies (Organizational Theory, Regulatory Management, Citizens and Government Relations, Legal Aspects of Information Management, European Administrative Space, E-administration, and Public Relations in Administration). At the post-graduate level, she taught at the doctoral study of the Public Law and Public Administration at the Faculty of Law and several post-graduate specialist studies at the University of Zagreb (Public Administration, City Management, Crisis Management, Diplomacy, Electronic Communications Market Regulation).

She has supervised over 60 bachelor's and master's theses, two postgraduate specialist theses, and two doctoral theses. As president and/or member, she participated in the committees for the defence of doctoral theses at the faculties of Law and of Organisation and Informatics. She participated in the innovation of teaching programmes and drafting proposals for study accreditation.

She participated in many scientific projects, from competitive European and international COST and Horizon 2020 projects to bilateral and domestic projects. She co-led the project within the Cogito Hubert Curien (Ministry of Science and Education) bilateral cooperation program called "Good local governance: local public services in the context of the European principle of subsidiarity" between the University of Zagreb Faculty of Law and the University of Valenciennes (2013 – 2014). She is the leader of the Horizon 2020 Faculty of Law team of the Twinning Open Data Operational project (TODO, 2019 – 2023). She was the leader of two professional projects co-financed by European funds.

Through presentations, independently or as a co-author, she participated in more than 100 scientific and professional meetings in the Republic of Croatia and abroad, including scientific conferences of the European Group for Public Administration (EGPA), Network of Institutes and Schools of Public Administration in Central and Eastern Europe (NISPAcee), International Political Science Association (IPSA), and the Central European Political Science Association (CEPSA) and the Observatory on Local Autonomy (OLA). She also participated in bilateral conferences in cooperation with universities from France, Slovenia, Turkey, and Macedonia, and scientific and professional meetings organised by Croatian law faculties, HAZU, Institute of Public Administration, and so forth. As a member of the organising committees, she participated in organising three international scientific conferences, three domestic scientific conferences, and 17 scientific and professional meetings. She is the co-leader of the NISPAcee working group, Rule of Law and Public Administration.

She published more than 60 scientific and professional papers and publications independently or as a co-author. Among others, she published a monograph with an international scientific review, "Agency Model of Public Administration" (Zagreb Faculty of Law, 2014), and co-edited the scientific book "Good local governance" (Larcier-Bruylant, 2016).

Since 2022, she has been the president of the Croatian Academy of Legal Sciences, where she has been a regular member since 2011. She is a member of the Scientific Council for State Administration, Judiciary and the Rule of Law at HAZU, the Institute for Public Administration (2001 –), and the Centre for Democracy and Law, "Miko Tripalo" (2010 –). She has also participated in the work of international associations since June 2022 as a member of the Management Board of NISPAcee, since 2011 in the IPSA Research Committee 27 Structure and Organisation of Government, and in the advisory body of the Centre for Freedom of Information of the University of Dundee in Scotland, in the United Kingdom (2014 – 2017). She is a member of the Working Group for the Protection of Privacy and Personal Data and Access to Information of the international association for promoting transparency Access Information Europe, and a member of the International Advisory Board of the same organisation.

From 2013 to 2018, by election into the Croatian Parliament, she held the position of Information Commissioner, an independent body for the protection, monitoring, and promotion of the right to access information and open data. She was a member of the working group of the European Commission for open data (2013 – 2018). She worked as a consultant on projects of international organisations such as OECD Sigma, Council of Europe, UNDP, USAID, and the European Commission in the field of public administration reform, the prevention of corruption, the promotion of transparency, legislative procedure, administrative procedure, official legislation, and others. In the Republic of Croatia, she participated in the work of many bodies and expert working groups for drafting laws, by-laws, and strategic documents of the government and state administration bodies in the field of public administration organisation, human rights, open data, and prevention of corruption. She is a member of the Council for the Prevention of Corruption of the Government of the Republic of Croatia (2015 – 2018, 2020) and was a member of the Council of the initiative Open Government Partnership (2011 – 2018).

WORK EXPERIENCE IN MANAGEMENT

- 2022 – President of the Croatian Academy of Legal Sciences
- 2022 – Member of the Board of Directors of the Association of National Schools and Institutes for Public Administration in Central and Eastern Europe
- 2022 – Member of the International Advisory Board of the Access Info Europe
- 2019 – 2022 President of the Lifelong Learning Committee of the Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb
- 2014 – 2017 Member of the Advisory Board of the Centre for Freedom of Information
- 2013 – 2018 Information Commissioners of the Republic of Croatia
- 2011 – 2013 Coordinator for quality management at the Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb

WORK EXPERIENCE RELATED TO THE UNIVERSITY

- 2019 – 2022 Head of the postgraduate university specialist study of Public Administration
- 2011 – 2012 Member of the working group IPA2008 of the DISCO project “Establishment of a legal framework to combat discrimination and corruption to improve academic integrity” (University of Zagreb)