

CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name	Renata Matoničkin Kepčija
Date of birth	November 6 th , 1972
Personal data	Married, 2 children

EDUCATION

• Dates (from – to)	1979 -1987
Address	Sedlarica, Pitomača, Croatia
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Local school Sedlarica, Primary school „Petar Preradović“ Pitomača
• Dates (from – to)	1987-1991
Address	Virovitica, Croatia
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Secondary school Virovitica
Title of qualification awarded	Mathematical – informatical technician
• Dates (from – to)	1991-1997
Address	Zagreb, Croatia
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Title of qualification awarded	graduate engineer of biology (ecology)
• Dates (from – to)	1998-2000
Address	Zagreb, Croatia
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Title of qualification awarded	Master of science (field: biology)
• Dates (from – to)	2000-2006
Address	Zagreb, Croatia
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Title of qualification awarded	PhD (field: biology)

WORK EXPERIENCE

• Dates (from – to)	1997-2007
Name of employer	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Occupation or position held	Assistant
• Dates (from – to)	2007-2013
Name of employer	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Occupation or position held	Assistant professor
• Dates (from – to)	2013-
Name of employer	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Occupation or position held	Associate professor

NASTAVNO ISKUSTVO

• Dates (from – to)	1997-2007
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Type of instruction	Practical work
Average no. of teaching hours	350
Courses	Invertebrates Biology of invertebrates Basics of biology Protists Limnology Applied hydrobiology Ecology of protists Field course in botany and zoology
• Dates (from – to)	2007.-
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Type of instruction	Lectures, seminars and practical work
Average no. of teaching hours	350
Courses	Protists Invertebrates Ecology of protists Biodiversity of Croatian fauna Field course in biodiversity of invertebrates and protists Degree of trophic and energy flow in ecosystem Biological classification of freshwaters and functional organization of communities

SUPERVISION

Supervisor of final essay of undergraduate studies	7
Supervisor of graduation thesis	10

Supervisor of master thesis	1
Supervisor of PhD	1
Supervision of works applied for Rector's honour	3 (2 Rectors honour acquired – ac. Years: 2010/2011 and 2011/2012)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Scientific title	research associate
Date of last election for scientific title	February 4 th 2013
Field of research	Ecology of freshwaters, specifically protozoan ecology; effects of tufa deposition and current velocity on periphyton structure; anthropogenic effects on indicators; dynamics of leaf litter in tufa-depositing systems; protozoa in peatbogs
Publications in CC journals	18
Publications in SCI journals	3
Publications in journals with international revision	3
Publications in conference proceedings	5
Abstracts in abstract books	12
IF range	0.207 – 3.396
List of publications	Complete list of publications is on this link: https://bib.irb.hr/lista-radova?autor=231956

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

• Dates (from – to)	2002-
Type of activity	Leader for GLOBE hydrology measurements (GLOBE program is scientific-educational program led by UCAR, with NOAA, NASA, NSF etc. as partners. In Croatia, more than 100 schools participate in GLOBE). I have <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • organized and led around 20 workshops • participated in organization of competition of GLOBE schools (12 such events) • translated and adapted GLOBE field guides
• Dates (from – to)	June-July 2003
	Member of organizing committee for international GLOBE Learning Expedition (GLE), Šibenik, Croatia
• Dates (from – to)	February 2007
	Organization of workshop “Biological valorization of waters”, Department of Biology, Faculty of Science, University of Zagreb, Croatia

CERTIFIED WORKSHOPS

• Dates (from – to)	September – October 2002
	Workshops „Train the trainers-basic level“ and „Train the trainers – advanced

level", GLOBE program, Nicosia, Cyprus

- Dates (from – to)

April 2012
Professionalization of PhD supervision, University of Zagreb

MEMBERSHIPS

International Association for Danube Research (IAD)
Croatian biological society (HBD 1885)
Vice-president of Croatian association of freshwater ecologists (CAFE)

**PERSONAL SKILLS AND
COMPETENCES**

Mother tongue

Croatian

Other languages

Language

English (fluent)
German (basic)

DRIVING LICENCE

B category

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