

# Curriculum Vitae 2024

**Name and surname:** Željko Vrban  
**Position in ACER:** Member of the Board of Regulators

## I. PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

OCCUPATION / POSITION HELD	START DATE	END DATE	EMPLOYER	MAIN ACTIVITIES OR RESPONSIBILITIES
Deputy President of the Board of Commissioners	11.2021	Ongoing	HERA Croatian Energy Regulatory Agency	Assistance to the President of the Board of Commissioners in the presentation, organization of work and management of the Agency.
Member of the Board of Commissioners	07.2018	10.2021	HERA Croatian Energy Regulatory Agency	Deciding on issues of energy regulation, responsibility for the Agency's work, regulatory work programs, deciding on the financial plan and annual budget.
Head of the Maintenance Department	07.2012	06.2018	HEP ODS d.o.o.	Development of a maintenance strategy for electricity distribution facilities. Coordination, creation and monitoring of distribution system maintenance plans (annual, three-year, five-year).
Assistant Director	06.2004	06.2012	HEP ODS d.o.o.	Giving directions and coordination of the sector's, monitoring work of the distribution department. Coordination and participation in various working groups.
Head of the Local Distribution Area	01.1999	05.2004	HEP ODS d.o.o.	Managing, organizing and preparing works of maintenance and investment of the distribution network and electricity supply business.

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Engineer in Local Distribution Area	05.1995	12.1998	HEP ODS d.o.o.	Preparation of project documentation for maintenance and investment activities of the distribution network.

## II. EDUCATION

<b>TITLE OF QUALIFICATION AWARDED</b>	<b>START DATE</b>	<b>END DATE</b>	<b>NAME AND TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>PRINCIPAL SUBJECTS COVERED</b>
Master of Science in Organization and Management - MS degree	04.2011	Ongoing	Faculty of Economics and Business, University of Zagreb,	Organization and management, microeconomics, macroeconomics and finance.
Certificate of authorized electrical engineer	02.2002	Ongoing	Chamber of Engineering Zagreb	Regulations of the power engineering and construction.
dip.ing. -Master of Electrical Engineering	02.1995	Ongoing	Electrical engineering study at the Faculty of Electrical Engineering Osijek	Production, transmission and distribution of electricity, management of the electricity system.

## III. TRAINING SEMINARS

<b>TITLE</b>	<b>START DATE</b>	<b>END DATE</b>	<b>NAME AND TYPE OF ORGANIZATION</b>	<b>PRINCIPAL SUBJECTS COVERED</b>
Regulatory Policy and Dynamic Regulation	11.2021	Ongoing	CEER	Regulatory Policy and Dynamic Regulation
Certificated Energy Regulator	11.2021	Ongoing	ERRA	Economic and technical regulation, energy market.

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Introduction to Regulation of Flexibility in the Power Grid	03.2021	Ongoing	ERRA	Technical regulation -Flexibility in the Power Grid.
Specialised Training on Network Tariffs for Transmission and Distribution	02.2020	Ongoing	CEER	Economic regulation -Network Tariffs for Transmission and Distribution
Electricity Tariff Setting	07.2020	Ongoing	ERRA	Economic regulation -Electricity Tariff Setting
Introduction to Energy Regulation	12.2020	Ongoing	ERRA	Energy Regulation
How and when to contract electricity	06.2019	Ongoing	InEEO	Retail Electricity Market
Training on Energy Trading and the European Wholesale Electricity Market	11.2018	Ongoing	CEER-EFET	Wholesale Electricity Market
Specialised CEER Training on REMIT and REMIT Enforcement	11.2022	Ongoing	CEER	REMIT
Training on Regulation of DSOs, Digitalization and Flexibility Markets	06.2022	Ongoing	CEER	Regulation of DSOs, Digitalization and Flexibility Markets
Natural gas price	05.2023	Ongoing	eng-a Energetska akademija	Gas market -price and risks

#### **IV. PUBLICATIONS**

TITLE	START DATE	END DATE	DESCRIPTION
Energy transition and the tariff structure for electricity transmission and distribution, L. Wagman, M. Skok, M. Žunec, Ž. Vrban	11.2021	Ongoing	CIGRE Croatia, 2021
The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on electricity demand in Croatia, T. Gelo, Ž. Vrban, G. Slipac	06.2020	Ongoing	International Odyssey Conference on Economics and Business, 2020
Relationship between electricity consumption and economic growth and population in the Republic of Croatia, Ž. Vrban	12.2020	Ongoing	International Conference on Economics of Decoupling (ICED), 2020
Cost and income structure in energy monopolies, Ž. Vrban	12.2019	Ongoing	International Conference on Economics of Decoupling (ICED), 2019

TITLE	START DATE	END DATE	DESCRIPTION
Allowed revenue of network system operators in the Croatian energy sector and interest rate changes on the Croatian capital market, T. Gelo, Ž. Vrban, D. Pudić	06.2019	Ongoing	International Odyssey Conference on Economics and Business, 2019
Drones in electricity distribution, Ž. Vrban	05.2018	Ongoing	CIREC Croatia, 2018
Maintenance as a basic activity of HEP ODS, D. Dadić, Ž. Vrban	05.2016	Ongoing	CIREC Croatia, 2016

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I, Željko Vrban, hereby confirm, on my honor, that I am personally submitting this declaration

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**Submitted on:** 02.05.2024

**Signature:** Željko Vrban

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