



Ivana Gudelj

Ivana Gudelj is a director of the Croatian Agency for Environment and Nature since 2016.

She has Ph. D. in Biotechnological Sciences from Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology at the University of Zagreb. Status of scientific associate she has since 2014.

She has significant experience in environmental and nature protection in both private and public sectors and profiled scientific background in water protection, biological wastewater treatment and sustainable waste management solutions.

Ms Gudelj is the author or co-author of about 60 scientific and professional papers through which she primarily promotes holistic approach to environmental protection.

As a director of the Croatian Agency for Environment and Nature she has been deeply involved in the implementation of environment and nature protection programs, in particular in relation to Natura 2000 management, monitoring in accordance with EU directives and use of EU funds.

Beside participation in the EPA network she participates in network of Heads of European Nature Conservation Agencies, and relevant national networks and associations: Croatian Water Pollution Control Society; Croatian Society of Food Technologists, Biotechnologists and Nutritionists; Croatian Microbiological Society and SLAP – Association for Conservation of Croatian Sea and Waters.