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Aljoša Duplić is b.a. director of the Institute for Environment and Nature at the Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development. He has PhD in Biological Sciences from Faculty of Science at the University of Zagreb. Prior to being b.a. director he was head of the Sector for nature protection at the Institute for Environment and Nature.

He was also employee of Croatian Agency for the Environment and Nature, Karlovac University of Applied Sciences and State Institute for Nature Protection.

During 14 years of experience in the field of nature conservation he worked on different topics from nature conservation, mostly connected with species conservation and sites. He actively participated in preparation of Proposal of the national ecological network and also Croatian proposal of the Natura 2000 ecological network. He worked on development of framework for implementation of the management of Natura 2000 ecological network (sites) in Croatia trough the Operational program for cohesion and competitiveness. Additionally, he worked on development and implementation of the system for monitoring, rapid response, control and eradication of the invasive alien species. During whole his professional career he has been especially focused on conservation of freshwater fish and freshwater ecosystems.