Curriculum Vitae

Mirko Duić, assistant professor

Mirko Duić is an assistant professor at the Department of Information Sciences of the University of Zadar, where he has been working since May 2009. He received his doctorate in 2015 with the thesis topic 'Film collections in Croatian public libraries'. Since 2018, he has been employed as an assistant professor.

In the period from 2009 to 2023, he taught a number of full-time and part-time courses at the Department of Information Sciences. Also, at the same department, he taught a course within the 'Program for acquiring librarian competences', and he taught a course for international students from the Erasmus student exchange program. He currently teaches courses at the undergraduate and graduate level of the Department of Information Sciences, courses in the field of digital libraries, information organization, cultural heritage, cultural studies, digital multimedia, network systems and technologies. Previously, he also taught courses in the field of organization and operation of information institutions, basics of information activities, electronic documents and formats, and statistics. At the University of Zadar, he also teaches a course at the undergraduate professional study of Information Technology.

He is the mentor of more than 25 undergraduate and master's theses and a number of students' pilot projects. Also, he is the author of more than 25 scientific papers and has presented his research at many domestic and international scientific conferences. He has diverse research and teaching interests, among which the following topics can be distinguished: cultural heritage within information institutions and digital libraries, use of social networks by information institutions and informal heritage communities, film and multimedia in libraries, building library and digital collections, cultural interests and habits of the population, availability and cultural diversity of literature, information behavior of scientists related to literature sources.

He participated in several scientific and professional projects. He is currently participating in the scientific project of the University of Zadar: 'Teatro Nuovo/Teatro Verdi', which started in 2021. Previously, he participated in two projects focused on the development of different forms of digital literacy: 'INovA@skola' and 'Kako smo ispravljali Pisin toranj' ('How we fixed the Tower of Pisa'). The projects took place from 2017 to 2019 and were financed by the European Social Fund. He also participated in the project 'Hrvatska pisana baština: teorijske tehnološke pretpostavke organizacije i zaštite' ('Croatian written heritage: theoretical and technological aspects of organization and protection'), from 2009 to 2013. Also, as part of the WAAT

ERASMUS+ project 'We are all together to raise awareness of cultural heritage', in September 2021, he held a three-day workshop on making films about heritage, with participants from different European countries.

He reviewed scientific and professional papers for journals 'Vjesnik bibliotekara Hrvatske', 'Journal of the Association for Information Science and Technology' (JASIST), 'Libellarium', 'Knjižničarstvo'. He was also a reviewer for an international scientific conference 'Libraries in the Digital Age' (LIDA). He participated in organizing a number of scientific conferences and summer schools, including 'Libraries in the Digital Age' (LIDA), 'Summer School in the Study of Historical Manuscripts', 'Summer School of Historical Manuscripts', 'Conference and school on Records, Archives and Memory Studies' (RAMS), 'Summer School of Publishing', 'Summer School of User Studies', 'PUBMET - Conference on Scholarly Publishing in the Context of Open Science'. Also, he participated in various activities to popularize science, among which presentations at Science Festivals can be singled out. With the goal of scientific and teaching self-enhancement, he participated in numerous conferences, workshops and seminars held in Croatia and abroad. Since 2020, he has been a member of the Senate of the University of Zadar.

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