

Professional summary

KPMG

- Managing Partner (CEO) for KPMG in Adria Region (Croatia, Slovenia and Bosnia and Herzegovina) - 2017-2026. Partner in KPMG CEE since 2008.
- Member of the Board for KPMG in Central Eastern Europe (CEE) and Head of Restructuring for KPMG in CEE - 2017-2026.
- Strategic and visionary senior partner and business leader with proven track record. Achieved significant growth in revenues, profitability, market share and visibility of KPMG in Adria (and CEE). Trusted advisor to C-suite and Boards of the largest publicly, PE backed or family-owned companies or financial institutions in the region. Passionate about practice and business building and team development (mentored and coached a number of new partners and directors).

Education

- PhD in Management studies (Restructuring strategies), IEDC Bled – Bled School of Management, Slovenia
- Harvard Business School – AMP 201
- Executive MBA, Ecole Nationale des Ponts et Chaussées (ENPC), Paris in cooperation with the University of Edinburgh Management School
- UK Chartered Certified Accountant (FCCA)
- Bachelor of Economics, University of Zagreb, Croatia

Work experience

M&A, Restructuring and Performance improvement

- One of the leading deal makers in the region and trusted advisor in more than 100 M&A transactions
- Recognised restructuring expert with more than 70 restructuring of large corporates and special situations projects (focusing on design and implementation of restructuring and turnaround plans, liquidity management and stakeholder negotiation).
- Executed numerous performance improvement and business transformation projects, strategy determination and implementation, better governance, increased operational efficiency and redesign of business processes.

Interim CFO/CRO

- Interim CFO or CRO for banking, FMCG and other clients

Audit and financial controlling

- Lead auditor for largest banks, insurance companies, funds and industrial clients in Croatia and the region. Substantial experience with Audit Committees

Sector experience

- Industry experience includes financial services, industrial manufacturing, retail, FMCG, infrastructure, tourism, shipbuilding, transport, construction, chemicals, agriculture and others. Some of clients included: Goldman Sachs, GE, Siemens, Allianz, Generali, Morgan Stanley, UniCredit, Deutsche Bank, Mid Europa, KKR, Advent, Nestle, Podravka, Fortenova, RBI, ERSTE bank, Adris, Petrol, INA/Mol, City of Zagreb, Government of Croatia (and other regional governments), EBRD, Croatian Pension Funds, and other leading regional groups