# Blaž Pezo

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# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### 2025 – Present

### **County Prefect of Dubrovnik-Neretva County**

Dubrovnik-Neretva County, Dubrovnik, Croatia

- Representing the county and acting on its behalf
- Ensuring the implementation of laws, regulations, and county decisions
- Managing and coordinating the work of county departments
- Preparing and proposing the county budget
- Overseeing the use of county property and financial resources
- Promoting economic, social, and cultural development within the county
- Acting as a key liaison between national and local institutions Website: <u>www.dnz.hr</u>

## 2017 - 2025

### **Director, Port Authority of Dubrovnik**

Port Authority Dubrovnik, Dubrovnik, Croatia

- Organizes and manages the operations and business of the Port Authority
- Represents and acts on behalf of the Port Authority
- Takes all necessary actions to prepare meetings of the Management Board and implement its decisions
- Regularly reports to the Management Board on the status of the port, port capacities, infrastructure, superstructure, and concession-related activities
- Issues decisions to coordinate the activities of all concessionaires within the port area
- Performs all other tasks related to the operation of the Port Authority Website: <u>www.portdubrovnik.hr</u>

### 2010 - 2017

Head of the Administrative Department for County Prefect and County Assembly Affairs Dubrovnik-Neretva County, Dubrovnik, Croatia

- Organizes and manages the work of the administrative department
- Responsible for the timely, effective, and high-quality execution of all tasks within the department's scope
- Position involves the highest level of complexity, including planning, leadership, coordination, development of new concepts, and strategic problem-solving Website: <u>www.dnz.hr</u>

2007 – 2009 Branch Manager Allianz d.d., Croatia

2004 – 2006 Insurance Representative GRAWE Hrvatska d.d., Croatia

2002 – 2004 Sales Representative for IT Equipment and Office Supplies Bambola MD, Croatia

# **EDUCATION**

1997 – 2009 University Degree in Economics University of Dubrovnik, Croatia

1993 – 1997 Secondary School of Economics Dubrovnik, Croatia

# LANGUAGE SKILLS

Native Language: Croatian

# Other Languages:Language Listening Reading Spoken Production Spoken Interaction WritingEnglishB2B2B2B1

### **DRIVING LICENSE**

Category B

### **MEMBERSHIPS**

- Member of the Expert Committee for Granting Maritime Domain Concessions, Dubrovnik-Neretva County
- President of the Sports Community of Dubrovnik-Neretva County
- Vice President of the Dubrovnik-Neretva County Football Association
- Certified National Football Delegate

## SKILLS

### **Organizational Skills**

- Extensive leadership experience in both public and private sectors
- Proven ability in managing institutions and teams

### **Communication and Interpersonal Skills**

• Strong communication skills developed through years of experience in diverse professional environments

### **Professional Competencies**

- Skilled in organizing operations and managing institutional responsibilities
- Accountable for ensuring timely, efficient, and high-quality task execution

## INTERESTS

Football