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ICOM is currently at an important crossroads. We are facing not only internal changes and challenges, but also an emergency of planetary proportions.

This is the time to recognise both the results of our collective impact on society and the opportunities we have to create solutions for a better future. Our mission is to create advocates for a global network of museum experts, and it is our joint action, transparency, efficiency and creativity that are crucial in that sense. The period ahead of us must show how our actions can contribute to the development and advancement of society. One thing is certain, however: museums are now needed more than they ever have been. If elected to the Executive Board, given my professional experience, I would be able to concentrate my efforts on achieving the goals of ICOM's new Strategic Plan for the period 2022-2028, carrying on the promotion of the key principles of our association, and directing my activities towards strengthening and expanding international and regional cooperation with the aim of preserving and presenting the world's rich cultural and natural heritage.

POSITIONS

- ◆ Director, Natural History Museum, Belgrade (2008-2017/ 2021-present)
- ◆ The main National Coordinator of the manifestation Best Museums (2015-present)
- ◆ Member of the Supervisory Board of The Institute for Cultural Development Research, Belgrade (2021-present)
- ◆ Vice President of the Management Board of the Nikola Tesla Museum, Belgrade (2018-2020)
- ◆ Member of the Management Board of the Museum of Theatre Arts of Serbia (2019-2021)
- ◆ Member of the National Advisory Committee for Monitoring the Implementation of the Hague Convention for the Protection of Cultural Property in the Event of Armed Conflict (2015-2020)

FUNCTIONS WITHIN ICOM

- ◆ Board Member, ICOM IMREC (2021-present)
- ◆ Vice-Chair, RA ICOM SEE (2019-present)
- ◆ Member, ICOM Strategic Plan Committee (2014-2016)
- ◆ Chair, ICOM Serbia (2013-2019)

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

- ◆ Master Engineer of Organisational Sciences (2012)
- ◆ Bachelor of Science with Honours in Biology (1991)