

Dr. JELENA JERINIC, LL.M.

EDUCATION

2006 – 2011	Union University Law School, Belgrade - PhD/Doctor of Legal Sciences thesis: <i>Judicial review of administrative action in Serbian and Comparative Law</i>
2003 – 2004	Utrecht University Law School, LL.M. in Comparative Public Law and Good Governance), <i>suma cum laudae</i> , thesis: <i>Comparative Setting for a Serbian Ombudsman</i>
2001 – 2002	Belgrade Open School – <i>Core Programme</i>
1997 – 2002	Belgrade University Law School – <i>Bachelor of Law</i>

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2005 – present	Union University Law School, Belgrade (since Feb 2016 <i>Associate Professor</i>) Teaching courses in: Constitutional Law, Administrative Law, Local Self-Government Law, Democratisation Member of Editorial board of scientific journal <i>Pravni zapisi (Legal Records)</i> ; Leader of Serbian team within the OLA (Observatory on Local Autonomy) network
2004 – 2006	Advocacy Team Leader at the Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities (SCTM) – national association of local governments in Serbia
2002 – 2003	Secretary of the National Enrolment Commission, Serbian Ministry of Education and Sports
2001 – 2002	Programme Assistant – Democracy Development Programme, Civic Initiatives, Belgrade

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES

2017 – present	2007-2013 Alternate Member / from 2013 - Member of the Group of independent experts for the European Charter of Local Self-government
2013 – present	Member of the Serbian Association for Constitutional Law
2013 – present	Member of the European Group for Public Law (EGPL)

OTHER RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL ENGAGEMENT

Jun-July 2018	Expert for the design of model local regulations, Program <i>EU support for Roma inclusion – Strengthening local communities for Roma inclusion</i> , Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities
Dec 2017-Jan 2018	Expert on Antidiscrimination and Equality, participating in drafting of the Good Governance Index for the Local Level, Improving Administrative Efficiency and effectiveness at the local level, Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities
Dec 2017 -	Accredited trainer for realisation of training programmes to local government employees, Ministry of Public Administration and Local Self-government, Serbian Government
Sept 2017-Jan 2018	Member of expert team, <i>Defining models for institutionalisation of health mediators</i> , Centre for Social Policy, Belgrade/UNICEF
Aug – Dec 2017	Expert for the field of functioning of the rule of law in the preparation of the <i>Third National Report on Social Inclusion</i> , Social Inclusion and Poverty Reduction Unit (SIPRU), Serbian Government
March 2017	Local Expert/Member of Appraisal Team, Project <i>Support to Public Administration Reform in Serbia</i> , German Agency for International Cooperation (GIZ)
Apr 2016-Jun 2017	Consultant for institutional development, Project: <i>Providing assistance to the Town of Belgrade in drafting a Development Strategy (2017-2021)</i> , PALGO Centre

May-Dec 2016 Consultant/Legal Advisor for the Price Waterhouse Coopers, Project Achieving good governance through citizen-oriented administration supported through the Good Governance Fund, supporting the Serbian Ministry for Public Administration and Local Self-Government in implementation of the new Law on General Administrative Procedure

April-July 2016 Project: *Institutional Support to SCTM – 2nd phase*, supported by Swiss Development Cooperation (SDC), co-author of the analysis *Constitutional status of local self-government: Serbian Constitution in the comparative European Perspective*

Oct 2016-Dec 2017 Project *Human Resources Management in Local Self-government*, Council of Europe - Office in Belgrade Expert for Analysis of implementation of the Law on Employees of the Autonomous Provinces and Local Government Units (Oct-Dec 2017); National local consultant defining methodology for accreditation of training providers and procurement procedures (Oct 2016-May 2017)

Feb-Oct 2016 National Expert, Project *Strengthening the oversight function and transparency of the Parliament, 2nd phase*, UNDP, Developing Indicators for the Town and Municipal Assemblies' Accountability Index

Aug-Sept 2015 Expert of the OSCE Mission to Serbia, supporting the Serbian Government Social Inclusion and Poverty Reduction Team in developing draft legislation on forced evictions

2014-2015 Project *Towards Transparency in Staff Recruitment*, PALGO Center/Centre for Free Elections and Democracy (CeSID)/Balkan Investigative Reporting Network (BIRN), Drafting policy recommendations concerning public sector employment in Serbia

Nov 2014-Jan 2015 Member of expert team drafting the *Situation Analysis of the state of local self-government in Serbia*, Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities

Nov-Dec 2014 Expert on developing the *Study on Models of decentralization / functional organization of competencies at different levels of government* for the purpose of the future Decentralisation Strategy of Serbia, OSCE Mission to Serbia

2014 Senior Expert, Project *Comparative analysis of legal solutions and good practices in the field of registers as a basis for further improvements in this field in the Republic of Serbia* (Feb-Sept 2014) and Senior Expert for Training, Project *Strengthening capacities of the institutions represented in the National Council for Decentralisation and representatives of local authorities on the implementation of subsidiarity principle and decentralisation process in the EU and the Republic of Serbia* (Jan-July 2014), Project Fund for Institutional Development (PROFID)

2013-2015 Lecturer/mentor, E-learning courses for local government officials and employees, Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities - *E-learning course on Good Governance and Gender Equality* (Jan-July 2015), *E-learning course on Decentralisation and Local Self-government System in Serbia* (Sept 2013-July 2014)

Oct 2013-Mar 2014 Legal Expert, Project: *Technical Assistance for Roma Inclusion – TARI*, OSCE Mission to Serbia

Nov-Dec 2013 Expert, Project *Assisting the Ministry of Regional Development and Local Self-government in preparation of an action plan for drafting the Serbian decentralisation strategy*, OSCE Mission to Serbia

Apr-June 2013 National Expert on Local Self-government, Conducting an *Analytical Study on the Functioning of Municipal Assemblies in Serbia*, UNDP

Sep 2012-Sept 2013 Researcher, ENA/UCL, *Gutenberg project Impact assessment and the making of regulation in Europe: a comparative perspective*

2012 – present co-editor of policy journal *Polis*, joint publication of PALGO Centre and the Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities

Aug 2009-Dec 2012 Municipal Support Programme IPA 2007 – Local self-government Expert; Assessor for the Exchange 3 grant scheme (April 2010); Evaluator of the Exchange 1 and 3 grant schemes (Sept-Dec 2012)

Aug 2007-Feb 2009 Serbian Government – Annual Operative Planning programme – consultant/mentor for ministries of justice and public administration and local self-government

Nov 2006-Dec 2007 Senior Policy Advisor, Project *Institutional Support to the Standing Conference of Towns and Municipalities (SCTM)*, provided by UNDP

SELECTED BIBLIOGRAPHY (detailed bibliography)

In Serbian:

- co-author (with B. Milosavljevic), *Ustavopravni položaj lokalne samouprave u Srbiji: Ustav Republike Srbije u uporednoj evropskoj perspektivi (Constitutional status of local self-government in Serbia)*, Stalna konferencija gradova i opština, 2017.
- Šta bi rekao sudija Kuk? O pravnim sredstvima u slučaju kršenja propisa od strane najviših organa Republike Srbije, *Pravni zapisi (Legal Records)*, No. 2/2015, pp. 261-283 (article in scientific journal).
- co-author (with J. Simic), Pravo na porođaj kod kuće – izbor, a ne slučajnost – i neke pravne posledice (Right to home birth – a choice, not a coincidence – and some legal consequences), *Pravni zapisi (Legal Records)*, No. 1/2014, pp. 120-161 (article in scientific journal).
- *Sudska kontrola uprave (Judicial control of the administration)*, Belgrade: Union University Law School, Sluzbeni glasnik, 2012 (scientific monograph).
- co-author (with D. Damjanovic and T. Pavlovic-Krizanic): *Horizontalna i vertikalna koordinacija u postupku donošenja odluka od značaja za lokalnu samoupravu u Srbiji (Horizontal and vertical coordination in the decision-making process of interest for local government in Serbia)*, Belgrade: Palgo Centre, 2011 (study).
- Mogući koraci reforme teritorijalne organizacije u Srbiji (Possible steps in the reform of territorial organisation in Serbia), in: Milenković, D., Damjanović, D. (eds.), *U susret novom statusu gradova u Srbiji: realnost i potrebe*. Beograd: Palgo Center, 2007, pp. 63-72. (contribution to proceedings).
- Referendum i podela vlasti (Referendum and separation of powers), *Strani pravni život*, No. 1/2003, pp. 41-58 (article in scientific journal).

In English:

- Co-author (with J. Arsić and J. Simić), Compulsory or Recommended Vaccination: Legal Aspects of Children Vaccination Policies in Serbia, *Globalisation and Law*, Faculty of Law, University of Niš, 2017, pp. 313 – 330.
- To Amend or Not to Amend? Contours of the Ongoing Debate on Constitutional Reform in Serbia, *European Review of Public Law*, Vol. 28_4/2016, pp. 1503-1516.
- Chapter on Serbia, in: Merloni, F. (ed.). *Regionalisation Trends in European Countries 2007-2015: Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe*, Strasbourg: Council of Europe, 2016, pp. 168-174.
- Co-author (with B. Milosavljevic), Status of Serbian Towns in the Light of Recent Efforts Towards a National Decentralisation Strategy, *Hrvatska i komparativna javna uprava*, br. 1/2016.
- Co-author (with B. Milosavljevic), Territorial Organisation of the Republic of Serbia – Possibilities for Reform, *Serbian Architectural Journal*, No. 3/2015, pp. 401-418.
- Co-author (with I. Vila), Neither in Heaven nor On Earth: Notes On the Legal Nature Of National Councils of National Minorities Under The Serbian Constitution, *European Review of Public Law*, Vol. 26_4/2014, pp. 1699-1722.
- How the legal principle of solidarity is reflected in Serbian legislation and policy, *European Review of Public Law*, Vol. 26_1/2014, pp. 297-315.
- co-author (with B. Milosavljevic): *Competences of local self-government units in Serbia: Analysis of the legal framework*, Belgrade: MSP-IPA, 2012.
- co-author (with B. Milosavljevic): *Organisational structure and management system models in municipal and town administration*, Belgrade: MSP-IPA, 2012.
- Judicial Review of Administrative Action in Serbia from the Perspective of the European Convention on Human Rights, in: Besirevic, Violeta M. (ed.). *Public Law in Serbia: Twenty Years After*, (European public law series, Vol. 101). London: Esperia Publications; Athens: European Public Law Organization, 2012.
- Serbian legislation and practice of the Constitutional Court on banning extremist associations, *European Review of Public Law*, Vol. 23_4/2011, pp. 1369-1384.
- First steps in implementation of codes of conduct for local government officials in Serbia, in: Coombes, David L. (ed.), Vass, László (ed.). *Post-communist public administration: restoring professionalism and accountability: selected papers from the 14th NISPAcee Annual Conference, Ljubljana 2006*. Bratislava: NISPAcee, 2007.

LANGUAGE SKILLS

English – fluent oral and written, Russian – intermediate in reading, German – beginner

REFERENCES

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