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EDUCATION:

1985 University of Zagreb, PhD, Economics
1981 St Mary's College, USA, MS, International Business
1978 University of Zagreb, BS, Economics, International Trade

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT:

July 1, 2017-present	Director, Trade, Investment and Innovation Division
March 2015 – June 2015	Officer in Charge, a.i. Trade and Investment Division
Feb 2013 – 30 June 2017	Chief, Trade Policy and Analysis Section
Jan 2009 - Present	Coordinator of ARTNeT
Jan 2005- Jan 2013	Economic Affairs Officer Trade Policy Section, Trade and Investment Division, ESCAP
Nov 2001 – Jan 2005	Professor of International Economics, Graduate School of Economics and Business, University of Zagreb, Croatia
Sep 2002 – Jan 2005	Director, Economics and Business International Programme, Graduate School of Economics and Business, University of Zagreb, Croatia (on leave without pay Sep-Dec 2003 and Nov- Dec 2002)
Sept 2003 - Dec 2003	Senior Economic Affairs Officer, Trade Policy Section, ESCAP, UN
May 1988 – Jan 2005	Senior Lecturer, Department of Economics, School of Business and Economics, University of Auckland, New Zealand (Nov 2001- Jan 2005 on leave without pay)
Feb 1978 – May 1988	Assistant Professor, Faculty of International Trade and Faculty of Economics, University of Zagreb, Croatia

RESEARCH INTEREST

As a director, I guide and supervise the analytical work on areas covered by the Division's programme. I often lead research work on trade policy and trade-related areas conducted in the organization, including the Asia-Pacific Trade and Investment Report from 2009 till

present. All research is geared towards creating applicable and adequate evidence for improved trade, investment and innovation policymaking. This spans from mapping and monitoring of preferential trading arrangements in Asia-Pacific region (including further development of analytically-friendly database known as the Asia-Pacific Trade and Investment Agreements Database, APTIAD); providing a measurement of impact of alternative policy options or policy scenarios, and developing new analytical tools. Personally, I am paying a special attention to the role of the services trade liberalization in development and in particular in growth of GVCs; evolution of regionalism under the rules of the multilateral trading system; trade and investment policy under imperfect competition (including the location of industry); regulatory issues for digital economy; and aid for trade effectiveness.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Books:

MIKIC, M. *International Trade*, Basingstoke, Macmillan, 623 pages, 1998 (to be available as an e-book in 2016)

MIKIC, M., GILBERT, J. *Trade Statistics in Policymaking: A Handbook of Commonly used Trade indices and Indicators* Revised 2nd edition, United Nations, 135 pages, 2009 available at <http://www.unescap.org/tid/publication/tipub2559.pdf>

Led preparation of and contributed substantially to annual volumes of Asia-Pacific Trade and Investment Reports (2009-present)

Co-edited volumes and chapters in edited books:

JETIN, B., MIKIC, M. *ASEAN Economic Community: A Model for Asia-Wide Regional Integration?*, Palgrave, 2015

BHATTACHARYA, D., MIKIC, M. *Least Developed Countries and Trade: Challenges of Implementing the Bali Package*, Bangkok: ESCAP, 118 pages, 2015

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SAUVE, P., PASADILLA, G. and MIKIC, M. (Eds) *Service sector reforms: Asia-Pacific Perspectives*, Bangkok: ADBI-ARTNeT, 289 pages, 2011

MIKIC, M. AND MARTINEZ, E. PEDRO (Eds) *Trade Beyond Doha: Prospects for the Asia-Pacific Least Developed Countries*, Bangkok: ESCAP, 121 pages, 2011

ANUKOONWATTAKA, A. and MIKIC, M. (Eds) *India: A New Player in Asian Production Networks?* Bangkok: ESCAP, 143 pages, 2011

- EVENETT, S., MIKIC, M. and RATNAYAKE, R. (Eds) *Trade-led Growth: A Sound Strategy for Asia*, Bangkok: ESCAP, 389 pages, 2011
- MIKIC, M., WERMELINGER, M. (Eds) *Rising Non-tariff Protectionism and Crisis Recovery*, United Nations ESCAP and ARTNeT, 2010 available at <http://www.unescap.org/tid/publication/tipub2587.asp>
- MIKIC, M. “Crisis-Era State Measures and Asia-Pacific Economies” in *The Unrelenting Pressure of Protectionism: The 3rd FTA Report, A Focus on the Asia-Pacific Region* edited by Simon J. Evenett, CEPR and Global Trade Alert, pp. 33-51, 2009 available at www.globaltradealert.org
- STRUTT, A., MIKIC, M. “Exploring the Impacts of Trade Liberalization in Asia and the Pacific” chapter 2 in *Challenges and Opportunities for Trade and Financial Integration in Asia and the Pacific, Studies in trade and Investment 67*, UNESCAP, New York: United Nations, pp. 13-36, 2009 available at <http://www.unescap.org/tid/publication/tipub2563.pdf>
- MIKIC, M., RATNAYAKE, R. “Crisis reinforces need for stronger trade and financial integration in Asia and the Pacific” chapter 1 in *Challenges and Opportunities for Trade and Financial Integration in Asia and the Pacific, Studies in trade and Investment 67*, UNESCAP, New York: United Nations, pp. 1-13, 2009 available at <http://www.unescap.org/tid/publication/tipub2563.pdf>
- MIKIC, M. “Multilateral rules for regional trade agreements: Past, present and future” Chapter 10 in *Emerging Trade Issues for Policymakers in Developing Countries in Asia and the Pacific, Studies in trade and Investment 64*, United Nations ESCAP, New York: United Nations, pp. 215-39, 2008 available at http://www.unescap.org/tid/publication/tipub2526_chap10.pdf
- BONAPACE, T., MIKIC, M. “Forging an Integrated Asia-Pacific Region” in *Asia’s New Regionalism and Global Role: Agenda for the East Asia Summit* edited by N. Kumar, K. Kesavapany and Y. Chaocheng, RIS and ISEAS, pp. 141-165, 2008.
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- MIKIC, M. “ Preferential trade in Asia and the Pacific: Trends and prospects for multilateralization” Chapter II in *Future Trade Research Areas that Matter to Developing Country Policymakers, Studies in Trade and Investment 61*, UNESCAP, New York: United Nations, pp. 33-59, 2007 available at <http://www.unescap.org/tid/publication/tipub2467.asp>
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Refereed Journal Articles:

MIKIC, M. "Proliferation of PTAs in Asia and the Pacific" *Foreign Trade Review*, Vol. XLII, No. 3, October-December, pp. 3-40, 2007.

THOMPSON, H., FUNDA, J., MIKIC, M. "The Industrial Wage Effects of Croatia's Accession to the EU in an Applied Specific Factors Model of Production" *International Economics and Finance Journal*, 157-169, 2006.

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CVIJANOVIĆ, V., MIKIĆ, M. TOWER, E., "Evaluating Croatian Equities" *Zagreb Journal of Economics*, 7 (10), 73-88, 2003.

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