

## **Mag. Iztok Vrščaj**

**Iztok Vrščaj** se po končani gimnaziji v Celju se vpiše na študij gozdarstva v Ljubljani in diplomira iz gozdarstva leta 1988 na gozdarski fakulteti (Sumarski fakultet) v Zagrebu s področja hudourništva. Na isti fakulteti leta 2012 konča znanstveni magisterij na temo vrednotenja socialnih funkcij primestnih gozdov Mestne občine Maribor. Na fakulteti za organizacijske študije (FOŠ) pripravlja doktorsko disertacijo na temo razvoja modela gozdarstva za Slovenijo. Strokovno je delal na urejanju hudournikov v Posočju, kratek čas v turizmu, v šolstvu, trenutno pa je zaposlen na Zavodu za gozdove Slovenije. Deloval je tudi na področju stikov z javnostjo v delovnem času, sestavljal scenarije za dokumentarna filma gozdarske vsebine, v prostem času pa je sodeloval in tudi vodil pogovorne oddaje na TV. Trenutno se poglablja v organiziranost gozdarstva.

**Iztok Vrščaj** has finished high school in Celje (Slovenia) and had continued by studying forestry in Ljubljana and afterwards graduating in forestry in 1988 on the Faculty of Forestry in Zagreb in the field of torrenting. At the same faculty he completed scientific Master of Science on the topic The evaluation of the social functions of suburban forests of the Municipality of Maribor. At the Faculty of Organizational Studies (FOS) Iztok Vrščaj is preparing a doctoral thesis on the topic The forestry development model for Slovenia. In his professional work he has dealt with regulation of torrents in Posočje region, short time period was working with tourism and he was active in education. Currently is employed at the Slovenian Forest Institute. He has also operating in the field of Public relations, like the part of his work, composed the scripts for documentary films related to forestry. In his spare time he participated and guided talk shows on TV. Currently he is engaged towards Organization of forestry.