## **Biographical Note**





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Graduated Mechanical Engineering at Ljubljana University, Slovenia.

He was awarded Fulbright scholarship for master studies in USA and graduated at University of Florida becoming master of science in industrial engineering.

Throughout his professional career he has mainly worked in quality and productivity field. After the issuance of ISO 9000 series of standards, Mr. Lekic started with promotion of implementing and certifying quality systems in Slovenian industry. He joined Bureau Veritas, international inspection company and in 1992 he established BV branch office in Ljubljana and worked as chief executive for 15 years.

Mr. Lekic achieved status of registered IRCA lead auditor for quality systems and has completed more than 1000 audits and lectured on 350 various seminars in Slovenia and various European countries.

He has been actively involved in the development of quality management standards being the member of ISO TC 176.

As a Slovenian Association Quality and Excellence representative at EOQ (European Organization for Quality) Mr. Lekic had been active at various position of this organization, participating at its promotion and development. Executive Committee of EOQ awarded him with Honorary Membership.