

# **COMPANY PRESENTATION**

Oikon Ltd. – Institute of Applied Ecology





## **ABOUT US**

OIKON Ltd. is a **leading licensed and accredited** environmental consultancy / research institute in Croatia and the region.

Our core business revolves around providing sustainable development support services, and we proudly declare that "WITH US, DEVELOPMENT IS NATURAL" – our guiding motto.

Within our service portfolio, we prioritize pragmatic, practical, implementable, affordable, and tidy solutions crafted to best serve our clients' needs while simultaneously upholding the public interest in protected environments and surrounding nature.

In **27 years of experience**, we have successfully completed more than 1,800 contracts for over 550 satisfied clients.





years of experience

satisfied clients



1,800+

completed projects



laboratories

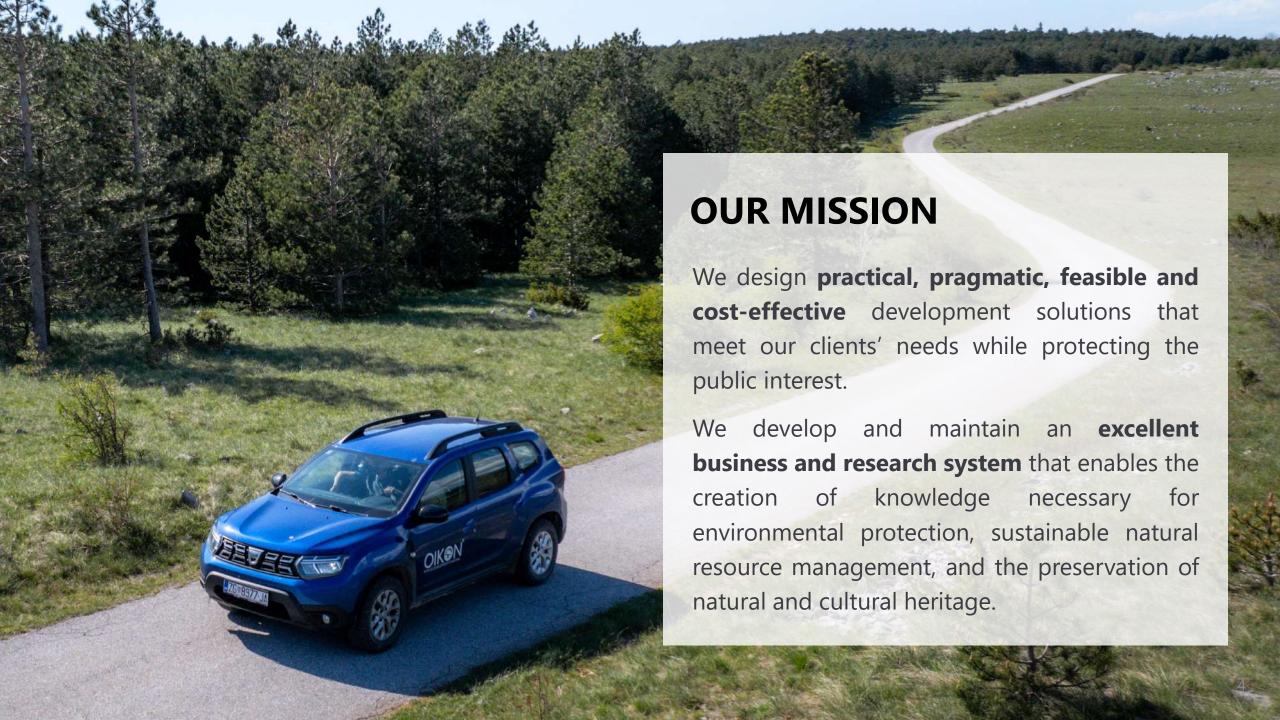


Always one step ahead in the development of human society in harmony with nature

INSTITUTE OF APPLIED ECOLOGY







### **OUR SERVICES**



#### **Nature protection**

reports, studies, assessments, research, inventories and monitoring



#### **Feasibility studies**



# Remote sensing and telemetry

aerial/satellite/new platforms, data collection, interpretation and analyses of complex data, training



#### **Industrial ecology**

reports, studies, assessments, design and supervision



# **Environmental law,** policy and economics

strategies, plans, programmes, analyses and assistance



# **Environmental** protection

reports, studies, assessments and monitoring



## Natural resources management

monitoring and analyses in forestry, game management and agriculture, management plans, inventories and assessments



## Renewable energy sources

reports, studies and resource assessments



# **Environmental** modelling

geo-statistics, spatio-temporal modelling and raster GIS



# Environmental communication and education

stakeholder information and engagement, education projects in environmental protection



## Landscape architecture

analysis, planning, design and visualization



#### **IT and GIS**

business analysis and consulting, system architecture design, database and application development, implementation, support and user IT/GIS training



# Program and project management

life-cycle consulting, project management, backstopping and technical support for internationally funded tenders



# Transportation and mobility ecology

reports, studies, assessments, design and supervision

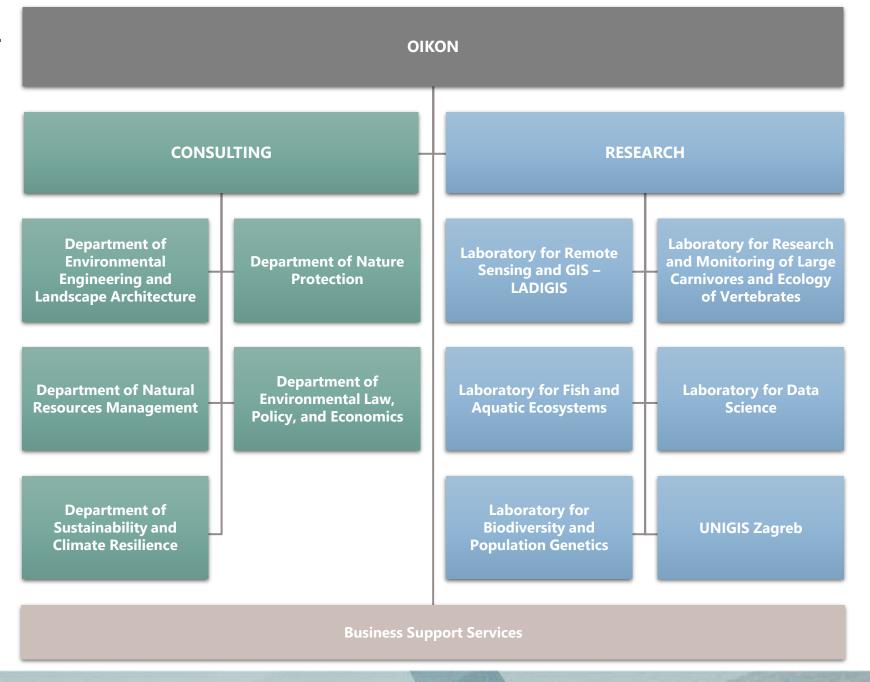


# Sustainability reporting

in accordance with the EU Taxonomy Regulation and new Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive



# ORGANIZATIONAL CHART





## **EMPLOYEES**

**70+** employees

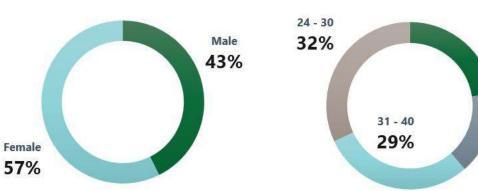
**12** doctors of science

**12** certified engineers

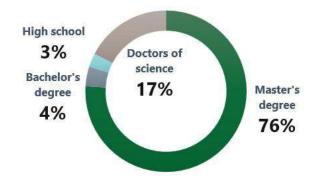
**3** PMP certified experts

**200+** external associates

#### **EMPLOYEE GENDER**



#### **EMPLOYEE EDUCATION**



# Our experts cover many professions

(22)

- Ecology
- Environmental Management

**EMPLOYEE AGE** 

50 +

23%

41 - 50

16%

- Nature Protection
- Agronomy
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Civil Engineering
- Forestry
- Geodesy
- Geoinformatics
- Geological Engineering

- Geography
- Mechanical engineering
- IT
- Landscape Architecture
- Meteorology
- Physics / Geophysics
- Economy
- Law
- Journalism
- Public Relations
- Sociology

## LOCAL AND REGIONAL EXPERIENCE

| Country                 | NATURA<br>2000 and<br>nature<br>protection | Manage-<br>ment plans | Feasibility<br>studies | Environmen-<br>tal Impact<br>Assessments | Coastal<br>zoning<br>management<br>planning | Baseline<br>studies and<br>Monitoring | GIS services | Resource<br>management | Rural<br>development | Environmen-<br>tal<br>Protection | Wind farms |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------|------------------------|--|---|---------------------------------------|--------------|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------|
| Croatia                 | ✓  | ✓                     | ✓                      | ✓  | ✓   | ✓                                     | ✓            | ✓                      | ✓                    | ✓                                | ✓          |
| Serbia                  |  |                       |                        |  |   |                                       | ✓            |                        |                      | ✓                                |            |
| Slovenia                | ✓  | ✓                     |                        |  | ✓   | ✓                                     | <b>√</b>     |                        | <b>√</b>             | ✓                                | ✓          |
| Bosnia &<br>Herzegovina | ✓  | ✓                     | ✓                      | ✓  | ✓   |                                       | ✓            |                        |                      | ✓                                | ✓          |
| Montenegro              |  |                       | ✓                      | ✓  | ✓   |                                       | ✓            |                        | ✓                    | ✓                                |            |
| North<br>Macedonia      |  |                       |                        |  |   |                                       | ✓            |                        |                      |                                  |            |
| Kosovo                  |  |                       | ✓                      | ✓  |   |                                       | ✓            | ✓                      |                      |                                  |            |
| Turkey                  | ✓  | ✓                     |                        |  |   |                                       | ✓            |                        |                      | ✓                                |            |
| Albania                 |  | ✓                     | ✓                      | ✓  | ✓   |                                       | ✓            | ✓                      |                      |                                  |            |
| Cyprus                  | ✓  | ✓                     |                        |  |   | ✓                                     | ✓            |                        |                      |                                  |            |
| <b>Great Britain</b>    |  |                       |                        |  |   |                                       | ✓            | ✓                      |                      |                                  |            |

## **MEMBERSHIPS**





























## **PARTNERSHIPS**



















## **CERTIFICATES AND AWARDS**









































## WHY OIKON?



We believe in and encourage success founded on knowledge and the innovativeness of our employees and business partners.



Our relationships with users, business partners and employees are honest, open and transparent.



In our company environment, we work diligently, goal oriented and as a team.



Our business results and customer satisfaction are indicators of our work.



In our work, we absolutely respect national laws and bylaws, as we do international treaties and recommendations from our area of expertise, and we encourage our partners and users likewise.



We support socio-economic development based on ecologically sustainable principles and socially responsible business.



# FIELDS OF EXPERTISE



## **ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION**

Department of Environmental Engineering and Landscape Architecture is a leader in the field of environmental engineering and a major provider of environmental impact assessments (EIA) and strategic impact assessments (SEA), together with the accompanying mitigation measures and monitoring programs.

We are specialists in **large infrastructural developments** in many of which we have participated since 1998.















## **ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION**

- Environment Impact Assessments (EIA) for over
  1,000 km of freeways and their variants –
  approximately 80% of newly built freeways in
  Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina;
- Hundreds of km of highways approximately 30% of newly built highways;
- Hundreds of km of railways approximately 80% of newly built or planned railways;
- Almost 1,000 km of high pressure gas pipelines;
- Numerous other major infrastructural projects, such as transmission lines and wind farms;
- More than 40 Strategic Environmental Assessments (SEA);
- Over 700 environmental protection projects in total.



## **NATURE PROTECTION**

Over the years Oikon Ltd. has also emerged as major provider of consultancy services and technical assistance projects related to nature protection.

We have developed more than:

- 250 nature protection projects,
- 100 specialist studies,
- **100** Appropriate Assessments
- 120 environmental and nature monitoring projects,
- 30 large research and scientific projects,
- 30 management plans for protected areas in Croatia and the region.















### **NATURE PROTECTION**

We have significant experience with:

- collecting new inventory data for flora, fauna and habitats using fieldwork research techniques (phototraps, ultrasound detectors, radar ornithology, GPS collars/chips for marking and tracking of animals, different biological surveys and sampling depending on the target taxonomic group) and remote sensing techniques (satellite/aerial, sensors and loggers), most of it analysed and presented through specialised spatial analysis tools and methods.
- habitat mapping projects where we are a standard setting authority of international significance while providing all needed activities for this complex activity.

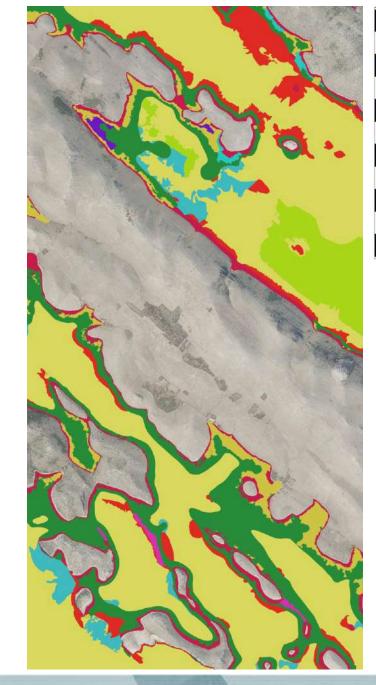


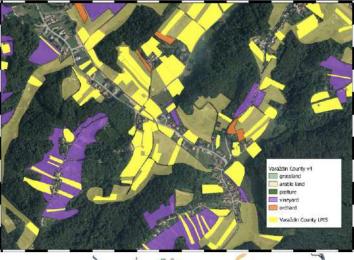
## NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

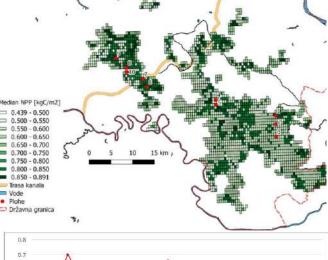
Oikon is a **major provider** of comprehensive consulting and research services for the sustainable management of natural resources for both terestrial and marine environments.

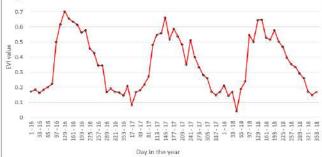
#### Our services include:

- Forest management and ecosystem monitoring
- Land Use and Land Cover mapping
- Marine natural resource management and habitat mapping
- Freshwater ecosystem monitoring
- Support for Smart and Precise Agriculture















## NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

- Forest and Game Management Plans, Specialist agricultural inventories and studies
- Large-scale biomass and carbon sink calculations
- Feasibility studies: biomass, agriculture, forest and SRC
- Dendrochronology and dendroecology studies

We can perform extensive, nation-wide field campaigns for relevant data collection where we use **Remote Sensing**, **GIS and geostatistical techniques and technologies** (orthophoto, IR, multispectral and hyperspectral satellite imagery, LiDAR).



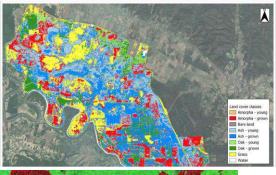
# EARTH OBSERVATION AND SPATIAL INFORMATICS

In the field of **EO** and **Spatial informatics** we specialize in design, implementation and support of information systems focused on environment and nature protection

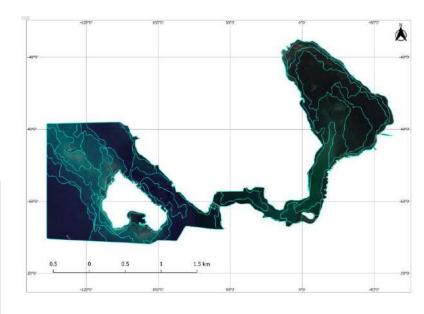
We have completed over 225 Remote Sensing and IT/GIS projects for nature, environment and natural resources management needs.

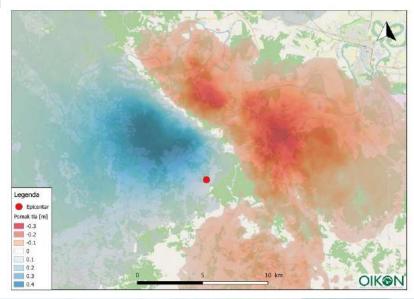
We are present on sea and land, bringing cutting edge technologies to serve nature, environment and sustainable developement.













# ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, POLICY AND ECONOMICS

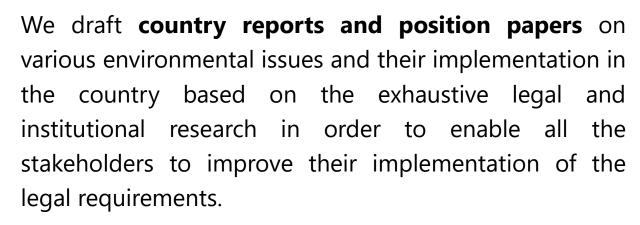
Oikon, with its new Department of Environmental Law, Policy and Economics, provides **legal consulting related to environmental legislation** primarily in the form of legal gap analysis and harmonisation of the national legislation. We also do assessment of the status of the transposition of national legislation to EU environmental acquis.

Based on analysis, our experts provide legal and institutional assistance in **drafting of the new national laws and secondary legislation** which are in full compliance to the EU/International environmental requirements.





# ENVIRONMENTAL LAW, POLICY AND ECONOMICS



Finally, we provide detailed analysis and support in **environmental economics and options on financing modules**.

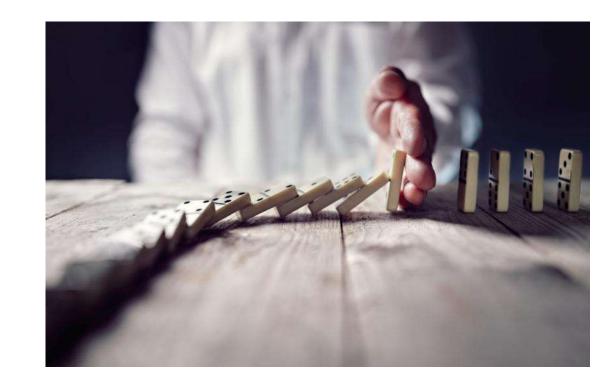




## **SUSTAINABILITY SERVICES**

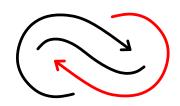
Currently, businesses in the EU are playing an indispensable role in the implementation of the European Green Deal and the Sustainable Finance Action Plan. Some call the new sustainability requirements for companies and financial institutions a tsunami, we call it an opportunity to reshape business as usual.

We combine awareness, preparation, and quick action to help organisations make the most of the new regulatory requirements for building long-term resilience and sustainability.



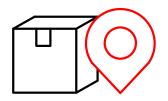


# **OUR SUSTAINABILITY SERVICES INCLUDE**



#### SECTORAL SERVICES

Concise workshops, sector-specific value chain mapping, identification of material impacts, risks, and opportunities for sectors such as Energy, ICT, Tourism, Insurance, Banking, Retail, Agriculture, and Beverage, along with climate scenario analysis for specific sectors.



#### COMPANY-LEVEL SERVICES

Sustainability reporting and strategy development, requirements GAP analysis, strategy development, carbon footprint analysis, life cycle assessments, value chain mapping, materiality assessments, stakeholder engagement, DNSH compliance, CapEx planning, and workshops.



#### HIGHLY SPECIALISED SERVICES

Specialized services include climate risks assessments, enhancing resilience through scenario analysis, internal carbon pricing, crafting climate change plans, evaluating biodiversity, using remote sensing, and identifying low-carbon funding.



As of July 2019, OIKON is the **UNIGIS Study Centre** for **9** SEE countries.

UNIGIS programme offers internationally recognised postgraduate qualifications in geoinformatics certified by the **University of Salzburg**.

UNIGIS Zagreb serves UNIGIS distance-learning to resident nationals of Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Kosovo, North Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia, and Slovenia.

http://unigis.at/en/zagreb/



The two UNIGIS Study Programmes are:

#### **UNIGIS** professional

- 1+ year Certificate program
- · acquire the skills for advanced spatial data handling
- for GI-practicioners

#### **UNIGIS MSc**

- · 2+ years Degree program in Geoinformatics
- get competent in leading teams and projects
- · for graduates from spatial or IT disciplines



#### **OIKON SI, Institute for Sustainable Development Ltd.**

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#### **OIKON SI services:**

- Environmental Policy Development of Strategic Plans, Policies, Program Development, Program/project evaluations
- Studies and Assessments Feasibility, Renewable Energy, Environment Impact, and Transportation and Industrial Ecology Analyses
- Environmental Modeling Geo-statistics, Spatiotemporal Modelling and Raster GIS
- Remote Sensing & Telemetry -Aerial/Satellite/Sensor data collection, Interpretation, and Analysis
- Monitoring Natural Resource Management, Design and Environmental Monitoring for Construction Projects
- Training Environmental Protection Curriculum Development and Training



#### **OIKON MEA Ltd.**

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**OIKON MEA** provides specialized services in the field of sustainable development and environmentally friendly services related to renewable energy in the Middle East and Africa region. We cover a broad spectrum of areas related to sustainability, including GAP analysis, ESG strategy, reporting, carbon footprint analysis, life cycle assessment, legal compliance, legislation drafting, policy development, case law analysis, government relations, training, sustainable finance, and project management.



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