

CURRICULUM VITAE

Personal data

Academic title, name, surname **Mgr. et Mgr. Věra Jourová**

Citizenship Czech Republic

Date of birth 18/08/1964

Professional experience

29/1/2014 Minister of Regional Development
26/10/2013 Member of the Chamber of Deputies of the Parliament of the Czech Republic

Name and address of the employer **Lawyer's Office, Bezděk & Partners, Rohanské nábřeží 657/7, 186 00 Prague 86**

Job title Trainee solicitor

Period 10/2012 - 10/2013

Job description and responsibilities Performance of a trainee solicitor's agenda

Name and address of the employer **Managing Director Primavera Consulting Ltd.**
4/2006 – 02/2013

Self-employed person

Job title Consultant

Period 04/2006 – 12/2013

Job description and responsibilities Consultancy services covering the agenda of EU funds, strategic planning and regional development. Assessment and evaluation of managing authorities' and intermediate bodies' implementation systems. Consultancy services provided to OP managing authorities (including crisis management and change management), consultancy relating to optimum staffing on individual workplaces, implementation systems' setup and review, indicator system setup, monitoring and evaluation. Apart from the Czech Republic, Věra Jourová provided consultancy services in Romania, Russia, Belarus, Latvia, Estonia, Macedonia, Serbia, Montenegro, and Moldavia. Clients: ministries, regional authorities, European Commission, United Nations Development Program and others.
Project team management – teams consisting of 10-15 persons (including international teams).

Name and address of the employer	Ministry of Regional Development, Staroměstské nám. 6, 110 00 Prague 1
Job title	Deputy Minister and Section Head
Period	05/2003 – 03/2006
Job description and responsibilities	Comprehensive responsibility for the management of EU funds in the Czech Republic, setup of the EU funds distribution system (optimum organisational setup and staffing, decision-making on HR development within the section including the training and education system and wage conditions, change management, setup of the management and control systems, development of the communication strategy, evaluation plan, and the monitoring system). Head of the EU funds negotiation team negotiating with the European Commission, European Investment Bank, etc. Head of the European Integration Section – 4 departments, approx. 200 employees, department head – approx. 60 employees.
Name and address of the employer	Vysočina Region, Žižkova 57, 587 33 Jihlava
Job title	Head of the Department of Regional Development
Period	03/2001 – 05/2003
Job description and responsibilities	Comprehensive management of the regional development agenda, preparation of the region for the EU accession. Development projects implemented by the regional authority, investment projects and incentives, collaboration with international partners of the regional authority, financing from the EU pre-accession funds, tourism development. Department management – 15 employees, 3 sections.
Name and address of the employer	Třebíč Municipality
Job title	Secretary and spokesperson of the Municipal Office
Period	03/1995 – 01/2000
	Office management, HR and organizational management, public relations. 185 employees.
06/2006 – 03/2012	Expert and consultancy activities in Romania – for the OP managing authorities (assistance with the development of methodology documentation, development of tender documentation for technical assistance projects, series of lectures on the following topics: programme management, programme cycle management, economic analysis and N+2, indicator system and monitoring)
06/2006 – 09/2011	Expert and consultancy activities in the Western Balkans (Serbia, Montenegro, Macedonia) – assistance in the preparation of EU pre-accession financing, decentralisation and preparedness of municipalities for EU accession

10/2010 – 11/2010	Opportunities for collaboration between the Vysočina Region, Western Ukraine and Eastern Iceland with the help of financing provided by international organisations including the EU (Vysočina Region)
02/2009 – 06/2009	Development of the “Velehrad to IOP” project, research team head (Velehrad parish office)
09/2009 – 11/2009	Development of guidelines for projects financed from the EU funds – research team head (OP Environment and OP Enterprise and Innovations) (ČEZ a.s.)

Education and professional training

Period	2007 - 2012
Name and type of the organisation that provided education, professional training or course	Faculty of Law, Charles University, Prague
Main subjects / professional skills	Law and juridical science
Graduation degree	Mgr.
Period	1986 – 1991
Name and type of the organisation that provided education, professional training or course	Faculty of Arts, Charles University, Prague
Main subjects / professional skills	Theory of culture
Graduation degree	Mgr.

Skills and commands

Mother tongue **Czech**

Other languages

English
Russian

Understanding		Spoken word	
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken speech
Excellent	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Good	Good	Basic	Basic

Additional information

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS:

Comparative Study, for the project Western Balkans on the Path to EU

Integration: Strengthening Decentralized Service Delivery (2008, UNDP)

Assessment and Policy Paper, for the project Knowledge Transfer of the Czech Experience in the field of Good/Local Governance towards more Efficient and Democratic Municipal Assemblies in Montenegro (2010, UNDP)

Lokalna samouprava u procesu evropskih integracija (Local self-Government in the Process of EU Integration), chapter describing the Czech experience. (2010, Union of Serbian Municipalities, organized by VNG Den Haag)

Příručka pro zastupitele, Svaz měst a obcí, (Handbook for municipality council deputies, Association of towns and municipalities) 2006, 2010

I hereby declare on my word of honour that I have a clear criminal record and that the information provided in this Curriculum Vitae are true.

30/1/2014

Věra Jourová