

CURRICULUM VITAE

1. **NAME** Zoran Veselinovic
2. **NATIONALITY** Australian/Serbian
3. **ADDRESS** Mahmutlar, Turkey
4. **CONTACT DETAILS** T: +381 61 60 72 948; M: +90 552 78 64 574
E-mail: zoran@vialex.consulting
5. **EDUCATION**

Postgraduate Diploma in International Commercial Arbitration, Queen Mary and Westfield College, University of London 2012

LLB, University of New England, Australia 2010

Professional Certificate in Arbitration, University of Adelaide and Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia, 2008

Master of Engineering Science in Project Management, University of New South Wales, Australia 2001

BSc Civil Engineering, University of Belgrade, Serbia, 1983
6. **MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES**
 1. Certified Adjudicator, FIDIC President List
 2. CIArb Accredited Mediator
 3. Fellow, Chartered Institute of Arbitrators (FCIArb)
 4. Corporate Panel Member, Dispute Board Federation
 5. Member, Institute of Arbitrators and Mediators Australia, Arbitrator, 2009 to 2017
 6. Member, Institution of Engineers Australia, Chartered Professional Engineer
7. **COUNTRIES OF WORK EXPERIENCE** Afghanistan, Armenia, Australia, Ethiopia, Georgia, India, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Lesotho, Mozambique, Nepal, Pakistan, Papua New Guinea, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Serbia, Somalia, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, Vietnam
8. **LANGUAGE AND DEGREE OF PROFICIENCY**

	Speaking	Reading and writing
English	Excellent	Excellent
Serbian	Excellent	Excellent
Russian	Excellent	Good
French	Excellent	Good
Portuguese	Good	Good

9. AWARDS

“Rohsozi Fakhri” (Honored Roads Engineer) Medal, Ministry of Transport of Tajikistan, 2012

10. RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

2018-2023 ViaLex Consulting FZ-LLC (UAE), Principal, providing services in construction contracts management, claims management and dispute resolution. The scope of services includes investigation, documentation, and preparation of construction claims, referrals for submission to Dispute Boards and submissions in arbitral proceedings. Represented clients in Dispute Board proceedings, represented contractors in international arbitration, and conducted workshops on contracts and claims management under FIDIC-based contracts.

2019-2021 IMC Worldwide Limited, FIDIC Legal Expert engaged under the Transport Infrastructure Delivery Unit to support the Government of North Macedonia and relevant ministries by providing advice on the improvement of implementation of transport projects, including assessment of claims of the works contractors.

2014-2018 Asian Development Bank, Individual Consultant engaged to provide technical assistance to executing and implementing agencies of ADB-financed projects in Central and West Asian countries in project procurement, contracts management and dispute resolution. Mediated disputes between international contractors and employers and prepared settlement agreements. Reviewed Dispute Board decisions for the financing institution. Prepared and conducted a workshop on the procurement of works and claims management for ADB HQ staff.

2012-2013 Asian Development Bank, Individual Consultant/Highway Engineering Specialist, engaged to prepare preliminary engineering design and bidding documents for the civil works contract for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of a 113 km road in Tajikistan. The scope of the assignment included the validation of design parameters, preparation of Bill of Quantities, drawings, specification and bidding documents for the civil works contract based on FIDIC Harmonized MDB 2010 edition.

2012 Kocks Consult GmbH, Contracts Specialist, engaged as Sub-Consultant to prepare the defence of a FIDIC Employer in Dispute Board proceedings involving multi-million dollar claims submitted by an international roads construction contractor in Kazakhstan.

2011-2012 Railway Project Management Company (Saudi Arabia), engaged as Consultant to investigate a potential claim for changes in the design of sand embankments under a major railway project, and to assess legal issues, professional liability issues, and insurance implications.

2011 Kocks Consult GmbH, Interim Team Leader, engaged under the Contract for Construction Supervision financed by the World Bank in Azerbaijan. The scope of civil works included the construction of 120 km of the national highway in five packages based on the FIDIC Harmonised MDB editions (2005 and 2006).

2010 Louis Berger SAS, Project Auditor of the North-South Railway Project (NSR) in Saudi Arabia, engaged to carry out an operational audit of the technical and contractual aspects of the project and to prepare specific recommendations for improvement.

2010 Roughton International, Team Leader, engaged under a contract for road construction supervision services, on a project funded by the World Bank in Kazakhstan. The scope of civil works included the construction of 140 km-long section of a dual 4-lane highway, divided in four separate contract packages, based on FIDIC Conditions of Contract.

2009-2010 Ministry of Transport and Communications (Tajikistan), Contracts Administration Specialist engaged to assist the Employer in resolving major claims and disputes with international contractors, related to the execution of four civil works contracts financed by the ADB.

2006-2009 The Louis Berger Group Inc, Director, Construction Supervision (Asia), responsible for the management of Build-Operate-Transfer (BOT), and highway construction supervision projects in Asia. Performed the duties of the Engineer FIDIC for all road construction projects supervised by the Louis Berger Group Inc., as well as the duties of the Independent Consultant's Representative on BOT projects in Asia. The total value of the works contracts supervised by the company amounted to more than US\$ 2 billion.

2005-2006 The Louis Berger Group Inc., Project Manager responsible for the construction supervision and contracts administration of the road rehabilitation of Dushanbe – Kurgan Tyube – Dangara – Kulyab Road, financed by ADB in Tajikistan. Performed the duty of the Engineer's Representative FIDIC. Settled two contract termination disputes through mediation and prepared settlement agreements between the Employer and the Contractor.

2005 The Louis Berger Group Inc., Team Leader under the Contract for Financial and Technical Audit Services of the Ethiopian Road Fund, financed by the World Bank. Carried out financial and technical audit of the road projects funded by the Ethiopian Road Fund (ERF), including evaluation of the performance of the design and construction supervision consultants, contractors, and implementation agencies. Produced a Technical Audit Manual, and a Financial Audit Manual for technical and financial performance evaluation of road works, and a Unit Rates Analysis program for cost estimating and budgeting purposes.

2001-2004 Hifab International and IT Transport Ltd. JV, Road Construction and Maintenance Specialist engaged under the Provincial Infrastructure Project in Oudomxay and Phongsaly provinces, Laos. The assignment included the overall project management, preparation of tender documents, bid evaluation, clearance of contract awards, and establishment of contracts supervision and administration systems and procedures.

2000-2001 SMEC International, Project Manager for the Road Rehabilitation and Periodic Maintenance Contract PM1 (World Bank funded), Subic Bay Freeport Zone, Philippines. The scope of services included project management, construction supervision and quality control.

1999-2000 SMEC International, Technical Advisor. Planned, packaged and prepared contract documentation based on FIDIC Conditions of Contract, for Iloilo Flood Control Project in the Philippines, financed by the Japanese Government.

1994-1996 International Labour Office (Switzerland), Regional Construction Adviser engaged to provide technical assistance to the provincial road authorities implementing the Feeder Roads Program financed by ASDI, World Bank and WFP, in the provinces of Nampula, Cabo Delgado and Niassa in northern Mozambique.

1992-1994 United Nations Development Program, Office for Project Services, Roads Engineer, based in the Afghanistan Projects Office in Peshawar. Prepared and established the program for the development of local contractors for rehabilitation and emergency maintenance of secondary and tertiary roads in Afghanistan. Published the Rehabilitation of Feeder Roads Using Labour-Based Methods: Technical Manual.

1989-1992 Australian International Development Assistance Bureau (AIDAB), Regional Manager in the Ministry of Works of Lesotho, providing technical assistance for the management of road projects in the Northern Region of the country.

1989 Cairns Port Authority (Australia), Technical Officer, assisting the Client in the coordination of the project designs, and supervision of the Cairns International Airport Reconstruction Project (CIAR 2). Provided technical advice for quality control of asphalt concrete pavement works for the extension of the runway and construction of new taxiways, land side works and engineering services, and the construction of the new international terminal and control tower buildings.

1986-1988 Planum Building Company (Serbia), Construction Site Manager responsible for the construction of civil works under Mirquab Approach Roads Project in Kuwait, as well as road construction and civil works projects in Serbia.

1985-1986 Partizanski Put, Road Construction Company (Serbia), Construction Site Manager, responsible for asphalt paving works and quality control on the Cuprija-Paracin section of the A1 Belgrade-Nis highway construction project.

1984-1985 Kragujevacput, Kragujevac (Serbia), Site Engineer for the road contractor.