



## Nina Vajić | Class of 1980

Professor Nina Vajić joined the European Court of Human Rights (ECHR) as a Judge in 1998 and sat on the bench until the end of 2012. Known for her academic background in Public International Law in addition to her achievements in the court, Professor Vajić worked for more than 25 years at the Faculty of Law at the University of Zagreb, Croatia, where she obtained her LLM and JSD in Public International Law. She continued to teach and participate in multiple academic venues in addition to her involvement in international organisations such as the Council of Europe (CoE), ECHR and INTERPOL.



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After completing her education in 1971, Nina Vajić remained at the Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb until 1998. She has kept her bond with academia throughout her career and after her retirement. This photo was taken at the 11th Regional Private International Law Conference (2014) in Osijek (Croatia) dealing with Private International Law in the Jurisprudence of European Courts.



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From 1998 to 2012, Nina Vajić was a Judge, Section Vice-President and Section President at the ECHR in respect of Croatia. Subsequently, she became involved in the selection process of new Judges as a member and then Chair of the "CoE Advisory Panel of Experts on Candidates for election as Judge to the ECHR" until 2019. Since 2018, Judge Vajić has been Chair of the CoE Administrative Tribunal.



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Nina Vajić was Chair of the Commission for the Control of INTERPOL's Files from 2014 to 2017. During her term of office she also took part in the work of "the INTERPOL Working Group on the processing of Information" (2015-2016) which discussed INTERPOL's supervisory mechanisms.

