

## Curriculum Vitae - Matjaž Finšgar

### Contact Information:

- **University of Maribor**
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**Biography:** Dr. Matjaž Finšgar is a distinguished professor at the University of Maribor, specializing in analytical chemistry, corrosion, and electrochemistry. He completed his Ph.D. in 2010, followed by a postdoctoral project in Germany. Dr. Finšgar has published over 150 scientific articles and delivered multiple invited lectures internationally. His career has included extensive leadership roles, such as vice dean, head of laboratory, and significant contributions to educational excellence in chemical sciences.

### Academic and Professional Highlights:

- **Vice Dean for Strategic Development and Infrastructure** at the Faculty of Chemistry and Chemical Technology, University of Maribor.
- The Stanford University ranking recognizes him among the top 2% of scientists worldwide (2019–2023).
- Extensive experience in leading national and international research projects, including collaborations with BASF SE and managing significant bilateral projects.
- **Plenary and Invited Speaker:** Numerous national and international conferences, enhancing global scientific collaborations and knowledge exchange.
- **Zois' Award:** Recognized for research and development contributions in chemistry.

### Teaching and Mentorship:

- Teaches various Bachelor's to Ph.D. courses in analytical chemistry, chemometrics, and electrochemical methods.
- He is renowned for his mentorship, having supervised students who have won numerous academic and research awards.

### International Impact:

- Actively involved in organizing scientific meetings and serving as a chair in sessions focused on corrosion and electrochemistry.
- Engaged in coordinating and managing complex projects that interface between academia and industry, demonstrating a strong track record in applied chemistry and material sciences.