

Andrej PLENKOVIĆ

Andrej Plenković was sworn in as Prime Minister for the second time on 23 July 2020, thus becoming the 12th Head of Government since Croatia's independence. On 17 July 2016, he was elected President of the Croatian Democratic Union (HDZ), a member of the European People's Party.

Born in Zagreb on 8 April 1970, Andrej Plenković is married and has two children. He is fluent in English, French and Italian and conversant in German.

Political Career

July 2020	Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia
July 2020	Won the general elections with a solid pro-European, reformist, centre-right and Christian-democratic agenda for the second time
October 2016	Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia
September 2016	Won the general elections with a solid pro-European, reformist, centre-right and Christian-democratic agenda
June 2016	President of the Croatian Democratic Union (HDZ)
2013-2016	Member of the European Parliament
2011-2013	Member of the Croatian Parliament
2010-2011	State Secretary - for EU Affairs
2011-2012	Conducted a successful referendum campaign on EU membership

Diplomatic Career

2005-2010	Deputy Ambassador to France
2002-2005	Deputy Head of Croatia's Mission to the EU
2001-2002	Member of the Negotiating Team on the Stabilisation and Association Agreement
1997-2001	Head of the Department for European Integration
1996-1997	Department for Analysis
1995-1995	Head of the Office of the Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs
1994	Joined the Croatian Ministry of Foreign Affairs

Education

2002	Master of International Law, Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb
2002	Bar Exam
1997	State Exam
1993	Bachelor of Law, Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb