

MANAGEMENT BOARD MEMBER

Personal information

Surname(s)	JAKAITE
First name(s)	DIANA
Country	LATVIA
Current professional position	Ministry of Welfare, The Director of Department of Social Policy Planning and Development
Position on MB	Member
Member of MB Committee(s)	
Term of office on MB	1 June 2013 – 31 May 2019

Additional information

Details of employment	For more than past 10 years I have been working for the Ministry of Welfare, however my official duties, as well as competence have changed over time. My responsibilities range from setting up an overall management system within the Ministry and being in charge of the budget planning of welfare sector, right through to being in charge of the policy planning and development by identifying key employment and social trends and challenges as well as key structural reforms. I am leading the Department of the Ministry which is responsible for development and implementation of the social policy and it's monitoring and evaluation system, development budgetary priorities of welfare sector, development and coordination of implementation of gender equality policy in Latvia as well as coordination of the European Semester process in welfare sector and monitoring of CSR implementation.
Memberships	Vice-Chair of the Social Protection Committee of the Council of the EU
Other affiliations	I possess strong academic qualifications, management and leadership experience, as well as a good understanding of social protection and employment policies gained through theory and practical work experience in policy planning, evaluation and monitoring.

