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# Editorial

This issue of the Journal of Criminal Justice and Security consists of six quite diverse scientific analyses of important aspects of the field of criminal justice. In-depth studies in the areas of criminal investigation, policing, preventing radicalization, and corporate security are presented.

In the first paper **Avdi S. Avdija** in an article entitled *Police Response to Homicide Crime Scenes: Testing the Effect of the Number of Police Officers and Investigators Responding to an Active Crime Scene on the Arrest Success Rate* discusses the effects that the first responders (police officers and investigators) have on the arrest success rates at homicide crime scenes.

In the second paper **Iza Kokoravec** and **Danijela Frangež** in the article *The POIPAT Method and Its Usefulness in Cold-Case Investigations* presents a SWOT analysis of the method, that is mostly used in cold homicide cases to assist investigators eliminate suspects by evaluating and arranging them on levels of importance.

In the third paper *Police Visibility as an Influencing Factor on Citizens' Perception of Safety* **Krunoslav Borovec**, **Iva Balgač** and **Irena Cajner Mraović** presents the results of the study aiming to determine to what extent tactics based on police visibility can influence Croatian citizens' subjective perception of safety in their local environment.

**Branko Lobnikar**, **Irena Cajner Mraović** and **Kaja Prislan** in next article *Preventing Radicalisation and Extremism – The Views of Police Students in Croatia* presents approaches and strategies to preventing radicalisation in Croatia. Authors evaluate whether, using a proposed training design, it is possible to strengthen the notion of institutional interdependence in police officers' efforts in disengagement from radicalisation.

The fifth paper is the work of **Jelena Pavičić Vukičević**, **Marko Prpić** and **Matea Korda**. In the paper entitled *The Police Perception of the Role of School in Preventing Radicalization: The Case of Croatia* authors explore whether and how educational institutions can be involved in the process of the prevention of extremism and radicalization.

The last paper in this issue *Corporate Intelligence as the New Reality: The Necessity of Corporate Security in Modern Global Business* authored by **Miha Dvojmoč** present the key concepts of corporate intelligence such as competitive intelligence, sources and types of data collection and phases of the competitive intelligence process.

The editorial board at the Journal of Criminal Justice and Security trust you find the articles worth reading and a good source of fresh ideas for both your future research and hopefully new papers.

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# Uvodnik

Druga številka revije Varstvoslovje v branje prinaša šest raznovrstnih znanstvenih razprav s področja kriminalistike, policijske dejavnosti, preprečevanja radikalizacije ter korporativne varnosti.

V prvem prispevku *Police response to homicide crime scenes* **Avdi S. Avdija** analizira vpliv števila prvih posredovalcev (policistov in kriminalistov) na uspešnost preiskanosti kaznivega dejanja umora. **Iza Kokoravec in Danijela Franjež** v prispevku *The POIPAT method and its usefulness in cold-case investigations* predstavlja SWOT analizo metode POIPAT in prikažeta njeno uporabnost pri eliminaciji osumljencev pri preiskovanju nerešenih umorov. **Krunoslav Borovec, Iva Balgač in Irena Cajner Mraović** v prispevku *Police visibility as an influencing factor on citizens' perception of safety* predstavljajo rezultate študije, v kateri so želeli ugotoviti, v kolikšni meri lahko taktike, ki temeljijo na vidnosti oz. prisotnosti policije, vplivajo na enega od pomembnih segmentov varnosti, torej na subjektivni občutek varnosti državljanov. V prispevku *Preventing radicalisation and extremism* **Branko Lobnikar, Irena Cajner Mraović in Kaja Prislan** predstavljajo strategije za odvračanje posameznikov od radikalizacije ter predstavljajo rezultate študije vpliva usposabljanja policistov na krepitev zavedanja njihove soodvisnosti pri preprečevanju ali odvračanju od radikalizacije. V petem prispevku *The police perception of the role of school in preventing radicalization: the case of Croatia* **Jelena Pavičić Vukičević, Marko Prpić ter Matea Korda** analizirajo načine vključevanja izobraževalnih institucij v procesu preprečevanja radikalizacije in ekstremizma ter predstavijo mnenje hrvaških policistov o tem. V zadnjem prispevku *Corporate intelligence as the new reality: the necessity of corporate security in modern global business* **Miha Dvojmoč** pojasnjuje uporabnost korporativne obveščevalne dejavnosti pri zagotavljanju korporativne varnosti. Avtor predstavi ključne koncepte korporativne obveščevalne dejavnosti.

V uredništvu upamo, da bodo prispevki za bralce zanimivi in poučni. Hkrati pa vse pisce vabimo, da nam rezultate svojih študij pošljejo v recenzijo, saj bomo do konca letošnjega leta pripravili še eno številko revije Varstvoslovje v angleškem jeziku.

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