



- **Michael Sheldrick** - Co-Founder - [Global Citizen](#)
- **Speech on 22.10.2024:** From Ideas to Impact - How to Build Resilient Cities Against Extreme Weather
- **Career:**
is a policy entrepreneur and a driving force behind the efforts of Global Citizen to end extreme poverty. As a Co-Founder and Chief Policy, Impact, and Government Affairs Officer, he leads the organization's campaigns to mobilize support from governments, businesses, and foundations. He is the author of the Amazon best-selling book, [From Ideas to Impact: A Playbook for Influencing and Implementing Change in a Divided World \(Wiley: April 2024\)](#). Michael is an honorary member of the Rotary Club of Crawley in Western Australia.
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- **Dr. Scott Petrie** - Chief Executive Officer - [Delta Waterfowl Foundation](#)
- **Speech on 23.10.2024:** Potential Impact of Wind Turbine Development
- **Career:**
Scott has been the Chief Executive Officer of the Delta Waterfowl Foundation for the last 9 years. Delta is headquartered in Bismarck, North Dakota and is a leading research, conservation and hunting advocacy organization with origins dating to 1911. Delta staff have supervised and supported over 300 graduate students and contributed to the publication of over 600 peer reviewed papers. Delta continues to conduct leading-edge research and uses that applied science to deliver several waterfowl management programs and to influence wetland policy in North America. Delta also protects and enhances duck hunting opportunities and ensures the continuing tradition of duck hunting in Canada and the United States.
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- **Prof. Angela Bilić** - Professional Associate for Education and Interpretation - [Public Institution Nature of Šibenik-Knin county, Croatia](#)
- **Speech on 24.10.2024:** Protected Natural Values in Šibenik-Knin county
- **Career:**
Experienced education and training professional with over two decades of experience in life-long learning and vocational training. Currently working as a Professional Associate for Education and Interpretation at the Public Institution Nature of Šibenik-Knin County, I specialize in coaching, training, writing and nature and cultural heritage protection. I hold a professor's degree in Italian and French Language and Literature from the University of Zadar, Croatia, with a strong background in interpretation and translation.
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