



MIRA ZORE- ARMANDA

The story of great Croatian women
Part 4.

Important information

Mira Zore-Armanda was born

1930

Was director of the Institute of Oceanography and Fisheries

1963.

Defended her doctoral dissertation, on currents in the Adriatic Sea, at the University of Paris

1976.-78..

2012.

Mira Zore-Armanda died



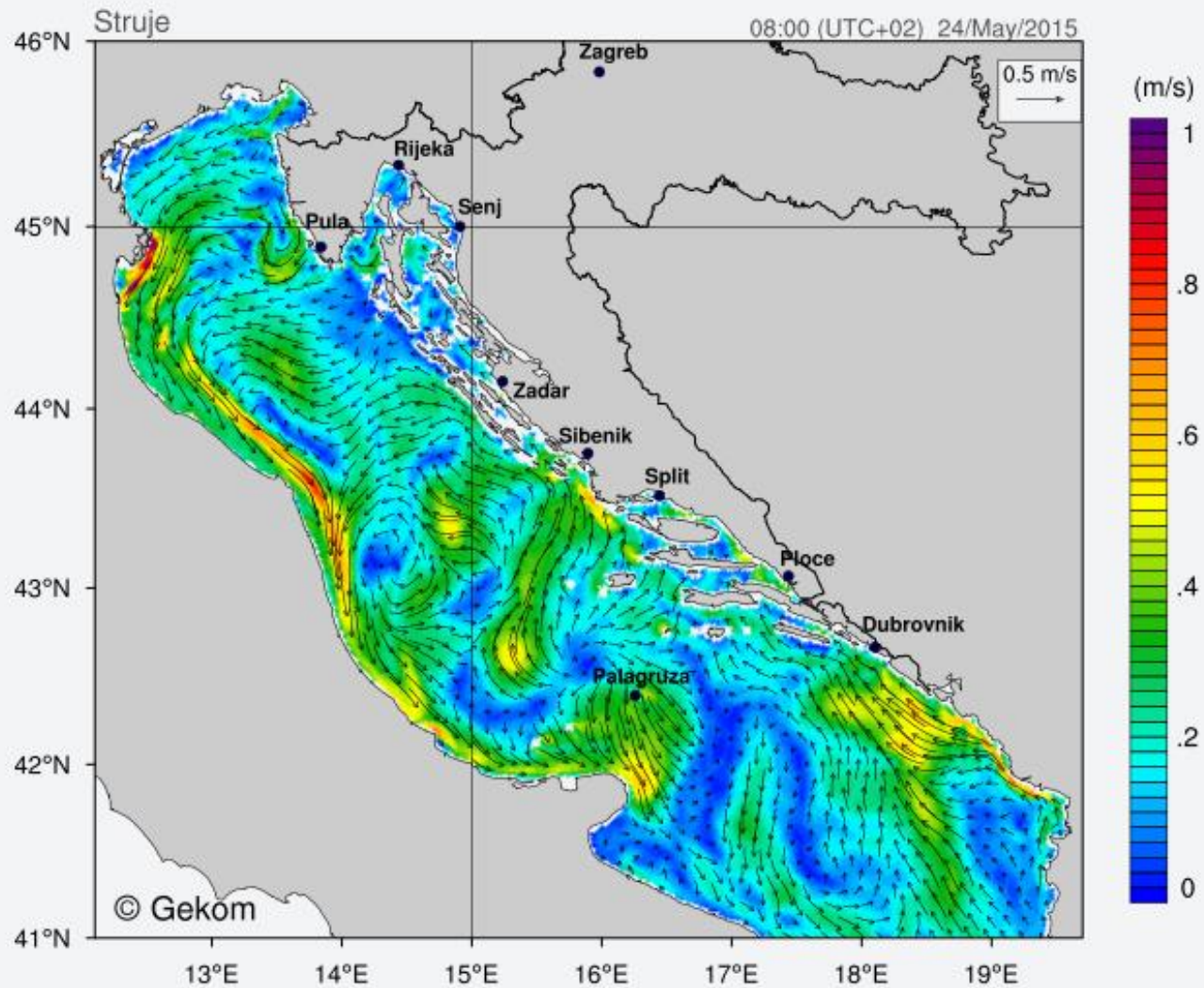
Croatian oceanographer

As a young girl she was dreaming about sea depths. Although she was born in Zagreb, surrounded by greenery, the sea attracted her like a magnet. She defended her doctoral dissertation on currents in the Adriatic Sea at the University of Paris. She became an expert in oceanography.

Mira Zore-Armanda

- Oceanography is the science that studies the world's seas and oceans
- For her studies she needed ships, boats and expensive equipment, so she had to prove she could be as good (or even better) than her male colleagues
- She worked hard and showed that it is not true that a women brings misfortune on a ship.





In 1952 Zore started working at the Institute of Oceanography and Fisheries in Split, and stayed there for her entire career

She studied the movement of the sea and the waves.

She was interested in how the movement of the sea affects the animals that live in it.

Everything she learned, she wrote down and published in magazines and books.

At that time no one knew the sea better than she did.

Answer the Questions:

1. What year was Mira Zore-Armanda born?

2. Which year she defended her dissertation?

3. What was Mira interested in when she was a little girl?

4. What is oceanography?

5. What did she study?