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Maja Šorli is a researcher and a freelance dramaturg. She graduated in psychology from the Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana in 2003 and received her PhD from the Academy of Theatre, Radio, Film and Television of the University of Ljubljana in 2011 with the dissertation *Vloga besedila v slovenskem postdramskem gledališče* (The Role of the Text in Slovenian Postdramatic Theatre).

Her monograph *Slovenska postdramska pomlad* (The Slovenian Postdramatic Spring) was published in 2014. She is a co-editor of three monographs: *Skupnost emancipiranih misli in teles* (Community of Emancipated Thoughts and Bodies, 2018); *Hibridni prostori umetnosti* (Hybrid Spaces of Art, 2012); and *Dinamika sprememb v slovenskem gledališču 20. Stoletja* (The Dynamics of Change in the 20th-Century Slovenian Theatre, 2010). She is a member of the international research group STEP – Project on European Theatre Systems, the Feminist Research Working Group of the International Federation for Theatre Research, and the Association of Theatre Critics and Researchers of Slovenia. In 2014, she participated in the research project The Value of Amateur, Subsidised and Commercial Theatre for Tyneside's Audiences carried out by the Royal Central School of Speech & Drama of the University of London.

In 2008, as a member of the artistic group PreGlej, she led the PreGlej writing laboratory. For its development and international exchange of writing for theatre and performance, the laboratory received the Liberal Academy's Golden Nest Award. In the 2014/15 season at Glej Theatre she was the leader and moderator of the programme TOP (Trening osebnega pogleda, Training the Gaze), focusing on the development of critical reflection on contemporary theatre, and she continues working with teenagers in the Generation to Generation (G2G) project. In the years 2015–2019, she was the editor-in-chief of the journal of performing arts theory Amfiteater.

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