

# DAVID MOZNAR

## DEPUTY HEAD OF PROJECT & PRICING MANAGER

## PEOPLE OF ZELENKA

David just celebrated 10 years at ZELENKA (it's unbelievable how time flies!), so the next profile goes deservedly to him.

He first walked through our doors in 2009 and he's gradually worked his way up to PM Team Leader for our Czech and Slovak clients. He is fondly described as an energetic character who motivates his team and is always on hand to help with the more complex tasks.

His role as a manager also includes training the newest team members, establishing and overseeing the start of cooperation with our biggest clients and assessing the efficiency of all translation projects. With all this experience and knowledge, it came as no surprise when he added the positions of Deputy Head of Projects and Pricing Manager (establishes and monitors our company's pricing policy) to his list of responsibilities.

*"Impossible is nothing"*

### What motivates him?

"I live by the words 'impossible is nothing' (I have the tattoo to prove it) and I always try to learn something new every day. The greatest source of motivation for me is my family, they keep me focused and driven, not only at work but also in life and in sport.

Sport is an important part of my life, I've always been active and usually take on a number of sporting activities. The younger me was an aspiring footballer for 10 years combined with various outdoor activities; mountain climbing, running and hiking. I've completed 2 marathons so far and I also enjoy taking part in other challenging events, like a 27-hour trek in the extreme B7 race along the peaks of the Beskid Mountains.

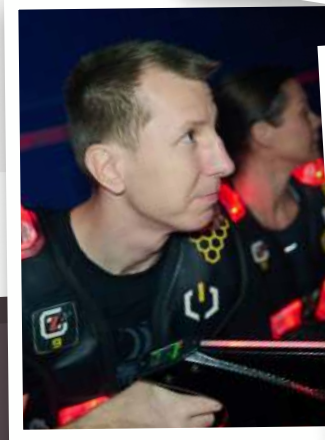
About 20 years ago I also took an active interest in boxing, and I've been at it ever since but often try a new sport just for a bit of a change. Actually, seeing all it written down like this, I realize now why people sometimes call me crazy!

This is the energy and competitive edge that helps me motivate my team to focus not just on being a good project managers but a GREAT project managers! The biggest reward for me is seeing novices under my leadership work their way up to become better project managers than I am. That way, I know I've done a good job.

"David remembers one of his biggest work challenges: A translation of extensive documentation for one of our international clients: "We had a translation project of over 10,000 scanned pages. First, we had to convert everything into text and only then could we begin to translate. Twelve translators and six DTP specialists toiled away with us for three months solid. It was an unbelievably meticulous job, but provided the greatest lessons."

"David is our Superman", says his team. "He has so much experience and is always willing to help or advise us. He's patient (which comes in handy, because it isn't always easy to keep our team under control) and is capable of understanding our needs and guiding us. We respect his work ethic and the effort he puts into working on himself, it sets a great example and is an inspiration to all of us.

"Despite everything he accomplishes, he still finds time for his love of spicy food and travel. The stories of his journeys across Asia and the just-for-fun 160-kilometer adventure from Zlín to Vienna (on foot) are inspiring. His big dream is to go on a trip around the world or to spend some time living in the "pure wilderness".



We have no doubt that he'll succeed (and we are going to share the photos with you!).

*Dave, thank you for the past 10 years!  
We sure are lucky to have you.*