

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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POSITION Associate Professor Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Romania

WORK EXPERIENCE

1st of October 2013 – present

Associate Professor

Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences

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- Teaching activities of pre-service and in-service teacher training, educational practicum, member in national and local committees for admission & graduation exams of B.A., M.A. and teacher qualification exams; coordination of B.A., M.A. and didactic degree in education thesis, management and research activities:
- Bachelor level: Theory and Methodology of Instruction, Giftedness Psychology and Education of Young Children, Educational practicum in kindergarten and primary school;
- Master level: Interactive Teaching strategies, Strategies to develop creativity of young children Educational Counselling in preschool education, Management of Educational Projects, Educational practicum in kindergarten;
- Coordinator of the Master program: Early Childhood Education Business or sector: Higher education and Research

1st of October 2006 – 30th of September 2013

Senior Lecturer

Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences

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- Master level: Interactive Teaching strategies, Strategies to develop creativity of young children Educational Counselling in preschool education, Management of Educational Projects, Educational practicum in kindergarten;
- Courses and teaching in in-service teacher training: Preschool and primary school pedagogy;
 Giftedness psychology and education of young children; Educational counselling in preschool education and primary school; Professional development and career management.
- Coordinator of the Master program: Early Childhood Education
- Coordinator of the Rural Education Program, B.A. major: Pedagogy of Preschool and Primary School (distance education)

Business or sector: Higher education and Research

1st of October 2003 – 30th of September 2006

Associate Lecturer

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- Bachelor level: Theory and Methodology of Curriculum, Instruction, Theory and Methodology of Instruction, Psychology and education of creativity and talents, Educational practicum in kindergarten and primary school;
- Coordinator of the Rural Education Program, major: Pedagogy of Preschool and Primary School (distance education)

Business or sector Higher education and Research

1st of October 2000 - 30th of September 2003

Associate Teaching Assistant

Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences

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- Bachelor level: Introduction in Pedagogy, Theory and Methodology of Curriculum, Psychology and education of creativity and talents, Psychological and Educational Assistance of children with special needs, Educational practicum;

Business or sector: Higher education and Research

1st of October 1998 - 30th of July 2000

Teaching Collaborator

Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences

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- Bachelor level: Introduction in Pedagogy, Theory and Methodology of Curriculum, Psychology and education of creativity and talents, Psychological and Educational Assistance of children with special needs, Educational practicum;

Business or sector: Higher education and Research

1st of September 1999 - 30th of August 2001

School Counselor

Mihai Eminescu High-School & Vasile Conta School, Iasi, Romania

10 Mihail Kogălniceanu Street, 700454 & 2 Gheorghe Doja Street, 700696, Iasi, Romania

• Educational counselling and career guidance. Providing information and counselling students, parents and teachers on various subjects; preventing and reducing behavioural disorders, risk behaviours or psychological discomfort. Proposing and organizing school counselling programs and career guidance of gifted adolescents. Development and implementation of programs and extracurricular projects. Training for teachers on the design and implementation of school counselling programs.

Business or sector: Training and Education

1st of September 1998 - 30th of August 1999

Associate School Counselor

C. Negruzzi National College, Iași

- 4 Toma Cozma Street, 700555, Iași, Romania
- Specialized counselling and career guidance for high ability pupils

Business or sector: Training and Education

1995 - 2000

Career Guidance Counselor

Ministry of Youth and Sport, Youth and Sport Department of Iași; Center for Youth - INFOTIN Iași

76 Sf. Lazăr Street, 700049, Iași, Romania

• Information, counselling and career guidance to teenagers from lasi

Business or sector: Counselling



EDUCATION AND TRAINING				
2012 – 2013	Postdoctoral studies	8 EQF		
2012 2010	Romanian Academy, Iasi Branch, Romania Research project: Epistemological Model for professional development of teachers from kindergarten and primary school			
1999 – 2005	PhD. in Education Sciences Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences Research thesis: The Quality of Social Context on High Ability Development of Underachiever Adolescents			
1999 – 2001	 M.A. Diploma in Public Policy and Public Administration Bucharest University, Faculty of Philosophy M.A. Thesis no. 2: Comparative analysis of policies to promote talent: USA - 	6 EQF		
1999 – 2000	 M.A. Diploma in Guidance and Career Counselling Program Bucharest University, Faculty of Philosophy M.A. Thesis no. 1: Career guidance and counselling of high ability teenagers 	6 EQF		
2003 – 2007	 B.A. Diploma in Psychology Petre Andrei University of Iasi, Faculty of Psychology and Social Assistance B.A. Thesis no. 2: School underachievement – a manifestation way of gifted. 	5 EQF		
1994 – 1998	 B.A. Diploma in Pedagogy Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iasi, Faculty of Psychology and Education Scien B.A. Thesis no. 1: Specialized counselling and Psychotherapy for high abilit and teenagers 			
1990 – 1994	Baccalaureate Diploma Dimitrie Cantemir High School, lasi • Major: Modern Languages (English – French)	4 EQF		
RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIPS				
2012 – 2013	Postdoctoral Scholarship Research Romanian Academy, Iasi Branch, Romania			
1998	Research on counselling and psycho-diagnosis of children with high ability Granted by European Council for High Ability, International Association of Psychology and Soros Foundation The Netherlands, Catholic Nijmegen University, CBO – Excellence Center.			
RESEARCH STUDY VISITS				
Dec. 2012 – Jan. 2013	United Kingdom, University of Cambridge, Faculty of Education			
Nov. 2012	Greece, University of Patras, Department of Educational Sciences and Early Childhood Education			
Sept. 2012 – Oct. 2012	Greece, University of Patras, Department of Educational Sciences and Early Childhood Education			
STUDY VISITS				
Oct. 2012	Denmark, VIA University. Initiatives and projects to prevent drop-out and a in the west part of Denmark.	bandonment		
Nov. 2011	Denmark, VIA University and Ungdommens Uddannelsesvejledning (Youth Center). Danish system of counseling. Integrated systems. Educational plan			
Oct. 2011	Denmark, VIA University. Initiatives and projects to prevent drop-out and abandonment in the west part of Denmark.			
Nov. 2010	Denmark, VIA University. Danish system of education, initiatives and projects to prevent drop-out and abandonment.			



STUDY VISITS - ERASMUS

Jun. 2012 Austria, University of Salzburg, Faculty of Education. Invited teacher at Faculty of Education. Courses through LLP-Erasmus Mobility

April-May 2010 Turkey, Samsun, Ondokuz Mayis Universitesi. Invited teacher at Teaching Competences in Real Environments Program

April 2009 Austria, Wien/Krems University. Invited teacher at Teaching Competences in Real Environments Program.

Lithuania, Kaunas University College. Invited teacher at *Teaching Competences in Real Environments Program.*

EXPERTISE AND PROFESSIONAL SKILLS

April 2008

- Assessor of the Romanian National Council of Academic Evaluation and Accreditation of Higher Education Institutions – Commission of the Education Sciences (since 2014);
- Designing, implementing and assessment of the curriculum; coordination and planning of the research programs and of the professional training programs; counselling on theory and practice in adult learning; interactive teaching strategies, counselling and diagnosis in giftedness, diagnosis and development of decreasing strategies on school underachievement; using information technologies in educational contexts.
- Member of the editorial and advisory teams of ISI and IDB journals: International Journal of Educational Research; Education Research Journal; Journal of Educational and Developmental Psychology; Journal of Education and Learning; Journal of Education and Learning (EduLearn); International Education Studies; American Journal of Educational Research; Research in Psychology and Behavioral Sciences; Romanian Journal for Multidimensional Education; Postmodern Openings; International Journal of Social and Educational Innovation etc.
- Reviewer of ISI and IDB journals: International Journal of Educational Research (Elsevier Publishing. ISSN: 0883-0355); Procedia-Social and Behavioral Sciences (ISSN: 1877-0428): vol. 149 (2014) LUMEN 2014 From Theory to Inquiry in Social Sciences; vol. 165 (2014) CPSYC 2nd International Congress on Clinical & Counselling Psychology 2014; vol. 112 (2014) The 4th International Conference on Education and Educational Psychology ICEEPSY 2013 Antalya, Turkey; vol. 113 (2014) Ccrs: International Congress on Clinical and counselling Psychology 2013, Istanbul. Turkey; vol. 76 (2013) EDUWORLD; vol. 69 (2012); vol 29 (2011) Proceedings of the 2nd International Conference: Education and Educational Psychology ICEEPSY 2011, Istanbul, Turkey; guest editors: Gianina-Ana Masari, Elena Seghedin, Constantin Petrovici, Acta Didactica Napocensia (ISSN 2065-1430), Vol. 7(4) 2014.
- Reviewer/Member of the International Scientific Committee of the Proceedings: ICEL 2014 Proceedings of the 9th International Conference on e-Learning, edited by Dr Oscar Saavedra Rodriguez, Dr Teresita Arenas Yáñez & Dr. Paul Griffithis, ISBN 978-1-909507-69-2, ISSN 2048-8882, Published by Academic Conferences and Publishing International Limited Reading, United Kingdom; International Psychological Applications Conference and Trends 2014, published in Lisbon, Portugal, by W.I.A.R.S., ISBN: 978-989-97866-6-0;
- Reviewer/Member of the International Scientific Committees:
- 2015: HEAd'2015 1st International Conference on Higher Education Advances, 24 26 Jun. 2015, Valencia, Spain; ICEL 2015 The 10th International Conference on e-Learning, 25-26 Jun. 2015, Nassau, The Bahamas; ECEL 2015 The 14th European Conference on e-Learning; 29-30 Oct. 2015, Hatfield, United Kingdom; KCST 2015 Knowledge and Cognitive Science and Technologies; 12-15 Jul. 2015, Orlando, Florida, USA; ICETI 2015 The 6th International Conference on Education, Training and Informatics, 10-13 March 2015, Orlando, Florida, USA; ICEEPSY 2015 The 6th International Conference on Education and Educational Psychology, Oct. 2015, Istanbul, Turkey; InPACT 2015 International Psychological Applications Conference and Trends; 2-4 May 2015, Ljubljana, Slovenia; icCSBs 2015 The Annual International Conference on Cognitive Social, and Behavioural Sciences, 06th 09th Jan. 2015, Nicosia Cyprus; RSACV 2015 Rethinking Social Action. Core Values LUMEN;
- 2014: ICETI 2014 The 5th International Conference on Education, Training and Informatics; 4-7 March 2014, Orlando, Florida, USA; KCST 2014 Knowledge and Cognitive Science and Technologies; 15-18 Jul. 2014, Orlando, Florida, USA; ICEEE 2014 The Third International Conference on E-Learning and E-Technologies in Education; 18-20 March 2014, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia; ICEL 2014 The 9th International Conference on e-Learning; 26-27 Jun. 2014, Valparaiso, Chile; ECEL 2014 The 13th European Conference on e-Learning; 30-31 Oct. 2014, Copenhaga, Denmark; ICEEPSY 2014 The 5th International Conference on Education and Educational Psychology, 22-25 Oct. 2014, Kyrenia, Cyprus; CPSYC 2014 International Congress on Clinical & Counselling Psychology, 01st 04th Dec. 2014, Antalya Turkey; icCSBs 2014 The



Annual International Conference on Cognitive - Social, and Behavioural Sciences; InPACT 2014 - International Psychological Applications Conference and Trends; 4-6 April 2014, Porto, Portugal; EDU-World 2014 - The 6th International conference Edu World 2014: Education facing contemporary world issues, 07-09 Nov. 2014, Pitesti, România; ICSED 2014 - International Conference on Sciences of Education - Learning for Life, 12-13 Jun. 2014, Suceava, Romania; LUMEN 2014 - International Scientific Conference: Logos Universality Mentality Education Novelty, Iasi, Romania; TCA 2014 – Transdisciplinarity and Communicative Action, LUMEN, 21-22 Nov. 2014, Bucuresti, Romania;

- 2013: Global Conference on Education, University of Riverside, California, USA (2013); CKSE 2013 International Symposium on Cognition/Knowledge Science and Engineering, Orlando, Florida, USA; ICEEPSY 2013 The 4th International Conference on Education and Educational Psychology, Istanbul, Turkey; CPSYC 2013 International Congress on Clinical & Counselling Psychology, 06-09 Aug. 2013, Istanbul, Turkey; LUMEN 2013 International Conference Tradition and Reform, II edition. Social reconstruction of Europe, Bucuresti, Romania; ICSED 2013 International Conference on Sciences of Education Learning for Life, Suceava, Romania; ICAP 2013 International Conference on Applied Psychology, 23-27 Oct. 2013, Iasi;
- 2012: ICPDTKPS 2012, Chairman of the International Conference on Professional Development of Teachers from Kindergarten and Primary School, Iasi, Romania; ICEEPSY 2012 - International Conference: Education and Educational Psychology, Kyrenia, Cyprus; EDU-World 2012 - International Conference EDU-WORLD 2012, Pitesti University, Romania; International Symposium — Theoretical and praxis Perspectives of the educational process centred on competences,16-17 iunie 2012, Iași, Romania; International Symposium on Voluntariate — motivation and involvement, Iasi, Romania.
- 2011: ICEEPSY 2011 International Conference: Education and Educational Psychology, Istanbul, Turkey;
- 2009: ECIS 2009 The 17th European Conference on Information Systems in a Globalisation World: Challenges, Ethics and Practices. Verona, Italy.

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Romanian

Other language(s)

English

French

Italian

UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
B2	B2	A2	A2	A2
B2	B2	A2	A2	A2

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills

The ability to motivate people, leadership, ability to work effectively under stress management, managerial skills in complex tasks, skills in coordinating projects, specific strategies for initiating and stimulating new professional and personal projects, negotiation skills, non-discriminatory attitude, increased flexibility.

Organisational / managerial skills

Experience in organizing and optimizing working groups, high level of autonomy, argumentation and persuasive power, design capacity, initiative and independence emerged from volunteering work, training, research and institutional development. These skills were developed through multiple projects as coordinator and member of the committees for organizing and conducting various activities.

Computer skills

Good level of operating systems: Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, Power Point) and Mac OS and platforms: Moodle and Blackboard Academic Suite E-learning Mobile. Navigation Internet and creating web pages and e-learning platforms (autodidact and trainings organized by Northern Iowa University, Education Development Centre - USA, the National Council for the Training of Teachers" Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iasi

Driving licence

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications List A of the relevant publications (articles and books)

Projects List B of the national and international research and institutional development projects

Conferences List C of the organized and participating at conferences

Seminars/Workshops List D of the organized and participating at workshops/seminars/summits/summer academy

Honours and awards List E of honours and awards

Memberships List F of memberships

References List G of references

ANNEXES

• copies of degrees and qualifications;

• testimonials of employment or work placement.