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PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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Nationality: Romanian Date of birth: 12.04.1980

EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

Academic Preparation:

Dates: **2008** – **2011**

Qualification awarded: PhD in Philology

Thesis: Racial, Ethnic, Gender and Class Representations in Margaret Laurence's Writings

Name and type of organization

providing education and training: UNIVERSITY OF BUCHAREST, Faculty of Foreign

Languages and Literatures, Doctoral School of Literary and

Cultural Studies

Dates: Oct. 2009 - May 2010

Qualification awarded: Visiting Research Associate

Name and type of organization

providing education and training: UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM, Department of American

and Canadian Studies

Dates: 2005 - 2006

Qualification awarded: MA Degree in British Cultural Studies (2007)

Dissertation: A Journey into the World of Nations, Nationalism and National Identity

Name and type of organization

providing education and training: UNIVERSITY OF BUCHAREST, Faculty of Foreign

Languages and Literatures

Dates: 1999 - 2003

Qualification awarded: BA Degree

Diploma Paper: Shakespeare Rewrites Shakespeare: The Case of "The Two Noble Kinsmen"

Name and type of organization

providing education and training: SPIRU HARET UNIVERSITY, Faculty of Foreign Languages

and Literatures

Training Courses:

ETHICS AND ACADEMIC INTEGRITY, University of Bucharest, ONLINE, 21 October 2020 (Professor Marin Bălan)

TEACHER TRAINING COURSE- INTEGRATING THE NEW TECHNOLOGIES, University of Bucharest, ONLINE, 11 October 2020 (Professor Olimpius Istrate)

- INTEGRATING EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE INTO TEACHING, Shakespeare School, Bucharest, 15 February 2018 (Trainers: Ana-Maria Chiriac, Gina Podaru and Mara Blaj)
- **QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS,** University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences (BOKU-Viena, Austria), Bucharest, USAMVB, 21-24 February 2017 (Trainer DI. Dr. Friedrich Leitgeb)
- **TRAINER COR 242401, ANC (National Authority for Qualifications)**, Avangarde Business Academy, Bucharest, 4-5 Dec. 2015 (Trainers Alexandru Bărbulescu and Raluca Eftimie)
- **CAMBRIDGE CELTA-** Pass B (**Certificate in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages**), Shakespeare School, 29 June-24 July 2015 (Trainers: Georgiana Bose and Nicoleta Dinescu)
- **TEACHER TRAINING PROGRAM LEVEL II** (Programul de Formare Psihopedagogică în Vederea Certificării Competențelor pentru Profesia Didactică), Department of Teacher Training (UASVMB), Oct. 2014 June 2015
- **TEACHER TRAINING PROGRAM LEVEL I** (Programul de Formare Psihopedagogică în Vederea Certificării Competențelor pentru Profesia Didactică), Department of Teacher Training (UASVMB), Oct. 2013 May 2014
- QUALITY IN LANGUAGE LEARNING AND THE EUROPEAN LANGUAGE LABEL, the Association PROSPER-ASE Language Centre and Agenția Națională pentru Programe Comunitare în domeniul Educației și Formării Profesionale (ANPCDEFP), Bucharest, 15 November 2013
- **PREPARING STUDENTS FOR CPE**, British Council Romania, 20 October 2013 (Trainer Alice Cojocaru)
- **INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS ENGLISH**, The Canning School Limited, London, Great Britain, 4-11 July 2013 (Trainer Nigel White)
- **PSYCHOLOGY OF CULTURE**, Romanian-American University in partnership with James Madison University, Bucharest, 7-17 May 2013 (Dr. Matthew R. Lee)
- **EUROPE IN THE WORLD, 1750 TO THE PRESENT**, Romanian-American University in partnership with James Madison University, Bucharest, 7-17 May 2013 (Dr. Maria Cristina Galmarini)
- **INNOVATIVE METHODS IN LANGUAGE TEACHING AND LEARNING**, International Week for Language Teachers organized by Tampere University of Applied Sciences and Jyväskylä University of Applied Sciences, Finlanda, 14-21 April 2013 (presentations and workshops delivered by professors from Finland, Great Britan, The Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Russia, Germany, Lithuania)
- **NEGOTIATIONS SKILLS AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION**, Romanian-American University in partnership with James Madison University, Bucharest, 4-8 March 2013 (Prof. Daniel G. Gallagher, PhD)
- **BRITISH EDUCATION SYSTEM- THEORY AND PRACTICE**, The Training Partnership Ltd., Torquay, UK, 22-29 Sept. 2012 (Trainers Bill Callaghan and Sabina Rademacher)
- **CROSS CULTURAL COMMUNICATION**, Romanian-American University, Bucharest, 2-13 April 2012 (Prof. Nicholas Dima, PhD)
- AMERICAN CULTURE AND CIVILIZATION & BUSINESS ENGLISH, Romanian-American University in partnership with James Madison University, Bucharest, 3-12 October 2011 (Prof. Donald E. Corbin, PhD)
- **PREPARING STUDENTS FOR IELTS**, organized by British Council Romania and University of Cambridge ESOL Examinations, Romanian-American University, 11 March 2011 (Trainer Alice Cojocaru)
- **INTRODUCTION TO PROJECT MANAGEMENT**, University of Birmingham, University Graduate School, 11 May 2010
- **INTRODUCTION TO CANADIAN STUDIES**, University of Birmingham, Department of American and Canadian Studies, Oct. 2009 March 2010 (Dr. Danielle Fuller, Dr. Steve Hewitt, Dr. Jean-François Mouhot, Dr. Cristina Ivanovici and Dr. Julie Rak- Univ. of Alberta)

BUSINESS ENGLISH, University of Birmingham, Centre for English Language Studies, Jan.-March 2010 (Dr. Almut Koester)

RESEARCH SKILLS IN MODERNIST STUDIES, University of Birmingham, Department of English+ British Association of Modernist Studies, 31 March 2010 (Dr. Andrzej Gasiorek, Dr. Andrew Thacker, Dr. Deborah Longworth, Dr. Rebecca Beasley)

INTRODUCTION TO PRESENTATION SKILLS, University of Birmingham, University Graduate School, 30 March 2010

WRITING FOR PUBLICATION IN THE ARTS, LAW AND SOCIAL SCIENCES, University of Birmingham, University Graduate School, 25-26 March 2010 (Josie Dixon)

SKILLS SESSIONS FOR POSTGRADUATES (Presenting Papers at Conferences, Job Hunting for Academics, Volunteering and PG Skills), University of Birmingham, Graduate Centre for Europe, 26 January 2010

CANADIAN WOMEN'S WRITING, University of Birmingham, Department of American and Canadian Studies, Oct.-Dec. 2009 (Dr. Danielle Fuller, Cristina Ivanovici)

SKILLS SESSIONS FOR POSTGRADUATES (Organising and Attending Conferences, Teaching as a Postgraduate, Running and Contributing to Journals), University of Birmingham, Graduate Centre for Europe, 12 November 2009

CAMBRIDGE ESOL UPDATED CAE FROM DECEMBER 2008, British Council Bucharest, 26 October 2007

HOW CAN I BE A BETTER TRAINER, organized by EuCom ROMANIA, Timișoara, 29 September 2007

PREPARING STUDENTS FOR BEC Vantage, organized by British Council Bucharest and University of Cambridge ESOL Examinations, Romanian-American University, 3 March 2007

TEACHING ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES, British Council Bucharest, 20 March 2005

LA NOUVELLE EUROPE ÉLARGIE: PERSPECTIVES ET PREMIERS RÉSULTATS, summer school, European Institute of High International Studies and Dimitrie Cantemir Christian University, Bucharest, 2004

ENGLISH: Lexis School of Languages, 1996, 1997

FRENCH: Institut Français de Bucarest, 1996

GERMAN: Romanian-American University, 2014

Goethe Institut Bukarest, 2000

Friedrich Schiller Kulturhaus, 1997, 1998

COMPUTER: Word for Windows, 1995

WORK EXPERIENCE:

Dates: Oct. 2011- at present

Occupation or position held: Lecturer

Main activities and responsibilities:

- Teaching the Business English seminar to the full-time students of the Faculty of Management and Rural Development
- Preparing seminar materials for students (original creations and selection of materials from various sources in the form of a seminar workbook)
- Preparing students for the MIEADR Students' Scientific Symposium (2014-2017)
- Co-organizing the MIEADR Students' Scientific Symposium (2015- 2017): creating posters, diplomas and invitations, communication with the sponsors, lay out of the posters exhibition and book stand.
- Organizing the "USAMV Bucharest Agricultural Economics and Policy Summer School" within the ENHANCE Project (3 editions, 2016-2018)

Name and address of employer: UNIVERSITY OF AGRONOMIC SCIENCES AND

VETERINARY MEDICINE, 59, Mărăști Blvd., 011464, Sector 1, Bucharest

Type of business or sector: Higher education

Dates: Oct. 2003- Sept. 2014

Occupation or position held: Teaching Assistant

Main activities and responsibilities:

- Seminars of Business English, business communication skills or English for Legal Purposes for full time students and weekend courses for low attendance students
- Drafting textbooks and other materials for students
- Organizing additional classes of foreign languages, the annual scientific events for students and the international conference of the Department of Foreign Languages
- Teaching English to the administrative staff of the university
- Translating various materials for the university (Romanian-American University's website, brochures, documents, and research projects)
- Coordinating the Department of Foreign Languages, as an elected member of the Board of the Department (since Jan. 2012)

Name and address of employer: **ROMANIAN-AMERICAN UNIVERSITY**, 1B Expoziției Blvd., 012101, Sector 1, Bucharest

Type of business or sector: Higher education

Dates: temporary contracts, from Sept. 2000 to Feb. 2004

Occupation or position held: Substitute teacher

Main activities and responsibilities:

- Teaching English for the 9th to 12th grade students
- Solving organizational problems related to the class
- Organizing the local English competition
- Planning extra-curricular activities (encouraging interaction between the students guided by a psychologist, taking students to the theatre, discussing about good manners)

Name and address of employer: various high schools in Bucharest: NATIONAL COLLEGE "ION NECULCE", BULGARIAN THEORETICAL HIGH SCHOOL "HRISTO BOTEV", and ECONOMIC COLLEGE "VIRGIL MADGEARU"

Type of business or sector: Secondary education

Dates: from 2004, temporary contracts

Occupation or position held: Freelance Trainer

Main activities and responsibilities: Teaching English/ French/ Romanian as a foreign language to employees, within the company they work for

Name and address of employer: several: BCR Erste, LIBRA BANK, S.C. DISTRIGAZ SUD S.A., CARGUS ROMANIA, TNT ROMANIA, SUMMA ROMANIA SA, OMV-PETROM (RAFISERV PETROBRAZI SA, Brazi, Prahova), UBISOFT GAMELOFT, BRD SOGELEASE SRL., and the language schools: EUCOM ROMANIA, CONTEXT TRAINING, THE ECHO.

Dates: Oct. 2003- at present

Occupation or position held: **Translator** (Authorization no. 9894/2003)

Main activities and responsibilities: translating from/in English: scientific articles (in capacity as co-author), general English, economics/business, railway transport, trade, insurance, and music (leaflets and programmes for a chamber orchestra)

Name and address of employer: several

Type of business or sector: various

PERSONAL SKILLS:

Mother tongue: ROMANIAN

Other languages Self- assessment CEFR	Understanding		Speaking		Writing
	Listening	Reading	Spoken	Spoken	
			Interaction	Production	
ENGLISH	C2 Proficient	C2 Proficient	C2 Proficient	C2 Proficient	C2 Proficient
	User	User	User	User	User
FRENCH	C2 Proficient	C2 Proficient	C2 Proficient	C1 Proficient	C1 Proficient
	User	User	User	User	User
GERMAN	B1 Independent User	B1 Independent User	A2 Basic User	A2 Basic User	A1 Basic User

Social skills: Good communication with various people, sociable, hard working,

honest, good team player, but also capable of individual work.

Person preoccupied with artistic and cultural life (plays, shows, concerts, book fairs/launchings, exhibitions, etc.).

My interest for reading, arts, sports and travelling continually shape my character.

Organizational

skills:

Energetic, dynamic, active, reliable, very organized, and pragmatic person.

My experience includes organizing and coordinating summer and winter camps for children and teenagers, school and university artistic events, students' annual scientific symposia, academic conferences and summer schools with international participation.

Computer and

technical skills: Computing abilities: Microsoft Office, Internet.

Driving Licence (Category B).

Other abilities: ACTING: extracurricular activity during high school and faculty.

ARTS: interest and general knowledge.

SPORTS: SKIING, SWIMMING (also amateur instructor for children) and

TENNIS.

PUBLISHED WORKS:

Books:

Racial, Ethnic, Gender and Class Representations in Margaret Laurence's Writings, Andreea Topor-Constantin. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2013, ISBN (10): 1-4438-4746-1/ISBN (13): 978-1-4438-4746-9

Steps to Management and Marketing Success: A Practice File for Second Year Students/ Coord. **Andreea Raluca Constantin**, ... Ana Mihaela Istrate. Bucharest: Universitară Press, 2013, ISBN 978-606-591-806-1

Marketing/ Coord. Ion Smedescu; **Translators**: ... **Andreea Topor**. Bucharest: Pro Universitaria Press, 2011, ISBN 978-973-129-194-9 (**personal contribution translation chapters 13 & 23**)

Management and Marketing Communication. Practice File/ Coord. Ana Mihaela Istrate;... **Andreea Topor-Constantin**. Bucharest: Universitară Press, 2010, ISBN 978-973-749-989-9

English for Law School Students (First Year)/ Coord. Oana Camburi- Boaru;... **Andreea Topor**. Bucharest: Pro Universitaria Press, 2010, ISBN 978-973-129-111-6

Dicţionar juridic: român-francez-englez (Judicial Dictionary: Romanian-French-English), Bucharest: Milena Press, 2010, ISBN 978-973-7873-29-3 (**personal contribution translation letters D-I**)

Dicţionar Explicativ de Management Comercial (Explanatory Dictionary of Commercial Management), Bucharest: Universitară Press, 2008, ISBN 978-973-749-591-4 (personal contribution translation 30 terms)

Dezvoltarea capitalului uman și creșterea competitivității pe piața muncii, prin promovarea egalității de șanse pentru învățarea pe tot parcursul vieții și dezvoltarea unei piețe moderne și flexibile (The Development of Human Capital and the Increase of Competitiveness on Labor Market, by Promoting Equal Opportunities for Lifelong Learning and the Development of a Modern and Flexible Market, Second Edition, Editors Alexandra Ionescu and Andreea Topor-Bucharest: Universitară Press, 2007, ISBN 978-973-749-276-0

Focus on Business- Introductory Course in Business English and Communication/ Coord. Roxana-Emanuela Dude; ... **Andreea Topor**. Bucharest: Pro Universitaria Press, 2007, ISBN 978-973-129-115-4

English for Law School Students: Second & Third Year/ Coord. Oana Camburi-Boaru;... Andreea Topor. Bucharest: Pro Universitaria Press, 2006, ISBN 978-973-129-112-3

The 2Ms: English Course Book for Management and Marketing: 2nd and 3rd Year Students/ Lidia Bădulescu;... **Andreea Topor**. Bucharest: Pro Universitaria Press, 2006, ISBN (10) 973-8994-00-4; ISBN (13) 978-973-8994-00-3

The 2Ms: English Course Book for Management and Marketing: 2nd and 3rd Year Students/ Lidia Bădulescu;... **Andreea Topor**. Bucharest: Universul Juridic Press, 2005, ISBN 973-8446-81-3

English for the Law School Students: Second & Third Year/ Coord. Oana Camburi-Boaru;... Andreea Topor. Bucharest: Universul Juridic Press, 2005, ISBN 973-8446-86-4

Introduction to Business English- for Intermediate Users-/ Roxana-Emanuela Dude;... Andreea Topor. Bucharest: Universul Juridic Press, 2005, ISBN 973-8446-800-5

Articles and other publications:

Marian Constantin, **Andreea Raluca Constantin**, Raluca Necula, Mihai-Radu Costescu. "Honey Purchase- Present and Future on the Romanian Market" in *Scientific Papers. Series Management, Economic Engineering in Agriculture and Rural Development*, Volume 17, Issue 3, 2017, Bucharest, Print ISSN 2284-7995, E-ISSN 2285-3952 (pp. 121-126)

"Education in Finland and Romania. A Comparative Perspective" in *Scientific Papers. Series Management, Economic Engineering in Agriculture and Rural Development*, Volume 16, Issue 2, 2016, Bucharest, Print ISSN 2284-7995, E-ISSN 2285-3952 (pp. 95-102)

"Female Identity in the Literary Discourse of Margaret Laurence and Alice Munro" in *Ways of Being in Literary and Cultural Spaces* (Editors: Leo Loveday and Emilia Parpală), Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2016, ISBN (10): 1-4438-9751-5; ISBN (13): 978-1-4438-9751-8 (pp. 28-40)

"Travelling as an Intercultural Tool: Theoretical and Practical Aspects" in *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication*, Volume 6, Number 1, 2015, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 2248 – 2202 (pp. 69-78)

Book review: Emilia Parpală and Leo Loveday (Eds.), *Contextual Identities: A Comparative and Communicational Approach* in *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication*, Volume 6, Number 1, 2015, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 2248 – 2202 (pp. 169-171)

"The Reception and Influence of Margaret Laurence in Romania and around the World" in *Contextual Identities: A Comparative and Communicational Approach* (Editors Emilia Parpală and Leo Loveday), Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2015, ISBN (10): 1-4438-7660-7; ISBN (13): 978-1-4438-7660-5 (pp. 150-160)

"Teaching and Learning English by Means of Online Sources" in *Rethinking education by leveraging the eLearning pillar of the Digital Agenda for Europe*- Proceedings of the 11th International Scientific Conference "eLearning and software for Education", Volume 3, 2015, ISSN: 2066 - 026X print, 2066 - 8821 online (pp. 416-421)

Iulian Alecu, **Andreea Raluca Constantin**, Marian Constantin. "Territorial Structures and the Potential of Romania's Organic Agricultural Holdings" in *Scientific Papers. Series Management, Economic Engineering in Agriculture and Rural Development*, Volume 15, Issue 1, 2015, Bucharest, Print ISSN 2284-7995, E-ISSN 2285-3952 (pp. 27-36)

Stoian Elena, Constantin Marian, Alecu Ioan Iulian, **Constantin Andreea Raluca**. "Production and Consumption of Milk in Romania. Current Levels and Market Trends" in *ANNALS- Series on Agriculture, Silviculture and Veterinary Medicine Sciences*, Volume 3, Number 1, 2014, Bucharest: Academia Oamenilor de Știinta din România Press, ISSN 2069 – 1149 (pp. 59-72)

"Turning Finland's Expertise in E-learning into Romania's Future – A Case Study" in *Let's build* the future through learning innovation!, Proceedings of the 10th International Scientific Conference eLearning and Software for Education, Volume 3, 2014, Bucharest: Universitatea Națională de Apărare "Carol I" Press, ISSN: 2066 - 026X print, 2066 - 8821 online (pp. 122-27)

"And the Nobel Prize Goes to... Canada" in *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication*, Volume 5, Number 1, 2014, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 2248 – 2202 (pp. 75-92)

"A History of the Concepts of Nation, Nationalism and National Identity" in *Identități discursive. O abordare comparativă și comunicațională*, Craiova: Universitaria Press, 2014, ISBN 978-606-14-0738-5 (pp. 234-43)

"A Japanese Author under Romanian Lenses - Kazuo Ishiguro" in *Romanian Economic and Business Review*, Volume 9, Number 3, Fall 2014, București: Pro Universitaria Press, ISSN 1842-2497 (pp. 82-90)

"The 'Imaginary' Metis in Margaret Laurence's Manawaka" in *Variations on Community: The Canadian Space/ Variations sur la Communauté: l'espace canadien*, Brno: Masaryk University Press, 2013, ISBN 978-80-210-6404-1 (pp. 81-92)

"Margaret Laurence's Manawaka Cycle – Imaginary or Reality?" in *Language and Literature* – *European Landmarks of Identity*, University of Pitești Press, 2012, ISSN 1843-1577 (pp. 69-76)

- "Journeys from Europe to Canada. Margaret Laurence's Ukrainian Immigrants" in *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication*, Volume 3, Number 1, 2012, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 2248 2202 (pp. 150-57)
- "Margaret Laurence's Manawaka: The Promise of a 'Peaceable Kingdom'" in *Canadian Literature* in English: European Perspectives (Editor Dragoş Zetu), Iaşi: "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University Press, 2012, ISBN: 978-973-703-775-6 (pp. 51-67)
- "A Canadian in Africa. Margaret Laurence's Representations of the African World" in *Analele Universității București Limbi și literature străine*, Year LX- 2011, No. 2, University of Bucharest Press (pp. 137-48).
- "Margaret Laurence's African World A Global World" in *Constructions of Identities*, Vol. VI, Cluj-Napoca: Napoca Star Press, 2011, ISBN 978-973-647-809-3 (pp. 307-15).
- "Margaret Laurence: A Revision from a Romanian Perspective" in *Young Canadianists'* Newspaper/Journal des Jeunes Canadianistes, online newsletter, Issue 5, April 2011 (pp. 9-10).
- "A Literary Journey: Imagining Africa in Margaret Laurence's Canadian Prairie" in *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication*, Volume 1, Number 1, 2010, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 2248 2202 (pp. 147-54).
- "Margaret Laurence's Prairie 'That Place Where the World Began'" in *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication*, Volume 1, Number 2, 2010, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 2248 2202 (pp. 207-13).
- "Collective Identity in Margaret Laurence's Manawaka Cycle Historical Truth and/or Myth?" in *Studia Doctoralia*, Vol. 4/2010, Pitești: Paralela 45 Press, ISSN 1843-3537 (pp. 26-38).
- "Forgetting and Forgiving in Margaret Laurence's *The Stone Angel*. Hagar Shipley's Personal Identity as Memory" in *Studia Doctoralia*, Vol. 3/2010, Pitești: Paralela 45 Press, ISSN 1843-3537 (pp. 52-60).

Book review: Royden Loewen, Gerald Friesen, *Immigrants in the Prairie Cities: Ethnic Diversity in Twentieth-Century Canada* in *The Birmingham Journal of Literature and Language*, Vol. III 2010, ISSN 1756-4670 (print)/ ISSN 1756-4689 (online) (pp. 66-8).

Note on a conference in Bristol 2010, "Worlds Built out of Words: Literary Environments" in *The Birmingham Journal of Literature and Language*, Vol. III 2010, ISSN 1756-4670 (print)/ ISSN 1756-4689 (online) (pp. 83-4).

"The Importance of Communication in Management Performance" (Anda Maxim+ **Andreea Topor**) in the volume of the symposium *România europeană: multiculturalism, competitivitate și compatibilizare în domeniul managementului*, Bucharest: Universitară Press, 2007, ISBN 978-973-749-304-0 (pp. 391-97).

- "You Must Be Respectable, if You Will Be Respected' or Moral Rules for Young Gentlemen in the 16th and 18th Century in England and Italy" (pp. 12-15) **and**
- "Audiences-Satisfying Tastes and Needs" (pp. 16-19) in *A XII-a sesiune de comunicări științifice a cadrelor didactice*, Romanian-American University, Volume 5, 2007, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISSN 1843-178X.
- "The Sense of National Canadian Identity in Margaret Atwood and Hugh MacLennan's Works or How to Be Frencher than France and More British than England?" (pp. 57-68) **and**

"The Diary of Frances Gacon Blanville, Science-designer and Informational Resources Expert" (pp. 51-6) in *A XI-a sesiune de comunicări științifice a cadrelor didactice*, Romanian-American University, Volume 6, 2006, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISBN (10)-973-7854-78-0; (13)-978-973-7854-78-0.

"The Sense of National Canadian Identity in Margaret Atwood and Hugh MacLennan's Works" in *Constructions of Identity*, Vol. IV, Cluj-Napoca: Napoca-Star Press, 2008, ISBN 978-973-647-617-4 (pp. 374-83).

"Developing Speaking Skills for English for Specific Purposes" in *A X-a sesiune de comunicări ştiinţifice a cadrelor didactice*, Romanian-American University, Volume 1, 2005, Bucharest: Universitară Press, ISBN 973-8446-94-5 (pp. 440-48).

"The History of Management: The Art of Being a Leader" in *A IX-a sesiune de comunicări științifice a cadrelor didactice*, Romanian-American University, Bucharest: Universitară Press, 2004, ISBN 973-8499-64-x.

Prizes: finalist at THE OLYMPIAD OF COMMUNICATION, **Public Discourse** section (2003).

ȘTEFAN BĂNICĂ PRIZE for Best Female Supporting Role, for Steluța in "Prințesa și porcarul" by Dumitru Solomon (1998).

Various prizes for sport competitions: **skiing** and **swimming**.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

ERASMUS PROGRAMME:

Staff Mobility - Staff Training

- 4-11 September 2014, University of Gdańsk, Poland International Conference *The Education and Training of Foreign Language Teachers, and Teachers of the Kashubian Language*
- 4-11 July 2013, The Canning School Limited, London, UK
- 14-21 April 2013, Tampere University of Applied Sciences and Jyväskylä University of Applied Sciences, Finland
- 22-29 September 2012, The Training Partnership Ltd., Torquay, UK

Staff Mobility – Teaching Assignment

• 12-18 February 2012, Kemi-Tornio University of Applied Sciences, Finland

Training courses for Erasmus partners who want to improve their English for teaching (co-organization and teaching): English for Lecturers – Skills for Using English in an Academic Environment

- 22-26 September 2014, Romanian-American University
- 23-27 September 2013, Romanian-American University

RESEARCH PROJECTS:

COOPERFORMANCE, Project number - Erasmus+ 2019-1-RO01-KA203-063752 (CooPerformance – "Digital, state-of-the-art agribusiness education for farmer led entreprises in the agri-food value chain"

Project Erasmus+ Strategic Partnerships, KA2 Sector Higher Education

Duration: 2019 – 2022

Partners: University of Agronomic Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Bucharest

Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany

University of Almeria, Spain Laboratorul de solidaritate

Technical staff (linguistic support)

GLOBELITY, contract no. 0326 CNFIS-FDI-2017

Creșterea capacității instituționale a USAMV București pentru internaționalizarea învățământului superior (Increasing the institutional capacity of USAMVB for internationalization of Higher Education)

Lecturer- teaching English to the Professorial Staff of USAMVB (2018)

H2020-TWINN-2015, Contract no. 691681, with a total value of Eur 1.097.020,00 **ENHANCE** (Bulding an Excellency Network for Heightening Agricultural economic research and Education in Romania)

Financier: The European Commission through the programme Horizon 2020

Duration: 36 months, 01.01.2016-31.12.2018

Partners: University of Agronomic Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Bucharest

University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences (BOKU)- Austria

The Leibniz Institute of Agricultural Development in Transition Economies

(IAMO)- Germany

The Federal Research Centre for Agriculture (WBF)- Switzerland

Work Package 4 Deputy Coordinator- Summer School organization

POSDRU/6/1.5/S/2 (Priority Axis 1), from 25.09.2008, with a total value of Ron 80,600

Doctoral and Postdoctoral Programmes in Support of Research: *EDUCAŢI – Excelenţă Doctorală Umanistă în Cercetare: Aplicaţii şi Teorii Interdisciplinare* (Humanist Doctoral Excellence in Research: Interdisciplinary Applications and Theories)

Financier: University of Bucharest (Doctoral School of Literary and Cultural Studies) – through the Sectoral Operational Programme - Human Resources Development 2007-2013 **Beneficiary**

Phare 2006 Programme, Contract no. **018-147.04.02.01.211** with a total value of Eur 98,905

Măsuri active pentru ocuparea forței de muncă din mediul rural în vederea facilitării inserției/revenirii pe piața forței de muncă (Active Measures for Rural Areas Employment which to Facilitate the Insertion/ Return on the Workforce Market)

Financer: European Commission through Măsuri Active de Ocupare.

Beneficiary: Romanian-American University Partner: Cumpăna City Hall, Constanța County

English Lecturer

Participation in national and international *conferences* in: Romania (Bucharest, Cluj, Pitești), Great Britain (Cambridge, Manchester, Bristol and Birmingham), Germany (Grainau), Slovakia (Bratislava)

Membership:

CEACS- Central European Association for Canadian Studies MARGARET LAURENCE Society

The Organising Committee and the Editorial Board of the International Conference *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication* (2010, 2012-2014), organized by the Department of Foreign Languages of the Romanian-American University

The Scientific Board of the journal of the Department of Foreign Languages of the Romanian-American University *Crossing Boundaries in Culture and Communication* (2015- at present)

The Editorial Board of the *International Journal of Agricultural Economics* (2019- at present)