

## Curriculum Vitae

### Personal information



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Nationality

Romanian

### Occupational field

HIGHER EDUCATION: Teaching and Research

Name and address of employer

**"Dunărea de Jos" University, Galați, Faculty of Letters, Department of French Language and Literature – Str. Domnească nr. 47 – 800 008 Galați – ROMANIA**

### Education and training

PhD Degree	Continuing Education	Higher Education
1992-1998	1987	1980-1984
1999 PhD Diploma – French Language University of Bucharest	"Definitivat" (Secondary Education Teaching) Certificate University of Bucharest	Bachelor Diploma (4 years) in French Language and Literature and English Language and Literature Faculty of Letters, Al. I. Cuza University of Iași (equivalent master)

2003 – Post Graduate Certificate of Continuing Education : Distance Education Pedagogy (web design, curriculum design, open education platform activities), "Dunărea de Jos" University of Galați

2008-2012 – Bachelor in Law, "Dunărea de Jos" University of Galați

### Work Experience and Employers

**Since 1990** – "Dunărea de Jos" University of Galați, Romania

2016-2019 – Annual contract with Institutul Limbii Române as Lecturer of Romanian Language and Civilization, Johannes Gutenberg Universität-Mainz, Germany

1990-1993: Teaching and Research Assistant; 1993-2001: Lecturer; 2001-2004: Assistant Professor PhD

2004 – present: Professor PhD, "Dunărea de Jos" University of Galați

**Before 1990:** 1984-1990 Teacher of French, English and Russian, Economic Highschool, Călărași; Radu Negru Highschool, Galați; C. Negri Pedagogical College, Galați

### Main Responsibilities and Activities

#### I. Academic Teaching: Subjects in the field of Languages and Linguistics (last five years)

- **French: Linguistics** (pragmatics, text linguistics, discourse analysis, grammar, lexicology, translation theory – Bachelor in *French language and literature*, Francophone Master in *Specialized Discourse-Terminology-Translation*; 1990-present)
- **Romanian: Communication Techniques** (Preparatory Year of Romanian Language for international incoming students); **Romanian language for beginners and intermediate levels**
- **Romanian Culture: Introduction**
- **French** for Professional and Business Communication (Bachelor in *Applied Modern Languages*, Francophone Master in *Specialized Discourse-Terminology-Translation*); French for A2 level
- **Rhetoric and Argumentation** in the organizational environment: strategies and situations (Master of *Business Administration* in English); in institutional and organizational contexts (Master of *Romanian Language and Cultural Identity* in Romanian – in the Republic of Moldova)
- **Cross-Cultural Leadership Skills** (Master of *Business Administration* in English)

#### 1990-2011

- Rhetoric and Argumentation (in French, Romanian, and English – Bachelor in *Applied Modern Languages*)
- Romanian: Discourse Analysis, Text Typology and Composition (Bachelor in *Applied Modern Languages*)
- Rhetoric and Argumentation in conflict situations (Master of *Social Philosophy* in Romanian)
- French Linguistics (lexicology, lexicography, terminology, simultaneous and consecutive translation, Francophone Master in *Specialized Discourse-Terminology-Translation*)

- French for Professional and Business Communication (Bachelor in *Applied Modern Languages, Economics, and International Business*); French for specific purposes (Bachelor in *Business, Economics, Sciences, Engineering, History, Philosophy, Law*)
- English for specific purposes (Business and Economics, History, Philosophy); English for Professional, Business, and International Communication
- Introduction to Romance Languages (Bachelor in *Language and Literature*)

## II. Development and Research in the field of Linguistics and Letters

### Research Areas: *Discourse analysis, French Linguistics, Translation Studies, Applied Linguistics: Foreign Language Teaching*

- **Coordinator of the activities of the Research Center *Discourse Theory and Practice*** (since 2011), and of the **Research Group ARC – Argumentation-Rhetoric-Communication** (4 members) (since 2005)
- **Member of the Management Committee – COST Action CA 17132 – Network with international Partners — on-going**
  - 1) European network for Argumentation and Public PoLicY analysis (**APPLY**), Coordinator University of Lisbon (2018-2022)
- **Project Team Member**
  - 2) *Soutien aux formations francophones de Licence – Langue et littérature françaises*, AUF Grant (2015-2018)
  - 3) International Tempus Project *Institution Building in the Administrative Field – Competence Development in Adult Study of Languages for Specific Purposes* (1999-2001)
  - 4) International Tempus Project *Multimedia Technology in Language Teaching* (1996-1999)
- **Research Projects, Director**
  - 5) *Improving Critical Skills and Argumentative Competence of Students* (2003, 2004) Romanian Academy Grant (1200 EUR)
  - 6) *Discourse and Communication in the Romanian Public Space: Reflections of Values, Institutions, Language, Culture, and History* (2006-2008) CEEEX CNCSIS (LEI 50,000)
  - 7) *A Pragma-Dialectical Approach to Argumentation: Strategically Maneuvering with Evidential Indicators and the Technique of Dissociation* (2007-2010) (LEI 77,000 – approved budget LEI 99,000)
- **Education Development Projects, Director**
  - 8) *Using Multimedia Technology in the Language Curricula* (1999-2001) CNFIS Grant (USD 5000)
  - 9) *Soutien aux formations francophones de Master – Discours spécialisé-Terminologies-Traduction*, AUF Grant (2013-2015) (EUR 15000)
- **Education Development Projects, Project Partner Coordinator**
  - 10) *MEPRID FLE (Méthodologies et pratiques innovantes en didactique du FLE)*, AUF Grant (2011-2014), Coordinator University of Craiova
  - 11) *TradSpe (La traduction spécialisée: domaine de recherche pour la construction d'un modèle didactique opératoire en contexte pluriculturel)*, AUF Grant (2011-2014), Coordinator University of Craiova
  - 12) *Renforcement du français et de la recherche en français pour les étudiants non-spécialistes dans un climat multiculturel et francophone*, AUF Grant (2012-2015), Coordinator Universitatea de Științe Agricole și Medicină Veterinară „Ion Ionescu de la Brad”, Iași
- PhD dissertations Committee member (~25 national and international committees)
- Advisor and committee member in continuing education for teachers of French – training for Grad II, Supervisor of teaching methodology dissertations submitted in view of the highest promotion (Grad I)
- Advisor of students' final dissertations for bachelor and master degrees
- Tutoring domestic students, and ERASMUS incoming and outgoing students
- Scientific Advisor for Eugen Ionescu program funded research projects for PhD students and post-doc researchers from various countries of Africa – fields: Humanities and Social Sciences

## Membership and Expertise

### I. Professional Societies, Associations, Institutes (present)

- **International Learned Institute for Argumentation Studies** (ILIAS, Amsterdam, The Netherlands - <http://cf.hum.uva.nl/issa/illias.html>) - invited founding member
- **International Society for the Study of Argumentation**
- **Semiotics Society of America**
- **Romanian Association of the Academic Departments of French Language** (Association roumaine des Départements universitaires de français – ARDUF, Iași, Romania) – member of the Administrative Council
- **European Society for the Study of English** (ESSE, Bucharest, Romania) – member
- **Romanian Society of English and American Studies** (RSEAS, Timișoara, Romania) – member

### II. Member of Editorial and/or Scientific Boards / Committees of Scientific Journals and Conferences / Colloquia

#### A. Journals - selection

- *Journal of Argumentation in Context*, John Benjamins, Amsterdam
- *Mélanges francophones*
- *Studii de lingvistică*
- *Cahiers Leiris*
- *Lexic comun – Lexic specializat*

- *Translation Studies: Retrospective and Prospective Views*
- *Discursul specializat: Teorie și practică*
- *Communication and Argumentation in the Public Sphere*
- *Communication Interculturelle et Littérature*

#### B. Conferences and Colloquia (selected)

- *Journées de la Francophonie 2004 – present*
- *L'apport de la terminologie à la qualité de la traduction spécialisée*

#### III. Co-Editor:

- *Discursul specializat: Teorie și practică*
- *Communication and Argumentation in the Public Sphere*

#### IV. Assessment Committees

- Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie, Bureau de l'Europe Centrale et Orientale (AUF-BECO, Bucharest) – member of project assessment international boards (since 2009)
- National Council of Scientific Research – Social and Humanities Board (CNCSIS, Bucharest) – member of national project assessment boards (2008-2011)

#### V. Administrative Positions

- Director of the Department of French (2011-2012; 2016-2017)
- Member of the Faculty Council and Committees: 1998-2017
- Vice-Rector of the University for International Relations: 2012-2016
- Member of the University Administrative Board: 2012-2016
- Coordinator of the University Printing House, Galati University Press: 2007-2009; 2012-2016
- Scientific Secretary of the University Senate (Cancelar), Member of the University Academic and Administrative Board: 2004-2009
- Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Letters: 2004
- Director of the Department of Applied Modern Languages (1998-2004)
- Member of the University Senate (1998-2009)

#### VI. Other Activities

- Peer Reviewer for Journals: *Agumentation, Journal of Argumentation in Context, Argumentation and Advocacy, Corela, Iberica, Studii de lingvistică, Linguistica, UBB Studia, Mélanges francophones, Discursul specializat – Teorie și practică*
- Coordinator of 12 Erasmus annual academic exchanges – incoming and outgoing students, visiting mobilities

Team Work, Team Coordination, Communication, Adaptive Abilities, Research and Development

### Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

**Romanian**

Other language(s)

**French, English, Russian, German**

Self-assessment

**Understanding**

**Speaking**

**Writing**

*European level (\*)*

**Listening**

**Reading**

**Oral comprehension**

**Oral production**

**French**

**C2**

**C2**

**C2**

**C2**

**C2**

**English**

**C2**

**C2**

**C2**

**C2**

**C2**

**Russian**

**B2**

**B2**

**B1**

**B1**

**B1**

**German**

**B2**

**B2**

**C1**

**B2**

**B2**

*(\*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages*

Social skills and competences

Professional communication capacity, sociability, stability, discipline, adaptability, capacity for team work

Organisational skills and competences

Organisational capacity, assuming responsibilities, vision in organisational culture change, work motivation, flexibility

Technical skills and competences

Computer use, Conference organisation, Book Editor, Scientific Journal Editor

Computer skills and competences

Microsoft Word, Excel, Power Point; multimedia use for teaching purposes; Internet and electronic mail skills  
Use of Concordancers in Language Teaching and Discourse Analysis  
Basic Web design for conferences, projects, research, and educational activities

Other skills and competences

Translation, Text Editing, Book conception and editing.

### Other Information

Publications: authored volumes; co-authored volumes and textbooks; chapters and articles in international monographs and journals.