

PERSONAL INFORMATION



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WORK EXPERIENCE

2021-present

Professor

'Transilvania' University of Braşov, Faculty of Sociology and Communication, B-dul Eroilor, nr. 25, <https://socio.unitbv.ro/>

- **Doctoral supervisor in the field of Sociology** through affiliation with the Interdisciplinary Doctoral School of IOSUD – 'Transilvania' University of Braşov, 2022 - present
- **Chairman of the Commission for the Analysis of Disciplinary Offenses** at the faculty level, 2021 – present
- **Coordinator of the 'Communication and social innovation' Research Centre of the Research-Development Institute** ('Transilvania' University of Braşov), 2019 - 2023.
- **Member of the Peer Evaluation Committee** at the Faculty of Sociology and Communication in 2017, 2023 and 2024.
- **Responsible for the Quality Assurance in University Education** – Sociology study programme, 2008-2014
- **Courses** (2000 – present): Social research methods and techniques (Social Work degree), Qualitative social research techniques (Sociology degree and master degree Community Assistance and Development), Research methods in human resource management (Human Resources degree), Qualitative methodology in human resource management (Master degree in Human Resource Management and Development), Qualitative techniques of online research (Digital Media degree), Sociology of identity (Sociology degree), Symbolic construction of identity (Master degree in Management of Image Campaigns), Visual sociology (Sociology degree), Image analysis and interpretation techniques (Communication and Public Relations degree and Digital Media degree), Advanced methods and techniques in sociological research (Doctoral studies in Sociology).

2015-2021

Associate Professor

'Transilvania' University of Braşov, Faculty of Sociology and Communication

2006-2015

Lecturer

'Transilvania' University of Braşov, Faculty of Sociology and Communication

2002-2006

Teaching Assistant

'Transilvania' University of Braşov, Faculty of Sociology and Communication

2000-2002

Instructor

'Transilvania' University of Braşov, Faculty of Sociology and Communication

2000

Research assistant

Study and Research Centre of Brasov

- Marketing research, electoral campaign management, electoral pools, focus-groups

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2020

Habilitation in Sociology

'Alexandru Ioan Cuza' University of Iasi, Doctoral School of Philosophy and Socio-political Sciences

2003-2009

PhD in Sociology

'Babeş-Bolyai' University of Cluj-Napoca, Faculty of Sociology and Social Work

2000-2002 **Master Degree in Governance and Institutional Development**
National School of Political and Administrative Studies of Bucharest, Faculty of Political Sciences

1996-2000 **Sociology degree**
'Transilvania' University of Braşov, Faculty of Economic Sciences

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1	C1	B2	B2	B2
French	C1	C1	B2	B2	C1

Other skills

- Graduation certificate of the **Department for Teacher Training** of 'Transilvania' University of Braşov, 2000
- Certificate of graduation from the courses of the **School of Social Statistics** organized by the Foundation for an Open Society, the Faculty of Sociology and the Faculty of Political Sciences and Public Administration of 'Babeş-Bolyai' University of Cluj-Napoca, 1999.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Published books

- Editor: **Visual Techniques Applied in Social Research**, Peter Lang Publishing, Berlin, Germany, 2020.
- Author: **Visual data in social research**, Cluj University Press, 2016.
- Author: **Identity Strategies for the Personal Development of Managerial Elites in Romania**, Peter Lang Publishing, series "XXII Sociology" of the collection European University Studies, Frankfurt am Main, Germany, 2014.
- Author (with Codrina Şandru): **Italia – Romania: l'esperienza completa della migrazione**, Kurumun Publishing, Esplorazioni Collection, Calimera, Italy, 2014.
- Author: **Introduction to Sociology of Identity**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Braşov, 2009.
- Editor: **Qualitative Researches in Social Work. Student Attempts**, vol. II, 'Transilvania' University Press, Braşov, 2009.
- Editor: **Qualitative Researches in Social Work. Student Attempts**, vol. I, 'Transilvania' University Press, Braşov, 2007.
- Author: **Handbook of Qualitative Research in Socio-Human Sciences**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Braşov, 2006.
- Editor (with Stefan Ungurean): **Parallel Lives in the 20th Century: Oral History and Recent Memory in Barsa County**, Phoenix Publishing, Braşov, 2002.

Book chapters

- Introduction, in Scârneci-Domnişoru, F. [ed.], **Visual Techniques Applied in Social Research**, Peter Lang Publishing, Berlin, 2020, pp. 7-20.
- The Relevance of Visual Data in Social Research in Scârneci-Domnişoru, F. [ed.], **Visual Techniques Applied in Social Research**, Peter Lang Publishing, Berlin, 2020, pp. 21-57.
- Research (with Anastasia Oceretnii), in Neamţu, G. [ed.], **Social work encyclopaedia**, Polirom Press, 2016, pp. 206-218.
- How do Romanians feel and think about the multinational company they work for?, in Coposescu, L. [ed.], **Intercultural Communication in Multinational Companies**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Braşov, 2009, pp. 7-21.
- What do sociologists think about the sociologist profession?, reprinted in Onut, Ghe., **The Profession of Sociologist**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Braşov, 2008, pp. 209-217.

Conferences

- *Anxieties of a qualitative researcher*, in Scămece, F. [ed.], **Qualitative Researches in Social Work. Student Attempts**, vol. I, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2007, pp. 97-108
- *In search of a sociology of lifestyles*, in Onuț, Ghe. [ed.], **Moving situations: social-human studies in memory of Alexandru Deniforescu**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2006, pp. 195-203.
- *Institutional determinations and dependencies* (with Radu Colțea, Anca Coman, Cătălin Frangulea, Ionuț Iulia, Adriana Șandru), in Scămece, F. and Ungurean, S. [eds], **Parallel Lives in the 20th Century: Oral History and Recent Memory in Barsa County**, Phoenix, Brașov, 2002, pp. 27-43.
- *Loss of social security of the individual in a contractual perspective of legitimizing the state*, in volume **Society and Law**, OMNIA UNI S.A.S.T., Brașov, 2001.

- Attendance at **Qual-World Interactive Virtual Conference: Qualitative Research Across Boundaries**, organised by the International Institute for Qualitative Methodology, Canada, November 2017, with poster presentation: *A visual approach of the status beliefs in Romania*.
- Attendance at **International Colloquium of Social Sciences and Communication ACUM: Challenges of Education and Research in the Social Sciences**, Brașov, November 2017, with paper presentation: *Living with Cancer - A Visual Approach*.
- Attendance at **The 4th International Conference of the Romanian Sociological Society - New Societies, Old Minorities / New Minorities, Old Societies?**, Sibiu, September – October 2016, with paper presentation: *The attitude of elderly people towards volunteering*, co-authors Luiza Meseșan-Schmitz and Marinela Șimon.
- Attendance at **14th World Congress of the European Association of Palliative Care "Building Bridges"**, Copenhagen, May, 2015, with poster presentation: *Treatment Seeking Pathways for Romanian Cancer Patients – A Qualitative Study with Cancer Hospice Patients and their Relatives* in section Medical Sociology, co-authors Daniela Moșoiu and Codrina Șandru.
- Attendance at **The 2nd International Conference of the Romanian Sociological Society - Beyond Globalization?**, Bucharest, May – June, 2012, with paper presentation: *Identity dynamics of the migration process. Instrumental case study in Drăguș commune*, co-author Codrina Șandru.
- Attendance at **Colocviul Național de Științe Sociale ACUM 2011**, Brașov, with paper presentation: *'The qualitative approach of the socio-human' or equivocal, particular, emotion and understanding in social knowledge*, during the honorific session 'Recognition and memory: in honour of Professor Petru Iluț'.
- Attendance at **International Conference on LIABILITY and SCIENTIFIC ENQUIRY**, Brașov, April, 2011, with paper presentation: *Measuring Occupational Prestige in Romania*.
- Attendance at **Colocviul Național de Științe Sociale ACUM 2009**, Brașov, with volume presentation: *Introduction to identity sociology*, during the event The Book 'ACUM'.
- Attendance at **Școala Academică de Sociologie: Politici Sociale și Dezvoltare Durabilă**, Bran – Brașov, October 2009.
- Attendance at **Colocviul Național de Științe Sociale - ACUM 2008**, Brașov, with paper: *Managers' self-esteem - a qualitative 'measurement'*.
- Attendance at **Colocviul Internațional de Științe Sociale - ACUM 2007**, Brașov, with paper presentation: *The significance in practice of the concepts of personal development at Romanian managers*.
- Attendance at **Colocviul Internațional de Științe Sociale - ACUM 2006**, Brașov, with paper presentation: *What sociologists think about the profession of sociologist* and co-moderation of the round table: 'Sociologist and Power' (with paper presentation: *Sociologist and Power – methodological point of view*).
- Attendance at **The session of scientific communications: 'Sociology - (re)creation and dialog'**, Cluj-Napoca, 2000, with paper presentation: *The Hobbesian contract and social security*.

Summer schools and workshops

- *Using visuals in multicultural educational environments* (workshop conducted at **UniCulture Conference Innovative approaches to education in a modern, diverse and intercultural environment**, organised in the ERASMUS+ project: UniCulture - Development of innovative approach for training for university professors to work in the modern diverse and intercultural environment, 2021);
- *Qualitative data in social research* (workshop conducted at **The 6th International Conference of the Romanian Sociologists Society Curators and actors of the social fabric: Views through „Post-lenses"**, organised by Romanian Sociologists Society, 2021);
- *Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods* (lecture given at **Social Sciences Research Methods Summer School** organised by Saskatchewan University (Canada), 'Transilvania' University of Brașov and ICEBERG, 2019);
- *Data Analysis: Visual Data Analysis and Interpretation* (workshop conducted at **Social Sciences Research Methods Summer School** organised by Saskatchewan University (Canada), 'Transilvania' University of Brașov and ICEBERG, 2019);
- *Case Study Photovoice* (case study presented at **Social Sciences Research Methods Summer School** organised by Saskatchewan University (Canada), 'Transilvania' University of Brașov and ICEBERG, 2019).

Articles published in conference

volumes

- *'The Qualitative Approach of the Socio-Human' or Equivocal, Particular, Emotion and Understanding in Social Knowledge*, in **International Colloquium of Social Science ACUM 2011**, vol. 5, no. 2, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2011, pp. 41-44.
- *Measuring Occupational Prestige in Romania* (with Carmen Buzea), in Murzea, C., Repanovici, A. [eds.], **Legal Practice and International Laws (Proceedings of the WSEAS International Conference on Liability and Scientific Enquiry)**, WSEAS Press, 2011, pp. 165-171.
- *Concepts of Self-Development in Socio-Humanistic Sciences*, in **Proceedings of the Fifth International Conference 'Mechanics and Machine Elements'** (November, 2009, Sofia, Bulgaria), 'Education and Education Technology' Section, Technical University Press, 2010, pp. 137-146.
- *Types of scales and their usage in data-collection instruments*, in **Proceedings of the Fifth International Conference 'Mechanics and Machine Elements'** (November, 2009, Sofia, Bulgaria), 'Education and Education Technology' Section, Technical University Press, 2010, pp. 230-236.
- *Managers' self-esteem – a qualitative 'measurement'*, in **The International Colloquium of Social Sciences – ACUM 2008**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2009, pp. 303-312.
- *How do Romanians perceive the multinational company they work for?*, in **Proceedings of the Sixth International Conference on Challenges in Higher Education and Research in the 21st Century** (June, 2008, Sozopol, Bulgaria), Heron Press, Sofia, 2008.
- *The significance of the personal development concepts. Romanian managers' case*, in **The International Colloquium of Social Sciences – ACUM 2007**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2008, pp. 481-489.
- *Data analysis in qualitative research*, in Coman, C. [ed.], **The International Colloquium of Social Sciences – ACUM 2006**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2007.
- *What do sociologists think about the sociologist profession?*, in Coman, C. [ed.], **The International Colloquium of Social Sciences – ACUM 2006**, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2007.
- *The Methodologies of the Sociological Research*, in **Economy and globalisation. International Scientific Conference** (2; 2005; Târgu-Jiu), Vol I: General Economic Theory, Management, Marketing, Tourism Catering, Humanities, Universitaria Press, Craiova, 2005, pp. 463-468.
- *Measuring attitudes with Likert scale*, in **Economy and globalisation. International Scientific Conference** (2; 2005; Târgu-Jiu), Vol I: General Economic Theory, Management, Marketing, Tourism Catering, Humanities, Universitaria Press, Craiova, 2005, pp 537-540.
- *The role of the theories and the paradigms in sociological research*, in **Romania in the process of globalization and European economic integration. Proceedings of the Scientific Communications Session organized by the 'Dimitrie Cantemir' Christian University**, Infomarket, Braşov, 2003, pp. 99-103.
- *Recruitment and circulation of elites in Romania*, in **Romania in the process of globalization and European economic integration. Proceedings of the Scientific Communications Session organized by the 'Dimitrie Cantemir' Christian University**, Infomarket, Braşov, 2003, pp. 94-98.

Articles published in journals

- *Practicing Sociology: The Role of Theory in Applied Research*, in **Corvinus Journal of Sociology and Social Policy**, vol. 16, no. 1, 2025, pp. 159-178.
- *From Sample to Population Generalization in Qualitative Research*, in **The Qualitative Report**, vol. 29, no. 8, 2024, pp. 2362-2383.
- *Re-Creating Normality During Pandemic. A Visual Essay on the Adaptation to the Period of Isolation in Romania* (with Codrina Csesznek), in **Annals of the "Constantin Brâncuşi" University of Târgu Jiu - Letter and Social Science Series**, no. 1, „Academica Brâncuşi” Publishing, 2023, pp. 137-145.
- *Quarantine Time in Romania. Participants' Visual Perspective About Being Isolated During Covid-19* (with Codrina Csesznek), in **Annals of the "Constantin Brâncuşi" University of Târgu Jiu - Letter and Social Science Series**, no. 1, „Academica Brâncuşi” Publishing, 2022, pp. 97-108.
- *The Importance of the Environment During the Isolation Caused by the Covid-19 Pandemic. A Visual Essay* (with Codrina Csesznek), in **Bulletin of the „Transilvania” University of Braşov – Series VII: Social Sciences and Law**, vol. 15 (64), no. 1, Ed. Universităţii „Transilvania” din Braşov, 2022, pp. 31-44.
- *Children and Teenagers During Pandemic in Romania. A Visual Approach to Activities Associated with Adaptation to Social Isolation* (with Codrina Csesznek), in **Universitary Journal of Sociology**, vol. XVIII, no. 1, Beladi Publishing House, Craiova, 2022, pp. 36-48.
- *Some Innovative Qualitative Data Collecting Techniques*, in **Bulletin of the „Transilvania” University of Braşov – Series VII: Social Sciences and Law**, vol. 14 (63), no. 2, 2021, pp. 317-326.
- *Changes in Working Practices in a Rural Community of Romania Community* (with Codrina Csesznek), in **Visual Communication**, vol. 18, no. 2, published by Sage Publications, UK, 2019, pp. 189-204.
- *Significances of Volunteering for the Senior Citizens of Brasov (Romania)* (with Marinela Simon), in **Social Work**, vol. 17, no. 1, published by Mikolas Romeris University, Lithuania, 2019, pp. 21-44.
- *Presenting Results of Social Research through Visual Essay*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania'**

- University of Brașov** – Series VII: Social Sciences and Law, vol. 12 (61), no. 1, 2019, pp. 93-108.
- *'If You Were an Animal, a Plant, a Meal, a Car... What Would You Be?'. The Use of Analogy in the Study of Identity Traits*, in **Czech Sociological Review**, vol. 55, no. 3, published by the Institute of Sociology of the Czech Academy of Sciences, 2019, pp. 347-368.
 - *Unorthodox Depictions of Divinity. Romanian Children's Drawings of Him, Her or It* (with Daniela Sorea), in **International Journal Of Children's Spirituality**, vol. 23, no. 4, published by Taylor & Francis, UK, 2018, pp. 380-400.
 - *Reflections on Social Research Methodology*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brașov** – Series VII: Social Sciences and Law, vol. 11 (60), no. 2, 2018, pp. 91-102.
 - *Photovoice: Adult Patients of Hospice Brasov (Romania) on what it means to Live with Cancer*, in **Visual Communication**, vol. 16, no. 2, Sage Publications, 2017, pp. 195-208.
 - *Ethnographic Reflections of Return Migration in a Romanian Rural Community* (with Codrina Csesznek), in **Dve Domovini/Two Homelands**, vol. 46, published by Slovenian Migration Institute at the ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana, 2017, pp. 89-102.
 - *Acceptable and Unacceptable Sources of Inequality in Romania. A Visual Study*, in **TRAMES - A Journal of the Humanities and Social Sciences**, vol. 19, no. 4, published by Estonian Academy of Sciences and Tartu University, Estonia, 2015, pp. 367-402.
 - *'What's wrong with my Company?'* - Sociological Answers from Unstructured Interviewing, in **Socioeconomica - The Scientific Journal for Theory and Practice of Socio-economic Development**, vol. 3, no. 5, published by The Scientific Society for the Promotion and Advancement of the Social Sciences, Novi Pazar, Serbia, 2014, pp. 21-36.
 - *Qualitative Study of Romanian Managers' Identity*, in **International Journal of Social Inquiry**, vol. 7, no. 1, published by Uludag University, Turkey in collaboration with James Cook University Queensland, Australia, 2014, pp. 19-46.
 - *Romanian Sociologists' Identity as Reflected in their Stories about the Space they Live in*, in **Socialiniai Tyrimai (Social Research)**, no. 2 (31), Publishing House of Siauliai -University, Lithuania, 2013, pp. 70-80.
 - *Narrative Technique of Interviewing*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brașov** – Series VII: Social Sciences and Law, vol. 6 (55), no. 1, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brașov, 2013, pp. 21-28.
 - *How I Became a Qualitative Researcher?*, in **Sociologija. Mintis ir veiksmas (Sociology. Thought and Action)**, no. 1 (30), published by Sociology Department of Klaipeda University and by Sociology Department of Vilnius University (Lithuania), 2012, pp. 258-275.
 - *A qualitative study on the identity condition of the Romanian manager*, in **Romanian Journal of Sociology**, new series, XXII, no. 1-2, Romanian Academy Press, Bucharest, 2011, pp. 123-152.
 - *Who are the Romanian managers and how they identify themselves?*, in **Management & Marketing: Challenges for the Knowledge Society**, vol. 6, no. 1, Economic Publishing, Bucharest, 2011, pp. 177-192.
 - *How I Performed 'Story-Telling'. A Confessional Story*, in **Sociologia - Slovak Sociological Review**, vol. 43, no. 3, Institute for Sociology, Slovak Academy of Sciences, 2011, pp. 286-308.
 - *A Qualitative Research Regarding Identity Aspects of Romanian Managers*, in **Scientific Annals of the 'Alexandru Ioan Cuza' University from Iasi**, Sociology and Social Work Section, Vol. IV, no. 1, 'Alexandru Ioan Cuza' University Press, Iasi, 2011, pp. 173-189.
 - *The role of qualitative research in social work*, in **Social Work Journal**, Year X, no. 4, Polirom Press, Iasi, 2011, pp. 63-72.
 - *Occupational Prestige in Romania - An Exploratory Study* (with Carmen Buzea), in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brașov** – Series VII: Social Sciences and Law, vol. 4 (53), no. 1, 'Transilvania' University Press, Brașov, 2011, pp. 9-18.
 - *An Abstract of a Doctoral Thesis: Identity Strategies for Personal Development of Managerial Elites*, in **Annals of the 'Constantin Brâncuși' University of Târgu Jiu - Letters and Social Sciences Series**, no. 3, 'Academica Brâncuși' Press, 2011, pp. 76-98.
 - *Sociological study regarding Romanian manager's motivation*, in **Annals of 'Spiru Haret' University** – Economic Series, vol. 1 (10), 'Romania de Maine' Foundation Press, Bucharest, 2010, pp. 57-67.
 - *Identity in social human sciences – general aspects*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brașov** – Series IV: Socio-Humanistic Sciences 1 (50), 'Transilvania' University Press, Brașov, 2008.
 - *General traits of Romanian managers' identity - a qualitative research project*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brașov** - Series B, 14 (49), 'Transilvania' University Press, Brașov, 2007.
 - *Story telling as qualitative research*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brașov** - Series B, 13 (48), 'Transilvania' University Press, Brașov, 2006.
 - *The text – a fundamental element in qualitative research*, in **Bulletin of the 'Transilvania'**

University of Brasov - Series B, vol. 12 (47), 'Transilvania' University Press, Brasov, 2005.

- *Identity conditionings of personal development*, in **Annales Universitatis Apulensis**, the Sociological Series no. 4/2004, '1 Decembrie 1918' University of Alba-Iulia Press.
- *Researching identity from a sociological perspective*, in **Annales Universitatis Apulensis**, the Sociological Series no. 3/2003, '1 Decembrie 1918' University of Alba-Iulia Press.

Organizational activities

- **Section coordination:** *Qualitative and Mixed Methods Research Workshops and Case Studies* within **Social Sciences Research Methods Summer School** organised by Saskatchewan University (Canada), 'Transilvania' University of Braşov and ICEBERG, 2019.

Activities in editorial teams

- **Reviewer** at *International Journal of Qualitative Methods* (Sage), at *BMC Pediatrics* (Springer Nature), *Romanian Sociology* (Romanian Association of Sociology), at *Journal of Experimental & Theoretical Artificial Intelligence* (Taylor & Francis), at *Current Sociology* (Sage), at *Visual Studies* (Taylor & Francis), at *International Journal of Children's Spirituality* (Taylor & Francis), at *Frontiers in Psychology*, at *SAGE Open* (Sage) and at *Visual Communication* (Sage).
- **Secretary** at Bulletin of the 'Transilvania' University of Brasov - Series VII: Social Sciences and Law, 'Transilvania' University Press, 2011-2014.

Research activities

- **Member** of the Erasmus + project, Strategic Partnerships, *UniCulture: Development of innovative approach to training for university professors to work in the modern diverse and intercultural environmen*, no. 2019-1-ROot-KA203-063400, won by the 'Transilvania' University of Braşov, 2019-2021, with a value of 202134 euros, project manager prof. dr. Carmen Buzea.
- **Director of the grant** dedicated to young researchers: *Visual techniques applied in social research*, no. 8037 / 14.07.2017, won through competition and financed by the "Transilvania" University of Braşov, 2017-2018 (22500 RON).
- **Member** of the research grant: *Old people issues and the volunteering at the Brasov community level* (director lecturer dr. Luiza Meseşan-Schmitz), no. 3418 / 26.03.2014, financed by Braşov County Council, 2014 (70000 RON).
- **Member** (qualitative research expert) in the project: *A quality life for people with incurable diseases: information, training, consultancy (pilot project)*, grant for NGOs won by the Hospice Foundation "Casa Speranței" (Thematic Fund for Civil Society Participation), funded by the Swiss-Romanian Cooperation Program, 2013-2014 (66726 Swiss francs).
- **Member** (short-term expert - responsible for qualitative analyses) in the implementation team of the research grant funded from an international source (European Social Fund) POSDRU/86/1.2/S/64075, *University for the future in the communication society*, 2011-2013, having a total value of 20,089,315 lei, project manager prof. dr. Mihai Coman.
- **Member** of the research services contract *Electricians and electrification in memory of the people of Brasov* (director lecturer dr. Daniela Sorea), beneficiary S.C. FDEE Electrica Distribuție Sud S.A., 2011-2012 (55000 RON).
- **Member** of the Research Centre: *Communication and Social Innovation (Institute of Research Development)*, 'Transilvania' University of Brasov, 2010 – present).
- **Director of the research project for young doctoral students** (won through national competition - PN-II-RU-TD-2008, contract number 33 / 4.06.2008) *Identity strategies for personal development of managerial elites* financed from the state budget (35400 RON), 2008-2009.
- **Member** of the multi-annual research project (won through national competition - CNCIS A) *Institutional language and intercultural communication in joint ventures in Romania* (director associate professor dr. Liliana Coposescu) funded by the state budget (RON 87281), 2007-2008.
- **Member** in the research project (won through national competition - CNCIS A) *Profession and occupations of sociologist* (director associate professor dr. Gheorghe Onuț) financed from the state budget (73200 RON), 2006.
- **Carrying out a sociological research program** following the conclusion of scientific contracts between the 'Transilvania' University and the County Agency for Employment, Braşov, the Braşov County Office for Consumer Protection and the Transilvania Expres Foundation, 2002.
- **Coordinator of the research programme:** *Oral History in Barsa County* ('Transilvania' University of Brasov, Indiana University of Bloomington - USA and Aspera ProEdu Foundation of Brasov, 2001).
- **Collaboration with the Center for Studies and Research** in Brasov, year 2000.

Honours and awards

- **The merit gradation** granted to the teaching staff from the 'Transilvania' University of Braşov, for the period 01.11.2015-31.10.2020 and 01.11.2020-31.10.2025.
- **The prize** worth 1000 RON for the publication of the article *Unorthodox depictions of divinity. Romanian children's drawings of Him, Her or It* in a journal indexed in the Arts & Humanities Citation Index. The award was given within PNCDI III, Human Resources sub-program, Awarding research results - articles, 2019 competition.
- **The prize** worth 2000 RON for the publication of the article *Acceptable and Unacceptable Sources*

of Inequality in Romania. A Visual Study in a journal indexed in the Arts & Humanities Citation Index. The award was given within PNCDI III, Human Resources sub-program, Awarding research results - articles, 2016 competition.

- **'Transilvania' University Scholarship**, year 2013, worth 10000 RON.

Mobilities

- **Documentation internship** at the *European University Institute* (Florence, Italy) within the Scholarship of the 'Transilvania' University of Brasov, during: 29.08.2013-15.09.2013.
- **Documentation internship** at *Central European University* (Budapest, Hungary) within the project PN-II-RU-TD-2008, in the period: 14.09.2008-28.09.2008.

Memberships

- International Sociological Association (ISA)
- Romanian Sociological Society (SSR)

Signature

Date
1.09.2026