

Curriculum Vitae



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Female | Romanian

POSITION APPLIED FOR WORK EXPERIENCE

Dates

March 2022 ongoing

Occupation or position held

Head of Department

Main activities and responsibilities

Managing the human resources of the faculty

Name and address of employer

Faculty of Management, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration

(S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

October 2019 ongoing

Occupation or position held

Professor, PhD, Habil.

Main activities and responsibilities

Conducting courses on Strategic Management, Research Methods in Economic Science, SMEs Internationalization, Global Digital Enterprise, Ethics and Academic Integrity

Name and address of employer

Faculty of Management, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

Dates

February 2017 - October 2019

Occupation or position held

Associate Professor, PhD, Habil.

Main activities and responsibilities

Conducting courses on Organizational Theory, Organizational Diagnosis, Entrepreneurial Communication and Negotiation, Corporate Communication, SMEs Internationalization, Programs Communication, Entrepreneurial Creativity and Innovation

Name and address of employer

Faculty of Management, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

Dates

March 2018 ongoing

Occupation or position held

Head of the Centre for Research in Management

Main activities and responsibilities Name and address of employer

Planning, organizing, coordination, monitoring and evaluation of the research labs and teams National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

February 2017 - July 2017

Occupation or position held

Visiting Professor

Main activities and responsibilities

Research based on structural equation modelling

Name and address of employer Department of Economics, University of Insubria, Varese, Italy Type of business or sector

October 2014 - February 2017 **Dates**

Institution for higher education

Occupation or position held

Lecturer, PhD

Main activities and responsibilities

Conducting courses on Organizational Theory, Organizational Diagnosis, Managerial Psychology and Communication, Corporate communication, Entrepreneurial Creativity and Innovation

Name and address of employer

Faculty of Management, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

Dates

October 2014 - March 2018

Occupation or position held

Deputy Head of the Centre for Research in Management and Leadership

Main activities and responsibilities Name and address of employer Planning, organizing, coordination, monitoring and evaluation of the research labs and teams National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Institution for higher education

Dates

April 2014 ongoing

Occupation or position held

Type of business or sector

STRATEGICA International Conference Organizer

Main activities and responsibilities Name and address of employer Coordination of the conference organizing committee National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector Institution for higher education

Dates

January 2013 ongoing

Occupation or position held

Managing Editor - Journal of Management Dynamics in the Knowledge Economy

Main activities and responsibilities

Articles selection and editing

Name and address of employer

National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education June 2015 - March 2016

Occupation or position held

Communication Expert and Trainer

Main activities and responsibilities

Conducting training and coaching sessions with employees from the Ministry of Regional Development and Public Administration; Training on dissemination strategies of public and state institutions

Name and address of employer Type of business or sector AAM Management Information Consulting Ltd. (Romanian subsidiary), Bucharest, Romania

Dates

May 2013 - October 2013

Business Consulting

Occupation or position held Main activities and responsibilities

Event Organizing Expert Project "Initiativă pentru societatea civilă" [Initiative for the civil society], POSDRU /93/3.3/S/54954;

Name and address of employer

Planning, organizing, coordinating, monitoring and evaluating the activities of thematic events. Multimedia Foundation and National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.). Bucharest. Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

February 2013 - May 2013

Occupation or position held Main activities and responsibilities **Training Expert**

Project: "Stilul de învățare și temperamentul școlarilor - instrumente pentru o educație creativă" [The style of learning and the pupils' temperament – instruments for a creative education], POSDRU /87/1.3/S/61341; Holding lectures and conducting seminars on "Effective thinking and creativity".

Name and address of employer

National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector **Dates**

Institution for higher education April 2011 – October 2012

Occupation or position held

Managing Director

Main activities and responsibilities

Planning and assessing research, coordinating, motivating and monitoring team activity, contract negotiation, project implementation.

Name and address of employer

S.C. Expoll S.R.L., Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Sociological and market research

Dates

February 2008 ongoing

Occupation or position held

Communication and Marketing Consultant

Main activities and responsibilities

Designing, planning, applying and evaluating the communication strategy of the organization; planning and organizing communication sessions and events; conducting market research regarding the company products and services and the company image.

Name and address of employer

S.C. PARTENER S.R.L., Bacau, Romania

Type of business or sector

Commerce with industrial equipment

Dates

February 2007 - September 2014

Occupation or position held

Assistant Professor

Main activities and responsibilities

Conducting seminars on *Organizational Theory, Corporate Culture* and on *Managerial Communication and Public Relations*; conducting an academic project ("Intelligent Communication") on virtual organizations and on the hybrid forms of interaction and communication in a virtual environment designed for students.

Name and address of employer

The Faculty of Communication and Public Relations of the National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

Dates

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Dates

October 2007 - October 2008

Occupation or position held

Assistant Professor

Main activities and responsibilities

Conducting seminars on The Economy of Tourism

Ovis Prod Serv S.R.L., 24 9 Mai Street, Bacau, Romania

Name and address of employer

The Faculty of Social and Economical Sciences "Lucian Blaga", Bacau, Romania

Type of business or sector

Institution for higher education

Occupation or position held

April 2006 – September 2011 **Public Relation Specialist**

Main activities and responsibilities

Designing, planning, applying and evaluating the strategy of public relations of the organization; planning and organizing public relations activities and events; elaborating analyses on the social image of the organization and on the social representation of the local community.

Name and address of employer

Commerce with nutriments

Type of business or sector

September 1998 – December 1998

Occupation or position held

Project Coordinator

Main activities and responsibilities

Planning, organizing, coordinating, running, promoting projects for teenagers; managing the financial, material, informational and human resources.

Name and address of employer

Regional Centre of Ecological Education, Arts and Tourism (organization affiliated with UNESCO), 6 Cuza Voda Street, Bacau, Romania

Type of business or sector

Non-governmental organization concerned with developing projects for the youth

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Dates

October 2014 – September 2017

Title of qualification awarded Principal subjects/occupational skills Doctoral Degree in Economics and International Business, Summa cum laude

Name and type of organisation

Field of research: B2B relational marketing in the context of SMEs internationalization endeavours

providing education and training Level in national or international

EQF Level 8

classification
Dates

covered

May 2014 - December 2015

Title of qualification awarded Principal subjects/occupational skills Postdoctoral Degree in Communication Sciences – European Scholarship

Field of research: The intellectual capital within transnational social networks from academia – Knowledge Management; Intellectual Capital; Transnational Research Networks.

Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania



Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Level in national or international classification

Dates

Title of qualification awarded

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

Name and type of organisation providing education and training Level in national or international classification

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Title of qualification awarded

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

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Level in national or international classification

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Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Level in national or international classification

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Title of qualification awarded Principal subjects/occupational skills

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Level in national or international classification

National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

EQF Level 8

October 2008 - September 2011

Doctoral Degree in Communication Sciences; European scholarship funded by The European Social Fund; May 2010 - December 2010 - DOCTORAL MOBILITY AT THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF LOUVAIN-LA-NEUVE, BELGIUM, Summa cum laude

Field of research: Similarity in the virtual communities - Social Media; Social Psychology; Group Dynamics.

National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

EQF Level 8

October 2006 – July 2008

Master of Arts degree in Project Management, Thesis title: "Global Communities under the Influence of Multiple Mediations", **valedictorian**.

Project Management; Financial Analysis; European Funds and Grants; Project Audit; Microsoft Project Planner; Globalization and European Integration; Human Resources Management; International Public Relations.

Faculty of Communication and Public Relations, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

EQF Level 7

October 2006 - July 2008

Master of Arts degree in European Public Administration – "European Public Space", Thesis title: "The European Constitution – Supranational Challenge or Functional Imperative for the European Union".

Administrative Capacity; Management of Public Affairs; European Law; European Institutions, European Social Policies; Theory of the Civil Service; Labor and European Social Security Law.

Faculty of Public Administration, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

EQF Level 7

October 2002 - July 2006

Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication and Public Relations, Thesis title: "Persuasion through similarity and image in mass media messages", **valedictorian**.

Communication Theory; Philosophy of Communication; Mass media and society; Semiotics; Geopolitics; Political Communication; Public Relations Campaigns; Sociology of Public Opinion; Social Psychology; Sociology of Mass Communication; Writing in Public Relations; Project Management; Marketing and Management; Human Resources Management; Fundamentals of Advertising; Globalization and International Relations; Image Building.

Faculty of Communication and Public Relations, National University of Political Sciences and Public Administration (S.N.S.P.A.), Bucharest, Romania

EQF Level 6

September 1998 – July 2002

Baccalaureate Diploma of Merit, top of the form.

Literature; English; French; English literature; The History and Geography of Great Britain; Philosophy; Psychology; Logics; Economy.

National College "Ferdinand I", Bacau, Romania, bilingual studies English – French.

EQF Level 3



PERSONAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

Mother tongue(s)

Romanian

Other language(s)
Self-assessment

European level (*)

English French

Spanish

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user
B1	Independent user	C1	Proficient user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	В1	Independent user
B2	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	A2	Basic user	A2	Basic user

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication / social skills and competences

Sociability, team work, mediating and negotiation skills, communication and conflict management skills acquired as Deputy Head of the Centre for Research in Management and Leadership, as coordinator of STRATEGICA international conference organizing committee, etc. (as indicated in the Work experience section).

Also, the social skills and competences were acquired and developed as a team leader or member in different educational projects conducted within my university.

Organisational / managerial skills and competences

Propensity towards teamwork and collaborative environments, a paramount prerequisite for the planning, organization, coordination and leadership activities conducted as a manager and/or coordinator.

Management and leadership of multiple and varied project teams (often international research teams) as a part of academia core functions.

Technical skills and competences

Technical skills in data management and in image building acquired during the internship within the Public Relations Department of The Romanian Ministry of National Defence (July 2003).

Computer skills and competences

Microsoft Windows, Microsoft Office (Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Power Point, Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Access, Microsoft Publisher), Internet, SPSS, SMART-PLS, ADANCO (structural equation modelling software) - Proficient user.

European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL) obtained in February 2006.

Artistic skills and competences

Musical abilities – member of the Romanian choir "The Friends of Music", a group with international experience.

Other skills and competences

Flexibility and adaptive orientation towards new situations and exigencies; ability to anticipate change and new trends at microeconomic levels; dynamic capabilities in dealing with process and change management at the organizational level; predilection for regular self-assessment in terms of professional and personal SMART objectives.

Driving licence

Yes

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Participation in national and international research grants

- October 2020 ongoing Project Manager "The impact of knowledge networks on achieving sustainable competitive advantage: from the individual to the organizational systems", supported by the Ministry of Research and Innovation, CNCS - UEFISCDI, project number PN-III-P1-1.1-TE-2019-1356, within PNCDI III.
- May 2018 ongoing Project Manager "The evaluation of the impact of intellectual capital
 in the internationalization process of European SMEs", supported by the Ministry of Research
 and Innovation, CNCS UEFISCDI, project number PN-III-P1-1.1-TE-2016-0232, within
 PNCDI III.
- August 2017 May 2018 Researcher Project: ERANET Accelerating Low Carbon



- Industrial Growth through CCUS: ALIGN-CCUS, financed by UEFISCDI and the European Commission. Subprogram 3.2 Horizon 2020.
- July 2016 **Member** of the national network COST ACTION New Materialism: Networking European Scholarship on How Matter Comes to Matter (No. IS1307).
- Researcher, Project "Influenţe externe şi strategii interne de management în economia care învaţă" [External influences and internal management strategies in the knowledge economyl, S.N.S.P.A., Bucharest, Romania (June 2014 – June 2016).
- **Event Organizing Expert**, Project "Initiativă pentru societatea civilă" [Initiative for the civil society], POSDRU /93/3.3/S/54954; Planning, organizing, coordinating, monitoring and evaluating the activities of thematic events.
- Training expert, Project: "Stilul de învăţare şi temperamentul şcolarilor instrumente pentru
 o educaţie creativă" [The style of learning and the pupils' temperament instruments for a
 creative education], POSDRU /87/1.3/S/61341; Holding lectures and conducting seminars
 on "Effective thinking and creativity" (for further information, please see the Work
 experience section).
- 2018, 2019 Evaluator of research proposals submitted to the Office of Research Support
 at Qatar University (QU) QU High Impact Grant;
 http://www.qu.edu.qa/research/offices/research-support/pre-award/fundingresources/Internal/hig.
- 2017 Evaluator of research proposals submitted to the Executive Government Agency of National Science Centre (Narodowe Centrum Nauki - NCN; http://www.ncn.gov.pl), Funding scheme PRELUDIUM. 2017-2018.

November 2020 – Emerald Literati Award for Excellence as a Reviewer

- January 2018 Best Presentation Award at the 5th Business Systems Laboratory International Symposium "Cocreating Responsible Futures in the Digital Age: Exploring new paths towards economic, social and environmental Sustainability", organized by Business Systems Laboratory and University "Ferderico II" of Naples, Italy, 22-24 January 2018.
- May 2018 and May 2019 Research scholarships granted by the Department of Economics from University of Insubria, Italy.
- February 2014 First prize in the business plans competition "Entrepreneur 2.0.", project co-financed by the European Social Fund, the Sectorial Operational Programme "Human Resources Development 2007-2013 Invest in People!" (POSDRU) 2007-2013, Major Intervention Domain 3.1. "Promotion of Entrepreneurial Culture", POSDRU/92/3.1./S/49068.
- December 2013 Second prize in the competition "EHR Entrepreneurship for Human Resources", project co-financed by European Social Fund, the Sectorial Operational Programme "Human Resources Development 2007-2013 Invest in People!" (POSDRU) 2007-2013, Major Intervention Domain 3.1. "Promotion of Entrepreneurial Culture", POSDRU/92/3.1/S/53763.
- May 2004 First Prize and Third Prize at The Session of Scientific Communications organized by The Faculty of Communication and Public Relations, S.N.S.P.A., Bucharest, Romania (Papers presented: "The Impact of Complicity on Persuasion in Qualitative Papers"; "The vote image of liberty or imaginary liberty?").
- May 2003 First Prize at The Session of Scientific Communications organized by The Faculty of Communication and Public Relations, S.N.S.P.A., Bucharest, Romania (Paper presented: "The Analysis of Alexandru Lapusneanu's Image in Polish Documents").

Memberships

- May 2018 Member of the Association For Innovation and Quality in Sustainable Business BASIQ (http://basiq.ro/);
- November 2017 Member of the Management Academic Society in Romania (SAMRO) (http://samro.ro/).
- July 2017 Director for Romania of Business Systems Laboratory (BSLAB) (http://www.bslaboratory.net/web/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=165&Ite mid=101&lang=en).
- April 2017 Member of the American Economic Association (https://www.aeaweb.org/ms2/member/).

Evaluator of international research grants

Honours and awards



- November 2016 Member of the Association for Information Systems (https://aisnet.org/members/default.asp?id=43191299#).
- July 2016 Member of the National Network for COST Action New Materialism: Networking European Scholarship on How Matter Comes to Matter (No. IS1307).
- April 2015 Member of the International Association for Knowledge Management (http://iakm.weebly.com/elena-m259d259lina-v259t259m259nescu.html).
- February 2015 Member of the Association for Promotion of Knowledge Economy, Romania.
- July 2014 ongoing Member of the Research Lab "Organizational Learning" within the Faculty of Communication and Public Relations, S.N.S.P.A., Bucharest, Romania (https://thelearningorganizations.wordpress.com/the-team/).
- October 2014 Member of the Research Lab "Business Administration" within the Faculty of Management, S.N.S.P.A., Bucharest, Romania (http://www.facultateademanagement.ro/centrul-de-cercetare-in-management-si-leadeship/).
- June 2010 October 2012 Member of Association for Computing Machinery (ACM).

June 2018 – Habilitation certificate in the Management Doctoral Field

- May 2016 Certificate of attendance to the workshop "Explore the history of science using Web of Science in order to discover the research results", organized by Thomson Reuters, Bucharest, Romania.
- 14-16 April 2016 Certificate of attendance to the course "Investing in Successful Leaders. Everything that You Need to Know about Efficient Change and Program Management", conducted by Dr. Roland Gareis and Lorenz Gareis from ROLAND GAREIS CONSULTING, Vienna, Austria, held at Faculty of Management, S.N.S.P.A., Bucharest, Romania.
- March 2016 Certificate of completion of the professional educational programme organized by HART Consulting on HOGAN Assessment Systems (psychological assessment methods).
- 3-5 November 2015 Certificate of attendance to the workshop "PLS Path Modeling: Introduction & Application", conducted by professor dr. Jörg Henseler, held at "Babeş-Bolyai" University, Clui, Romania.
- 29 August 2015 Certificate of completion of the online seminar "How do Editors look at your paper?", organized by Elsevier.
- 29 August 2015 Certificate of completion of the online seminar "Ways for researchers to store, share, discover, and use data", organized by Elsevier.
- 27-31 July 2015 Certificate of attendance to the course "Multiple Regression Analysis: Estimation, Diagnostics and Modelling", conducted by professor dr. Bernhard Kittel, during the 4th ECPR Winter School in Methods and Techniques, organized by the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), held at University of Ljubljana, Slovenia.
- 30 May 2015 **Certificate of completion** of the psycho-pedagogical courses (Teacher's Training Department), Level II, "Ovidius" University of Constanța.
- 13 20 February 2015 Certificate of attendance to the course "Structural Equation Modelling (SEM) with R", conducted by professor dr. Ulrich Schröeders, during the ECPR Summer School in Methods and Techniques, organized by the European Consortium for Political Research (ECPR), held at University of Bamberg, Germany.
- 17 January 2015 **Certificate of completion** of the psycho-pedagogical courses (Teacher's Training Department), Level I, "Ovidius" University of Constanța.
- January 2014 Certificate of Entrepreneurial Competences (C.N.F.P.A., Romania).
- December 2010 Certificate of Doctoral Mobility at the Catholic University of Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium (8 months).
- April 2009 Certificate of Educational Trainer issued by the Association for Education and Training, Romania.
- February 2006 European Computer Driving Licence (ECDL).

Courses and Certifications



Editorial activities

- January 2021 ongoing Assistant Editor for Kybernetes (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.754).
- January 2021 ongoing **Reviewer** for *Industrial Marketing Management* (indexed Web of Science, impact factor 4.695).
- January 2020 ongoing Reviewer for Management & Marketing. Challenges for the Knowledge Society (indexed in Emerging Sources Citation Index, Web of Science).
- January 2020 ongoing Guest Editor for Systems Research and Behavioral Science, Taylor and Francis (indexed Web of Science, impact factor 0.731).
- October 2019 ongoing **Reviewer** for *International Journal of Productivity and Performance Management* (indexed in Emerging Sources Citation Index, Web of Science).
- August 2019 ongoing **Guest Editor** for *Journal of International Management*, Elsevier (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 3.821).
- January 2019 January 2020 **Guest Editor** for *Kybernetes* (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.754).
- October 2018 ongoing Associate Editor for Kybernetes (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.754).
- August 2018 ongoing Reviewer for Journal of Small Business Management (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 3.248).
- June 2018 ongoing **Reviewer** for *Behaviour & Information Technology* (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.388).
- December 2017 ongoing **Reviewer** for *Knowledge Management Research & Practice* (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.485).
- December 2017 ongoing Reviewer for Sustainability (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 2.592).
- November 2017 ongoing Reviewer for Systems (indexed in Emerging Sources Citation Index, Web of Science).
- October 2017 ongoing Member in the Scientific Committee BSLab (<a href="http://www.bslaboratory.net/web/index.php?option=com-content&view=article&id=195<e-mid=58&lang=en">http://www.bslaboratory.net/web/index.php?option=com-content&view=article&id=195<e-mid=58&lang=en).
- October 2017 ongoing Reviewer for Amfiteatru Economic (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.238).
- September 2017 ongoing Program Committee Member and Reviewer for the "30th IBIMA Conference", organized in Madrid, Spain 8-9 November 2017 (http://ibima.org/conference/30th-ibima-conference/#ffs-tabbed-13).
- August 2017 ongoing **Reviewer** for *Management Decision* (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.963).
- April 2017 ongoing BRAIN Reviewer for Broad Research in Artificial Intelligence and Neuroscience (indexed in Emerging Sources Citation Index, Web of Science, EBSCO, DOAJ, Ulrich's).
- December 2016 ongoing **Reviewer** for *VINE Journal of Information and Knowledge Management Systems* (indexed in Emerging Sources Citation Index, Web of Science).
- December 2016 ongoing Program Committee Member and Reviewer for the "13th International Conference on Web Information Systems and Technologies" (WEBIST), organized in Porto, Portugal, 25–27 April 2017 (http://www.webist.org/ProgramCommittee.aspx).
- September 2016 ongoing Reviewer for Journal of Knowledge Management (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 1.69).
- July 2016 ongoing Reviewer for the journal Technological Forecasting and Social Change (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 3.815).
- July 2016 Program Committee Member and Reviewer for "The 9th International Conference on Knowledge Science, Engineering and Management" (KSEM 2016), organized in Passau, Germany, 5-7 October 2016 (http://ksem2016.org/general-information/program-committee, http://www.springer.com/de/book/9783319476490).
- May 2016 Reviewer for the journal BRAND. Broad Research in Accounting, Negotiation, and Distribution (indexed in EBSCO, Ulrich's, RePEc (Ideas, Econ Papers), DOAJ, Index Copernicus, etc.)
 (https://www.edusoft.ro/brain/index.php/brand/about/displayMembership/6).
- November 2015 ongoing Reviewer for the journal Journal of Technology Transfer (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 4.037).
- October 2015 ongoing Reviewer for the journal Program Electronic Library and Information Systems (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 0.868).



- July 2015 ongoing Reviewer for the journal Electronic Markets The International Journal on Networked Business (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 3.553).
- October 2014 ongoing Reviewer for the journal International Business Review (indexed in Web of Science, impact factor 3.639).
- September 2014 ongoing Reviewer for the international conference STRATEGICA (ISI Proceedings) (http://strategica-conference.ro/committees/).
- January 2013 ongoing Managing Editor for the journal Management Dynamics in the Knowledge Economy (indexed in BASE, Cabell's, DOAJ, EBSCO, ERIH Plus, Index Copernicus, NewJour, ProQuest, RePEc – EconPapers, Ulrich's, CEEOL) (http://www.managementdynamics.ro/index.php/journal/about/editorialTeam).
- August 2009 December 2012 Associate Editor and reviewer for The International Journal of Interdisciplinary Social Sciences (indexed in SCOPUS) (http://agingandsociety.com/assets/pdf/SocialSciences Collection old.pdf).

PUBLICATIONS

Books published at national publishing houses acknowledged by CNCSIS / CNCS

- Vătămănescu, E.-M. (2020). Internaţionalizarea IMM-urilor şi marketingul relaţional: între convergenţă şi conectivitate [The internationalization of SMEs and relationship marketing: between convergence and connectivity]. Bucharest: Pro Universitaria (ISBN: 978-606-26-1161-3).
- Vătămănescu, E.-M., Alexandru, V.-A., Gorgos, E.-A., & Mitan, A. (2020). Filling the Gaps. Intellectual Capital and the Internationalization of European SMEs. Saarbrucken: Lambert Academic Publishing (ISBN: 978-620-0-53451-4).
- Vătămănescu, E.-M., & Andrei, A.-G. (2014). Internaționalizarea afacerilor dinspre analiza economică și de risc către leadershipul intercultural [Business internationalization: from economic and risk analyses towards intercultural leadership]. Bucharest: Tritonic, 149 pages (ISBN: 978-606-8571-44-7).
- Vătămănescu, E.-M. (2014). Teorie şi diagnoză organizațională. Repere pentru un management eficient [Organizational theory and diagnosis. Reference points for an effective management]. Bucharest: Tritonic, 317 pages (ISBN: 978-606-8571-39-3).
- Vătămănescu, E.-M. (2012). Similaritatea în cadrul comunităților virtuale [Similarity in the virtual communities]. Bucharest: Universitară, 252 pages (ISBN: 978-606-591-561-9).
- Vătămănescu, E.- M., Alexandru, V.-A., & Vătămănescu, E. (2012). Modele de aplicaţii din domeniile managementului, marketingului şi administrării afacerilor [Models of applications in the field of management, marketing and business administration]. Bucharest: Renaissance, 257 pages (ISBN: 978-606-637-106-3).

Books edited at publishing houses acknowledged by CNCSIS / CNCS

- Vătămănescu, E.-M., & Pînzaru, F. (Eds.) (2018). Knowledge Management in the Sharing Economy Cross-Sectoral Insights into the Future of Competitive Advantage. Springer International Publishing (eBook ISBN: 978-3-319-66890-1; Hardcover ISBN: 978-3-319-66889-5; Series ISSN: 2199-8663; DOI:10.1007/978-3-319-66890-1) http://www.springer.com/gb/book/9783319668895#aboutAuthors.
- Pînzaru, F., Zbuchea, A., Brătianu, C., Vătămănescu, E.-M., & Mitan, A. (Eds.) (2017). Strategica. Shift. Major Challenges of Today's Economy. Bucharest: Tritonic (ISBN: 978-606-749-269-9).
- Brătianu, C., Zbuchea, A., Pînzaru, F., Leon, R.D., & Vătămănescu, E.-M. (Eds.) (2016). Strategica. Opportunities and Risks in the Contemporary Business Environment. Bucharest: Tritonic (ISBN: 978-606-749-181-4).
- Vătămănescu, E.-M. (Ed.) (2015). *Handling Knowledge: From Capitalization towards Innovation*. Saarbrucken, Germania: Lambert Academic Publishing (ISBN: 978-3-659-78527-6).
- Brătianu, C., Zbuchea, A., Pînzaru, F., Vătămănescu, E.-M., & Leon, R.D. (Eds.) (2015). Strategica. Local versus Global. Bucharest: Tritonic (ISSN: 2392-702X, ISBN: 978-606-749-054-1).
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