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### WORK EXPERIENCE

06/2022 – CURRENT Bucharest, Romania

#### PROJECT MANAGER CIVIL SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

- Supports grant officers in supervising the implementation of projects funded by the Active Citizens Fund Programme in Romania.
- Collects the necessary information and data related to the implementation of the Active Citizens Fund Programme in Romania.
- Represents the organisation and the Programme among stakeholders in various contexts.
- Handles reporting and communication regarding the re-granting component and its outcomes.

01/02/2023 – CURRENT Bucharest, Romania

#### PROJECT MANAGER THE VIENNESE CHILDREN THEATRE - CHILDREN PLAY THEATRE

- Implementation and management of the international project EcoFootprint, funded by the European Climate Initiative Program. The consortium of partners consists of non-governmental organizations from Austria, Germany and Slovenia, as well as a public institution from Romania (Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca).

30/04/2018 – CURRENT Bucharest, Romania

#### SENIOR RESEARCHER CENTER FOR CONFLICT PREVENTION AND EARLY WARNING

- Developing analysis in the field of international relations, the area covered is the South Caucasus.
- Attending at organised events (debates, conferences, etc.).

31/08/2019 – 12/2022 Bucharest, Romania

#### PUBLIC POLICY OFFICER ROMANIAN YOUTH FORUM

- Organization of the National Youth Council of Romania (October 2019);
- Organization of humanitarian campaigns (such as Christmas charity events, humanitarian campaign "A laptop for the future" to bring online education closer to young people online in the context of the COVID-19 pandemic);
- Participation at different events and webinars advocated for the rights of young people in Romania.
- Attending at two European Union Youth Conferences: in the run-up to the Slovenian Presidency of the Council of the European Union (2021) and in the run-up to the Czech Presidency of the Council of the European Union (2022).

10/2020 – 06/2022 Bucharest, Romania

#### GRANT OFFICER FOR ACTIVE CITIZENS FUND PROGRAMME IN ROMANIA CIVIL SOCIETY DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

- Ensuring the monitoring of a portfolio of projects being implemented under the Active Citizens Fund Romania programme (part of the European Economic Area Grants - EEA Grants), in accordance with established monitoring and reporting procedures;
- Supporting non-governmental organisations in the successful implementation of their grant contracts;
- Reporting to donors/donors/partners of the FDSC;
- Participating in other activities and projects within the FDSC Grant Programmes team or with other Foundation teams.

09/06/2018 – 10/10/2020 Bucharest, Romania

## **PROJECT MANAGER ASOCIAȚIA SE POATE**

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- Project Manager (January 2020 - October 2020) - coordination of three Erasmus+ Sport projects running for 18-24 months.
  - Project manager and tourism activity organizer (October 2018 - March 2020) in the project FISHNAT - Fishing a cross border touristic opportunity/product and a sustainable use of natural heritage and resources.
  - Assistant Manager (March 2020 - October 2020) in the VIRAGO project, co-funded by Erasmus+ Programme, KA3 - Support for Policy Reform, European Youth Together;
  - Assistant Manager (June 2018 - October 2019) in the project "Non-formal Se Poate - Alternative public policy for the insertion of young people in the labour market", project funded by the Operational Programme Administrative Capacity 2014-2020;
- Coordination of national and international projects in which Se Poate Association is a partner.

31/10/2018 – 31/03/2020 Bucharest, Romania

## **COMMUNICATION MANAGER TERRA MILENIUL III FOUNDATION**

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Ensuring the communication for two projects implemented by Terra Mileniul III Foundation: "The Roman values food" and "PROETIC - Ethics + Transparency + Integrity - Corruption", project funded by the Operational Programme Administrative Capacity 2014-2020.

30/09/2017 – 30/03/2018 Bucharest, Romania

## **INTERNSHIP EXPERTS FOR SECURITY AND GLOBAL AFFAIRS**

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Analyzing events related to the Republic of Moldova and writing policy-paspers which can be viewed at the following links:

- Republic of Moldova and the Eastern Partnership. Developments and perspectives

Link: <http://www.esga.ro/moldova-si-partneriatul-estic/>

- How is the progress of the Republic of Moldova evaluated in public debates initiated by Romanian experts and decision-makers?

Link: <http://www.esga.ro/evaluare-progrese-moldova/>

- The Republic of Moldova and the International Monetary Fund: what is new in the bilateral partnership?

Link: <http://www.esga.ro/policybrief2/>

16/07/2017 – 17/09/2017 Bucharest, Romania

## **INTERNSHIP ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT**

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- Participation at meetings with dignitaries;
- Visiting various institutions, to get in touch with specialized and dedicated people.
- Participated in the realization of documents and analyses on the necessary activities that Romania has to implement in order to exercise the Presidency of the Council of the European Union within the Ministry of Research and Innovation, more specifically within the International and European Relations Directorate.

05/07/2015 – 23/07/2015 Bucharest, Romania

## **INTERNSHIP HUMAN RESOURCES S.C. ROEDL & PARTNER OUTSOURCING SRL**

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In the framework of the project "Every student needs Practice, Notice, Organize, Evolve, Direct, Launch - pRoedl", co-financed by the European Social Fund through the Sectoral Operational Programme for Human Resources Development 2007 - 2013 "Invest in People!". The aim of the internship was to pursue the integration of young people into the labor market. As a result of this internship I acquired knowledge in the field of human resources, especially in the field of payroll and administration.

## ● **EDUCATION AND TRAINING**

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30/09/2019 – CURRENT Bucharest, Romania

### **PH.D STUDENT** National School for Political and Administrative Studies

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**Website** <http://snspa.ro/> |

**Thesis** Assessing European Union Foreign Policy Instruments in the Wider Black Sea Region. Study case: South Caucasus

16/11/2020 – 30/09/2021

## “RESEARCHER ENTREPRENEUR ON LABOUR MARKET IN THE FIELDS OF INTELLIGENT SPECIALIZATION (CERT ANTREP)” PROJECT

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- Participant in the POCU/380/6/13/124708 no.37141/23.05.2019 project, entitled “Researcher Entrepreneur on Labour Market in the Fields of Intelligent Specialization (CERT ANTREP)”, coordinated by the National University of Political Studies and Public Administration (SNSPA), under the Operational Programme Human Capital 2014-2020, co-financed by the European Social Fund.
- Online courses with a multidisciplinary approach on the development of research and entrepreneurship skills.

30/09/2017 – 30/07/2019 Bucharest, Romania

**ANALYSING AND RESOLUTION CONFLICT MASTER DEGREE** National School for Political and Administrative Studies

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**Website** <http://snspa.ro/> | **Field of study** International Relations

30/09/2014 – 03/07/2017 Bucharest, Romania

**POLITICAL SCIENCE FACULTY** National School for Political and Administrative Studies

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09/2009 – 07/2014 Ploiești, Romania

**HIGH SCHOOL DILPOMA** "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" Ploiești High School

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**Website** <https://www.liccuza.ro/>

31/12/2018 – 29/06/2019

**EUROPEAN FELLOWSHIP ON YOUTH LEADERSHIP** Group of the European Youth for Change

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31/01/2019 – 07/02/2019 București, Romania

**EXPERT IN ACCESSING EUROPEAN STRUCTURAL AND COHESION FUNDS** S.C. Alma Vision S.R.L.

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06/08/2017 – 16/08/2017 București, Romania

**CERTIFICATE TRAINER** G.S. Training Serv S.R.L.

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## ● LANGUAGE SKILLS

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Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
<b>ENGLISH</b>	C1	C1	B2	C1	C1
<b>FRENCH</b>	B2	B2	A2	A2	A2

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Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user

## ● DIGITAL SKILLS

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Microsoft Office | Social Media | Zoom | Google Drive | Microsoft Powerpoint | Proficiency in Canva application

## ● CONFERENCES & SEMINARS

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11/07/2022 – 13/07/2022 Prague

**Delegate, European Union Youth Conference in Czech Republic**

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Delegated by the Romanian Youth Forum to participate in the European Union Youth Conferences in 2022, in the run-up to the Czech Presidency of the Council of the European Union. The event physically took place in Prague on July 11-13, 2022.

27/09/2021 – 28/09/2021

**Delegate, European Union Youth Conference in Slovenia**

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Delegated by the Romanian Youth Forum to participate in the European Union Youth Conferences in 2021, in the run-up to the Slovenian Presidency of the Council of the European Union (due to Covid-19 restrictions, the conference was organized online).

30/05/2018 – 01/06/2018 Strasbourg, France

## **Delegate, European Youth Event**

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Attending at the European Youth Event as a delegate from Romania.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

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2022

### **"Security in the wider Black Sea region after 2021" chapter in a book**

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The chapter entitled "Security in the wider Black Sea region after 2021" (pp. 229-244) is part of a collective volume published under the title "World after Afghanistan, Aukus, Evergrande" coordinated by Iulian Chifu and Kiran Bhatti and published by the "Ion I. C. Bratianu" Institute of Political Science and International Relations Publishing House, Bucharest in 2022.

Marcu, G. 2022. ISPRI Publishing House, pp. 229-244

2021

### **"2020: a year of uncertainty for South Caucasus states", Article**

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The article was prepared in view of the organization of the EURINT Conference in 2021 and it was presented at the conference and is available on the [conference website](#).

Marcu, G. 2021. CES Working Papers – Volume XIII, Issue 1.

2020

### **"Social Media and participation. Mobilization through social media" chapter in a book**

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The chapter entitled "Social Media and participation. Mobilization through social media" (pp. 202-221) is part of a collective volume published under the title "Technology and Social Media and their impact on the human being, society and politics" coordinated by Iulian Chifu and Lavinia Savu and published by the "Ion I. C. Bratianu" Institute of Political Science and International Relations Publishing House, Bucharest in 2020.

Marcu, G. 2020. ISPRI Publishing House, pp. 202-221

2020

### **"Social Media and participation. Mobilization through social media" chapter in a book**

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The chapter entitled "Social Media and participation. Mobilization through social media" (pp. 154-170) is part of a collective volume published under the title "The impact of technology on the individual, society and politics. Technology and social media changing the World", coordinated by Iulian Chifu and Lavinia Savu and published by the Lambert Academic Publishing.

Marcu, G. 2020. Lambert Academic Publishing, pp. 154-170

2020

### **"Leadership, decisions and foreign affairs in times of the Coronavirus pandemic" chapter in a book**

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The chapter entitled "Leadership, decisions and foreign affairs in times of the Coronavirus pandemic (244-265) is part of a collective volume published under the title "Coronavirus pandemic and the changes of the world" coordinated by Iulian Chifu and Dumitru Șaranuța and published by the "Ion I. C. Bratianu" Institute of Political Science and International Relations Publishing House, Bucharest in 2020.

Marcu, G. 2020. ISPRI Publishing House, pp. 244-265

2020

### **"Do the New Realities in Nagorno-Karabakh Change the South Caucasus's Ties with the Eastern Partnership?"**

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Marcu, G. 2020. "Do the New Realities in Nagorno-Karabakh Change the South Caucasus's Ties with the Eastern Partnership?" published by Europe Now Journal.

Marcu, G. 2020. Article in Europe Now Journal.

## ● CONFERENCES

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23/09/2022 – 23/09/2022

### **Speaker in the "NATO Security School" project**

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Participation as a Speaker in the project "NATO Security School", implemented by the NATO Information and Documentation Center of the Republic of Moldova. "NATO Security Policy. The speech delivered in the seminar was entitled "NATO's Security Agenda in the Current Security Environment", and the topic covered was "NATO's New Strategic Concept. Implications for Black Sea security".

27/06/2022 – 30/06/2022

### **Summer School "Strategic Communication, Governance and Security in the European Union"**

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Participation at the Summer School "Strategic Communication, Governance and Security in the European Union", organized by the National Intelligence Academy "Mihai Viteazul", Jean Monnet EUSEGOV module, from 27 to 30 June 2022.

12/11/2021 – 20/11/2021

### **Caspian Basin Studies Program**

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Attending in the Caspian Basin Studies Program for Foreign Think-tanks and Academic Institutions organized by ADA University, Baku, Azerbaijan from 13-20 November 2021. Participating in this program was an opportunity to get in touch with both Azerbaijani and other experts from all over the world who analyze the South Caucasus region from different perspectives.

16/06/2021 – 18/06/2021

### **International Conference "Curators and actors of the social fabric: Views through "Post-lenses"**

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Attending at the 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference of the Romanian Sociologists Society 2021, panel "Miscellaneous. Interdisciplinary research", with the paper entitled: "South Caucasus and frozen conflicts: challenges, expectations and risks".

The conference took place in online format, from Wednesday, 16<sup>th</sup> of June to Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> of June 2021.

26/05/2021 – 29/05/2021

### **Semiosis in Communication: Culture, Communication and Social Change**

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Participation at the third edition of the International Conference Semiosis in Communication: Culture, Communication and Social Change, - with the paper entitled SOCIAL MEDIA, FAKE NEWS AND DIGITAL DISINFORMATION IN RESILIENT SOCIETIS. How much misinformation is in the South Caucasus region? -, organized by the National University of Political Studies and Public Administration (SNSPA), Applied Semiotics and Communication Lab (ASCL), Centre for Research in Communication (CRC) at the Faculty of Communication and Public Relations, Bucharest, Romania, from the 26th to the 29th of May 2021.

28/10/2020 – 28/10/2020

### **Scientific seminar "China a new world power in the 21st century"**

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Attending the scientific seminar "China a new world power in the 21st century", a scientific event organized by the EURISC Foundation in partnership with the Middle East Political and Economic Institute, with the paper entitled "China's foreign policy in the South Caucasus: a necessary partnership for the region".

15/10/2020 – 17/10/2020

### **EURINT International Conference**

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Attending at the EURINT 2020 international conference which was held online due to the restrictions imposed by the Covid-19 pandemic with the paper entitled: "2020: a year of uncertainty for South Caucasus states". The paper was published on CES Working Papers after the Conference.