

Curriculum Vitae

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WORK EXPERIENCE, SELECTION

June 2019 – present Project manager: Cosmopolitan Turn and Democratic Sentiments. The case of child protection services, EEA-RO-NO-2018-0586, Babeş-Bolyai University

November 2018 – present Post-doctoral researcher: Înţelegerea și modelarea structurilor spațiotemporale ale inegalităților și polarizării în relație cu caracteristicile psihologice, PN-III-P4-ID-PCCF-2016-0084. Babeş-Bolyai University

October 2011 – present Researcher: Centre for the Study of Democracy (CSD), Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

October 2014 – present Teaching assistant: Introduction in research methods, Computer Science etc. Faculty of Political Science, Administration and Communication, Babeş-Bolyai University

November 2018 – 2019 Expert: Recruiting for Trafficking: How Access to Technology Changes Practice and How Can We Update Response, financed by British Embassy, Bucharest

October 2016 – 2019 Research assistant: Cetățenie democratică, inegalități și polarizare socială: un studiu longitudinal și multinivel, PN-III-P4-ID-PCE-2016-0729

September 2016 – August 2017 Research assistant project: Friends 2.0, Romania Academy, Bucharest

October 2015 – October 2017 Research assistant: Body citizenship: The emancipation of women in communist Romania, Babeş-Bolyai University

October 2015 – October 2017 Research assistant: Religious organizations and the social capital of youth in post-communist countries, Babeş-Bolyai University

October 2013 – 2016 Teaching assistant: Social Psychology and Sociology, Anthropology of the family Faculty of Sociology and Social Work, Babeş-Bolyai University

March 2015-August 2015; September 2013-June 2014 Research assistant: Pardee School for Global Studies, Boston University

October 2014 – December 2014 Survey coordinator: Civic cultures and political participation in Romania, Duisburg-Essen University

EDUCATION

2013-2020 Ph.D. in Sociology at Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, in joint supervision with Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY, USA, with the thesis *An oppression of their own. Empirical evidence on internalized misogyny, and its connection to homophobia and racism.*

2010-2012 MA in Research Design and Data Analysis in Social Sciences (taught in English), Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, with the thesis *Gender stereotyping among women. An implicit and explicit approach.*

2007 – 2010 BA in Communication and PR, Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania.

2003-2007 Baccalaureate Diploma, specialization Mathematics and Informatics at National College „Samuil Vulcan”, Beiuș, Romania

COMPUTER SKILLS

Microsoft package; Statistical analysis: SPSS, Amos, R; Content analysis: Atlas.ti

PUBLICATIONS

Auto-eficacitate, gen și performanță școlară în știință. Contextualizarea cazului românesc în volumul Bădescu et al., Școala din România din perspectiva datelor PISA, Presa universitară Clujeană, 2019

Balaban, D., Constantinescu, S., Culic, L., Mustățea, M., Pavelea, A. (2019) The Role of the Perceived of Information Quality and of the Risk-taking Propensity for News Sharing on Facebook, Journal of Media Research, vol. 12 Issue 3(35) / 2019, pp. 18-28, DOI: 10.24193/jmr.35.2

Dating Apps in the Lives of Young Romanian Women. A Preliminary Study, Analize - Journal of Gender and Feminist Studies, Maria Henriete Pozsar, Alina Ioana Dumitrescu, Denisa Piticas, Sorana Constantinescu (2018), issue 11 (25)

Credibility and Freedom of Choice in Social Media in Relation with Traditional Media, Journal of Media Research, Balaban, Delia, Sorana Constantinescu, Maria Musteată (2018), 11, issue 3 (32)

How Women Made the News. A Case-Study of Femeia Magazine in Communist Romania under Ceaușescu. Journal of Media Research 10.1 (2017)

Self-efficacy, academic persistence, performance related to career decision difficulties of firstyear students, The European Proceedings of Social & Behavioural Sciences; Chiorean, Constantinescu & Pavelea, (2017) doi:<http://dx.doi.org/10.15405/epsbs.2018.06.60>

Gender quotas in Romania - A critical overview of the debate, *Europolis, Journal Of Political Science And Theory*, issue no 10 (2). (2016).

Public sphere, new media and WikiLeaks, *Journal of Media Research*, Vol 5, issue 2 (13). (2012)

Review of *Delusions of Gender: How Our Minds, Society, and Neurosexism Create Difference* by Cordelia Fine, in *AnA Society for Feminist Analyses New Series*. Issue No. 4 (18)/ 2015

Book chapter *Experimental Perspectives on Generalized Trust in Angi et al, Trust, social capital and democratic participation. A literature review*, Edited by Daniela Angi, Accent Publisher, 2013

Research report, quantitative analysis author: *Programul de educație nonformală Impact. Efecte asupra tinerilor și profesorilor*, Ed. Fundației pentru studii europene, 2013.

Public sphere, new media and WikiLeaks, *Journal of Media Research*, Vol 5, issue 2 (13). (2012)

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS, SELECTION

Workshop Back to the National Roots? The Role and Impact of the Radical Right in Eastern Europe Today, Cluj-Napoca, 4-6 July 2019. *Who do extremist voters vote for? Evidence from the European elections. George Jigău Lăbuneț and Sorana Constantinescu.*

23e Colloque Franco-Roumain en sciences de l'information et de la communication. Information, Communication et Humanites Numeriques. Enjeux et defies por un enrichissement epistemologique, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, octombrie 18-20, News sharing on Facebook. A comparative perspective of Romanian and German early stage adults (2018)

11th Central and Eastern European Communication and Media Conference CEECOM 2018, Szeget, Hungary, 30 mai – 1 iunie, Credibility and Sharing of Fake News on Facebook (2018)

13th Conference of the European Sociological Association, Athens, Greece, August 29 – Septembrie 1, Internalizing the 'New Socialist Woman': Stateprescribed gender roles and their traces in Romanian society (2017)

Istoria socială a comunismului românesc. Surse, metodologii, abordări, perspective, 4-5 Mai, Facultatea de Istorie și Filosofie, Universitatea Babeș-Bolyai, Cluj-Napoca, România, Evoluții metodologice privind studiul rolurilor de gen în timpul regimului Ceaușescu. Metodologii mixte (2017)

Walsh Lecture Series, Clarkson University, 5 septembrie, Postdam, NY, USA, Internalized Misogyny in Post-Communist Romania: Implicit and Explicit Attitudes (2016)

American Sociological Association, August 20-23, Seattle, WA, USA: Internalized sexism in youth: A study of Women in Post-Socialist Romania (2016)

Society for Symbolic Interaction, August 15-24, Seattle, WA, USA, *Embodied citizenship in communist Romania: women and self-efficacy (2016)*

Society for the study of social change, August 19-21, 2016, Seattle, WA, USA, *Internalized Misogyny in Post-Communist Romania (2016)*

The interdisciplinary conference of the PhD Students from Babes-Bolyai University, 24-26 iunie, Bara, Romania, *Language and internalized sexist attitudes (2016)*

PR Trend, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, *The impact of mass media on rape culture in Romania. An exploratory approach (2014)*