

# Europass Curriculum Vitae



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Nationality Romanian

Date of birth 28.06.1981

Gender Feminine

Occupational field University of Craiova/ Department of Applied Modern Languages/

**English Language** 

Work experience

Dates July 2014

Occupation or position held Translator and Secretary

Main activities and responsibilities Translation, Interpretation, Organization, Coordination

Name and address of employer ISUD

Type of business or sector Translation and Interpretation; Administrative Activities

Dates March 2009 -

Occupation or position held Assistant Professor, Ph.D./ English Language

Main activities and responsibilities Practical English Courses at the Faculty of Mathematics and Informatics, the

Faculty of Social Sciences and the Faculty of Economics and Business

Administration

Name and address of employer Department of Applied Modern Languages, University of Craiova

Type of business or sector Didactic Activity

Dates October 2005 – February 2009

Occupation or position held Junior Assistant/ English Language

Main activities and responsibilities Practical English Courses at the Faculty of Mathematics and Informatics

Name and address of employer Department of Applied Modern Languages, University of Craiova

Type of business or sector Didactic Activity

Dates September 2005 – October 2005

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Occupation or position held **Teacher of English Language and Literature** 

Main activities and responsibilities Lessons of English and American Language, Literature and Culture

Name and address of employer Matei Basarab Industrial College, Strehaia

Type of business or sector Didactic Activity

Dates April 2005

Occupation or position held Assistant of Foreign Languages

Main activities and responsibilities Lessons of English Language and Literature

Name and address of employer Park High Sports College from Birkenhead, England

Type of business or sector Didactic Activity

**November 2004 – May 2005** 

Occupation or position held Comenius Assistant, Socrates Programme

Main activities and responsibilities Courses and Lessons of Romanian and English Culture and Civilization,

English Literature, French and English Language

Name and address of employer Bidston Avenue Primary School from Birkenhead, England

Type of business or sector Didactic Activity

Dates August 2002 and August 2004

Occupation or position held Interpreter and translator; Assistant of the Group Leader; Organizer

Main activities and responsibilities Oral and Written Communication; Planning and Organizing Evaluation

Exams, Educational Trips and Thematic and Cultural Parties

Name and address of employer Bridges for Education, NGO focused on teaching conversational English

**Education and training** 

Dates August 2015

Title of qualification awarded **Trainer** 

Principal subjects/occupational skills Qualifying as expert in training adults for professional purposes

Competences in: writing the syllabus; organizing the activities; designing the evaluation programme; following specific requirements related to the law, health and security issues, environment issues, quality assurance protocols

Name and type of organisation Structural Euro Fond & Training Bucharest

providing education and training

Dates 4/5 February 2015

Title of qualification awarded Certificate of attendance

Principal subjects/occupational skills IELTS Writing Q&A covered

Name and type of organisation Cambridge ELT providing education and training

Dates 24 Octobre 2014

Title of qualification awarded Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills Preparing students for Cambridge Advanced

covered

Name and type of organisation British Council

providing education and training

Dates 27 September 2014

Title of qualification awarded Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills Preparing students for YLE

covered

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Name and type of organisation British Council providing education and training

Dates

22 March 2014

Title of qualification awarded

Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Preparing students for KET si PET

Name and type of organisation British Council

providing education and training

Dates

**23 February 2014** 

Title of qualification awarded

Certificate

Principal subjects/occupational skills

Preparing students for IELTS

Name and type of organisation

**British Council** 

providing education and training

the 4th - the 10th of February 2013 Dates

Title of qualification awarded

**Certificate Attesting Professional Competences** 

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered English Language Teaching Methodology Programme/ Modules: ELT Methodology Syllabus Design and Lesson Planning; New Methods of

Teaching ELT Methodology Courses; Mentoring and Coaching in Pre-

Service Teacher Training

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

POSDRU87/1.3/S/63709 Project: "Quality, Innovation, Communication in

the University Methodology System"

The Ministry of National Education, University of Bucharest, A.I.Cuza University of Iasi, Babes Bolyai University of Clui Napoca, Polytechnic University of Bucharest, University of Pitesti, 1 Decembrie 1918 University

of Alba Iulia

Dates

September 2007 – September 2010

Title of qualification awarded

**Ph.D. Diploma** – Human Sciences/ Philology - Selected Twentieth-Century African-American Novels: Resistance and Protest – A New Perspective

Principal subjects/occupational skills

covered

General Issues of African American Literature and Culture; Literary Terms

and Criticism; History of the United States of America

Focus on Toni Morrison, Sherley Anne Williams, Alice Walker, Maya Angelou, James Baldwin, Richard Wright

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

University of Craiova

**Dates** 

October 2005 - June 2007

Title of qualification awarded

MA Degree – Cultural Unity and Diversity in the English Language and

Literature Studies

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered Cultural Awareness through the Study of Literature and of Human Behaviour; Translations and Interpretations of Original Texts; Linguistics; General Didactics and Student-centred Didactic Approaches

Name and type of organisation providing education and training University of Craiova

Dates

August 2005

Title of qualification awarded

**Authorized Translator** 

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered

Interpreting and Translating from English and French into Romanian and from Romanian into English and French

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

Ministry of Justice

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Dates November 2004 – April 2005

Title of qualification awarded Certificate of Training for Teachers of Foreign Languages

Principal subjects/occupational skills Teaching English Language to Primary and High School Pupils

Name and type of organisation providing education and training

The Department of Education from Wirral, England

Dates December 2004 – April 2005

Title of qualification awarded IELTS Certificate (International English Language Testing System)

City and Guilds Certificate, Level 2 Certificate in Adult Literacy – Native

Speakers and People Living in England

 $\label{eq:continuous_principal} \textit{Principal subjects/occupational skills} \quad \textit{Speaking, Writing, Listening and Reading} - \textit{Native Speakers Level}$ 

Name and type of organisation University of Liverpool, England providing education and training

covered

Dates August 2002

Name and type of organisation Bridges for Education NGO providing education and training

Dates October 2000 – June 2004

Title of qualification awarded **Bachelor's Degree** – English Language and Literature – French Language

and Literature

"Jane Eyre and Isabel Archer – Powerful Women in Jane Eyre by Charlotte

Brontë and The Portrait of a Lady by Henry James"

Principal subjects/occupational skills Contemporary English and French Language, English and French Literature,

English and French Culture and Civilization, Literary Theory, Comparative Literature, Comparative Grammar, Translation Theory, Translation Practice, Didactics, Methodology of English and French Teaching, Writing Methods,

Computer Courses, Courses of Spanish

Name and type of organisation Lucian Blaga University, Faculty of Letters and Arts providing education and training

Dates August 1999

Title of qualification awarded Certificate of Conversational English

Principal subjects/occupational skills Speaking and Listening

Name and type of organisation Bridges for Education NGO providing education and training

Dates September 1996 – June 2000

Title of qualification awarded High School Diploma

**Professional Certificate for Interpreters and Translators** – Middle Level

Name and type of organisation Elena Cuza National College from Craiova providing education and training

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) Specify mother tongue (if relevant add other mother tongue(s), see

instructions)

Other language(s)

Self-assessment Understanding Speaking Writing

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European level (*)	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>
French	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>	<b>C2</b>

(\*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences Social Competences: communication, cooperation, team work

Social Skills: capacity to relate to other persons, adaptability, openness to

new experience, ethical and moral values and professional ethics

Organisational skills and competences

The experience with Bridges for Education NGO developed my skills as a coordinator and organizer

Computer skills and competences Word, Power Point, Internet

Driving licence Yes

Annexes Articles

Research

#### **Published Articles**

- "Features of Ambiguity in Language", published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, English, Year VI, No. 2, 2005, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Developing Cultural Awareness and Language Ability: Create a Country Project" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Applied Modern Languages, Year I, No. 1-2, 2006, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Beloved and Jane Eyre: A Proof that Slavery and Patriarchy are Synonyms" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Modern Applied Languages, Year III, No. 1-2, 2007, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Madness and Blindness in Richard Wright's Native Son and Toni Morrison's Beloved" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, English, Year VIII, No. 2, 2007, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Freedom as Identity in Jane Eyre and The Portrait of a Lady" published in Cultural Dimensions: Literary and Cultural Studies: Identity National, Fictional, Real. Universitaria Craiova Publishing House, 2007.
- "Limitations, Isolation, and The Search for Knowledge in 'Neither Out Far nor In Deep,' 'Desert Places,' 'Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening'" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Applied Modern Languages Year I, No. 1-2, 2008, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Meanings of Power in Jane Eyre and The Portrait of a Lady" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, English, Year X, No. 1, 2009, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "W.E.B. Du Bois' Concept of 'Double Consciousness'" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Applied Modern Languages, Year V, No. 1-2, 2009, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Dessa Rose: A Novel by Sherley Anne Williams" published in Doctoral Research, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House, 2010
- "It Is All about Numbers" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Modern Applied Languages, Year VI, No. 1-2, 2010, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Complex Portraits of the Oppressor and the Oppressed in Walker's Color Purple" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, English, Year XII, No. 2, 2011, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.

- "Go Tell It on the Mountain: Lessons in Life" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Modern Applied Languages, Year VII, No. 1-2, 2011, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Marginalizing Romanian Language under the Pressure of English Language" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, Applied Modern Languages, Year VIII, No. 1-2, 2012, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Sherley Anne Williams Revealing Sites of Dissension and Encouraging Reconciliation in *Dessa Rose*" published in Annals of the University of Craiova, Series Philology, English, Year XIV, No. 1, 2013, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "The Challenges of Teaching ESP" published in *Annals of the University of Craiova*, Series Philology, Applied Modern Languages, Year IX, No. 1, 2013, Universitaria Craiova Publishing House.
- "Key Issues in International Business Communication" published in *Redefining Community in Intercultural Context*. Volume 4. No. 1/2015, "Henri Coanda" Air Force Academy Publishing House

#### **Published Books**

- Resistance and Protest in Selected Twentieth-Century African-American Novels: A New Perspective. Editura Universitaria, 2016 ISBN 978-606-14-1001-9
- English for Specific Purposes: Informatics. Editura Universitaria, 2016 ISBN 978-606-14-1002-6

#### **Books to Be Printed**

• English for Specific Purposes: Philosophy. Editura Universitaria, 2016 – ISBN 978-606-14-1003-3

# **Articles to Be Published**

• "R(evolution) in Teaching English for Informatics Based on New Developments in ESP" – article to be published in Series Philology, Applied Modern Languages, Year XI, No. 1, 2015

### **Articles with a Presentation Title**

- "The Way to Good Communication in English Is Paved with Invisible Evidence" article presented at the 6<sup>th</sup> Edition of the Scientific Session "Language, Literature, and Culture" organized by the Department of Applied Modern Languages, Craiova, February 2, 2007
- "The Grim Reality of Two Different Kinds of Slavery: Victorian Child Abuse and the Life of African American Slaves" article presented at the RAAS-Fulbright Biennial Conference from Bucharest, May 22-24, 2008 to be published in the RAAS volume.
- "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings Fighting Through Words and Healing the Wounds" article accepted for presentation and presented at the 8th Biennial CAAR Conference from Germany, March 25-29, 2009
- "English Grammar in the Business World" article presented at the 10th International Conference "Language, Literature and Culture Reality: An Open Window to Doubt" organized by the Department of British and American Studies and the Centre for the Research of European Linguistic and Cultural Identities, Craiova, October 7-9, 2011
- "Reading between the Lines in Selected Twentieth Century African-American Novels" article presented at the 12th International Conference "Language, Literature and Cultural Policies Details that Matter" organized by the Department of British and American Studies and Centre for the Research of European Linguistic and Cultural Identities, Craiova, October 3-5, 2013
- "Designing an English Course for IT" article presented at the International Conference "Language, Culture and Civilization" (the 6th edition) organized by the Department of Applied Modern Languages, University of Craiova, April 3-5, 2014

## **Research and Studies**

2007 -

2004 - Spoken and Written English Language. English Grammar.

English for Specific Purposes.

English Culture, Literature and Civilisation.

English as the International Language for Communication.

Intercultural Communication.

Twentieth-Century African-American Novel: Resistance and

Protest and American Studies.

• In 2015, 2014, and 2013 – involvement in training programmes:

- in 2015 – successful participation in two training programmes for teaching purposes: one organized by Structural Euro Fond & Training Bucharest and one organized by Cambridge ELT

- in 2014 successful participation in training programmes for teaching IELTS, CAE, KET & PET, YLE organized by the British Council
- in 2013- successful participation in a training programme in the field of the English Language Teaching as part of the POSDRU/87/1.3/S/6379 Project: "Quality, Innovation, Communication in the Lifelong Training System of Teacher Trainers in Higher Education," coordinated by the Ministry of Education, the University of Bucharest, the "A.I. Cuza" University of Iaşi, the "Babeş Bolyai" University of Cluj Napoca, the Polytechnics University of Bucharest, the University of Piteşti, the "1st December" University of Alba Iulia which resulted in me writing a course resources work entitled "Teaching English for Specific Purposes in Universities and Companies: The Domain of IT" to be used by future professors who wish to teach English in universities and companies focused on the IT domain because after the programme I received a certificate which attests that I am qualified to train future professors for teaching ESP;
- April-May 2009 research at John F. Kennedy Institute of North American Studies from Berlin for writing my Ph. D. thesis
- Participation in national and international conferences
- Dedication to legalized translations and not only
- Beneficiary of a grant from the Ministry of Education and Research through Socrates National Agency

   Comenius 2.2.B Programme Initial Training for Future Teachers of Foreign Languages 2004-2005

The purpose of the contract was an initial training for me as an assistant of foreign languages at Bidston Primary School, Wirral, Great Britain. The programme was successful and references can be obtained upon request.