

**RELEVANT WORK
EXPERIENCE**

August – October 2022	External expert and coordinator Report regarding the analysis of the needs of the forcibly displaced population from Ukraine in the counties of Iasi, Suceava, Botoşani, Maramureş, Satu Mare and Cluj Founded by UNHCR and Hecks-Eper Foundation
June-August 2022	External expert, Warsaw University INEQUALITIES OF FAILURE: Developing a global failure think tank on failing and the pandemic
2018- to present	Romania, Poland, Italy, United States, Chile, India, Morocco, and Nigeria
2019 to present	External Expert-Evaluator, European Commission H2020-MSCA-IF, COST Association and COSME programmes.
2021- May 2022	Senior Researcher, Ana Aslan International Foundation Project Coordinator of EU projects funded by the AAL Programme: Developing Innovative Technologies for Active ageing & research on technology adoption
Oct. 2018 – 2019	Facilitator and Researcher UEFISCDI Pilot project. Research results and innovation exploitation in the market, according to the EU model Common Exploitation Booster. UEFISCDI (Ministry of Education) Bucharest, Romania
Sept. 2014-July 2016	Social Sciences Researcher, (Remote) <i>IResearch Plus, London (UK)</i>
Oct. 2010-June-2014	Social Sciences Researcher, Department of Innovation UEFISCDI, Romanian Ministry of Education, Bucharest.
	Associate Lecturer <i>Babes-Bolyai University, Faculty of Political Science, Cluj Napoca</i>

Curriculum Vitae with First name(s) Surname(s) Replace

2011-2013 Postdoctoral Fellow Social Sciences, SNSPA, **Romania-Israel**

2003-2011 PhD in Contemporary History, Babeş-Bolyai, **Romania**

2008-2010 Visiting Assistant in Research, **Yale University, USA**

2007-2008 MA in Research Design and Data Analysis, Babeş-Bolyai

2002-2003 Master of Arts, Judaic Studies, Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj

1998-2002 BA in Sociology, Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj Napoca.

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Romanian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English					
German					
Ivrit	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1
Arabic	B1	B1	A2	A2	B1
	A2	A2	A2	A2	A2
	A2	A2	A2	A2	A2

Organisational / managerial skills

Since 2013, initiator and coordinator of the national project “A Warm Meal” which weekly offer free food to people in need. The programme is developed exclusively based on volunteering and donations. It serves weekly more than 1,500 free warm meals www.omasacalda.ro
FB: <https://www.facebook.com/omasacalda/>

Job-related skills

NVivo, SPSS, MaxQDA, interviewing, media analysing, cross-cultural communication, Project Management

Driving licence

A and B

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Relevant Academic Publications

- 2022 Under publication:** Paul, C. and Spiru, L. (2022) Advancements on Technology Acceptance and Adoption by Older Adults in the Context of the Second Digital Divide, Springer Publication
- 2022 Principal Investigator.** Inovare în universități și institute publice de cercetare. Comportament antreprenorial, UEFISCDI 2022.
- 2021 Principal Investigator** Sustainability and innovation in the entrepreneurial ecosystem in Romania. An exploratory study”, UEFISCDI, March 2021. <https://uefiscdi.gov.ro/resource-825742-sustainability-and-innovation-in-the-romanian-entrepreneurial-ec.pdf>
- 2021 Principal Investigator** Paul, C and Spiru L. (2021) “From Age to Age. Key ‘Gerontographics’ Contributions to Technology Adoption by Older Adults”
- 2019 Principal Investigator** Paul, C. et al. (2019). “Why Do Seniors Accept or Reject New Technologies? Towards Developing a Seniors Oriented Technology Acceptance Model”, *The Fourth International Conference on Neuroscience and Cognitive Brain Information, Improving Elderly User Experience on the Use of New Technologies for Independent Living*.
- Co-author:** Spiru, L. et al. (2019). “Improving Elderly User Experience on the Use of New Technologies for Independent Living”, CSCE'19 - The 2019 World Congress in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, & Applied Computing | Jul 29-Aug 01, 2019, <https://americancse.org/events/csce2019/publication>
- 2016 Co-author:** Cosmina Paul and Bogdan Radu (2016), “Tolerance of Liberal Values in Romania: Anti-Abortion from Strategies between Religious Belief and Civil Society Mobilisation” in Religion as Empowerment - Global Legal Perspectives, Routledge.
- 2016 Co-author:** Saftescu, R et al (2016). “Governance Of Smart

Specialisation: Experiences of Four European Regions”, Europolity, vol.

10: 2.

2015

Co-author Curaj, A., Mitroi, M, Paul C., Simion E., Saftescu R., (2015),

“The Romanian Entrepreneurial Ecosystem. An Exploratory Study”, UEFISCDI, Bucharest. (<http://ree.uefiscdi.ro/>)

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