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Nationality	Romanian		
Date of birth	05 May 1958		
Gender	Female		
Occupational field	Education		
Work experience	2008-2009		
Occupation or position held	Teacher; Mentor		

Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Planning, designing, assessing the teaching-learning activities; organizing educational school and extra-school activities ; ▪ Parent counselling; ▪ Elaboration of specialised theoretical work and their publishing in filed magazines locally and nationally; ▪ Attendance to History teachers and mentors national conferences and summer schools; ▪ Presentation of methodological and scientific news within periodical teacher meetings in Târgu-Jiu; ▪ Involvement in extracurricular national programmes (EURO JUNIOR National Programme) ▪ Mentoring activities by mentoring sessions with the debutant History teachers from the County as well as with the other teachers involved in the mentoring programme; ▪ Attendance to the “Alexandru Ștefulescu” Interdisciplinary National Contest, editions I and II; ▪ Elaboration of reports regarding mentoring and its improvement methods; involvement and participation in the forming activities organised by the consultant, to the feed-back work seminars; ▪ Comprehension for the school and teachers’ needs and a good interaction with them; ▪ Demonstrative, theoretical and practical team work activities, lesson simulation own projects making use of the active- participative models;
Name and address of employer	“Alexandru Ștefulescu” Gymnasium School Târgu-Jiu; SC Educația 2000+ Consulting SRL, Bd. Basarabia, Nr.244, Bl.MY8, Sc.2, Ap.60, Sect.3, București
Type of business or sector Occupation or position held	Education Trainer
Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Planning, designing, assessing training activities regarding new methods within the gymnasium education, parents’ education, protection and promotion of child’s rights, usage of informatics technology; ▪ Teacher training regarding permanent training or for school result improvement; ▪ Sharing the achieved experience through studies published in specialised magazines or methodological meetings.
Name and address of employer	Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre and the Gorj County Inspectorate of Education
Type of business or sector Occupation or position held	Education Methodologist

Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assessment of teaching activities within school or specialised inspections; ▪ Teacher training regarding permanent training or for school result improvement as well as probationer students or teachers of probation; ▪ Sharing the achieved experience through experience exchange or educational partnerships.
Name and address of employer	Gorj County Inspectorate of Education
Type of business or sector	Education
Occupation or position held	Assessor
Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Optimized application of normative documents based on the National Curriculum analysis and of specific methodologies; ▪ Designing an instrument for written, practical, speaking assessment; ▪ Adequate reports of assessment results; ▪ Awareness of assessing decisions effects, taking responsibilities regarding the transparency necessity and documentation of such decisions; ▪ Assessment monitoring for unique theses;
Name and address of employer	Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre and the Gorj County Inspectorate of Education
Occupation or position held	Local Assistant EBC Project
Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Schools registration in the project, planning of collaboration activities among EU schools; ▪ Visitation of registered schools, teachers and students counselling regarding the improvement of I.T., internet and foreign languages knowledge; ▪ Activity assessment of registered schools and their improvement; ▪ Forum discussions and ideas exchange with other people involved in the project.
Name and address of employer	Education Centre 2000+
Type of business or sector	Education and professional training
Period	2005 -2008
Occupation or position held	Inspector for mentoring activity

Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Planning, designing, assessing training activities; ▪ Assisting the teachers attending courses for continuing training in order to identify the educational needs of school and community; ▪ Providing the teachers training according to the course curriculum adjusted to their needs; ▪ Monitoring the teachers' progress during the training programme and problem assistance; ▪ Trainee assessment; ▪ Feed-back and workshop experience; ▪ Assistance in educational auxiliaries relevant to the new school curriculum; ▪ Participants assessment in the training programme; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teacher assistance in using the existing teaching auxiliaries; ▪ Efficiency analysis of the training, collaboration with other mentors aiming at its improvement; ▪ Optimally usage of resources provided by the mentoring programme; ▪ Trained teacher assessment in view of credit awarding; ▪ Perception and attitude inquiry of teachers, students and parents as well as other potential beneficiaries regarding SNSPA, Faculty of Political Science within the project <i>Needs and priorities of educational change in Romania– fundament of education modernisation</i>; ▪ Involvement in training thematic courses <i>Gypsy History and Culture in an intercultural perspective</i> and practice of projects within SOCRATES-COMENIUS of the European Commission or PHARE RO 2004/016-772.01.01.02 – SCHOOL MEDAITORS TRAINING COMPONENT; ▪ Organizing the MEDIA KINDER National Contest in view of stimulating the children's interest in knowing traditional and universal values; ▪ Attendance in training courses and finding ways of implementing learning in favour of the community; ▪ Planning, designing, assessing training activities regarding the usage of new methods in the primary education, parent education, protection and promotion of child's rights, usage of informatics technology; ▪ Teacher training regarding permanent training or for school result improvement; ▪ Sharing the achieved experience through portfolios;
Name and address of employer	UMPIP; Regional Department of Project Implementation in the Gorj County.
Type of business or sector	Education
Occupation or position held	Methodologist

Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teacher training regarding permanent training or for school result improvement; ▪ Sharing the achieved experience through concrete practical activities; s ▪ Promoting AeL teaching activities; ▪ AeL lessons and tests creation ; ▪ Teacher recruiting into the INTEL TEACH – TRAINING WITHIN KNOWLEDGE SOCIETY training programme –and its competences usage while teaching; ▪ Attendance of training programme Teaching project – <i>History Teaching Methodology</i> and classroom practice as well as teacher permanent training activities;
Name and address of employer	Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre and the Gorj County Inspectorate of Education
Type of business or sector	Education
Occupation or position held	Tutorial
Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tutoring, counselling and checking of school mediators’ activity within the school and community.
Name and address of employer	“Spiru-Haret”, National College, Târgu-Jiu
Type of business or sector	Education
Occupation or position held	Assessor
Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Assessment of students’ Socio-Human Sciences and History Olympiad papers. ▪ Attendance to the <i>DeCeE</i> continuous training programme for assessing teachers and teaching assessment; ▪ Involvement in organizing and deploying of county symposiums and seminars with the <i>Quality Management</i> theme.
Name and address of employer	Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre
Type of business or sector	Education
Occupation or position held	Trainer

Main activities and responsibilities

- Attendance as trainer by Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre in perfecting activities with the theme: *Teaching. Contemporary orientations in teaching theory and practice*;
- Organisation of work groups regarding informative materials for teachers;
- Organisation of courses in collaboration with the Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre useful for head teachers and parents with the theme: *Parents' School*;
- Organization of informative meetings of History teachers from the county on the most important Romanian activities of S.Ș.I. part of the summer schools.

My positions as inspector-mentor, trainer, methodologist and teacher have provided valuable experience regarding efficient training activities with students, adults, speciality training as well as a very good interaction with the work group, fellow teachers, other people or institutions involved.

Achieved Competence:

- Planning, designing, assessing training
- Providing training to teachers according the set curriculum for the course
- Feed-back and sharing the achieved experience during workshops;
- Monitoring the teachers' progress during the training programme;
- Problem counselling;
- Efficiency analysis of the training programme
- Collaboration with the work group or fellow teachers, other persons involved
- Objective self assessment and efficiency analysis of the training programme
- Permanent self training and perfecting
- Planning, designing, assessing training activities regarding the usage of new methods in the primary education, parent education, protection and promotion of child's rights, usage of informatics technology, education for health and ecological education;
- Teacher counselling regarding permanent training or lesson improvement, sharing of the achieved experience.

Period 1983-2005

Occupation or position held

Teacher of History-Philosophy

Main activities and responsibilities

- Planning, designing, assessing teaching-learning activities;
- Organization of educational school and extracurricular educational activities;
- Parent counselling;
- Specialised theoretical work;
- Local and national scientific research
- Student training for sessions of local and national scientific seminars, for the county and national contests.

Name and address of employer	Totea Gymnasium School , Licuric Commune, Gorj, Industrial High-School No. 5, Târgu-Jiu, Gymnasium School No. 1 Târgu-Jiu; “Alexandru Ștefulescu” Gymnasium School, Târgu-Jiu
Type of business or sector	Education
Education and training	
Period	2006 – 2009
Period	History Doctorate Programme within University of Craiova
Period	2005 – 2007
Title of qualification awarded	Masters Degree, <i>Management and Educational Assessment</i>
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	School as organization; Institutional Development Quantitative Methods in Educational Research School Management Educational Measurement and Assessment Qualitative Methods in Educational Research Educational Programmes Assessment Educational Institutions administration and management Speciality practice (research action) Educational Politics and School Management Total Quality and Human Resources Management Research-Action Project Innovations in educational theory and practice Personality Psiho-diagnosys Institutional and Teacher Assessment Research –Dissertation Project
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Bucharest, Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences
Period	Elaborated Studies, four terms, post graduate specialisation, masters degree. 1990-2009
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Bucharest, Faculty of History and Philosophy, Gorj Teaching-Staff Resource Centre, Bucharest Teaching-Staff Resource Centre Bucharest, SSIR, A.R.A.C.I.P., “Aurel Vlaicu” University in Arad, UMPIP, Educația 2000+, CCD – Dolj, National Centre for Curriculum and Assessment in Education.
Period	Attendance to several continuous training courses on different fields related to education. 1979 – 1983

Title of qualification awarded	University Diploma in History and Philosophy
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	University of Bucharest, Faculty of History and Philosophy
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	<p>Universal Old History Introduction in History and auxiliary sciences Old History of Romania Romanian Historiography and Universal Dialectic and Historical Materialism Logics Archaeology Psychology Russian Physical Education Slavic Language Productive Practice Average History of Romania Average Universal History Political Economy Pedagogy History of Byzantium Law and Social Legislation Slavonic Palaeography Modern History of Romania Universal Modern History Philosophy History Sociology Contemporary Economical Doctrines History Methodological Teaching Nation Formation Political Parties in Contemporary Romania Old Slavic Language Romanian Contemporary History Universal Contemporary History Ethics Aesthetics</p>
Personal skills and competences	
Mother Tongue	Romanian
Foreign Languages	French, Russian

Self assessment <i>European Level (*)</i>	Understanding		Speaking		writing		
	Listening		Reading		Spoken Interaction	Spoken production	Written production
		Level A2		Level A2	Level A2	Level A2	Level A2
	French						
	Russian	well		well	Well	well	well
	Cyrillic and Old Slavonic	well		well	well	well	well
English	satisfactory		satisfactory	satisfactory	satisfactory	satisfactory	
Italian	satisfactory		satisfactory	satisfactory	satisfactory	satisfactory	
Social skills and competences	Information, communication, interaction, intermediation, problem counselling.						
Organisational skills and competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Planning, designing, assessing training activities regarding the usage of new methods in the primary education, parent education, protection and promotion of child's rights, usage of informatics technology, education for health and ecological education; ▪ Planning, designing, assessing training activities of teaching-learning and assessment activities. 						
Technical skills and competences	Tailoring and interior design						
Computer skills and competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Text and table processor usage; ▪ Communication through informational means; ▪ AeL lesson usage; ▪ AEL lesson and test creation 						
Artistic skills and competences	Violin playing, literature, brief occurrences in the local written media (essays), theatre- school group member; member of the Pedagogical High-School Orchestra Tg.- Jiu and of the Union House–Gorj, 1978-1979; amatory photographer with work accepted by the site www.didactic.ro						
Other skills and competences	Intermediation and counselling of the Romany ethnic group, involvement in the process of integration and ethnical desegregation.						

Driving licence Category: B

Additional information

Author or co-author of the following works:

- ***Gheorghe Chițu and the Modern Liberalism***, Punct Publishing House, Târgu-Jiu, 1998, (in collaboration with Gheorghe Nichifor).
- ***Figments from the of the Romanian Women from Gorj National League Activity***, in „Litua. Studies and research”, Târgu-Jiu, vol. IV, 1988.
- ***A royal charter from the beginning of the 17th Century in Ștefănești-Gorj***, în „Litua. Studies and research”, Târgu-Jiu, vol.V, 1992.
- ***Atitudini antirevizioniste în Gorjul perioadei interbelice***, în „Litua. Studii și cercetări”, Târgu-Jiu, vol.V, 1994.
- ***Dan Neguleasa- an Archive Professional***, - in „Rhabon”, (Gorj Branch of the Romanian Historical Science Society)year, no.I, 2001.
- ***Gorj Itineraries*** (in collaboration) Culture and Creation Centre Publishing House Gorj, Târgu-Jiu, 2003.
- ***Gheorghe Magheru- letters from exile*** (in collaboration with Gheorghe Nichifor), in General Magheru - „In memoriam”, Rhabon Publishing House, Târgu-Jiu, 2004.
- ***Confesions from Gorj on the cohort „Domnul Tudor***, in „Litua. Studies and research”, Târgu-Jiu, vol.VIII, 2005.
- ***Member in the "Rhabon" magazine staff college*** (publication belonging to Gorj Branch of the Romanian Historical Science Society).
- ***Collaborator to “Gazeta Gorjului”(1984-1989) and "Gorjeanul"*** (1989-2005) with articles on local historical research.
- ***Collaborator to "Timpul"*** weekly magazine (Târgu-Jiu) with the column "*History Pages*".
- ***Gheorghe Chițu’s Contribution to the Development on Education and Culture (1828-1879)***, Târgu – Jiu 600, Măiastra Publishing House, Târgu-Jiu, 2007;
- ***Interactive Teaching and Learning through Cooperation***, in collaboration with Stîngă Lelia), in Studies and Articles on History, LXXII, 2007, editorial group ROTTARYMOND ROTAREXIM S.A. Râmnicu Vâlcea.
- ***Aspects regarding the Gorj intellectuals contribution to building Romania***, (in collaboration with Gheorghe Nichifor), in Studies and Articles on History, LXXIV,S.Ș.I.R, 2009.
- ***Gheorghe Chițu and the people from Gorj***, in „Litua. Studies and research”, Târgu-Jiu, 2009

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