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Curriculum Vitae**

Personal information

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Work experience

1.
Dates Sept. 2008 – present
Occupation or position held Independent expert (PFA):
Main activities and responsibilities

- **Research & Development in Social and Humanistic Sciences**
- **Management Consultancy**
- **Public Relations and Communication Consultancy**
- **Support Activities for Learning**

Multidisciplinary Coaching-style Lifelong Learning.

Nowadays we need to be particularly creative, since all known methods have been proving their major limits in answering the new challenges. Therefore I make use of an original, unique on the market and very complex method, which I call *multidisciplinary coaching-style lifelong learning*.

This method is based on creative, in-depth, guided self-analysis of client's everyday experience, and interweaves principles and techniques from executive coaching and life coaching with research, consultancy, training and mentoring, depending on clients' needs and choices.

It benefits from scientific knowledge coming from several social sciences : sociology, anthropology, social psychology, sciences of education, sciences of family, childhood studies.

For individuals: career and leadership boost; work and personal life balance; time management; stress management; constructive communication; making public presentations; family relationships and functioning improvement; self-discovery and personal development.

For organizations: leadership boost; team cooperation boost; time management; stress management; constructive communication.

Name and address of employer **Elisabeta Stanciulescu P.F.A.** Bucharest, Romania
Type of business or sector Research / Education / Consulting

2.

Dates Febr. 2002 – August 2008
Occupation or position held Tenure University Professor, Ph.D.

I presented my **resignation** in August 2008, notifying the University's Administration that, within the present state of the Romanian educational system, dominated by politic and commercial interests, I could not find the fundamental values and standards of quality which had motivated me to choose this specific work, and could not see any convincing clue of optimistic future evolutions. It was / is not a local problem, but a national one.

Main activities and responsibilities **Teaching and curriculum development** (students' and continuous/adults' education): General Sociology; Sociology of Education; Qualitative Methods of Research in Social Sciences; Theoretical and Epistemological Issues of Research; Childhood Studies and Children's Rights; Improving Teachers' Relationships with Pupils and Families.

Coordinating doctoral theses (including coaching, training and mentoring).

Coordinating masteral dissertations (including coaching, training and mentoring).

Qualitative research (*project design; in-depth interview, life-history, focus group, creative group, ethnographic interview, ethnographic observation and qualitative analysis of documents; constructivist approaches and grounded theory*): Contemporary Changes in Higher Education; Tools for Formative Quality Evaluation of the Teaching-Learning Process in the Light of the Bologna Reforms; School Success Profile.

Management: director of the international master program 'European Masters in Children's Rights' (see www.enmcr.net); research project director; member of the University Board for Strategic Planning.

Evaluation: member of the National Commission for Tenure University Professors' and Senior Lecturers' Attestation, Romanian Ministry of Education, Research and Youth; expert for evaluating research projects, CNCISIS, Romanian Ministry of Education, Research and Youth.

International mobility and work: Université "René Descartes" Paris V (Sorbonne-Sciences Humaines), Sept. 2002 ; Oxford University, Nov. 2004; Freie Universität Berlin, Sept. 2005; Università degli Studi Roma Tre, Nov. 2005; Institute of Education, University of London, Jan. 2006; Wuppertal University, May 2007; member in the scientific board of the international conference 'Les enfants et les jeunes dans les espaces du quotidien', Université Rennes II, France, Nov. 2006; invited professor, Summer International School from Veli Losinj, Croatia, May 2005; leader of group discussions, CR Sociologie de l'enfance, XVII-e Congrès de l'AISLF: 'L'individu social', July 2004, Tours, France; leader of group discussions, [25th International Colloquium](#) of European Forum for Freedom in Education: '[Freedom and Plurality in Modern Education](#)', June 2002, Ilieni, Romania.

Implication in civil society: member of the National Board of Open Society Foundation Bucharest, Romania (2002-2005); member in other ONG's boards (mainly education, and children's and women's rights).

Name and address of employer **Babes-Bolyai University**, 1 Mihail Kogalniceanu Street, 400084 Cluj-Napoca, Romania

Type of business or sector Education / Training and Research

3.

Dates Sept.1990 – Feb.2002

Occupation or position held **Tenure University Professor, Ph.D.** (Sept.2001-Feb.2002).

Senior Lecturer / Maître de conférences, Ph.D. (Sept.1999-Aug.2001).

Lecturer (Sept.1990-Aug.1999).

Main activities and responsibilities **Teaching and curriculum development:** Sociology of Education; Sociology of Family and Children; Contemporary Sociological Theories; General Sociology; Social Work with Families.

Coordinating licence theses (including coaching, training and mentoring).

Qualitative research: Romanian University in Transition; Family and Education in Romanian Society; Women discrimination at work in Romania; Socio-cultural Influences on Domestic Violence in Romania; Ambivalent Sexism, Social Dominance and Gender Stereotyping.

Evaluation: expert for evaluating research projects, CNCSIS, Romanian Ministry of Education, Research and Youth.

Management: research project director.

International mobility and work: two times invited professor to Université "René Descartes", Paris V, Sorbonne-Sciences Humaines, April-May 1996, and May-June 2001; Co-PI in the research project 'Socio-cultural Influences on Domestic Violence in Romania: Ambivalent Sexism, Social Dominance and Gender Stereotyping', 2001, project financed by The USA National Science Foundation and directed by Sharon Home, associate professor, University of Memphis; invited professor, Invisible College Chisinau, Moldova, June and Nov. 2000; leader of group discussions, European Council Program for the Continuous Training of Teachers' Seminar: 'Education for non-violence', Bistrita, Romania, April 2000; invited professor, Summer International School from Holercani, Moldova, June 1996; TEMPUS scholarship, Institut de Sociologie, Faculté des Sciences Économiques et Sociales, Université des Sciences et Technologies de Lille, April-June 2003.

Name and address of employer **Al. I. Cuza University**, 11 Bulevardul Carol I, 700506 Iasi, Romania.

Type of business or sector Education / Training and Research

4.

Dates 04.1990 – 08.1990

Occupation or position held General Manager

Main activities and responsibilities Set up the institution after the fall of the communist regime.
Strategic planning. Recruiting staff.

Name and address of employer Casa Corpului Didactic / District Teachers' Training Centre, Deva, Romania.

Type of business or sector HR Training & Development

Education

5.

Dates 09.1982 – 03.1990

Occupation or position held Tenure teacher

Main activities and responsibilities Teaching philosophy and social sciences.

Name and address of employer Liceul Industrial Nr. 4 / Technological High School, Deva, Romania.

Type of business or sector Education.

6.

Dates 09.1977 – 09.1978

Occupation or position held Tenure primary teacher

Main activities and responsibilities Teaching

Name and address of employer No. 1 Comprehensive School ("The School with Clock"), Rm. Vâlcea, Romania.

Type of business or sector Education.

Education and training

Dates 1992-1998

Title of qualification awarded **Ph.D. in Sociology**

Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Title of the thesis: <i>Family and Education in Romanian Society. A Sociological Perspective.</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The first empirical Romanian study based on systematic use of qualitative research methods: <i>life histories</i> and documents' analysis (first public presentations in 1994 and 1995, see below). • It used for the first time in Romania the concept of <i>the child as social actor</i> in the sense of co-producer of social life. • Professor Eric Plaisance from Rene Descartes University, Paris V - Sorbonne, member of the examination board, appreciated that "The thesis deserves to be praised as <i>an original contribution [...] with regard to the international research in the matter</i>"
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Al. I. Cuza University, 11 Bulevardul Carol I, 700506 Iasi, Romania. International examination board.

Dates	1978-1982
Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor's degree in Philosophy and History
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Secondary and high school teacher qualification. Philosophy and Social Sciences.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Al. I. Cuza University, 11 Bulevardul Carol I, 700506 Iasi, Romania.

Dates	1972-1977 (5 years was the normal length of the programme)
Title of qualification awarded	Baccalaureate Diploma and Certificate in Primary Education Teaching
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Primary teacher qualification.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Pedagogic High School, Rm. Valcea, Romania.

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (*)

French

English

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C1	Proficient User	C2	Proficient User	C1	Proficient User	C1	Proficient User	C2	Proficient User
B2	Independent User	C1	Proficient User	B2	Independent User	B2	Independent User	B2	Independent User

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences Living and working in multicultural contexts (respecting differences, communication, non-discrimination). Transylvania, where I have lived and worked for almost 15 years, is a multicultural region of Romania, and Babes-Bolyai University, where I have worked for 6 years, is a multicultural organization.

Flexibility and adaptability.

I lived and worked in various regions of the country, as well as in international settings, proving a good capacity to adapt to and work with various groups.

Teamwork.

Teachers' and researchers' activities ask for good teamwork skills: pursuing common goals and defending common values; cooperation and mutual help; active listening and communicating coherent and clear ideas; checking quality of results; meeting deadlines.

Organisational skills and competences Change management (preparing and supporting organisational innovations and reforms).

HR Development

As a learning program director, a research director, and a teacher, I practiced: strategic planning; organizing collective activities, with a focus on results (effectiveness); monitoring and evaluating quality; monitoring and evaluating people performances and progress (including feedback 360°); identifying learning needs and stimulating individual and team learning; developing appropriate curricula of learning; democratic leadership; delegating tasks; and stimulating ethic relationships.

Computer skills and competences Word, Power Point, and Internet Explorer. Middle level (self-assessment).

Artistic skills and competences I have a diploma of a two years learning program in acting (theatre) and I took special classes of violin and picture during high-school; I have never performed, but I am a passionate consumer of classic music and picture.

Other skills and competences Translating. 6 books translated from French and published by Romanian publishing house Polirom.

Driving licence No.

Additional information 1998-2008 – promoter and coordinator of two editorial series (Sociology-Anthropology) for Polirom Publishing House (one of the most prestigious publishing house in Romania).

MEMBERSHIP OF PROFESSIONAL BODIES:

- Association Internationale des Sociologues de Langue Française (1992 - onwards). Co-founder of the research commity Sociologie de l'enfance (2000) ; member of the board of this research commity.
- International Sociological Association (2004 - onwards).

CONFERENCES at international scientific meetings: about 20, in French and English (see below).

PUBLICATIONS: four single author books and several studies in Romanian; several studies in French and English (see below).

Six **BOOKS TRANSLATED** from French (Polirom, Iasi).

CONFERENCES at international scientific meetings:

- (2007) 'Les enfants et les jeunes dans les espaces du quotidien. Bilan et perspectives'. Conférence invitée à la fin (séance plénière) du Colloque international " Les enfants et les jeunes dans les espaces du quotidien". Rennes (France), 16-17 Novembre.
- (2005) 'Romanian Children : A Child-centered Society and Knowledge or Children for an Adult-defined World? How the Emphasis on Vulnerable Children Can Lead to Obscure "Normal" Childhood and Produce Invisible Children in Risk'. Country Report to the ISA RC53 Sociology of Childhood's mid-term conference Marginality and voice – childhood in sociology and society. Wuppertal, 23-25 June.
- (2004) 'Déconstruction de la « science normale » et renouvellement de la sociologie. A travers les tribulations de la réflexion sociologique roumaine sur l'individu'. **Séance plénière. XVII- e Congrès des sociologues de langue française : L'Individu social. Tours (France), 5-9 Juillet.** See the text to : http://elisabetastanciulescu.ro/wp-content/uploads/2011/01/Elisabeta-Stanciulescu-Congres-AISLF_Tours-2004_Multiculturalism-scientifique_Sociologie-roumaine-de-lindividu_11.pdf and http://elisabetastanciulescu.ro/wp-content/uploads/2011/01/Elisabeta-Stanciulescu_Congres-AISLF_Tours-2004_-Individualisme-et-societe-postcommuniste_21.pdf
- (2001) 'Savoirs implantés / transplantés et construction utopique de l'école'. INRP / Ecole Normale Supérieure Lyon, Mai.
- (2001) 'L'enfant et l'enfance comme objet légitime de la recherche sociologique – une construction sociale et historique'. 2-èmes Journées Sociologie de l'enfance : Relations, représentations, redéfinitions. Genève, 19-20 Septembre.
- (2000) 'Gérer la contradiction et l'équivoque au jour le jour. Étude sur les dynamiques identitaires au sein de l'ancienne nomenclatura communiste universitaire'. XVI- e Congrès de AISLF : Une société-monde?. Québec, 3-7 Juillet. See the text to :
- (1996) 'Les enjeux identitaire de la scolarité. L'éducation comme bricolage d'objets sociaux'. XV- e Congrès de AISLF: L'Invention de la société. De l'élucidation à l'action. Evora (Portugal), 8-12 July.
- (1996) 'Considération sur le concept d'éducation familiale'. XV- e Congrès de AISLF: L'Invention de la société. De l'élucidation à l'action. Evora (Portugal), 8-12 July.
- (1996) 'La sociologie roumaine: perspectives théoriques et méthodologiques; terrains; enseignement'. Université "René Descartes", Paris V, Sorbonne-Sciences Humaines, Unité de Formation et de Recherche de Sciences de l'Éducation, Mai.
- (1995) 'Tel enfant, tels parents. De la redéfinition et de la construction de l'enfance et de la parentalité'. Conférence INRS-Culture et Société Montreal & AISLF: Enfances. Montréal (Québec), 21-22 Août.
- (1994) 'La transition: d'où et où?'. AISLF conference occasioned by the 13th World Congress of Sociology (AIS), Bielefeld (Germany), 18-23 July.
- (1994) 'Redéfinition et construction progressives des espaces domestiques du point de vue de l'enfant'. Conférence Université de Liège et l'AISLF: Les espaces de la famille. Liège (Belgique), 5 et 6 Mai.
- (1994) 'Avatars de la démocratie dans une société en transition'. Conférence de l'AISLF : Les Balkans et l'Europe face aux nouveaux défis. Sofia (Bulgarie), 3-6 Mars.
- (1993) 'La sociologie roumaine de l'éducation: bilan et perspectives'. INRP Paris et AISLF: Pour un nouveau bilan de la sociologie de l'éducation. Paris, 25-27 Mai.
- (1992) 'La pluritemporalité de l'éducation'. XIV- e Congrès de AISLF: Les nouveaux mondes et l'Europe. Lyon (France), 6-10 July.
- (1992) (en collaboration) 'Sur le status et la position du sociologue dans la société roumaine en transition'. AISLF et UBB Cluj-Napoca: L'enseignement de la Sociologie. Cluj-Napoca (Roumanie), 11-13 Avril.

PUBLICATIONS

- **Studies in French and English**

(2010) 'Children and Childhood in Romanian Society and Social Research: Ideological and Market Biases and some Notable Contributions', in *Current Sociology*, March 2010, Volume 58 Issue 2: 309-334. URL: <http://online.sagepub.com> sau <http://dx.doi.org/10.1177/0011392109354247>

(2010) 'Les enfants et les espaces publics', in Danic Isabelle, David Olivier, Depeau Sandrine (dir), *Enfants et jeunes dans les espaces du quotidien*, pp. 187-190. Rennes. Presse Universitaire de Rennes.

(2006) 'Globalisations idéologiques et pouvoir d'une catégorie vulnérable: les enfants « de la rue »', Les Sciences de l'Education. Pour l'Ere nouvelle. Revue internationale, 39(2) : 69-88.

(1996) 'Tel enfant, tels parents: de la redéfinition et de la construction de l'enfance et de la parentalité', in René B. Dandurand, Roch Hurtubise, Céline Le Bourdais (dir.) *Enfances. Perspectives sociales et pluriculturelles*, pp. 237-258. Sainte-Foy: Institut Québécois de Recherche sur la Culture, Les Presses de l'Université Laval.

(1997) 'La Transition: d'où et où?', în Gheorghe Teodorescu (coord.), *Un secol de sociologie românească (1897-1997)*, pp. 119-128. Iași : Editura Fundației "Axis".

(1995) 'Redéfinition et construction progressives des espaces domestiques du point de vue de l'enfant', in Bernadette Bawin-Legros, René B. Dandurand, Jean Kellerhals, François de Singly (sous la direction) *Les espaces de la famille. Actes du Colloque*, pp.121-130. Liège : l'Association Internationale des Sociologues de Langue Française et Médiatique.

(1995) 'Avatars de la démocratie dans une société en transition', in Silvie Bardeche (ed.), *Les Balkans et l'Europe face aux nouveaux défis. Actes du colloque de l'A.I.S.L.F., 3-6 mars 1994, Sofia (Bulgarie)*, pp.168-176. Paris: L.S.C.I.-IRESCO (translated in Bulgarian).

(1993) 'Sur la pluralité des temps sociaux: pluritemporalité de l'éducation', *Revue Roumaine de Philosophie*, 37(3-4) : 243-248.

(1992, en cooperation) 'Sur le statut et la position du sociologue dans la société roumaine en transition', in Ion Aluș et Gabriel Gosselin (sous la dir.), *Actes. Rencontre internationale sur L'enseignement de la Sociologie, Cluj (Roumanie), 11-13 avril 1992*, pp. 140-148. Cluj-Paris : A.I.S.L.F., A.S.R., Université "Babeș-Bolyai" Cluj-Napoca.

CONTRIBUTIONS

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- **Books (single author):**

(2002) *Despre tranziție și universitate / On Transition and University*. Iași : Polirom (166 p).

(2002) *Sociologia educației familiale / Sociology of Family Education*. Vol. I, II. Second edition. Iași : Polirom (222p + 415 p) (first edition 1997 and 1998).

(1996) *Teorii sociologice ale educației. Producerea eului și construcția sociologiei / Sociological Theories of Education*. Iași : Polirom (222 p).

- ◆ **Six books translated** (from French) – Polirom, Iasi.