

Education

1962-1967, Faculty of Philosophy (Department of Psychology), University of Bucharest
1974, Ph. D in Philosophy (Sociology)

Internships abroad

1970 University of Koln
1994, 1998, 2002 Visits at universities in the U.S., England, Sweden, Netherlands

Teaching

1968-1964, Assistant, Faculty of Philosophy, Sociology Department, University of Bucharest
1974-1976, Lecturer, Faculty of Philosophy, Sociology Department, University of Bucharest
1967 - 1989, Reader, Academy of Social and Political Studies, Bucharest
1992-2010, Professor, Department of Sociology and Social Work, University of Bucharest

Other professional activities

1990-1992, researcher pr. gr. I, Institute of Psychology, Romanian Academy
1994-1999, Rector, National Intelligence Institute, Bucharest

General areas of specialization

Sociological Research Methodology, Social Psychology, Public Opinion, Sociology of Emotions

Awards

1980 "P.S. Aurelian" Award of the "RSR Academy"
2004 "Opera Omnia" Prize

Scientific papers

1. Development and validation of "Ethnic Attribute Inventory" (1994).
2. Adaptation, validation and application for the first time in Romania of some investigative tools: "test of career interests" (1970) by Martin IRLE, "Inventory of professional values" (1994) by DE Super, "Social distance scale" (1994) by Emory Bogardus.
3. Changing the theory of "Spiral of Silence" (2007) by Elisabeth Noelle-Neumann
4. Development of the first "Encyclopedia of Psychosociology" (2003, in collaboration) and the first treaty of "Methodology of sociological Research. Quantitative and qualitative methods" (2001, at the third edition in 2007).

Books recently published

A Century of Psychosociology Researchs. 1997

1997. Iasi, Editura Polirom, 2002, 229 p. (ISBN 973-683-683-846-3)

Public opinion. The masses think about what and how the elite want? Bucharest: Economica, 2002, 302 p. (ISBN 973-590-750-X).

Public opinion. Strategies of persuasion and manipulation, Editura Economica, 2006, 445 p. (ISBN 973-700-196-5).
How to write a final paper, a scientific article in socioumane sciences (Fourth edition, revised and added), Bucharest: Comunicare.ro, 2000/2007, 225 p. (ISBN 978-973-711-123-4).
Sociological research methodology. Quantitative and qualitative methods (Third edition, revised and enlarged), Editura Economic, 2001/2007, 751 p. (ISBN 978-973-323-3).
Nonverbal communication: gestures and posture. Words are not enough (second edition revised and added), Bucharest: Comunicare.ro, 2005/2008, p. 299 (in colab. With Loredana Ivan and Adina Chelcea). (ISBN 978-973-711-160-9). (coauthor)
Psychosociology. Theory, research, applications(second edition revised and added), Iasi, Polirom, 2008, 420 p. (ISBN 978-973-46-0868-3) (coordinator)
Shame and guilt in public sphere. For a sociology of emotions. Bucharest: Humanitas, 2008, 350 p. (coord.). (ISBN 978-973-50-2403-4) (coordinator)