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DEGREES:

B.A. in Engineering, University of Craiova, 1996

B.A. in Philosophy and Sociology, University of Craiova, 1999

Ph.D. in Philosophy, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, July 2004

CURRENT POSITION:

Assistant Professor of Philosophy

Postdoctoral researcher. My postdoctoral research focuses on pragmatic modeling of argumentation in public discourse

MEMBERSHIPS AND OFFICES HELD IN LEARNED SOCIETIES:

Romanian Philosophical Association, Bucharest

"Mircea Eliade" Center for The Study of Imaginary and Rationality, University of Craiova

Romanian Association for Dialog between Science and Theology, Bucharest

Member and co-founder of Romanian Philosophical Association, Craiova Branch

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

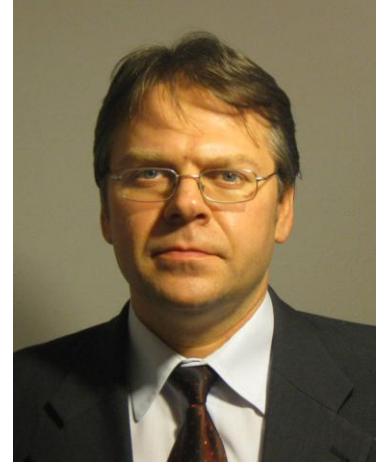
2003-2007: Lecturer in Philosophy, University of Craiova

2000-2003: Teaching Assistant in Philosophy, University of Craiova

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Program Committee for, and chairman at, the "Encuentro Internacional e Interinstitucional", Conference organized by La Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México and University of Craiova, Craiova, May 30 – June 3, 2011.

Program Committee for the Conference „Modernism and Postmodernism in Philosophy”, Craiova, November 16, 2007.



Program Committee for the International Conference „Mircea Eliade et la pensée mythique”, Craiova, May 24-25, 2007.

Program Committee for The International Conference „Sartre in Contemporary Thought”, Craiova, November 6, 2006.

Program Committee for The International Conference „Holism, Neopragmatism, and Cultural Diversity”, Craiova, September 14, 2006.

Program Committee for The Conference „Martin Heidegger in the 20th Century Philosophy”, Craiova, May 6, 2005.

Program Committee for The Conference “The Actuality of Immanuel Kant’s Philosophy”, Craiova, November 5-6, 2004.

Editor-in-Chief, *Symbolon*, a publication of The “Mircea Eliade” Center for The Study of Imaginary and Rationality

Secretary, Editorial Board, *Annals of The University of Craiova – Philosophy Series*.

Member, Editorial Board, *Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revue des Sciences Politiques* , 2005-2010.

PRIZES AND AWARDS:

2010: Faculty of Social Sciences’Dean’s Recognition Award for Contribution in Scholarship and Research

2007: University of Craiova’s Senate’s Recognition Award for Contribution in Research

CURRENT AREAS OF SCHOLARLY INTEREST:

Argumentation, Analytic Philosophy, Neopragmatism.

COURSES TAUGHT (last five years):

Analytic Philosophy, MA Program: Basic Problems in Contemporary Philosophy

American Pragmatism, MA Program: Anglo-American Studies

Political Philosophy, BA Program: Philosophy

Logic and Argumentation Theory, BA Program: Philosophy

Computer Assisted Learning, BA Program: Philosophy

Philosophy of Science, BA Program: Philosophy

RESEARCH FUNDING:

2006: National Council for Scientific Research in Higher Education (CNCSIS) Grant187: Holism, Neopragmatism and Cultural Diversity. Amount awarded: 11000 RON (coordinator)

2006-2008: GPSSMAP07/2006 Grant “The Knowledge of the Univers: between reality and mental construct” (member of the research team)

BOOKS

Ceapraz I., C. Stanculescu, *Natural Deduction in Propositional Logic*, University of Craiova Publishing House, Craiova, 2006, ISBN: 973-742-287-2.

Tomescu, V., C. Stanculescu, *Computer Assisted Learning in Social Sciences*, University of Craiova Publishing House, Craiova, 2004, ISBN: 973-8043-598-8.

RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS:

„«Wooden language», persuasive definitions, and inferentialist semantics“, *Revue des Sciences Politiques*, nr. 33-34/2012, pp. 40-48, ISSN: 1584-224X.

„Relevance, argumentation, and imagination in the public discourse on climate change“, in J.-J. Wunenburger & I. Bușe (eds.), Editions Universitaires de Lyon, 2011, pp. 297-313.

„Holism, «the dialectic of dissension» and deliberative argumentation based on values“, *Revue des Sciences Politiques*, nr. 30-31/2011, pp. 61-70, ISSN: 1584-224X.

„Relevance, holism and practical reasoning“, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series*, nr. 25/2010, pp. 197-210, ISSN:1841-8325.

„Modeling interpretative relevance using argumentative schemes“, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series* , nr. 26/2010, pp. 206-220, ISSN: 1841-8325.

„Argumentative evaluation of persuasive definitions in the apocalyptic imaginary of global warming discourse“, J.-J. Wunenburger and I. Bușe (eds.), *L'imaginaire des catastrophes*, Editions Universitaires de Lyon, 2010, pp. 297-313, ISSN 1843-4843 ISBN 978-2-916377-95-7.

„Constantin Noica's philosophy of argument“, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series*, 24/2009, ISSN: 1841-8325.

"The Dialectical dimension of Visual Arguments", *Annals of The University of Craiova – Philosophy Series*, 24/2009, ISSN: 1841-8325.

"Verbal and Visual in Visual Argumentation", *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series*, 23/2009, ISSN: 1841-8325.

"From the Indian symbolism of transcendence to visual argumentation", I. Bușe, J.-J. Wunenburger (eds.), *L'imaginaire des Orients*, Editions Universitaires de Lyon III, 2009.

"Mircea Eliade's 'creative hermeneutics' and the scheme-content dualism", in I. Bușe și J.-J. Wunenburger (eds.), *Mircea Eliade et la pensée mythique*, Editions Universitaires de Lyon III, 2008, ISSN 1843-4843, ISBN 978-2-916377-56-8.

„Value Pluralism and Philosophical Therapy“, *Revue des Sciences Politiques*, 16/2007, ISSN: 1584-224X.

„Richard Rorty and The Post-philosophical Liberalism“, *Revue des Sciences Politiques*, 14/2007, ISSN: 1584-224X.

"Relativism, Neopragmatism and Cultural Diversity", *Revue des Sciences Politiques*, 9-10/2006, ISSN: 1584-224X.

"Rawls on political consensus", *Revue des Sciences Politiques*, 8/2006, 39-43, ISSN: 1584-224X.

"Psychological approaches to inference“, *Annals of The University of Craiova – Psychology Series*, 11-12/2006, pp. 58-71, ISSN 1582 – 313X..

"Folk psychology as a theory", *Annals of The University of Craiova – Psychology Series*, 9-10/2005, pp. 77-83, ISSN 1582 – 313X.

"«Epistemological Anarchism» and Liberal Democracy", I. Deaconescu, A. Pițurcă (eds.), *Political culture and Democracy*, "Libertatea" Publishing House, Panciova, 2005, ISBN 86-7001-176-X.

"Light and Language in Plotinus", in R. Constantinescu, G. Călina (eds.), *The Bulletin of the Center for Dialogue between Sciences and Theology*, 3/2004, ISSN: 1584-4196.

„«Light» : concept and metaphor in Plotinus", in R. Constantinescu, G. Călina (coord.), *The Bulletin of the Center for Dialogue between Sciences and Theology*, 3/2004, ISSN: 1584-4196.

"Light and perception in Plotinus, in R. Constantinescu, G. Călina (coord.), *The Bulletin of the Center for Dialogue between Sciences and Theology*, nr. 4/2004, pp. 81-87, ISSN: 1584-4196.

„Intentionality in Social Sciences", in *Review of Social and Humanist Studies*, a review of The Romanian Academy's "C.S.N. Plopor" Institute of Socio-Humanist Researches, Craiova, 2003, pp. 190-197, ISSN 1583-302X.

„Unity and dependence in Plotinus", in *Annals of The University of Craiova – Sociology-Political Science Series*, nr. 10/2003, pp.110-118.

„Causality and difference in Plotinus", in *Annals of The University of Craiova – Sociology-Political Science Series* , nr. 11/2003, pp. 7-16.

„Light and Causality in Plotinus", in *Annals of The University of Craiova – Sociology-Political Science Series*, nr. 12/2003, pp. 27-36

„Language of thought and the naturalization of mind", in *Review of Social and Humanist Studies*, a review of The Romanian Academy's "C.S.N. Plopor" Institute of Socio-Humanist Researches nr. 1/2002, pp. 133-138, ISSN 1583-302X.

„Plotinus and The Mysticism of The Early Christian Centuries", *The Bulletin of the Center for Dialogue between Sciences and Theology* Craiova, 1/2002, pp. 238-246, ISSN: 1584-4196.

„Mircea Eliade: «The Modern Men» and The Nature", in Ionel Bușe (ed.), *Cahiers Mircea Eliade*, "Universitaria" Publishing House, 2002, pp. 83-92; ISBN 973-8043-92-X.

„L. Wittgenstein and cognitive science", în M. Flonta, Gh. Ștefanov (eds.), *Ludwig Wittgenstein in the 20th Century Philosophy* , "Polirom" Publishing House, Iasi, 2001, pp. 205-214 ISBN: 973-683-853-6.

BOOK REVIEWS

Review of Bogdan M. Popescu, *Qualia și filosofia conștiinței (Qualia and the philosophy of mind)*, București, Editura Antet, 2007, în *Review of Philosophy*, 5-6/2009, pp. 710-712.

Review of Anton Adămuț, *Cum visează filosofii (On how philosophers dream)*, Editura All, 2008, 408 p., *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series* 25/2010, pp. 273-275.

Review of Anton Adămuț, *Filosofie și teologie la Sfântul Augustin (Philosophy and Theology in Saint Augustin)*, Editura Academiei Române, București, 2009, 220 p., *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series* 26/2010, pp. 282-283.

TRANSLATIONS

1. Frederic M. SCHROEDER, Robert B. TODD, "The De Intellectu Revisited", *Laval théologique et philosophique*, vol. 64, n° 3, 2008, pp. 663-680, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series* 23/2009, pp. 5-27.

2. Frederic M. SCHROEDER, F., 'Conversion and consciousness in Plotinus, *Enneads* 5, 1 [10], 7', *Hermes* 11, 1986, pp. 186–95, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series* 24/2009, pp. 152-163).

3. Frederic M. SCHROEDER, "Lumina și Intellectul Activ la Alexandru din Afrodisia și Plotin" ("Light and the Active Intellect in Alexander and Plotinus," *Hermes*, 112 (1984), pp. 242-244), *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series 25/2010*, pp. 41-52;
4. Frederic M. SCHROEDER, „Plotin și Aristotel despre viața bună” (“Plotinus and Aristotel on The Good Life”, în John Cleary (ed.), *The Perennial Tradition of Neoplatonism*, Leuven University Press, 1997, pp. 207-220), *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series 26/2010*, pp. 5-18.
5. J. Edgar BAUER, „Reconceptualizarea umanului. Partea I: Universalizarea de către Magnus Hirschfeld a intermediarității sexuale și moștenirea darwinistă”, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series 23/2009*, pp. 157-172;
6. J. Edgar BAUER, „Reconceptualizarea umanului. Partea a II-a: Conceptul lui Magnus Hirschfeld de emancipare sexuală și înțelegerea postmodernă a inefabilității sexuale”, *Annals of The University of Craiova - Philosophy Series 24/2009*, pp. 203-218;

PRESENTATIONS

- “«Pluralist consensus», inferential semantics and deliberative argumentation”, *Group Session at the Eastern Division American Philosophical Association Meetings*, December 27-30, 2011, Marriott Wardman Park, Washington, DC.
- „Pluralism, inferentialist semantics and epistemic authority”, paper read at the *Encuentro Internacional e Interinstitucional*, conference organized by La Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México and University of Craiova, Craiova, May 30 – June 3, 2011.
- „Richard Rorty’s criticism of the philosophical dualism”, paper read at The Fourth Edition of Philosophy Colloquia at „Lovinescu House”, „Philosophy and Dualism”, Bucharest, October 26-28, 2007.
- „Mircea Eliade’s ‘creative hermeneutics’ and the scheme-content dualism”, paper read at the International Colloquium „Mircea Eliade et la pensée mythique”, Craiova, May 24-25, 2007.
- „Holism, radical translation and existential ontology”, paper read at the International Conference „Sartre in Contemporary Thought”, Craiova, November 6, 2006.
- “Holism, Neopragmatism, and religious diversity”, paper read at the National Conference „Holism, Neopragmatism, and Cultural Diversity”, Craiova, September 14, 2006.
- “Holism and Personal Identity”, paper read at the National Conference “Identity and Individuation”, Sibiu, June 5-6, 2006.
- “Blaga and Davidson on metaphor”, paper read at the International Festival “Lucian Blaga”, Cluj-Napoca, May 4-6, 2006.
- “«Epistemological Anarchism» and liberal democracy”, paper read at the International Conference “Political culture and democracy”, Craiova, May 5, 2005
- “Heidegger and The New Pragmatism”, paper read at the Conference „Martin Heidegger in the 20th Century Philosophy”, Craiova, May 6, 2005.
- “Kant and the problem of the reference of the self as subject”, paper read at the Conference “The Actuality of Immanuel Kant’s Philosophy”, Craiova, November 5-6, 2004.
- “Wittgenstein and Cognitive Science”, paper read at the International Conference “Ludwig Wittgenstein in the 20th Century Philosophy”, May 25-26, 2001.