

# Curriculum vitae Europass

## Personal information

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## Desired employment/ occupation field

Lector in the Faculty of Physical Education and Sport, The second chair Physical Education , University of Craiova, 2<sup>nd</sup> Chair – Theory and Sport Games

## Work experience

Dates	March 2009 - present
Occupation or position held	University lector
Main activities and responsibilities	Taught disciplines : The Procedure of Sport Discipline Handball, The Procedure of Sport Discipline Basketball , Thoroughgoing Study of Sport Discipline Handball, Sport Equipments and Installations , Physical Education and Sport
Name and address of employer	University of Craiova, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport, The Second Chair, no. 156 Brestei Street, Zip code 200585, Craiova, Dolj, Romania Tel/ fax : 0251422743
Type of business or sector	High education

  

Dates	1998 - 2009
Occupation or position held	University Assistant
Main activities and responsibilities	Taught disciplines : The Procedure of Sport Discipline Handball, The Procedure of Sport Discipline Basketball , Thoroughgoing Study of Sport Discipline Handball, Sport Equipments and Installations , Physical Education and Sport
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Dates	1995 - 1998
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Occupation or position held	University Preparatory Assistant
Main activities and responsibilities	Taught disciplines : The Procedure of Sport Discipline Handball, Thoroughgoing Study of Sport Discipline Handball, Sport Equipments and Installations , Physical Education and Sport
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## Education and training

Dates	2020-2021
Title of qualification awarded	Entrepreneurial competence - Dimension of professional development of university teachers
Name and type of organization providing education and training	Postuniversity studies Departamente of Teachers Training University of Craiova
Dates	2006 – present
Title of qualification awarded	Postgraduate in Economy with the thesis :Strategies and Modalities of Human Resources Management For the Efficiency of Sport Activities
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Methodology of Scientific Research in Economy, Micro economy, Macro economy, European Economy
Name and type of organization providing education and training	University of Craiova
Dates	2008 - 2009
Title of qualification awarded	Financing Opportunities about the Integration of Romania in European Union
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	
Name and type of organization providing education and training	University of Craiova, Faculty of Engineering and Technological Processes, High Education Specialization
Dates	1990 - 1994
Title of qualification awarded	Physical Education and Sport Teacher, Coach third degree , Specialization : Handball
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Anatomy, Theory of Physical Education and Sport , Methodic of Physical Education and Sport, Theory of sportive Practice Earned abilities : knowledge of the Theory of Physical Education and Sport, knowledge of the theory of sportive coach , understanding of child's psychology and sportsman's psychology
Name and type of organization providing education and training	University of Craiova, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport

## Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

	Understanding		Speaking		Writing
	Listening	reading	conversation	oral speech	Writing expression
<b>English language</b>	VG	VG	VG	VG	VG
<b>French language</b>	G	G	G	G	G

Competences and social abilities Social competences : cooperation, team work, communication.  
Social abilities : good understanding capacity and relationship with other persons, open for new.  
Experience in leading and coordinating student teams at the National University Handball Championships from 1996 to the present.  
Organization of the Paul Stuparu Cup student competition in mixed handball-2014,2015,2016,2017,2018,2019.  
Participation with the C.S. University of Craiova men's handball team in 2009 and 2010, 2020 and 2021 at the promotion stage in the men's super league.  
The direct guidance of a large number of student athletes, including Sandru Ciprian - a member of the Romanian team, the World University Champion in 2016 and the top scorer of the competition, Florica Cristina, Gogorita Alexandra - Vice World University Champions 2016.  
Member of the Sports Science Council from Romania.

Competences and organization abilities Capacitated to take decisions, good organizer, capacitated to coordinate a team

Competences and technical abilities Coach,handball team men,CSU Craiova,2007-present  
Vice president of the Dolj County Handball Association from 2016 to the present

Competences and abilities to use computer Good utilization of Microsoft Office : Word, Excel, Power Point  
60 research articles and 2 written books

Driving license B Category

Training course Training course for elite coaches of the Romanian handball federation in:  
2010,2011,2012,2013,2014,2015, 2016,2017,2018,2019,2020,2021,2022,2023,2024,2025

Books edited

1. Ortănescu. C. Popescu C.Handbal-Theory and Methodology of the Game-Universitary Publishing House 2007
2. Ortănescu. C. Popescu C.Handbal-Theory and Methodology of the Game-Universitary Publishing House 2011

Representative  
published works

- 1.Barbu, M.C.R., Burcea., G.B., Dumitru., R., Popescu., M.C., (2020). *The contribution of sport to economic and social development*. Studia Universitatis Babes-Bolyai Educatio Artis Gymnasticae, 65(1), 27-38. DOI:10.24193/subbeag.65(1).03  
<http://studia.ubbcluj.ro/download/pdf/1296.pdf>
- 2.Popescu, M.C., Păsărin, L.D., Popescu, S.S., Diaconescu, D.L., Burcea, G.B., (2020). *Integration of sport with other industries like entertainment*. Journal of Sport and Kinetic Movement, 36(2),1420.<http://www.jskm.ro/images/pdfs/36volII/INTEGRATION-OF-SPORT-WITH-OTHER-INDUSTRIES-LIKE-ENTERTAINMENT.pdf>
- 3.Barbu, M.C.R., Burcea, G.B., Diaconescu, D.L., Popescu, M.C. , Turcu, I., Apostu, P. (2020). *Considerations regarding the development of the eSport phenomenon*. Studia Universitatis Babes-Bolyai Educatio Artis Gymnasticae, 65(4), 109-118. DOI:10.24193/subbeag.65(4).36  
<http://studia.ubbcluj.ro/download/pdf/1337.pdf>
- 4.Turcu, I., Burcea, G.B., Diaconescu, D.L., Shaao, M., Barbu, M.C.R., Popescu, M.C. , Tohăneanu, A.A. (2021). *The use of technological innovations in sport*. Bulletin of the Transilvania University of Braşov - SERIES IX - Science of Human Kinetics, 14(1), 107-116  
<https://doi.org/10.31926/but.shk.2021.14.63.1.14>  
[http://webbut.unitbv.ro/Bulletin/Series%20IX/2021/BULETIN%20I/14\\_TURCU.pdf](http://webbut.unitbv.ro/Bulletin/Series%20IX/2021/BULETIN%20I/14_TURCU.pdf)
- 5.Barbu, M.C.R., Popescu, M.C., Burcea, G.B., Costin, D.E., Popa, M.G., Păsărin, L.D., & Turcu, I. (2022). *Sustainability and social responsibility of Romanian sport organizations*. Sustainability - Special Issue "Sustainable Management of Sport Organizations", 14(2), 1-17, doi: 10.3390/su14020643 <https://www.mdpi.com/2071-1050/14/2/643>
6. Popescu, M.C., Popa, M.G., Diaconescu, D.L., Păsărin, L.D., & Costin, D.E. (2023). *Adoption of Technological Innovations by Sports Spectators*. Annals of the „Constantin Brâncuşi” University of Târgu Jiu, Economy Series, 2, 151-160. [https://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2023-02/15\\_Popescu\\_Popa%20\\_Diaconescu\\_P%C4%83s%C4%83rin\\_Costin.pdf](https://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2023-02/15_Popescu_Popa%20_Diaconescu_P%C4%83s%C4%83rin_Costin.pdf)
- 7.Costin,D.E., Popescu, M.C., Păsărin, L.D., Popa, M.G., & Diaconescu, D.L. (2024). *Management and Prevention of Abuses in Sports*. Annals of the „Constantin Brâncuşi” University of Târgu Jiu, Economy Series, 1, 355-365. [https://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2024-01/13\\_Costin.pdf](https://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2024-01/13_Costin.pdf)
- 8.Costin, D.E., Diaconescu, D.L., Popa, M.G., Păsărin, L.D., Popescu, M.C., Sandu, V.A., & Velez Colon, L. (2024). *Managing Fan Relationship after a Doping Scandal*. Bulletin of the Transilvania University of Braşov - SERIES IX - Science of Human Kinetics, 17(1), 1-12. doi: 10.31926/but.shk.2024.17.66.1.18. [https://webbut.unitbv.ro/index.php/Series\\_IX/article/view/7683](https://webbut.unitbv.ro/index.php/Series_IX/article/view/7683)
- 9.Popescu,MC.,Cătălin GÂRLEANU2, Gabriel POPA1, Cătălin POPA1, Mihaela ZĂVĂLEANU1,2(2024). *Digital social media factors impacting on athletes' motivation and performance* .Journal of Sport and Kinetic Movement nr.44,vol II,2024,71-77..<https://doi.org/10.52846/jskm/44.2024.1.8>
10. Costin, D.E., Păsărin, L.D., Popescu, M.C., Sandu, V.A., Diaconescu, D.L., & Popa, M.G. (2025). *Regenerating the fan base in conditions of low sports performance*. Annals of the „Constantin Brâncuşi” University of Târgu Jiu, Economy Series, 1, 107-115. [https://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2025-01/11\\_Costin.pdf](https://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2025-01/11_Costin.pdf)