

VIAC — Questionnaire for Mediators

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4. **Education and professional experience (the CV were added):**

PhD in public international law. The name of the thesis: " The Legal Regime of Foreign Investments and International Law".

2011 National Defense College - Course for dignitaries "Security and good governance» Training Courses:

Training mediators in the Board of Commerce and Industry of Romania - commercial civil mediation course

English Language and Literature British Council, Bucharest

Postgraduate Specialty - Private Law / Commercial Law Private

Commercial Law University of Bucharest - Faculty of Law

Specialization course- Taxation- Economic and Administrative Training Center - University of Bucharest

Italian Language Courses at Italian Cultural Institute, Bucharest

Master in Business Law University of Bucharest - Faculty of Law Bucharest

University, Faculty of Law, Licentiate 1998

Legal advice in investment international law, insolvency law, civil law, commercial law, corporate law and other connected law topics, loan agreements, assignment agreements, documents of conveyance, rental/lease agreement, negotiations, setting up joint ventures and representative offices, liquidation actions, insolvency, international commercial arbitration, ADR, enforcement of international arbitration decisions, international sales law, all legal work and advice related to setting-up companies and proceedings, legal advice on the day-to day basis for Romanian companies or international companies.

5. Core area of current professional activity: ADR - arbitration

6. Accreditation in the field of ADR (including relevant trainings and connected qualifications):

PHD title awarded by the Romanian Academy in International Investment Law including Alternative Dispute Resolution (conciliation, mediation and arbitration) as the main method of solving any international investment dispute.

Legal researching in field of international investment law related with International Law
Training mediators in the Board of Commerce and Industry Chambers of Romania - commercial civil mediation course, trainer Human Toolkit.

7. Practical experience in mediation

- How many (international) mediations have you participated in
 - as single/co-mediator/in a team? 34 administrated ad-hoc under UNCITRAL model law in conciliation /mediation and LCIA mediation rules used both by parties who are already committed to mediate, by virtue of contractual dispute resolution provisions
 - administered by an institution, under which Rules? 58 under Romanian Fiscal Authority invited by foreign investors using Romanian Law no 192/2006
 - in which areas/fields? Investment, real estates, civil (contracts) and administrative law (involve for many times a public authority)
 - how complex *please provide examples, participation of lawyers/experts*?

The complexity was given by the claimed amounts, the difficulty in accepting a compromise, the confidence of the parties in state courts, many documents etc. One example: 2014- Romanian Mod (Ministry of Defence) invited by a foreign investor in real estates to settle damages over 10-million-euro s; the dispute was based on convention for building houses for MoD- the result was to continue to participate in projects. The investor side participated 3 lawyers and the Mod side participated the special legal department. One expert was called by the both parts to establish the damages and another one to check the quality of buildings.

- How often have you acted in a different function (e.g., consultant, expert)? 153
- What other ADR-experience do you have? — international arbitration

8. Languages (including levels)

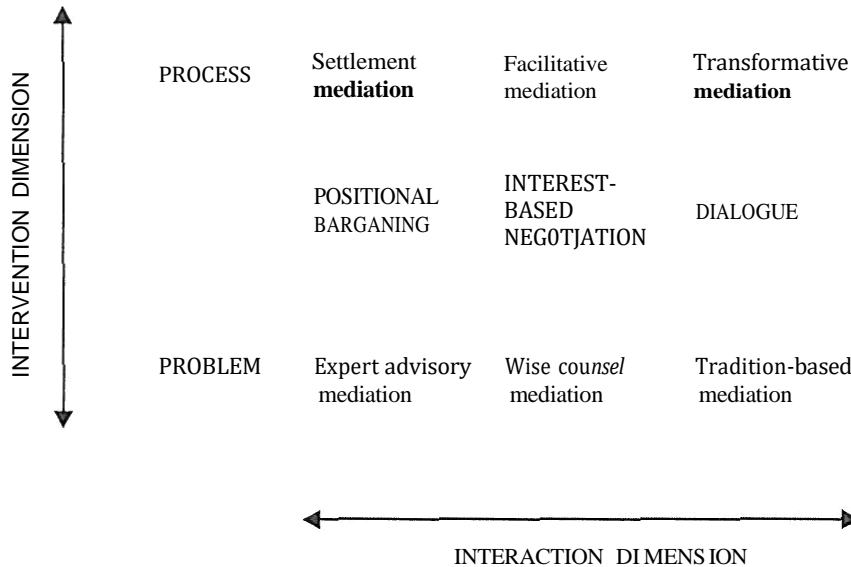
Mother tongue: romanian

Working languages (i.e., languages in which you have spoken and written command so that you may conduct mediation proceedings in this language): English and Romanian

Basic knowledge: Spanish

9. Style of mediation

Where do you see you're IQ? Please tick box as appropriate or indicate your preferred st5.



As interaction dimension.

Regarding PROCESS, I see myself in settlement mediation

Regarding PROBLEM, I see myself in role of Expert advisory mediation, wise counsel mediation plus tradition-based mediation

In both categories of intervention dimension, I can get a positional bargaining and, depend of the case, interest-based negotiation

10. Please describe aspects of your personality which could be interesting to clients you are going to mediate; what would former clients emphasize in your work?

- The ability to communicate with both sides of mediation in respect to settle the dispute. This requires a positive personality.
- The ability to convey the feeling that each part variant about the case is not only heard, but is perfectly understood,

Creativity and a right approach. Diplomacy and intelligence.

Mediation itself is a process in which parties come with an emotionally that most often is negative that blocks the way to an agreement. In this regard, I as a mediator, intervened with a solid background with a deep knowledge of the law and specific techniques to get to an agreement between the parties.

- Appreciation of perseverance. Good arguments and seriousness. The happiness to see again the clients looking for my office hopping for good results again.

11. Publications and other activities in ADR related matters

(e.g., training sessions, seminars, conferences, articles and others):

As a member of the editorial board of the Journal of Mediation, I published, start with 2010, the more than 80 books, articles or studies.

A. Doctoral thesis

- A1. *Legal regime of foreign investments and international law* - Scientific coordinator: prof. univ. dr. Mircea Duțu (2013-2015), published under the title - *Introduction to international investment law*, Universul Juridic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2018, ISBN 978-606-39-0307-6, 320 pages.

B I. Books and chapters in books in the last 10 years

- B1. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Introduction to International Investment Law*, Universul Juridic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2018, ISBN 978-606-39-0307-6, 320 pages .
- B2. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *International Investment Law. Coordinates, revised and added edition of the first monograph*, Epublishers, Bucharest, 2019, ISBN 978-606-049-100-2, 545 pages.
- B3. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Ebook: Introduction to International Investment Law*, published by ADJURIS International Academic Publisher, Bucharest, 2020, ISBN 978-606-94978-2-1 (E-Book), 202 pages, <http://www.adjuris.ro/reviste/iil/E-book%20Cristina%20Popa%20-Tache.pdf>
- B4. Cristina Elena Popa Tache - *Legal treatment standards for international investments. Heuristic aspects*, Ed. Adjuris International Academic Publisher, 2021, ISBN 978-606-94978-7-6 (E-Book), 122 pages, <http://www.adjuris.ro/reviste/ltsi/Legal%20treatment%20standards.pdf> , Junder indexing in Web of Science.
- B6. Cristina Elena Popa Tache - *Vers un droit de l'âme et des bioénergies du vivant* , Ed. L'Harmattan, Collection : Logiques Juridiques, 2022, preface by Jean-Luc Martin-Lagardette, ISBN : 978-2-343-25139-4, 172 pages. Accepted in the Stanford - Robert Crown Law Library catalogue, where it has been given the K3150 indicator specific to works on public international law: <https://searchworks.stanford.edu/view/14175440>.
- B7. Cristina Elena Popa-Tache - *Elementary notes on investment protection standards in international law*, University course, Ed. Pro Universitaria, 2022, ISBN: 9786062615444, 160 pages.
- B8. Cristina Elena Popa Tache - *Public International Law. University course*, Ed. C.H. Beck, Oct.2022.

B II. Editor of volumes published by publishers of international prestige or recognized prestige in the field of legal sciences

- B1. Editor-in-Chief at *International Investment Law Journal*, ed. ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher , www.investmentlaw.adjuris.ro. The journal is indexed in: HEINONLINE, CEEOL, REPEC, WORLDCAT, KIT and in the process of indexing in PROQUEST.
- B2. Editor-in-Chief of the *Journal of Banking and Finance Law*, sponsored by the *European Banking and Finance Law Association*, ed. Rosetti International, <https://rdbf.editurarosetti.ro/?nav=redactie>, the Journal is indexed in: WORLDCAT, KIT.

Editorial Board Members - Review of European Studies Canadian Center of Science and Education, 2013, ISSN 1918-7173 (Print) ISSN 1918-7181 (Online).

Editorial Board Members - Review of International Law Research, 2013, Canadian Center of Science and Education ISSN 1927-5234 (Print) ISSN 1927-5242, Canada.

Editorial peer review team for Taylor & Francis – Cogent Social Sciences.

- B3. Co-editor of *Looking for New Paths in Comparative and International Law*, Contributions to the Conference on

Comparative and International Law
June 25, 2021, Bucharest - International Conference, ed. ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, Editors: Dalvinder Singh, Cristina Elena Popa Tache, Cătălin-Silviu Săraru, editing format: pdf Acrobat Reader, date of publication: September 2021.

- B4. Co-editor of *Banking Law in the 21st Century*, Contributions to the 14th International Conference *Contemporary Approaches in Banking and Financial Law*, April 15, 2021, Bucharest Publishing House: ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, 2021, Editors: Ianfred Silberstein, Thierry Bonneau, Cristina Elena Popa Tache, Lucía Piazza Dobarganes, Katharina Muscheler, Christopher Hunt .
- B5. Co-editor of *Innovation and Development in Business Law*, Contributions to the 10th International Conference *Perspectives of Business Law in the Third Millennium*, November 13, 2020, ed. ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, 2021, Editors: Thierry Bonneau, Cristina Elena Popa Tache.
- B6. Co-editor of *Experientiam et Progressionem in Comparative and International Law*, Contributions to the 2nd Conference on Comparative and International Law, June 24, 2022, Bucharest - International Conference, Publishing House: ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, Editors: Banggui Jin, Cristina Elena Popa Tache.

C. ISI/BDI indexed papers published in the last 10 years

- C2. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Historical landmarks in international investment law. Research directions*, Pandectele Române, no. 12/2016, Wolters Kluwer Publishing House, pp 84-97, journal indexed in international databases (EBSCO, ProQuest), CNCSIS recognized.
- C3. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Perimitation of the court, developments in its application in the new code of civil procedure and shortcomings of the law*, study published in Pandectele Romane no. 2/2017, Wolters Kluwer Publishing House, journal indexed in international databases (EBSCO, ProQuest), CNCSIS recognized.
- C4. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *The strategic importance of international investment in mining and international law*, study published in Pandectele Romane no. 3/2017, Wolters Kluwer Publishing House, journal indexed in international databases (EBSCO, ProQuest), CNCSIS recognized.
- C5. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Principles of international investment law, identification and trajectory*, study published in Pandectele Romane no. 5/2017, Wolters Kluwer Publishing House, pp 94-107, journal indexed in international databases (EBSCO, ProQuest), CNCSIS recognized.
- C6. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Principles of international law of investments, recognition and trajectory*, study published in English in volume 7, special issue, October 2017 of Tribuna Juridică, pp 154-162, ASE Publishing House, Bucharest, journal indexed in the following databases: Thomson Reuters, Web of Science, Ebsco, HeinOnline, C.E.E.O.L., ProQuest, ISSN 2247-7195e-ISSN 2248-0382ISSN-L 2247-7195.
- C7. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *The strategic importance of international investments in the field of mining and international law*, study published in English in volume 7, issue 1/ 2017 of Tribuna Juridică, pp 15 - 31, ASE Publishing House, Bucharest, journal indexed in the following databases: Thomson Reuters, Web of Science, Ebsco, HeinOnline, C.E.E.O.L., ProQuest, Israel Union Catalog (ULI), Tel-Aviv University Libraries, Tulips-University of Tsukuba Library, University of Iowa Libraries, WorldWide Science.org, GetInfo. ISSN 2247-7195e-ISSN 2248-0382ISSN-L 2247-7195.
- C8. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Perimitation of the court, developments in its application in the new Code of Civil Procedure and shortcomings of the law*, study published in Curierul Judiciar no.8/2017, pp 439 - 444, C.H. Beck Publishing House, journal indexed in 3 international databases (BDI): CEEOL - Central and Eastern European Online Library, HeinOnline - Legal Research Database, EBSCOhost.
- C9. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Perimitation of the court, developments in its application in the new Code of Civil Procedure and shortcomings of the law*, study published in the Law Magazine no.6/2017, pp 80-88, Editor: Romanian Lawyers Union, journal recognized by CNCSIS, ISSN: 1018 - 0435. The paper was taken from the Central and European Online Library (CEEOL).
- C10. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *The obsolescence of the Court, the evolutions of its application in the new Civil Procedure Code and the shortcomings of the Law, pending the reform*, study published in Civil Procedure Review, Volume 8, No. 3/2017, Electronic Law Review in the field of Procedural Law, international publication,

- C18. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *High Court of Cassation and Justice - The role of the Complex for the resolution of questions of law in civil matters in the unification of judicial practice*, article published in the electronic volume of the Scientific Communications Session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Radulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "The role of the Constitutional Court and the High Court of Cassation and Justice in the shaping of Romanian law after the entry into force of the new codes", communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad.Andrei Radulescu".
- C19. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Compliance with the standards of legal treatment of international investments during global economic crises, between yes and no*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "The exceptional state and the alert of the legal order. Implicații juridice ale crizei sanitaro generată de pandemia Covid-19", Communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad.Andrei Radulescu", Universul Juridic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2021, pp 268- 273, ISBN: ISBN 978-606-39-0907-8.
- C20. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *International investment protection in front of the states role in crisis times to managing disputes, Juridical Tribune - Tribuna Juridică, volume 10, issue 3, December 2020.*
- C21. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Individualization and development of international investment law as the third millennium law field, "Juridical Tribune - Tribuna Juridică", Volume 9, Issue 3, December 2019.*
- C22. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Generic conditions for cross-border banking between Member States of the European Union. The example of the international investor Revolut*, in the Banking and Finance Law Review, no. 1/2021 electronic (January-June), Rosetti Publishing House.
- C23. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Mecanisms for guaranteeing international investments, the role of paragon banking institutions and the main ways of settling disputes*, in Revista de Drept Bancar e Financiar, no. 2/2020 electronic (July-December), Rosetti Publishing House.
- C24. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Cristina Elena Popa Tache, How can international investment be affected by the reaction of states during crises, in the volume of the 11th International Conference "PERSPECTIVES OF BUSINESS LAW IN THE THIRD MILLENNIUM" Adjuris - International Academic Publisher, 2022.*
- C25. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Cristina Elena Popa Tache, Administrative Review and Reform Movements from the Perspective of International Investment Law, in Administrative Law and Public Administration in the Global Social System, Contributions to the 3rd International Conference. Contemporary Challenges in Administrative Law from an Interdisciplinary Perspective, October 9, 2020, Adjuris - International Academic Publisher, 2020.*
- C26. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *How can international investment be affected by the reaction of states during crises? , in Building an Adapted Business Law, Contributions to the 11th International Conference Perspectives of Business Law in the Third Millennium, November 19, 2021, Bucharest, ed. ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, 2022, Editors: Sónia de Carvalho, Anton Petričević, pp. 12-28.*
- C27. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Compliance with the legal treatment standards of international investments during the global economic crises. Between yes and no, in Looking for New Paths in Comparative and International Law, Contributions to the Conference on Comparative and International Law June 25, 2021, Bucharest - International Conference, ed. ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, 2021, Editors: Dalvinder Singh, Cristina Elena Popa Tache, Cătălin-Silviu Săraru, pp.161-172.*
- C28. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Editor's note about the 14th International Conference "Contemporary Approaches in Banking and Financial Law" took place in Bucharest, Romania, on 15 April 2021, in Banking Law in the 21st Century, Contributions to the 14th International Conference Contemporary Approaches in Banking and Financial Law, April 15, 2021, Bucharest Publishing House: ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, 2021, Editors: Ianfred Silberstein, Thierry Bonneau, Cristina Elena Popa Tache, Lucía Piazza Dobarganes, Katharina Muscheler, Christopher Hunt, pp. 11-30.*
- C29. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Administrative Review and Reform Movements from the Perspective of International Investment Law, in Administrative Law and Public Administration in the Global Social System, Contributions to the 3rd International Conference, Contemporary Challenges in Administrative Law from an Interdisciplinary Perspective, October 9, 2020, ed. ADJURIS - International Academic Publisher, 2021, Editors: Julien Cazala, Velimir Zivkovic, pp.*

- C30. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Diverging opinions on the agreement on the termination of bilateral investment treaties between EU Member States*, *Universul Juridic Magazine* no. 3/2022.
- C31. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *The place of international investment law in the genealogy of international law*, in *Pandectele Române* no. 1 of 2022.
- C32. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *How has the pandemic influenced the state-investor feedback*, in *Curierul Judiciar* no. 5 of 2022, Ed. C.H. Beck.
- C.33. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *A new treaty on marine biodiversity*, *Universul Juridic Magazine* no. 10/2022.
- C.34. Cristina Elena Popa Tache - *Between human rights and the digital economy*, in *Pandectele Române* no. 3 of 2022.

D. Papers published in the last 10 years in journals and conference volumes - Selection of up to 20 papers in conference volumes

- D1. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Confluence between European vision, customary international law and bilateral investment treaties*, article published in vol. Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy, with the title "Justice, rule of law and legal culture", 2011, pp. 1038-1048, *Universul Juridic Publishing House*, ISBN 978-973-127-618-2.
- D2. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *International law of foreign investments between shaping and codification*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy, entitled: "Science and Codification in Romania", 2012, *Universul Juridic Publishing House*, pp. 496-501, 2012, ISBN 978-606-673-078-5.
- D3. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Overview of the historical origins and evolution of international foreign investment law*, article published in vol. Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the theme "Continuity and Discontinuity in Romanian Law", *Universul Juridic Publishing House* 2013, pp. 594-605, ISBN CD: 978-606-673-091-4.
- D4. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *The role of doctrine in the development of the legal regime of foreign investments and specific developments in domestic and international law*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: *Romanian legal doctrine: between tradition and reforms*, *Universul Juridic Publishing House*, 2014, pp 334-341, ISBN CD : 978-606-673-349-6.
- D5. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Transparency and confidentiality, antagonism or symbiosis in international investment arbitration? The usefulness of the regulations of the new civil procedure code in this matter*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy entitled: "Entry into force of the new codes. A first assessment", Communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Radulescu", *Universul Juridic Publishing House*, Bucharest, 2016, pp. 283- 292, ISBN CD: 978-606-673-838-5.
- D6. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Romanian law versus international foreign investment law. The mission of the involvement of European law*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Radulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "Comunicări prezentate la sesiunea științifică a l'Institutului de Cercetari Juridice "Acad. Andrei Radulescu 10 anni de la adesiune României à la Union Européenă. Impactul asupra evoluției dreptului românesc", pp. 452-459, *Universul Juridic Publishing House*, Bucharest, 2017; ISBN CD: 978 606 39 0043 3; the papers of this session have been indexed in the National Strategies Observer (NOS) database, Law Sciences section and can be viewed and downloaded at <http://www.nos.iem.ro/handle/123456789/1099>.
- D7. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Domestic and international investment law. Quo vadis?*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "Communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute for Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Radulescu: Romanian Law 100 years after the Great Union. Dimensions and trends", pp. 369-377, *Universul Juridic Publishing House*, Bucharest, 2018, ISBN CD: 978-606-39-0247-5. The papers of this session have been indexed in the databases: CEEOL (<https://www.ceeol.com/search/book-detail?id=646824>) and National Strategies Observer

(NOS), Law Sciences section - (<http://www.nos.iem.ro/handle/123456789/1099>).

- D8. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Definition of international investment in arbitral awards. Insufficiency of the provisions of domestic law in this matter*, article published in the volume of the Session of Scientific Communications of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "Communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute for Legal Research Acad. Andrei Radulescu: *The role of jurisprudence in the development of the new Romanian law*", pp. 483-499, Universul Juridic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2019.
- D9. Cristina Elena Popa Tache, *The High Court of Cassation and Justice - The role of the Complex for the resolution of questions of law in civil matters in the unification of judicial practice*, article published in the electronic volume of the Scientific Communications Session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Radulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "The role of the Constitutional Court and the High Court of Cassation and Justice in the configuration of Romanian law after the entry into force of the new codes", Communications presented at the scientific session of the "Acad. Andrei Radulescu" Legal Research Institute, 2020, online edition, 24-25 September 2020); Universul Juridic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2020; ISBN CD: 978-606-39-0717-3. The papers of this session are indexed in the CEEOL international database: <https://www.ceeol.com/search/book-detail?id=1015271>
- D10. Cristina Popa Tache, *Compliance with the standards of legal treatment of international investments during global economic crises, between yes and no*, article published in the volume of the Scientific Communications Session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "The exceptional state and the alert of the legal order. Implicații juridice ale crizei sanitaro generată de pandemia Covid-19", Communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Radulescu", Universul Juridic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2021, pp 268- 273, ISBN 978-606-39-0907-8.
- D11. Cristina-Elena Popa Tache - *Treaties - open or closed doors for regulating problems generated by global crises? Examples*, article published in the electronic volume of the Scientific Communications Session of the Institute of Legal Research "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu" of the Romanian Academy with the title: "Law and global crises. Legal implications of the health crisis. Communications presented at the scientific session of the Institute of Legal Research Acad. Andrei Radulescu", ISBN 978-606-39-1111-8, published electronically by Universul Juridic Publishing House, indexed in the CEEOL international database.

Participation and speaker to numerous scientific sessions and seminars/webinars organized by various institutions, law faculties, ICC Young Arbitrators and other national and international conferences;
Participations to all ICC arbitration conferences held in Bucharest (2009, 2010, 2011, 2012)

Publications in several specialized journals, reviews, collections of essays, books, courses in commercial law, mediation and arbitration field

Participation in national and international seminars specializing in investment dispute settlement.

Participation in scientific sessions on the themes of public authority functions and responsibility of the state in foreign investment.

12. Memberships in mediation institutions / functions in mediation institutions/organizations:

Romanian Mediation Council — list on mediators

13. Special expertise or specializations (please list a maximum of three) in your ADR-practice:

International Investments in my capacity as doctor in international investment legal regime.

Business Court Cases in my capacity as lawyer and arbitrator.

Bankruptcy dispute settlement in my capacity as insolvency practitioner.

14. Soft Skills (e.g., intercultural competences):

Active listening, emotional intelligence, empathy, communicating in difficult situations, giving, and receiving feedback, reconstructing and understanding the conflict, preparation, defining points of agreement and dispute, creating option, helping me to succeed in:

assist the parties to overcome miscommunication, misunderstanding and confusion by helping them clarify what is agreed and disputed, and identifying the underlying issues.

develop awareness of the real needs of those who are involved by drawing out information and probing each party for their underlying interests.

help the parties to generate and evaluate options to resolve the dispute.

be a sounding board and reality check for parties to reflect on the reasonableness of their positions and demands and alternative approaches.

facilitate communication and motivate the parties to find a way to work co-operatively towards binding a mutually acceptable solution.

build on areas of agreement and assist parties to craft a satisfactory and effective settlement.

15. How do you ensure your professional quality (e.g., coaching, practice supervision, etc)?

Practice experience. Obsession for Quality: Quality must be something that's considered front the very beginning and built into everything a business or any type of organization does.

Planning carefully, monitoring the work, and constant reevaluation and adjustment are all extremely important. Everyone in the organization must understand and adopt this point of view if the organization is truly going to have quality performance.

Education and Training: Achieving quality requires constant learning for mediators, part of the ADR culture, to continually learn more about our work, and to get new ideas and perspectives on it.

Scientific Approach' in my capacity as legal researcher, means that I am using the best research available, as well as the experience of others, to construct an effective procedure or initiative. That approach is much more likely to result in success and high quality than relying only on intuition or on what seems politically correct.

16. Date of birth: 20.10.1972

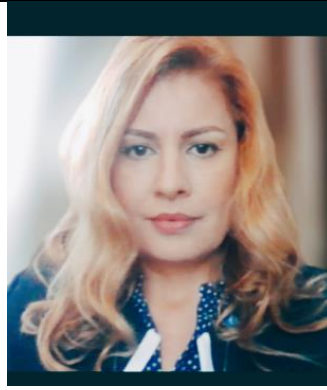
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- I have completed this questionnaire to the above to the best of my knowledge and believe they are accurate.
- I hereby consent that the data provided in this questionnaire may be processed for the appointment of mediators and published by VIAC. This includes in particular publication on the website of VIAC as well as use in any presentations, etc. This consent may be withdrawn at any time by contacting VIAC at our general contacts, in particular by email addressed to office@viac.eu. The consequence of any such withdrawal will be that my data will

no longer be processed by VIAC. For further information see our privacy statement at www.viac.eu.

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Professional experience

Period
Function or post held
Main activities and responsibilities

2021 to present:

Associate professor in international law at "Andrei Saguna" University in Constanta, faculty of psychology, behavioral and legal sciences, Romania. I teach public international law as well as: international organizations and relations, the law of communication and new technologies and the law of the European Union.

13.04.2011 to present:

Associate Scientific Researcher in the Department of Public Law "Vintilă Dongoroz" Specific research and study activities in the field of public international law development. Preparation of studies, articles and specialist works in the field of administrative law and public international law.

01.05.2022 to present:

Research Fellow in Public International Law at the Institut de Recherches Europe-Asia, Aix-Marseille Université - Schuman - 3 Avenue R. Schuman - 13628 Aix-en-Provence, France. The assigned topic is "The EU-China Road to the Comprehensive Agreement on Investment", under the direct coordination of Professor JIN Banggui-Director of the Europe-Asia Research Institute, Director of the Master in China Business Law, and Director of the LLM in European Business Law at the Faculty of Law and Political Science of Aix-Marseille University.

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Name and address of employer
Type of activity or sector activity

<p style="text-align: right;">Period</p> <p>Function or post held</p> <p>Main activities and responsibilities</p> <p>Name and address of employer</p> <p>Type of business or sector</p>	<p>Central public administration, coordination and organisation of legal research activities.</p> <p>May 2022 to present: Expert in the list of experts of the Scientific Committee of the Maritime Security Forum Romania: https://www.forumulsecuritatimaritime.ro/comitetul-stiintific/</p> <p>March 2022 to present: International team member, expert in The GDHRNet COST Action - Fundamental and vertical dimension of human rights online Working Group (WG 1), Participating actions CA19143. COST National Coordinators (CNCs) are the national contact points in the various countries that are members of COST. They are employed by national ministries responsible for research and innovation or national research agencies. <i>COST (European Cooperation in Science and Technology) is an intergovernmental funding organisation for research and innovation networks. Its actions help connect research initiatives in Europe and beyond and enable researchers and innovators to develop their ideas in any scientific and technological field and share them with their peers.</i> COST Actions are four-year bottom-up networks that stimulate research, innovation and careers. Reference links: https://www.cost.eu/actions/CA19143/#tabs+Name:Working%20Groups%20and%20Members hip, or https://www.cost.eu/actions/CA19143/#tabs+Name:Description</p> <p>My status as a COST expert was approved following a rigorous selection process and the accepted area of expertise is public international law/international law/human rights/definition.</p> <p>01.02.2020 to date: Editor-in-Chief and creator of the "International Investment Law Journal", published by Adjuris International Academic Publisher, listed in Thomson ISI publishers list.</p> <p>2020 to date: Vice President of AEDBF Romania, member of the European Board of Directors of the European Society for Banking and Financial Law: AEDBF, an international scientific society in which, together with the other representatives of the other countries, we approve, according to the internal regulations, issues concerning the functioning and organisation of this society, teaching and research programmes, studying international banking agreements. Brussels, Belgium.</p> <p>20199 to present: Editor-in-Chief of the Journal of Banking and Finance Law, sponsored by the European Banking and Finance Law Association, ed. Rosetti International.</p> <p>Editorial Board Member - <i>Review of European Studies Canadian Center of Science and Education</i>, 2013, ISSN 1918-7173 (Print) ISSN 1918-7181 (Online).</p> <p>Editorial Board Member - <i>Review of International Law Research</i>, 2013, ISSN 1927-5234 (Print) ISSN 1927-5242, Canada, <i>Canadian Center of Science and Education</i>.</p> <p>Member in Peer Review Team of Taylor & Francis, Cogent Social Sciences Journal, from 2022.</p> <p>16.08.1999-05.05.2015 Lawyer</p> <p>Specific advocacy activities</p> <p>Bucharest Bar Association Legal assistance, representation and advice activities</p>
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Qualification / diploma obtained	Doctor of Law/Diploma
Principal subjects studied / professional skills acquired	Public international law with specialisation in the legal regime of foreign investments
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Institute of Legal Research of the Romanian Academy "Acad. Andrei Rădulescu"
Period	2011
Qualification / diploma obtained	Mediator / Diploma - Mediation of conflicts in law, communication skills, negotiation techniques
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Bucharest Chamber of Commerce and Industry in partnership with Human-Toolkit
Period	2014-present
Qualification / diploma obtained	Arbitrator and mediator in the field of international investments, practitioner
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	participating in numerous training courses, colloquia <i>Vienna International Arbitral Centre</i> Wiedner Hauptstraße, Vienna, Austria
Period	2013-2019
Qualification / diploma obtained	Training in international arbitration. Certificate of admission as an associate of the Institute
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Chartered Institute of Arbitrators 12 Bloomsbury Square, London, WC1A 2LP, UK
Period	2012-2016
Qualification / diploma obtained	Training and research in international law, colloquia, seminars, forum
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	British Institute of International and Comparative Law Charles Clore House, 17 Russell Square, London WC1B 5JP, United Kingdom
Period	2010
Qualification / diploma obtained	Political studies and good governance/ Course for senior officials "Security and good governance"
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Postgraduate studies National Defence College
Period	2006
Qualification / diploma obtained	Intensive English studies
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	British Council, Bucharest
Period	2002
Qualification / diploma obtained	Long-term postgraduate studies, specialising in Private Law. Postgraduate Diploma in Specialisation
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	University of Bucharest - Faculty of Law
Period	2001
Qualification / diploma obtained	

Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Postgraduate studies in taxation, Centre for Economic and Administrative Training/graduation certificate										
Period	University of Bucharest										
Qualification / diploma obtained	2001										
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Intensive Italian language studies										
Period	Italian Institute of Culture, Bucharest										
Qualification / diploma obtained	1999										
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Postgraduate in Commercial Law										
Period	University of Bucharest, Faculty of Law										
Qualification / diploma obtained	1998										
Name and type of educational institution / training provider	Bachelor of Law / Bachelor's degree										
Mother tongue(s)	"Dimitrie Cantemir" Christian University, Faculty of Legal and Administrative Sciences, Law Degree, University of Bucharest, Faculty of Law										
Foreign languages known	English										
	English, French, Spanish, Italian										
Self-assessment	Agreement				Talk				Write		
	Listening		Read		Written expression		Oral speech		Written expression		
	French	B2	Experienced user	C1	Experienced user	B2	Experienced user	B2	Experienced user	B2	Independent user
	English	C1	Experienced user	C1	User experim ent	C1	Experienced user	C1	Experienced user	C1	Independent user
	Spanish	B2	Experienced user	B2	User experim ent	B2	Experienced user	B2	Experienced user	B2	Experienced user
Italian	A2	Experienced user	B2	User experim ent	B2	Experienced user	B2	Experienced user	B2	Independent user	
Organisational skills and competences	<p>Dispute resolution, extensive mediation and arbitration practice in international disputes, scientific research, teaching activities, documentation, with 11 years of experience as an associate scientific researcher at the Institute for Legal Research of the Romanian Academy.</p> <p>Ability to analyse tasks and responsibilities, reliability, stability and promptness.</p> <p>Ability to assess job skills and task allocation, Ability to work under stressful conditions. Performance.</p> <p>Analytical spirit, teamwork, spirit of evaluation and improvement, concern for diplomacy, art and communication, results-oriented.</p> <p>I am the author of numerous monographs and articles.</p>										

<p>Membership:</p> <p>Computer skills and competences</p> <p>Driving licence</p>	<p>Outgoing, dynamic, organized person, excellent negotiation skills, ability to work with and within cross-functional teams, intuitive, creative and persistent.</p> <p>These skills have been acquired and improved in the course of my legal activities, during the numerous international and national trainings and seminars I have attended.</p> <p>Member in European Society of International Law Member recent accepted in European Law Institute Member practitioner, international mediator and international arbitrator at the Vienna International Arbitral Centre - VIAC Menbră expert in COST Associattion Member of the Austrian Arbitration Association - ArbAut Member of ADJURIS - <i>Society of Legal and Administrative Sciences</i>. Member of the British Institute of International and Comparative Law - BIICL London Associate member of the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators- CIArb London Member of the Editorial Board of "Mediation" Magazine PERGAM member</p> <p>Use of MS Office (Word, Excel, Power Point), Windows, Internet explorer Core and dedicated professional programmes</p> <p>Category B</p>
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