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References

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Education

October 19, 2000 - July 15, 2005

PhD (Doctor)

Alexandru Ioan Cuza Police Academy, Bucharest, Romania.

 I successfully defended my doctoral thesis in the area of public international law entitled "Termination of the Effects of International Treaties".

August 29, 1991 - July 26, 1995

Bachelor of Law

Alexandru Ioan Cuza Police Academy, Bucharest, Romania

Experience

October 01, 1997 - Present

University of Medicine, Pharmacy, Science and Technology `G.E. Palade` of Târgu Mureş, Romania. Assistant Professor, Head of Data Protection Research Center

- Planning and coordination of research activities, teaching activities and extracurricular activities, in the field of data protection.
- I have been the Director of Data Protection Research Centre since 2017 (https://eeris.eu/index.php)
- I have been the Coordinator of the Postgraduate Data Protection Course, since the 2017 academic year.
- Additionally, I teach the following subjects: "International Protection of Human Rights", "Protection of Personal Data in the Work of the Judiciary Bodies" and "Protection of Personal Data in the Liberal Professions"
- I organised the first national conference in Romania on data protection in 2016 and the first international conference in Romania in 2017. (https://www.csde.ro/?p=3272).
- I have organised and participated as a speaker or key note speaker on the topic of personal data protection in over 100 conferences in Romania, over the last 4 years.
- I participated in drafting of normative acts implementing the objectives of Directive 46/95 and GDPR.
- I notified the European Commission regarding inaccuracies between the English and Romanian texts of the GDPR, following which changes were implemented according to my notification.
- I have written over 100 scientific and informative articles in the field of data protection, including 4 specialised books.

March 01, 2017 -Present

SC AMPLUSNET SRL, Târgu Mureș, Romania Consultant

 Coordination of the team for implementing data protection standards for clients (both public institutions and companies) and giving specific advise in the judicial field.

September 01, 2009 -March 01. 2011

Romanian Ministry of Internal Affairs Deputy General Manager of General Human Resources Department

 Management related to legal acts on human resources in the Ministry of Interior, related to the statute of personnel and direct responsible for the protection of classified information in the Ministry.

March 01, 2006 -September 01. 2009

Romanian Ministry of Internal Affairs Head of the International Law, European Law and Human Rights Department of the General Juridical Directorate

- The establishment of the Office of the Data Protection Officer in the Ministry of Internal Affairs in 2008.
- Elaboration of the draft law on data processing by the Ministry of Internal Affairs.
- Fulfilling the role of Classified Information Protection Officer within the Ministry of Internal Affairs.

 Additionally, I was involved in the management of all legal aspects regarding the entire competencies of Ministry of Internal Affairs with international effects, transposition of all EU law in Romanian domestic law, elaboration of Romanian position in front of European Court of Justice when the issues were free movement of persons or data protection, all aspects regarding international humanitarian law, all aspects regarding negotiation, concluding and performance of international treaties between Romania and other states or international organizations or other entities when the content regards Ministry of Internal Affairs competencies.

August 26, 1995 - March 01, 1997

General Police Inspectorate of Mures County, Romania

- Maintaining the relation between police and the prosecutor
- Maintaining the legality of police activities and defending the rights of perpetrators, victims and other persons involved in criminal process.

Trainings and Courses

April 01, 2011 - June 30, 2011

Geneva Center for Security Policies (GCSP), Geneva, **Switzerland**

Certified in Global Piece and Security – Challenges and

October 01, 2008 - July 20, 2009

Romanian National Institute for Administration, Bucharest, Romania

• Graduate of a Specialized Training Programme for occupying a High Civil Servant position.

2007

June 11, 2007 - June 15, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Berlin, Germany

• Graduate of a course in International Law and Conflict

Law Related Implementations

- I have in-depth knowledge of Regulation 1725/2018 and the standards of personal data protection, through studies and research undertaken at university as a lecturer and researcher.
- In the period 2006-2010 I undertook, among others, regulatory tasks and the coordination of regulation within the Romanian Ministry of Internal Affairs. The first internal normative act on the protection of personal data was adopted by the HR department of the Romanian Ministry of Internal Affairs as a result of my initiative and with my support.
- The ability to identify practical solutions in the field of data protection is one of the activities I excel at, having had the chance to develop pioneering projects in the field. For example, in collaboration with Amplusnet company, I created the first Romanian self-assessment software concerning data protection compliance. The audit method, the content of the questions and the recommendations were later published in the book: "Practical guide for compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation".
- As Director of the Data Protection Research Centre, I organised numerous conferences and social events on the topic of personal data protection, all with the aim of informing and raising awareness of data subjects. Each project addressed a specific category of data subjects (e.g. doctors, teachers, traders, public servants or students). Among these projects, the event that I am most fond of was a competition we organised "Art, Privacy and Law", in which art high school students competed with 64 thematic works (painting, graphics, sketches) expressing their perception of human rights and privacy. The most recent action was the referral to Europe Direct Contact Centre (case number 101000723526) of a possible inconsistency between Directive 680/2018 and the GDPR, thus trying to contribute to a most rigorous application of data protection principles in the European Union.

 In my current job, at G.E. Palade University, I am often consulted when policies or procedures are drafted. Personally, I have drafted and written policies and procedures specific to the field, and I have published several of them in the first volume specific to public administration in Romania titled "Protection of personal data. Templates and forms".

Teacher and Coordinator

- 2001 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international human rights competition Renee Cassin, Strasbourg, France.
- 2003 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Telders International Law Moot Court, The Hague, winner of the national phase against the University of Bucharest.
- 2007 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Telders International Law Moot Court, The Hague, winner of the national phase against the University of Bucharest, University of Timişoara.
- 2010 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Telders International Law Moot Court, The Hague, winner of the national phase against the University of Bucharest, University of Timişoara, University of Sibiu "Lucian Blaga".
- 2012 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Telders International Law Moot Court, The Hague, winner of the national phase against the University of Bucharest,
- 2013 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Vis Willem, Vienna, international arbitration moot law competition.
- 2015 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureș at the international competition Vis Willem, Vienna, international arbitration moot law competition.
- 2016 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Telders International Law Moot Court, The Hague, winner of the national phase against the University of Bucharest, Babes Bolyai University of Cluj Napoca and Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu.
- 2018 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş (new UMFST "G.E. Palade") at the international competition Will Willem, Wienna, international arbitration moot law competition
- 2021 coach of the student team of Petru Maior University of Târgu Mureş at the international competition Vis Willem, Vienna, international arbitration moot law competition.

Published Books

- Nicolae-Dragoş PLOEŞTEANU (coord.), Civil Law Institutions 484 pages, Editura Universitará, Bucharest, 2014, ISBN 978-606-28-0012-3;
- Nicolae-Dragoş PLOEŞTEANU and others, The right to a healthy environment, 206 pages, Universitará Publishing House, Bucharest, 2013, ISBN 978-606-591-826-9,
- Nicolae-Dragoş PLOEŞTEANU, Cessation of international treaties, 311 pages, Veritas Publishing House, Targu Mures 2009, ISBN 973-99705-0-8;
- Nicolae-Dragoş PLOEŞTEANU and others, Law of treaties. Notion of theory and practice, 444 pages, Ed. Ministry of Interior and Reforms (CNCSIS Code 270), Bucharest, 2008, ISBN 978
- 973-745-063-0

