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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- 2014 - present Associate Professor
The Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures, University of Bucharest
- 2003 - 2014 Lecturer
The Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures, University of Bucharest
- 1998 – 2003 Teaching Assistant
The Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures, University of Bucharest
- 1997 - 1998 Research Assistant
Iorgu Iordan – Al. Rosetti Linguistics Institute, The Romanian Academy
- 1995 – 1997 Editor
Teora Publishing House, Bucharest, Romania

EDUCATION

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- 2003 – 2006 Ph.D in Philology, Utrecht Institute of Linguistics OTS, Utrecht University, the Netherlands
- 1995 – 1996 MA in Applied English Linguistics, The Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures, University of Bucharest
- 1990 – 1994 BA in Philology (English– Romanian), Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures, University of Bucharest
- 1986 - 1990 *Şcoala Centrală* College, Bucharest
Specialization: Philology – History
- 2018 - 2021 B.Sc, Psychology Department, The Faculty of Psychology and Education Sciences, University of Bucharest
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PERSOANL COMPETENCIES

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

	COMPREHENSION		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Comprehension	Conversation	Oral Discourse	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
Dutch	B1	B2	B1	B1	C1

Main Publications	Books
	<p>Sevcenco, A. 2006. <i>Terms of binding</i>. LOT Dissertation Series, LOT Utrecht University.</p> <p>Sevcenco, A. 2014. <i>Romance Restrictive Relatives</i>. Bucharest University Publishing House.</p> <p><u>Articles in peer-reviewed volumes</u></p> <p>Sevcenco, A., Avram, L. 2018. On the comprehension of recursive nominal modifiers in child Romanian. In A. Gavarró (ed.). <i>On the Acquisition of the Syntax of Romance</i>, 259-278. Amsterdam: John Benjamins Publishing Company.</p> <p>Avram, L., Ciovâmache, C., Sevcenco, A. 2016. Semantic features and L1 transfer in the L2 learning of differential object marking: The view from Romanian and Persian. In P. Guijarro-Fuentes, J. Garau, M. P. Larranaga (eds.). <i>Acquisition of Romance Languages. Old Acquisition Challenges and New Explanations from a Generative Perspective</i>. Berlin, New York: Mouton de Gruyter.</p> <p>Sevcenco, A. 2015. Restrictive and appositive relatives. In V. Hill (ed.). <i>Formal Approaches to DPs in Old Romanian</i>, 329-364. Leiden/Boston: Brill</p> <p><u>Articles in peer-reviewed conference proceedings</u></p> <p>Avram, L., Sevcenco, A., 2020. Number and intervention effects in the comprehension of <i>wh</i>-questions in child Romanian. In A. Cardinalletti, C. Branchini, G. Giusti, F. Volpato (eds.). <i>Language Acquisition, Processing and Bilingualism. Selected Papers from the Romance Turn VII</i>, 216-241. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.</p> <p>Sevcenco A., Roeper, T., Pearson-Zurer, B. 2017. The acquisition of recursive locative PPs and relative clauses in child English. In C. Jiyong, H. Demirdache, O. Lungu, L. Voeltzel (eds.). <i>Language Acquisition at the Interfaces. Proceedings of GALA 2015</i>, 287-301. Newcastle upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing.</p>

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	<p>of critical language skills across 28 languages, London, UK.</p> <p>Research projects</p> <p>2015 – 2017. Early simultaneous bilingualism: areas of vulnerability (PN II_RU_TE 2014) – principal investigator</p> <p>2013 – 2015. Genetic factors, input and external factors in language development (University of Bucharest)</p> <p>2008 - 2011. The association between morphology and syntax in the acquisition of Romanian (PN II IDEI 1979)</p> <p>2008 – 2010. Crosslinguistic Language Diagnosis (The Education, Audio-Visual and Cultural Executive Agency – EACEA)</p> <p>2006 – 2008. A Typology of reciprocal markers: analysis and documentation. Utrecht University, the Netherlands.</p> <p>Scholarships</p> <p>2014 – 2015 Fulbright Senior, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, SUA</p> <p>2001 – 2002 Fulbright Junior, University of California, Davis, SUA</p> <p>Conference organization</p> <p>2018 – The Romance Turn IX, august – September 2018, University of Bucharest</p> <p>2017 – Bucharest Colloquium of Language Acquisition 5, November, University of Bucharest</p> <p>2016 – Bucharest Colloquium of Language Acquisition 4 / Workshop on the Acquisition of Recursion, November, University of Bucharest</p> <p>2015 – Bucharest Colloquium of Language Acquisition 3, November, University of Bucharest</p> <p>2013 – Bucharest Colloquium of Language Acquisition 2, November, University of Bucharest</p> <p>2011 – Bucharest Colloquium of Language Acquisition 1, November, University of Bucharest</p> <p>Affiliations</p> <p>2009 – present. The Center for the study of language development and of linguistic communication, University of Bucharest</p>
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