



Elena Bozdog



WORK EXPERIENCE

University research assistant

Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca - Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences [2020 – Current]

City: Cluj-Napoca

Country: Romania

Lecturer

Institutul Regional de Gastroenterologie „Prof. Dr. Octavian Fodor” [05/2019 – Current]

City: Cluj-Napoca

Country: Romania

Teaching the doctor-patient communication Module and the Prevention Module within the project: **SONOH EPAPREVENT**: Strategic multidisciplinary training program (clinical and ultrasound) of medical staff in the prevention and early diagnosis of chronic viral hepatitis B and C and their complications: liver cirrhosis and liver cancer (Program strategic de formare multidisciplinară (clinică și ecografică) a personalului medical în prevenția și diagnosticul precoce al hepatitelor cronice virale B și C și a complicațiilor acestora: ciroza hepatică și cancerul hepatic).

Teaching assistant

Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca - College of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences [01/03/2015 – Current]

Address: Cluj Napoca

Teaching assistant for the Public Communication course within the Department of Communications and Advertising, for the 2nd year bachelor students

Operational Coordinator

University of Medicine and Pharmacy Iuliu Hatieganu [01/05/2014 – 31/12/2014]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

Operational coordination for the implementation of the project: *Strategic partnership for the development of the scientific research in the medical universities through doctoral and postdoctoral scholarships – DocMed.net_2.0* - Project ID Number: POSDRU/159/1.5/S/136893

Trainer – Management courses

SC Centrul de Formare Continua SRL [01/03/2013 – 31/08/2013]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

Teaching the following courses: Time management, Planning meetings, Financial management, Planning public campaigns

Project manager

Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca - College of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences [01/09/2012 – Current]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

City: Cluj-Napoca

Country: Romania

Writing and implementing research capacity building projects and international mobility projects, funded by national and international agencies. A list of projects I have been involved in can be found below.

Assistant project manager

Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca - Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences [01/10/2012 – 31/08/2013]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

Writing and implementing research capacity building projects and international mobility projects, funded by national and international agencies.

Management consultant

Goodwill Consulting GWC SRL [01/03/2010 – 09/2012]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

- Monitor financing sources for structural funds, national funds (Romanian Government) and European Commission funds: Analyse and summarise the information regarding the funding possibilities and preparing materials for the internal and external use. Analysing the European legislation regarding European funds.
- Marketing: Informing the clients about the new funding possibilities they are eligible for – via newsletter (preparing the newsletters and other marketing materials); Preparing the sales campaigns for the Sales Department; Informational support for the Sales Department; Updating the company`s website
- Sales: Presentation of the financing possibilities and the eligibility conditions the applicant must fulfil in order to submit a project application; designing personalised marketing materials for the potential clients; Discuss the specific eligibility criteria for the potential client and contracting the ones who meet all these criteria.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2014 – present PhD candidate

Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, College of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences [01/10/2014 – Current]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

Main area: Political Sciences



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Master's degree in European Affairs and Project Management

European Affairs and Project Management Masters, Faculty of European Studies, Babes-Bolyai University [01/10/2008 – 28/02/2011]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

Main subjects: Project management, Identifying funding sources, Implementation and internal evaluation in projects

Bachelor's degree in communication and public relations

College of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca [01/10/2005 – 30/06/2008]

Address: Cluj-Napoca

Major in Communication and Public Relations

Main subjects: Public relations, Public Communication, Communication in politics, Intercultural communication, Advertising, Mass-media relation management

High school diploma

Mihai Viteazu National College [01/09/2001 – 30/06/2005]

Address: Turda

Main subjects: Foreign languages

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s):

Romanian

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C2 READING C2 WRITING C2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C2 SPOKEN INTERACTION C2

Italian

LISTENING C1 READING B1 WRITING A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION B1 SPOKEN INTERACTION B2

French

LISTENING A1 READING A1 WRITING A1

SPOKEN PRODUCTION A1 SPOKEN INTERACTION A1

DIGITAL SKILLS

Microsoft Word / Microsoft Excel / Outlook / Power Point / Microsoft Office / Google Drive / Zoom / Google Docs



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PUBLICATIONS

Publications

Roller-Wirnsberger R, Lindner S, Liew A, O'Caoimh R, Koula ML, Moody D, Espinosa JM, van Durme T, Dimitrov P, Benjak T, Nicolaidou E, Hammar T, Vanhecke E, Junius-Walker U, Csizmadia P, Galluzzo L, Macijauskienė J, Salem M, Rietman L, Ranhoff AH, Targowski T, de Arriaga MT, **Bozdog E**, Gabrovec B, Hendry A, Martin FC, Rodriguez-Mañas L. European Collaborative and Interprofessional Capability Framework for Prevention and Management of Frailty-a consensus process supported by the Joint Action for Frailty Prevention (ADVANTAGE) and the European Geriatric Medicine Society (EuGMS). *Aging Clin Exp Res.* 2020 Apr;32(4):561-570. doi: 10.1007/s40520-019-01455-5. Epub 2020 Jan 22. PMID: 31970670; PMCID: PMC7170812.

Maria Elena Bozdog, Diana Dulf, Petru Sandu, Valentina Tudisca, Adriana Valente, Arja R. Aro, Razvan Mircea Chereches. Role Of Measurable Indicators In Evidence-Informed Policy Making –Romanian Case Study. *The European Proceedings of Social & Behavioural Sciences EpSBS*, 2018, vol. LV, , Pages: 552-559, e-ISSN: 2357-1330. <https://www.futureacademy.org.uk/publication/EpSBS/VolumeLVicpesk2018/>

E. Bozdog, D. Trif, Nancy J. Thompson, C. Baba. Analiza politicilor publice din România pentru bolile netransmisibile. *Revista Transilvană de Științe Administrative* 1(42) / 2018, pp. 30-48. <http://rtsa.ro/rtsa/index.php/rtsa/article/view/567/564>

L. Rodríguez Mañas, I. García-Sánchez, A. Hendry, R. Bernabei, R. Roller-Wirnsberger, B. Gabrovec, A. Liew, A. M. Carriazo, J. Redon, L. Galluzzo, J. ViñaE. Antoniadou, T. Targowski, L. di Furia, F. Lattanzio, **E. Bozdog**, M. Telo. Key Messages for a Frailty Prevention and Management Policy in Europe from the Advantage Joint Action Consortium. *The journal of nutrition, health & aging*, 2018, vol. 22, Issue 8, pp 892-897. <https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s12603-018-1064-y>

Sandu P., Baba C., Rus D., **Bozdog ME.**, Influența factorilor de mediu la nivel comunitar asupra activității fizice la adolescenți și tineri. *Revista Transilvană de Științe Administrative*, 2014. <http://rtsa.ro/rtsa/index.php/rtsa/article/view/488/485>

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

2019

Workshop: Strengthening public health research capacity to inform evidence-based policies in Tunisia / CONFIDE. M E Bozdog, M A Coman, O Oltean, R M Chereches. *European Journal of Public Health*, Volume 29, Issue Supplement_4, November 2019, ckz185.494, <https://doi.org/10.1093/eurpub/ckz185.494> Link: https://academic.oup.com/eurpub/article/29/Supplement_4/ckz185.494/5624127?searchresult=1

Round table: Capacity building in the field of public health in Tunisia: processes and challenges. R Chereches, M A Coman, O Oltean, E Bozdog

European Journal of Public Health, Volume 29, Issue Supplement_4, November 2019, ckz185.773, <https://doi.org/10.1093/eurpub/ckz185.773> Link: https://academic.oup.com/eurpub/article/29/Supplement_4/ckz185.773/5624444?searchresult=1



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2018

Oral presentation: Abordarea fragilitatii la varstnic: Actiunea Comuna Advantage. Zamfir Mihai-Viorel, Botezat-Antonescu Ileana, Ciutan Marius, Panait Lavinia, **Bozdog Elena**, Pîrlog Radu. Conferința Regională de Medicina Familiei „Zilele Medicale Dr. Mircea Iorga”, Editia a IX-a. 07-09 December 2018, Bucuresti, Romania - <https://www.amf-b.ro/mfpm/informatii/program-stiintific/>

Oral presentation: Dulf Diana, Sidor Alexandra, **Bozdog Elena**, Baba Catalin Ovidiu (2018). Multi-agency response for reporting of GBV in women's health services 2017-2018. Women Against Violence in Europe Conference. Malta, 22-24 October 2018

Oral presentation: Acțiunea Comună europeană ADVANTAGE „A comprehensive approach to promote a disability-free advanced age in Europe: the ADVANTAGE initiative” // ADVANTAGE - „A comprehensive approach to promote a disability free advanced age in europe: the advantage initiative”. Pîrlog Radu, **Bozdog Elena**, Cherecheș Răzvan M, Zamfir Mihai, Botezat-Antonescu Ileana Mihaela, Ciutan Marius, Panait Lavinia. Al 10-lea Congres Național de Geriatrie și Gerontologie cu Participare Internațională, 18 October 2018, Bucuresti, Romania - <https://ana-aslan.ro/wp-content/uploads/2018/10/Program-Detaliat-Al-10-lea-Congres-Na%C5%A3ional-de-Geriatrie-%C5%9Fi-Gerontologie.pdf>

Oral presentation: Advantage JA grant - Premises for addressing frailty in patients with cognitive impairment / Grantul Advantage JA – Premize pentru abordarea fragilității la pacienții cu afectare cognitive. Zamfir Mihai-Viorel, Botezat-Antonescu Ileana, Ciutan Marius, Panait Lavinia, **Bozdog Elena**, Pîrlog Radu. Symposium “Remember me” 3rd Edition, Romanian Alzheimer Society, Bucharest 21 September 2018 - <https://www.medical-congresses.ro/downloads/alzheimer2018.pdf>

Oral presentation: **Bozdog, M.E.**, Dulf, D., Sandu, P., Tudisca, V., Valente, A., Aro, A.R., Cherecheș, R.M. (2018). Role of Measurable Indicators in Evidence-Informed Policy Making - Romanian Case Study. International Congress of Physical Education, Sports and Kinetotherapy 8th Edition. Bucharest, 14-16 June 2018

2017

Oral presentation: **Bozdog, M.E.** (2017). An analysis of the noncommunicable diseases policies in Romania. International Students' Conference On Communication, 5th edition. Cluj, 7-8 April 2017

Poster presentation: Heeren Tessa, Arja R. Aro, Ahmed M Syed, Dulf Diana, **Bozdog Maria-Elena**, Chereches Razvan Mircea; Integrating Evidence Into Health Policy: Navigating Cross-sectoral and Interdisciplinary Collaboration, University of Iowa - Public Policy Center

Oral presentation: **Bozdog Elena**, Sidor Alexandra, Dulf Diana (2017). Multi-agency response for reporting of GBV in women's health services. FAMILY JUSTICE CENTERS & THE HEALTH CARE SECTOR Inter-sectorial collaboration with Health Care Conference. Brussels, 2 December 2017

2016

Oral presentation: D. Rus, **E Bozdog**, N. Loncarevic, O. A. Koudenburg, H. Spitters, R-M. Hämäläinen, V. Tudisca, A. Valente, R. M. Cherecheş, A. R. Aro. 21 June 2016. REPOPA as an umbrella platform for evidence-informed physical activity policy making. 8th Nordic Health Promotion Research Conference, 20-22 June 2016

Oral presentation: Rus, D., Baragan, EA., **Bozdog, ME.**, Cherecheş, RM., Syed, A. and Aro. AR. (2016). A systematic review of evidence informed policy making in public health in Europe. 12th Annual Meeting and 7th Conference of HEPA Europe. Belfast, 28-30 September, 2016

Poster presentation: Sandu, D. Rus, R.M. Chereches, **E.M. Bozdog**, H. Spitters, C. Juel Lau, J. Mangrum, I. van de Goor. Methodologies aimed at increasing collaboration and evidence use in local HEPA policymaking. A step-by-step approach to develop a policy game intervention in 3 European countries. 12th Annual Meeting and 7th Conference of HEPA Europe. Belfast, 28-30 September, 2016

Poster presentation: **Bozdog M.E.**, Rus D., Sandu P., Cherecheş R.M., Castellani T., Tudisca V., Valente A. (2016). The role of documentation in evidence-informed policy making - findings from a Romanian National Conference. 12th Annual Meeting and 7th Conference of HEPA Europe. Belfast, 28-30 September, 2016

Poster presentation: **Bozdog M.E.**, Rus D., Sandu P., Cherecheş R.M., Tudisca V., Valente A. (2016). The use of the Hybrid Delphi methodology in the evidence-informed public health policy development. Results of a literature review. 12th Annual Meeting and 7th Conference of HEPA Europe. Belfast, 28-30 September, 2016

2015

Poster presentation: **Bozdog, E.**, Rus, D., Sandu, P., Cherecheş, RM., Castellani, T. and Valente. A. (2015). How is the Delphi Method used in evidence informed (public) health policy development? Results of a literature review. 11th Annual Meeting and 6th Conference of HEPA Europe. Istanbul. Turkey, 7-9 October 2015

Oral presentation: D. Rus, **E Bozdog**, N. Loncarevic, O. A. Koudenburg, H. Spitters, A. Dorgelo, R-M. Hamalainen, T. Catellani, A. Valente, R. M. Cherecheş, A. R. Aro. October 7, 2015. National platforms for evidence-informed physical activity policy making. 11th Annual Meeting and 6th Conference of HEPA Europe. Istanbul, Turkey, 7-9 October 2015

Oral presentation: Petru Sandu, Diana Rus, Răzvan M. Cherecheş, **Elena M. Bozdog**, Cătălin Baba. What is the role of evidence in the development of health enhancing physical activity (HEPA) promotion policies? The REPOPA project experience. 1st International Conference on Non-communicable Diseases (ICONiC). Cluj-Napoca, Romania, 19-20 May 2015

Oral presentation: Oana M. Pop, **Elena M. Bozdog**, Alexandra Brînzaniuc, Livia Vasilescu. A school-based, social marketing intervention to prevent smoking uptake in adolescents. Results from a quasi-experimental study. 1st International Conference on Non-Communicable Diseases (ICONiC). Cluj-Napoca, Romania, 19-20 May 2015

Oral presentation: Sandu P., Rus D., Chereches R.M., **Bozdog E.M.**, Baba C. and the REPOPA Consortium., What is the role of evidence in the development of health enhancing physical activity (HEPA) promotion policies? The REPOPA project experience. 1st International Conference on Non-communicable Diseases (ICONiC). Cluj-Napoca, Romania, 19-20 May 2015



2014

Poster presentation: Brînzaniuc A., **Bozdog E.M.**, Alexa P.M., Pop O.M., Cherecheș R.M. Smoking behavior in families with young children: a qualitative exploration of the social determinants of children's exposure in urban and rural settings in Romania. SRNT Europe 15th Annual Meeting. 2014

Poster presentation: Brînzaniuc A.; Alexa, P.A.; **Bozdog, E.**; Pop, O.M.; Chereches, R.M. Smoking behavior in families with young children: a qualitative exploration of the social determinants of children's exposure in urban and rural settings, Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco Annual Meeting, Santiago de Compostela. Galicia, Spain, 18-20 September 2014

Oral presentation: Oana M. Pop, **Elena M. Bozdog**. A school-based, social marketing intervention to prevent smoking uptake in adolescents: The use of forum theater techniques in building tobacco refusal skills and diminishing competition for remaining smoke-free. 2nd European Social Marketing Conference: Rotterdam, The Netherlands. 2014

Poster presentation: Sidor A., Alexa, P.M., **Cionca, E.**, Ionel, S.M., Pop, C. Let's focus on bulimia! 3rd European Conference on Mental Health – Looking for Evidence Together. Tallinn, Estonia, 2014

PROJECTS

Promoting Evidence-Based Reforms - OASIS

[02/2021 – Current]

The general objectives of the OASIS project are: (1) To reinforce the capacity of health authorities to reform their health systems and address all the important aspect to successfully tackle the challenges that the medical desert is posing them. Specifically regarding actions focusing on skill mix, task shifting, use of e-health or IT systems, recruitment and retention management and policies in order to guarantee universal coverage also in rural and underserved areas. (2) To support the application of a stepwise methodology focused on a) initial assessment, b) policy actions analysis and consensus, c) implementation analysis, d) impact evaluation, in selected pilot sites of 7 European countries.

Role: Project manager

Funder: European Commission, 3rd Health Programme

Knowledge Generation for the Strengthening of the Mother-and-Child Health Care System

[01/2021 – Current]

The project focuses on the following directions: **(1)** Increased capacity to plan and forecast the primary healthcare workforce at national and sub-national levels to promote child and adolescent well-being; **(2)** Increased capacity to adequately allocate resources for preventive healthcare services at the national and local levels; **(3)** Increased capacity to adequately allocate resources for child health at primary, secondary and tertiary health care levels; **(4)** Improved mechanisms to facilitate interaction and feedback between health authorities and the public during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Role: Project Manager

Funder: UNICEF



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Train and raise awareness of frontline community healthcare workers with regards to adapted case management and infection prevention and control to minimize secondary impact of COVID 19

[10/2020 – 02/2021]

The project had three major components, as follows: (1) Increasing capacity of community health workers/ health mediators to adequately manage the COVID-19 pandemic in their communities, through the delivery of online training sessions. (2) - Increasing access to health care services for children with disabilities and their families through an analysis of the barriers they are experiencing and ways of alleviating them. (3) Supporting national advocacy efforts in order to capacitate decision making institutions in regard to promoting breastfeeding.

Role: Project Manager

Role: Trainer

Funder: UNICEF

Interdisciplinary study on young people's needs and opportunities assessment in Cluj-Napoca, Romania

[01/2020 – 09/2020]

The project aims to conduct a comprehensive, multi- and inter-disciplinary assessment of the needs and opportunities for young people in the Cluj metropolitan area, guided by an ecosystem view and oriented towards future initiatives stemming from the results of the assessment.

Role: Project Manager

Funder: Foundation Botnar

<https://leapcluj.ro/>

Strengthening public health research capacity to inform evidence based policies in Tunisia (CONFIDE)

[10/2017 – Current]

CONFIDE is a capacity building project financed by the European Commission through the Erasmus + Program aiming to strengthen public health research capacity and contribute to evidence based policies in Tunisia. CONFIDE is part of the European Commission 'Cooperation' program that aims to enhance transnational partnerships and build capacity in key development domains.

The project is implemented by a Consortium formed by Babeş-Bolyai University (Romania), University of Southern-Denmark (Denmark), Trnava University (Slovakia), and three universities from Tunisia, University of Tunis El Manar, University of Sfax, University of Sousse, and University of Monastir.

Role: Project Manager

Funder: EACEA, European Commission, Erasmus+ Programme

<https://confide.publichealth.ro/>

DPPHSS - Doctoral Programmes in Public Health and Social Science

[10/2018 – Current]

The goal of DPPHSS project is to design and develop a PhD program, aiming at advancing knowledge, research and analytical skills in public health in general, as well as strongly interconnected with social sciences. The project supports modernization of health and social services in Armenia and Georgia through the development of the postgraduate program, targeting training of highly specialized professionals in the field, able to assess needs, develop programs and carry out activities in public health and social sciences.

Role: Project Manager

Funder: EACEA, European Commission, Erasmus+ Programme

<https://dpphss.am/>



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Managing Frailty. A comprehensive approach to promote a disability-free advanced age in Europe: the ADVANTAGE initiative (ADVANTAGE)

[01/2017 – 12/2019]

ADVANTAGE JA involved 22 Member States and over 33 entities and it was co-funded by the European Union.

It provided a common approach models of care to face the challenge of frailty of older people within a common European framework.

Role: Institutional coordinator

Funder: CHAFEA, European Commission, Joint Action

<https://advantageja.eu/>

Transfer of Organisational innovations for Resilient, Effective, equitable, Accessible, sustainable and Comprehensive Health Services and Systems (TO-REACH)

[2016 – Current]

TO-REACH is a coordination and support action (CSA) to prepare a joint European research programme aimed at producing research evidence supporting health care services and systems to become more resilient, effective, equitable, accessible, sustainable and comprehensive (in Europe, and abroad).

Role: Project manager

Funder: European Commission, Horizon 2020 Programme

<https://to-reach.eu/>

Multi-agency response for reporting of GBV in maternal health services (RESPONSE)

[01/2017 – 12/2019]

RESPONSE – Multi-agency response for reporting of GBV in maternal health services – was a two-year project, that started with the financial support of the Rights, Equality and Citizenship (REC) Programme (2014-2020) of the European Union, that aims to increase maternal health teams response to gender-based violence (GBV). Capacity building activities have been implemented in partner countries to support disclosure of events, referral to specialised services and safety planning for women accessing maternal health services. The activities took place in the following five EU countries: Austria, Germany, France, Romania (project coordinator) and Spain; with the support of GBV researchers and policy experts at the University of Bristol, UK, for the project evaluation.

Role: Project manager

Funder: DG Justice, European Commission

<http://gbv-response.eu/>

1R21NS098850-01A1 – NIH - INITIatE: International Collaboration to increase Traumatic Brain Injury Surveillance in Europe

[2017 – 2018]

The long term goal of this project is to assess and build TBI research capacity in Armenia, Georgia, and Moldova in order to systematically prevent, treat, and optimize recovery from TBI. To reach this goal, the objectives of the current project are to build a research network in which we will develop TBI registries.

Role: Project manager

Funder: National Institutes of Health, USA. Coordinator: University of Iowa, USA

<https://publichealth.ro/project/international-collaboration-to-increase-traumatic-brain-injury-surveillance-in-europe/>



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2D43TW007261-11 – NIH - iCREATE: Increasing Capacity in Research in Eastern Europe project

[2016 – 2018]

The goals of this project are to create a critical mass of injury researchers from multiple disciplines and to engage injury and violence agencies and stakeholders. The specific aims to meet these goals are to: train a critical mass of researchers from Armenia, Georgia, and Moldova to conduct innovative injury and violence research using advanced methods and analytic approaches; Facilitate the transition of trainees to positions of leadership and influence in their home countries through professional development and networking; Develop our partner institutions as sustainable Centers of Excellence in injury research and education; Engage international partners to translate the results of injury research into effective injury and violence prevention and treatment programs.

Role: Project manager

Funder: National Institutes of Health, USA. Coordinator: University of Iowa, USA

<https://publichealth.ro/project/increasing-capacity-in-research-in-eastern-europe-project/>

Specialised support for victims of violence in Health Care Systems across Europe (IMPLEMENT)

[2014 – 2016]

IMPLEMENT – Specialised support for victims of violence in Health Care Systems across Europe is a research project recently funded by the European Commission through DG Justice – Daphne III Programme. The project responds to priority 2.2.1 Support for victims of violence (SVV) of the Daphne programme by implementing capacity building in 6 European countries to strengthen the specialized support for victims of gender-based violence in emergency and obstetrical care.

The beneficiaries are women who seek emergency or obstetric care as victims of gender-based violence, and the health care professionals (doctors, nurses, midwives) who provide medical assistance.

Role: Project manager

Funder: DG Justice, European Commission

<https://publichealth.ro/project/specialised-support-for-victims-of-violence-in-health-care-systems-across-europe/>

Research into Policy to Enhance Physical Activity (REPOPA)

[2011 – 2016]

Project REPOPA - REsearch into POLicy to enhance Physical Activity is a five year project funded by the European Commission, where researchers from seven countries are working together to build future evidence into policy making.

REPOPA is part of the European Commission programme on 'Cooperation', which supports research activities carried out by different research bodies in trans-national cooperation and aims to gain or consolidate leadership in key scientific and technology areas.

Role: Assistant researcher

Funder: European Commission, FP7 programme

<http://www.repopa.eu/>



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One Health Center for Environmental and Occupational Research – Romania (GeoHealth)

[2012 – 2015]

The long-term objective of the GEOHealth Hub is to strengthen institutional capacity for environmental and occupational research and training at the 12 participating academic centres. Specific aims in the first two years are 1) conduct an evidence-based needs and opportunities assessment to identify environmental and occupational public health problems in Albania, Armenia, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, and Romania; 2) establish the GEOHealthHub at Babeş-Bolyai University in Cluj-Napoca, Romania; 3) design research studies that address the focal research topics of the GEOHealth Hub and plan the necessary capacity building to successfully conduct the Center's research activities, and 4) develop an evaluation plan for monitoring the success of Aims 1-3.

Role: Project manager

Funder: National Institutes of Health, USA

<https://publichealth.ro/project/one-health-center-for-environmental-and-occupational-research-romania/>

Develop and Validate a Nutrition Literacy Scale for Adolescents (NiLSA)

[2014 – 2015]

Role: Project manager

Funder: University of Iowa, USA

Mental Health Professionals Responsibility: Model for Support and Improved Disability Awareness in the Workplace (Appraise)

[2014 – 2015]

Role: Project manager

Funder: University of California, Berkeley, USA

A social marketing intervention to prevent smoking uptake among Romanian adolescents: a pilot study in Cluj-Napoca, Romania

[2013 – 2014]

Role: Project manager

Funder: University of Iowa, USA

Assessment of health professionals' working preferences using Discrete Choice Experiments (DCEs): A pilot study in Cluj County, Romania (ASCEND)

[2013 – 2014]

Role: Project manager,

Funder: University of Iowa, USA

<https://publichealth.ro/project/assessment-of-health-professionals-working-preferences-using-discrete-choice-experiments-dces-a-pilot-study-in-cluj-county-romania/>

Health inequalities and children's exposure to second hand tobacco smoke: assessing the social determinants of infant and young children's exposure (SHINE)

[2013 – 2014]

Role: Project manager

Funder: Babeş -Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca



Development of a nutritional literacy intervention for Romanian adolescents (ANARo)

[2013 – 2014]

Role: Project manager

Funder: Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca

<https://publichealth.ro/project/development-of-a-nutritional-literacy-intervention-for-romanian-adolescents/>

ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS

Organisational skills

I am a good organizer and I have time management skills, both skills gained in my work as a project manager. I learned to be a good organizer throughout working on several projects in the same period of time (both implementing and submitting new grants). This also contributed to improving my time management skills.

I have the capacity to manage conflicts, I am careful with details.

COMMUNICATION AND INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

Communication and interpersonal skills

- Sociable and open-minded – I have worked as a sales representative for consultancy services for 2 years and I also have been working as a project manager in a higher education institution since 2012, being involved in several national and international funded projects.
- I have experience in teamwork gained through the position of project manager – all the projects I have been involved in are written and implemented in teams of researchers, project managers and experts in various areas.
- I am flexible, with initiative – skills gained throughout working for a research center and being in constant search for new funding opportunities and ideas to develop
- I am resourceful and sensitive to cultural differences, as I have closely worked with several partners from different countries in the process of writing and implementing health-related research projects. Some of the partner countries I have worked with are the following: Denmark, Italy, UK, Republic of Moldova, USA, Armenia, Georgia, and Kazakhstan.



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