

Information Personal KUDZAI CATHRINE BINGISAI**Gender | Date of Birth | Nationality****Educational Qualifications****October 2022-Current**

Babeş-Bolyai University, Cluj Napoca, Romania. Faculty of European Studies
PhD Student in International Relations and European Studies

September 2021-July 2022

George Emil Palade, University of Medicine, Pharmacy, Science and Technology, Târgu Mureş, Romania.
Romanian Language

August 2016-October 2022

University of Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe. Faculty of Political Science
Master of Science in International Relations

August 2019

University of Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe. Faculty of Commerce
Certificate in Project Management

August 2013- October 2016

Bachelor of Science Honours Degree in Political Science
University of Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe

Mother tongue(s)

English

Shona

Other language(s)

English

| UNDERSTANDING | | SPEAKING | | WRITING |
|---------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| Listening | Reading | Spoken interaction | Spoken production | |
| C1/2 Advanced | C1/2 Advanced | C1/2 Advanced | | C1/2 Advanced |

Romanian

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| B1/2 Basic User | B1/2 Basic User | B1/2 Basic User | | B1/2 Basic User |
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Competences

Good command of;

- Microsoft Excel, Ms Word, MS Access, MS PowerPoint, Internet, Computer File Management, Statistical Packages (SPSS)

Membership

- Junior Chamber International (JCI) Member Romania.
- Global Education Innovation. HundrED Global Collection (Academy Reviewer Member).
- Tariro Orphanage House of Hope, Zimbabwe
- Teach for Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe

Conferences

- The "Green Deal Challenge for a Sustainable Future of the EU" International Conference. 21 March 2025. Babeş-Bolyai University.
- The EU After The European Elections: Priorities, Challenges, Relations with the World. 5-6 December 2024. EUXGLOB IV International conference. Babeş-Bolyai University.
- International conference Crisis Communication and Conflict Resolution 17-18 April 2024. Faculty of European Studies, Babeş-Bolyai University.
- International Conference– „Green Deal Challenges for a Sustainable Future of the EU”. 22 March 2024. Faculty of European Studies. Babeş-Bolyai University.
- Diversity, Equality, Inclusion and Belonging (DEIB): Workshop dedicated to early-career researchers on research, practices, and institutional development in Higher Education 20-23 November 2023, Babeş-Bolyai University.
- The Sixth International Conference on Onomastics “Name and Naming” Baia Mare, September 5-7, 2023 (In)correctness in Onomastics.
- Italian Society of Electoral Studies - 13th International Conference. Elections and Democracy Today. Where Is Representation Going? Urbino, 26-27 May 2023.

- Jean Monnet International Conference. The Legitimacy of New Regionalism in the European Integration Process. 4-5 May 2023. Oradea, Romania.
- International Conference: Revisiting cultural patrimony narratives in the EU's candidate states amid Russia's war of aggression against Ukraine. Organised by the Faculty of European Studies and DYCLAM+ Erasmus Mundus Project on 24th November 2023.

Summer Schools

- 6th International Doctoral Summer School, "From Literature Review to Scientific Report," taking place online from August 21-23, 2024 at the Institute of Educational Research, Education Academy, Vytautas Magnus University, Kaunas, Lithuania.
- Global Minority Rights Summer School. 10-15 July 2023. Tom Lantos Institute, National University of Public Service-Budapest, Hungary and School of Advanced Study, University of London.

Publications

- Lack of Trust between Ethnic Groups in Post-Ethnic Conflict Societies: Cases of Zimbabwe and Bosnia-Herzegovina
- The analysis of protecting cultural heritage in armed conflicts. Case of the Russian-Ukrainian War.
- A Comparative Analysis of the 2018 Biometric Voter Registration and the 2013 Manual Voter Registration in Zimbabwe's Elections.
- The protection of cultural heritage in the Russian-Ukrainian war and cultural heritage tourism.
- Energy Security: Challenges and Opportunities for the African Union.
- Myths and facts of anthroponymy in Zimbabwean Shona culture in Name and Naming.
- Role Of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs) In The Romanian Democratic Processes.
- Dialectics Of Ethnicity And Youth Political Participation In Zimbabwe. Case Of the Gukurahundi Incident (1982-1987).
- Social media and political participation of the youth in contemporary Zimbabwe.
- Political Dialectics and the Role of the Zimbabwe Electoral Commission (ZEC) in Elections.
- Electoral Participation as a Fundamental Right for Women with Disabilities in Zimbabwe