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WORK EXPERIENCE

July 2011 – to present: Councillor for European Affairs, Ministry of National Education of Romania,
General Directorate for International Relations and European Affairs

January 2018 – to present: Member of the Governing Board of the European Training Foundation

1995 – 2011: Research and Administrative Officer, Mediterranean Agronomic Institute of Chania
(MAICh), Crete, Greece

2000 – 2004: Administrative Officer of the Crete Programs of Swinburne University of Technology
(Melbourne, Australia) at MAICh

1991 – 1993: Expert for European Affairs, Ministry of Agriculture of Romania, Department of
International Cooperation

Working in multicultural environments with people of different social categories, religions and mentalities (professors, students, experts) from European, Mediterranean, Asian, Arabic countries as well as from the USA, Canada and Australia. Organizer of conferences, training courses/seminars at MAICh and in other countries; participation in research projects.

Working in the team of the Ministry of National Education for the Romanian Presidency of the Council of the EU (first semester 2019). Romanian representative in international committees and bodies, e.g. Education Committee, Erasmus Program Committee, Platform 4 of the Eastern Partnership (PaE), EU Strategy for Danube Region (EUSDR), European Training Foundation (ETF).

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

1994 – 1996: Master of Sciences (MSc) Degree in Business Economics and Management at the
Mediterranean Agronomic Institute of Chania

1993 – 1994: Diploma of postgraduate studies (DSPU) in Policies and Economics at the
Mediterranean Agronomic Institute of Chania

1985 – 1990: Bachelor (BSc) Degree in Economic Sciences at the Academy of Economic Studies of
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LINGUISTIC COMPETENCE

Mother tongue: Romanian

Other languages: English, French and Greek