

Curriculum vitae

1. Family name:	Durnescu
2. First names:	Ioan
3. Date of birth:	19 th July 1975
4. Nationality:	Romanian
5. Civil status:	Married

6. Education:

Institution (Date from - Date to)	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:
Faculty of Philosophy/ University Al I Cuza Iasi 1993-1997	Social Work Degree
University of Bucharest 1998-1999	Master Degree – Social Policy
University of Craiova 2001- 2006	Law Degree
University Al I Cuza Iasi 2001-2006	PhD in Sociology – Risk assessment

7. Language skills: Indicate competence on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 - excellent; 5 - basic)

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
Romanian	Mother tongue	Mother tongue	Mother tongue
English	1	1	1
French	2	3	5

8. Membership of professional bodies:	Honorary Member of the Confederation of European Probation, President of the Strategy Committee – Romanian Collegium of Social Workers, Member of European Society of Criminology.
9. Other skills: (e.g. Computer literacy, etc.)	Computer (SPSS, NVivo), Microsoft office package
10. Present position:	Professor at the University of Bucharest/ Faculty of Sociology and Social Work
11. Years within the firm:	11 years
12. Key qualifications: (Relevant to the project)	

13. Specific experience in the region:

Country	Date from - Date to
Moldova	2016
Croatia	2016 - ongoing
Albania	2011, 2013
Armenia	2014, 2015, 2016
Georgia	2009
Kosovo	2014, 2015, 2016
Moldova	2006-2007
Montenegro	2008
Romania	2008 - ongoing
Serbia	2007
Ukraine	2012

14. Professional experience:

Date from - Date to	Location	Company& reference person (name & contact details) ¹	Position	Description
January 2006 – present	Romania	University of Bucharest / Faculty of Sociology and Social Work Doru Buzducea - doru.buzducea@gmail.com	Assistant/lecturer/associate professor and professor (since 2015)	Teaching and researching prison and probation field . Special interest in: comparative probation , social work in prison, foreign prisoners, pains of probation, experiencing supervision etc.
April 2016	Moldova	CILC & GiZ & PRI Jenny Clarkin jclarkin@penalreform.org	Short term expert	Contribution to the development of the Strategy for development of probation 2016-2020 and the corresponding Action Plan.
June 2016 – ongoing	Croatia	IRZ & FIIAP Christian Schuster schuster@irz.de	Project leader	Responsible in particular for the PR component. Involved also in legislation analysis and probation practice assessment, following the same TNA methodology . The beneficiary was the whole Probation Service in Croatia . It involved developing the methodology, applying the tools and analysing & interpreting the results.
October 2014 – present	Kosovo	IRZ & JCI Torben Adams - torbenadams@yahoo.de	Short term expert	'Strengthening the Correctional and Probation Services in Kosovo' (EU project) Short term expertise input in the following fields: needs assessment on the needed programs for offenders ; running training for prison and probation staff. Delivering training on: core correctional skills, motivational interviewing etc.
June 2014, June 2015, January 2016	Armenia	CoE Hayk Khemchyan Hayk.KHEMCHYAN@coe.int	Short term expert	Assisting the legislative reform on penal issues. Taking part in round tables discussing the penal legislation together with the national stakeholders . Providing training for the new probation officers on essential probation skills: interviewing, risk assessment and problem-solving . Delivered training of trainers for the initial training of the probation officers . Developed a probation manual .

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February 2013- December 2014	Romania	UNDP Mihai Moia - mihai.moia@undp.org	National expert	<i>'Prisoner's return on the labour market'</i> (EU project implemented by UNDP) Running legal and institutional assessment in Romania. A major part of the activity focused on assessing the legal and programmatic documents with impact on welfare and social inclusion of ex-prisoners. Running an European survey on what is effective in working with ex-prisoners. Recommendations for a national system of resettlement.
March 2012	Ukraine	CoE HOLOVATENKO Volodymyr volodymyr.holovatenko@coe.int	Expert and trainer	Assisting Ukrainian probation staff and academics to develop a probation manual; for the preparation of the manual, national legislation and policies were analysed and discussed with local stakeholders . Training on the basic probation skills.
February 2011, June 2013	Albania	OSCE Alba Jorganxhi Alba.Jorganxhi@osce.org	Short term expert	Assisting the law reform for probation services: commenting on the new legislation and discussions with the stakeholders. All comments and suggestions were discussed with senior managers and probation officers.
July 2009	Georgia	Human Dynamics	Short term expert	<i>'Strengthening probation service in Georgia'</i> (EU project) Reform of probation legislation. Commented on the draft law , meeting stakeholders and taking part in discussions. Expert's recommendations were taken into account when drafting the new legislation on probation.
February 2008 – November 2010	Romania	BBI International Daniela Ambara daniela.ambara@bbi.ro	Key expert	<i>'The continuation of the probation service development'</i> (EU project) Developed a special program for the prisoner's resettlement. Elaborated an implementation manual, providing implementation training, visiting the sites while implementing the program.
October 2008	Montenegro	Council of Europe	Trainer	Three days training for the newly employed probation officers. Topics: correctional interview, needs assessment and risk assessment.
October 2007	Serbia	Council of Europe	Trainer	Three days training for the probation officers covering issues like: interview, counselling, risk assessment etc.
December 2006, February 2007	Moldova	Helsinki Committee Netherlands	Short term expert	Assisting the elaboration of the Enforcement Code and also the Mediation Law. Documentation, visiting prisons, consulting local experts, contributing to the drafting of the respective pieces of

		Anton van Kalmthout - amvkalmthout@gmail.com		legislation and discussing them with stakeholders.
December 2005 – December 2006	Romania	Probation Department / Ministry of Justice Mihai Dima mihai.dima@just.ro	Director	Drafting legislation, strategic management , PR management, interagency networking etc. Drafting new laws on Probation Officer’s Status and Victim Assistance. Revising the Strategy and adopting the Action Plan for 2006. Responsible for education management. Run training needs assessment and developed annual training plan.
January 2001 – December 2005	Romania	Probation Department / Ministry of Justice Mihai Dima mihai.dima@just.ro	Inspector	Coordinating pilot projects , fund raising, educational management & training, designing working methodologies, running research etc.
February 1998 - December 2000	Romania	Prison Department Catalin Bejan, catalin.claudiu.bejan@anp.gov.ro	Inspector	Running prison inspections, drafting prison programs, setting up probation pilot projects, fund raising etc.

15. Other relevant information: (e.g., Publications)

- Publications:

2011

Durnescu, I. (2011) ‘Pains of probation: Effective Practice and Human Rights’, *International Journal of Offender Therapy and Comparative Criminology* 55 (4): 530-545 (ISI Journal)

Durnescu, I. (2011) ‘What matters most in probation supervision: Staff characteristics, staff skills or programme?’ *Criminology and Criminal Justice*, DOI: 10.1177/1748895811428174 (ISI Journal)

Durnescu, I. (Coord.)(2011) *Probatiune: Teorii, legislatie si practica*. Iasi: POLIROM

Durnescu, I. and Stout, B. (2011) ‘A European approach to probation training: An investigation into the competencies required’ *Probation Journal* 58 (4): 395-405.

2012

Durnescu, I. & Haines, K. (2012) ‘Probation in Romania. Archaeology of a Partnership’ *British Journal of Criminology* DOI: 10.1093/bjc/azs026

Durnescu, I., Oancea, G. (2012) Asistenta si consilierea in serviciile de probatiune. In Dumitrascu, H. *Consilierea in asistenta sociala*. Polirom: Iasi.

Durnescu, I. (2012) What matters most in probation: staff characteristics, staff skills or programme? **Criminology and Criminal Justice** 12(2): 193-216.

2013

Durnescu, I and McNeill, F. (2013, eds). *Understanding penal practice*. Routledge

Durnescu, I, Grafl, C. and Enengl, C. (2013) Experiencing supervision in McNeill, F. and Beyens, K. (eds.) *Offender Supervision in Europe*. Palgrave Mcmillan.

Durnescu, I. (2013) Integrarea fostilor detinuti in Buzducea, D. (Ed) *Economia sociala a grupurilor vulnerabile POLIROM*

Durnescu, I. (2013) Probation skills between education and professional socialization **European Journal of Criminology** DOI: 10.1177/1477370813504162

2014

Durnescu, I. (2014) Community sanctions in S. Body-Gendrot, M. Hough, K. Kerezsi, R. Levy and S. Snacken (eds). *The Routledge Handbook of European Criminology*. Routledge

Durnescu, I. (2014) History of Staff Skills. In Bruinsma, G and Weisburd (Edts) *Encyclopedia of Criminology and Criminal Justice*. Springer.

Durnescu, I. (2014) Les 25 dernieres annees dans le domaine de la probation. Evolutions et nouveaux enjeux. **Cahiers de la Securite et de la Justice** 27-28: 171-178.

2015

Durnescu, I. (2015) Romania. Empty shells, emulation and Europeanization In McNeill, F. and Beyens, K. (eds). *Community Punishment. European perspective*. Palgrave.

2016

Durnescu, I.; McNeill, F. and Butter, R. (2016). Introduction: Questions, Questions, Questions. In *Probation: 12 essential questions*. Routledge

Durnescu, I. (2016) Experiencing Supervision: From 'Sparing the first offenders' to 'Punishment in the community' and Repairing the harm done. In McNeill, F.; Durnescu, I. and Butter, R. (eds). *Probation: 12 essential questions*. Routledge.

McNeill, F., Durnescu, I. and Butter, R. (eds. 2016). *Probation: 12 essential questions*. Routledge

Durnescu, I. and Istrate, A. (2016) Prisoner's transitions: Roma and Romanian prisoners finding their way back into society. In Dene mli Serbestlik Daire Baskanligi.

Durnescu, I., Perez de Tudela, E. and Ravangnani. (2016) Prisoner transfer and the importance of the 'release effect'. *Criminology and Criminal Justice*. DOI: 10.1177/1748895816677173.

- Co-editor of the European Probation Journal - <http://ejp.sagepub.com>
- Co-editor of Probation in Europe book - <http://cep-probation.org/knowledgebase/probation-in-europe-update/>
- Invited courses:
 - University of Greifswald/Germany – June 2014
 - University of Cambridge / UK – July 2015

- **Speeches in international conferences:**

- 8 February 2009 – ‘Experts meeting on minimum standards in pre-trial detention’ – Bruxelles, European Commission.
- 26 February 2009 – ‘CEP Experts meeting in capacity building’ – Sofia, CEP and Ministry of Justice Bulgaria – moderator.
- 9 September 2009 – ‘Pains of probation within the human rights context’ – Ljubljana, European Society of Criminology (<http://www.esc-eurocrim.org/conferences.shtml>)
- 25-26 March 2011 – ‘When technology meets justice’ key note speech Evora (CEP).
- 11 May 2011 – ‘Probation staff skills and characteristics’ – Edinburg, -European Society of Criminology.
- 8-10 June 2011 – ‘Staff skills and characteristics and the industrialization of probation’ – Sofia, Bulgaria – EU funded conference.
- 21-24 September 2011 – ‘Staff skills and characteristics and the industrialization of probation’ – Vilnius, Lithuania –
- 21-24 September 2011 – ‘Probation in Romania. Where to?’ - Vilnius, Lithuania (http://www.esc-eurocrim.org/files/ESC_11_Conference_Vilnius_2011_Programme.pdf)
- 19-20 October 2011 – ‘Social casework vs. Offender management’ – Tbilisi, Georgia, EU funded conference.
- 13-15 June 2012 – ‘Resettlement. What works, what doesn’t and what is promising’ – Keynote speech – Regional Conference ICPA, CEP and EuroPris.
- 08-09 October 2013 - ‘The effectiveness of one to one supervision’ – Plenary speech the World Congress of Probation.

- **Participation in international research projects:**

- Implementation Support for Transfer of European Probation Sentences (ISTEP) – 2011-2013;
- ERASMUS – Criminal Justice Social Work – 2011-2012;
- COST - Offender Supervision in Europe – 2013-2016;
- „*Good Practices of Community Conflict Management in the Central Eastern European Region*” (HOME/2010/ISEC/FP/C2/4000001469) – 2011-2013.
- Research Partner in The Learning Network on Active Inclusion – 2013-2015
- Strategic Targeting of Recidivism through Evaluation and Monitoring – STREAM – coordinated by NOMS, UK
- Support of Transfer of European Prison Sentences towards Resettlement (STEPS 2) – coordinated by NOMS, UK
- Prison Litigation Network – coordinated by the University of Florence/Italy.