

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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**Occupational field** UNIVERSITY OF CRAIOVA  
Faculty of Physical Education and Sport

**Professional experience** Associate professor PhD, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport  
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**Occupation or position held** Associate professor PhD, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport - 2012 – present  
**Disciplines taught:**

Main activities and responsibilities

- **Bachelor's degree:** Scientific foundations of the football game, Methodology of teaching the football game in schools, General bases of sports training.
- **Master - Performance in Sports:** Theory and practice in high-performance sports-football, Means and methods of sports training, Competition theory, Modern methodological guidelines in sports training.
- **Master - Curricular and Extracurricular motor activity** - Technical-tactical training in the football game.

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Domain of work **Higher Education**

- Period**
- **2012 - Lecturer PhD, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport**
  - **2006 - DOCTOR in Physical Education and Sports, domain: Sports and Physical Education Sciences. The title of the thesis: "Increasing the effectiveness of the training (instruction and education) of preadolescent and adolescent soccer players, by improving communication and coach-athlete management relationships";** scientific coordinator: professor PhD. psych. Mihai Epuran, Doctor Honoris Causa.
  - **Main subjects studied:** Research methodology and statistics, Psychology of ages, Psychology of motor and sociomotor learning, Psychology of communication, Football: selection, teaching and football player's personality. National Academy of Physical Education and Sport, Bucharest, Order of the Minister of Education and Research No. 4871 of 08/07/2006.
  - **1998 - Assistant Prof., Faculty of Physical Education and Sport**
  - **1995 - Preparator PhD, Faculty of Physical Education and Sport**
  - **1995 - Teacher of Physical Education and Sports - "Frații Buzești" National College Craiova**
  - **1995 - Teacher of Physical Education and Sports, Category III Coach, Specialization: Physical Education and Sports - Football / Bachelor's degree / Coach card. University of Craiova, Faculty of Sciences - Physical Education and Sport section, head of promotion.**

**Professional experience** **Football Trainer – UEFA A and UEFA ELITE YOUTH A LICENSE**

- Period**
- 2021-2023 - **Technical Director** – Club Sportiv U Craiova S.A. (Universitatea Craiova).
  - 2017 – 2021 - **Technical Director / Coach**– Gică Popescu" Football Academy".
  - 2016 – 2017 - **Technical Director** - Club Sportiv U Craiova S.A. (Universitatea Craiova).
  - (2014-2016) / **Technical Coordinator** U12-U7 / Coach (2014-2016) - Club Sportiv U Craiova S.A. (Universitatea Craiova).
  - **1996 – 2000 / 2006 - 2014 - Trainer** - Gică Popescu" Football School.
  - **2007 - Trainer** - Constructorul „Universitatea” Craiova.
  - **2006 - Trainer** - F.C. Universitatea FEFS Craiova.
  - **2017-2018 - Professional Qualification Certificate – TRAINER.** Romanian Football Federation/ L series football coach certificate no. 00155379 – organized by S.C. SCHULTZ Consulting SRL, Bucharest, Sector 4, registered in the National Register of providers of professional training for adults with no. 40/3324/29.05.2014
  - **2017-2018 - UEFA JUNIOR ELITE Soccer License.** Romanian Football Federation. UEFA Coaching Convention.
  - **2016 - PROJECT MANAGER Certificate.** TOPGES Consulting SRL, Craiova, Dolj - registered in the National Register of adult professional training providers with no.16/353/23.05.2015 - Graduation certificate series K no. 00023274.
  - **2014 – 2016 - UEFA A Football License.** Romanian Football Federation. UEFA Coaching Convention
  - **Graduation Certificate: Training and Awareness Program in Assuring the Quality in Distance Education - ID.** Spiru Haret University, in partnership with the Satu Mare Commercial Academy and TUV Austria – Romania. European Social Fund – POSDRU/86/.2/S/60720 - Project
  - **2002 – 2004 - UEFA B Football License.** Romanian Football Federation. UEFA Coaching Convention.

**Personal skills and competences**  
**Social skills and competences**

- **Social skills:** communication, cooperation, teamwork, active social participation.
- **Social skills:** ability to understand and relate to other people, adaptability, openness to new ideas, experiments and values, cordiality in relationships with other people.
- Dozens of participation in TV and radio debates on sports topics in order to promote Craiova sports and the Faculty of Physical Education and Sport all over the country (TVR Craiova, Tele U Craiova, Radio Sud Craiova, Radio Oltenia Craiova, etc.).

**Organisational skills and competences**

- Good organizer, ability to coordinate a team, team-work skills, ability to make or supervise decisions;
- **Member of the Organizing Committee of the Annual International Conference "Physical exercise - a complex and modern way to promote healthy living"**. We organized numerous football competitions among faculties (University Cup, Ion Rinderu Cup, Ion Dobrițoiu Cup, etc.), but also other sports competitions; I participated with the representative football teams of the University of Craiova in competitions all over the country and abroad;
- **President of the AJF Dolj Technical Commission** – 2014 – present;
- **Head of the Youth Football Development Department (Technical Director)** CS Universitatea Craiova – 2016 – 2017; 2021 – 2023;
- **Technical Director and Member of the Executive Committee** of „Gică Popescu” Football Academy - 2017-2021;
- **Technical Coordinator** of the Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova (2014-2016);
- **General Manager** of FC Universitatea FEFS Craiova (2003-2006);
- **Founding Member** of „Gică Popescu” Football School;
- **Founding Member** of FC „Universitatea FEFS” Craiova;
- **Technical Director** of FC Universitatea FEFS Craiova (2001-2006);
- **Member of the Executive Committee** of the Coordination Council of the Center for Children and Juniors of CSU Craiova (2005-2007), within the Dolj County Council;
- **Coach** of the:
  - „Gică Popescu” Football School/Academy (1996-2001; 2006-2014; 2017-2021);
  - Constructorul Universitatea Craiova (1997);
  - FC Universitatea FEFS Craiova (2001-2006);
  - CS Universitatea Craiova (2014-2016).

**Technical skills and competences**

- Member of the commissions for promoting teaching staff in positions of preparator, assistant prof, lecturer PhD and associate prof PhD;
- Scientific tutor of pre-university teaching staff to obtain the 1<sup>st</sup> Teaching Degree;
- **Member of the doctoral commissions** of UNEFS Bucharest and FEFS Craiova;
- **Evaluator Teacher for the A Elite Junior License** of the Romanian Football Federation;
- **Lecturer FRF – TRAINER Professional Qualification Certificate**;
- **Giving training courses** for Romanian football coaches in Oltenia, Dobrogea, Moldova, Transylvania and Banat areas, during 2017-2022 – more than 50 (fifty) courses.
- **FRF Lecturer - UEFA C License Course** - AJF Dolj – 2017/18, 2018/19, 2019/2020; 2021/2022;
- **Member of the Commission for the Implementation of the Strategy** (methodology) of work and training of junior football players in Romania, organized by the Romanian Football Federation - Federal Coaching School;
- **Responsible for the development of methodologies and strategies for training** children and junior football players at some Children and Junior Centers in the Oltenia area;
- **More 30 certificates obtained at the training courses** organized by the Federal Coaching School within the Romanian Football Federation, totaling over 200 hours;
- **FRF training coach** – „Turneul Sperantelor”: Responsible for implementing a specific methodology for constituting U15 National Teams - generations 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007;
- **Teacher evaluator** in CCJ examinations for coaches, organised by Dolj County Council;
- **Trainer of the Gillette Romania advertising campaign groups** in 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010;
- **Member of the Board of Directors of the Pro EFS Craiova Sports Association**.

**Member of some basic bodies in the structure of the University and national bodies of the university environment**

- Faculty Council of FEFS Craiova 1992-2012; 2019 - present;
- The President of the Committee for Cultural and Sports Activities in the Senate of the University of Craiova;
- Senate of the University of Craiova - 2019-present;
- The Sports Science Council from Romania;
- Editorial Board of the Journal of Sport and Kinetic Movement;
- International Organization for Health, Sports and Kinesiology (IOHSK).

**Computer skills and abilities**

A good mastery of the applications from the Office package: Excel, Word, Power Point.

**Driver's license(s)**

B category

## Additional Information

### *Scientific and research activity*

- **11 specialized books**
- **More than 150 articles** and scientific research papers published in the country and abroad.
- **Project manager:** Eu-Collpbol Program: Erasmus+ Sport. Project title: Implementation of colpbol sport at the European level as a tool to improve the quality of life of people with intellectual disabilities.
- **Member of 8 national and international projects.**

### *Participation in sports competitions and places obtained*

- **First place in the National University Football Championship**, with the FEFS team of the University of Craiova - Timișoara 2007, 2008, 2009.
- **First place - 2000 and second place - 2001** at the International Sports Festival in Istanbul, Turkey, with the football team of FEFS Craiova.
- *I participated with the trained athletes in all football championships*, organized by AJF and FRF from 1998 until now, and we obtained the following results:
  - **First place (Romanian Champions) in the U18 Youth League, Edition 2023**, with the 2005 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova – technical director.
  - **U18 Youth Supercup, Edition 2023**, with the 2005 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova – technical director.
  - **First place (Champions of Romania) in the U17 Elite League, Edition 2022**, with the 2005 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova - technical director.
  - **First place (Champions of Romania) in the U16 Elite League, Edition 2022**, with the 2006 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova - technical director.
  - **1st place in the National Championship of Juniors B, 2017 Edition**, with the 2000 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova – technical director.
  - **Second place in the U16 Elite League, Edition 2023**, with the 2007 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova – technical director.
  - **Second place – National vice-champion**, with the 1999 group from "Gică Popescu" Football Academy, 2011, **Hagi-Danone Cup**, Timisoara;
  - **Third place in the U15 Elite League, 2022**, with the 2007 group from Center for Children and Juniors of CS Universitatea Craiova – technical director.
  - **Third place in the National Championship for Juniors D, 2012**, with the 1999 group from "Gică Popescu" Football School.
  - **Dolj County Champion in the years:** 2009 (group 1999 GP), 2011 (group 1999 GP), 2013 (group 1999 GP), 2015 (group 2002 CS Universitatea Craiova);
  - **In the first 12 teams in the country** in the National Championship for Juniors C, 2014, with the 1999 group from "Gică Popescu" Football School.
  - *1st place at the county level and participation in the regional phase held in Timisoara, with the 1999 group of the "Gică Popescu" Football School, in 2008.*