

PERSONAL INFORMATION



CUREA-PITORAC RUXANDRA IOANA

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Sex female | Date of birth 30/04/1986 | Nationality Romanian

WORK EXPERIENCE

2016 - onwards

Research assistant

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, East-European Center for Research in Economics and Business (ECREB), Romania

Business or sector Research: scientific research

2010 - onwards

Associate teaching assistant

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Romania

- Developing and teaching seminars of: Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Institutions and Economy of the European Union

Business or sector Education: teaching activities and scientific research

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

February – April 2015

Research mobility

Università degli Studi di Verona, Dipartimento di Scienze Economiche, Verona, Italy

- Scientific research in the postdoctoral thesis field

June 2014 – September 2015

Postdoctoral research

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Romania

- *THE CYCLICALITY OF ECONOMIC ACTIVITY AND COUNTERCYCLICAL POLICIES APPLIED IN ROMANIAN ECONOMY*

2010 - 2013

PhD in Economics

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Romania

- *CYCLICAL FLUCTUATIONS IN THE ECONOMY: CAUSES AND WAYS OF MITIGATION. REFERENCES TO ROMANIA'S RECENT ECONOMY*

September – December 2012

Research mobility

Université Lille, Faculté des Sciences Économiques et Sociales, Lille, France

- Scientific research in the doctoral thesis field

2010

Diploma of psycho-pedagogical specialization

West University of Timisoara, The Department of Teacher Training, Romania

2008 - 2012

MA in Economics, specialization: Economics and Sustainable Development

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Romania

2008

The 6th Liphe4 "Fall School" Multi-Scale Integrated Analysis of Societal and Ecosystem Metabolism (MuSIASEM) for Participatory Assessment of Sustainability Issues

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Romania

2005 - 2008

BA in Economics, specialization: Economics and Economic Communication

West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, Romania

2004

ECDL – European Computer Driving License

"Aurel Vlaicu" University, Arad, Romania

2002 - 2005

Baccalaureate degree, specialization: Mathematics-Informatics, Certificate in Computer Science: Assistant Programmer
 "Moise Nicoara" National College, Arad, Romania

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
French	B1	C2	A1	A1	B1
Italian	B1	B1	A1	A1	A1

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user
 Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills Team spirit, good communication skills, dynamics and flexibility in thinking, creativity, adaptability and capacity to manage crisis situations

Organizational / managerial skills Organizations and coordination skills

- Computer skills
- Very good command of Microsoft Office™ tools (Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint)
 - A good knowledge of the program Prezi
 - A good knowledge of the data analysis and statistical software Stata
 - Basic knowledge of graphic design application Photoshop
 - Basic knowledge of programming

Driving licence

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publications

- Pitorac Ruxandra, Sirghi Nicoeta, Considerations regarding monetary policy in Romania, The Annals of the University of Oradea. Economic Science, TOM XXIV, 1st Issue, July, 2015, pp.454-503, <http://anale.steconomieuoradea.ro/volume/2015/AUOES-1-2015.pdf>
- Pitorac Ruxandra, "THE SPECIFICS OF OKUN'S LAW IN THE ROMANIAN ECONOMY BETWEEN 2007 AND 2013" *Annals of "Constantin Brâncuși" University of Târgu Jiu, Economic Series*, Issue 1, Volume 2, pp. 50-53, 2015, http://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2015-01.Volumul%202/07_Pitorac.pdf
- Pitorac Ruxandra, Asproniu (Codrean) Andreea, "EFFECTS OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE "LIFELONG LEARNING" PROGRAM IN ROMANIA, WITH REFERENCE TO THE 2007-2013 PERIOD" *Annals of "Constantin Brâncuși" University of Târgu Jiu, Economic Series*, Issue 1, Volume 1, pp. 212-215, 2015, http://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2015-01.Volumul%201/31_Pitorac.%20Asproniu.pdf
- Cismaș Laura, Pitorac Ruxandra, "A new vision on competitiveness within the post crisis economy. Causes, evolutions and possible innovative solutions to fight against the undesirable effects of the economic crisis", *Theoretical and Applied Economics*, Volume XX (2013), No. 10(587), pp. 23-32, <http://store.ectap.ro/articole/910.pdf>
- Pitorac Ruxandra, "Budgetary Policy – A Tool for Mitigating Cyclic Fluctuations. Study case for Romania, 1996-2011", *Annals of "Constantin Brâncuși" University of Târgu Jiu, Economic Series*, Issue 4, pp. 148-153, 2013, http://www.utgjiu.ro/revista/ec/pdf/2013-04/24_Pitorac.pdf
- Pitorac Ruxandra, "Views of Romanian Economists on the Cyclical Fluctuations in Economy", *The Annals of the University of Oradea. Economic Sciences*, Vol XXII, nr. 1 July 2013, pp.516-522, <http://anale.steconomieuoradea.ro/volume/2013/n1/055.pdf>

- Pitorac Ruxandra, „Influences of Innovation on Employment in Romania, in the European Context”, *Journal of Economics and Business Research*, Nr. 1, pp.113-123, 2013, http://www.uav.ro/jour/index.php/jebr/article/view/11/pdf_9
- Pitorac Ruxandra, Cismaş Laura, “Innovation – an influence factor of cyclical fluctuations. Study case for Romania, between 1995 and 2009”, *The Annals of the University of Oradea. Economic Sciences*, nr. 1, Iulie 2012, pp.364-370, <http://anale.steconomiceuoradea.ro/volume/2012/n1/054.pdf>
- Cismaş Laura, Pitorac Ruxandra, Neamţu Mihaela, „Influence factors of cyclical fluctuations: consumption, investment and currency. Study case for Romania between 1995 and 2009”, *Mathematical Models and Methods in Applied Sciences*, Proceedings of 13thWSEAS International Conference on Mathematics and Computers in Business and Economics (MCBE `12), pp.176-179, June 2012, <http://www.wseas.us/e-library/conferences/2012/lasi/BUBICHE/BUBICHE-24.pdf>
- Cismaş Laura, Bucur Oana, Pitorac Ruxandra, “Competitiveness – Growth Factor. Point of View on the Situation in Romania”, *The Annals of the University of Oradea. Economic Sciences – Selected Papers – Special Edition – „20 years of Academic Economic Education in Oradea”*, Oradea, Romania, pp.213-218, 2011, <http://anale.steconomiceuoradea.ro/volume/2011/special/015.pdf>
- Pitorac Ruxandra, Toth Maria, Jivan Alexandru, “Key aspects of analysis on the impact of recent developments in health services in the Western Region of Romania”, *The Annals of the University of Oradea. Economic Sciences*, nr. 1, July, 2011, pp.214-220, <http://anale.steconomiceuoradea.ro/volume/2011/n1/009.pdf>
- Cismaş Laura, Csorba Luiela, Pitorac Ruxandra, “Regional disparities of unemployment in the European Union and in Romania”, *Journal of Economics and Business Research*, Vol. XVII, Nr. 2, pp.7-24, 2011, http://www.uav.ro/files/jebr/JEBR_No_2_2011.pdf