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WORK EXPERIENCE

 **CRÂZNIC & ASSOCIATES - ATTORNEYS AT LAW** – Bucharest, Romania

LAWYER - SENIOR PARTNER

[2026 – Current]

Coordinator of international cooperation activities



Representative of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe to the Venice Commission (European Commission for Democracy through Law)

[2026 – Current]

 **Senate of Romania** – Bucharest, Romania

President of the Committee on Foreign Policy

[21/12/2024 – Current]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Committee on Defence, Public Order and National Security

[21/12/2024 – Current]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – București, Romania

President of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with France

[25/03/2025 – Current]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with the Republic of Senegal

[25/03/2025 – Current]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Pro-America Group in the Romanian Parliament

[25/03/2025 – Current]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the NATO Parliamentary Assembly

[25/03/2025 – Current]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe

[25/03/2025 – Current]

 **Senate of Romania** – Bucharest, Romania

President of the Committee on Foreign Policy

[12/2020 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Committee on Human Rights, Equal Opportunities, Religious Affairs and Minorities

[12/2020 – 20/12/2024]

 **Senate of Romania** – Bucharest, Romania

President of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with France

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Vice-President of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Latvia

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Israel

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Lithuania

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Luxemburg

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Montenegro

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Estonia

[11/05/2020 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Jordan

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of Parliamentary Friendship Groups with Singapore

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Pro-America Group in the Romanian Parliament

[11/05/2021 – 20/12/2024]

 **Senate of Romania** – Bucharest, Romania

Vice-President (acting President)

[02/2020 – 04/2020]

 **Chamber of Deputies** – Bucharest, Romania

Member of the Romanian Parliament Delegation to Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe

[12/2020 – Current]



President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe Committee for the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

[01/2022 – 01/2024]



Representative of the PACE Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights to GRECO

[01/2022 – 01/2024]



Vice-President of the PACE Committee for the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

[01/2020 – 01/2022]



Representative of PACE to MONEYVAL

[01/2021 – 2022]

Committee of Experts on the Evaluation of Anti-Money Laundering Measures and the Financing of Terrorism of the Council of Europe (for the year 2021)

 ***Senate of Romania*** – Bucharest, Romania

Vice-President

[09/2019 – 12/2020]

 ***Parliament of Romania*** – Bucharest, Romania

Senator

[12/2016 – 12/2020]



Member of the Committee on Constitutionality, Civil Liberties and Monitoring of the Execution of Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights

[22/12/2016 – 12/2020]

 ***Senate of Romania***

Member of the Committee on Foreign Policy

[12/2016 – 12/2020]



Member of the Pro-America Group in the Romanian Parliament

[12/2016 – 12/2020]



Member of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with France / Senate of Romania – President

[12/2016 – 12/2020]



Member of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with Bosnia and Herzegovina

[12/2016 – 12/2020]



Member of the Parliamentary Friendship Group with Republic of Senegal

[12/2016 – 12/2020]



President of the Joint Special Committee of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate for the coordination of parliamentary activities necessary for the preparation of the Presidency of the Council of the European Union in the first semester of 2019

[02/2018 – 10/2018]



President of the Delegation of the Romanian Parliament to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe

[03/2017 – 01/2019]



Vice-President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (PACE)

[04/2017 – 01/2019]



President of the Special Committee for the Middle East and the Arab World/PACE

[2016 – 2018]



Representative of the PACE Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy to the European Commission against Racism and Intolerance (ECRI)

[01/2016]



Representative of the PACE Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights to the Council of Europe Committee of Experts on the Evaluation of Anti-Money Laundering Measures and the Financing of Terrorism (MONEYVAL)

[2018]



Member of the Committee on Political Affairs and Democracy/PACE

[01/2018 – 01/2020]

First Vice-President of the Commission



Member of the Committee for the fulfilment of the obligations and commitments of the Member States towards the Council of Europe (Monitoring Committee) / PACE

[01/2018 – Current]



Member of the Committee on Legal Affairs and Human Rights

[01/2018 – Current]



Member of the Commission for the Election of Judges to the European Court of Human Rights

[01/2018 – Current]



Member of the Committee on the Rules of Procedure, Immunities and Institutional Affairs / PACE

[2018 – 2019]

 **Parliament of Romania**

Senator

[12/2012 – 12/2016]



President of the Joint Special Committee of the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate for Romania's accession to the Schengen area

[12/2012 – 12/2016]



Member of the Foreign Policy Committee of the Romanian Senate

[12/2012 – 12/2016]



Member of the Delegation of the Romanian Parliament to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (PACE) / Chair of the Parliamentary Assembly's Special Subcommittee on the Middle East and the Arab States

[12/2012 – 12/2016]



Member of the Delegation of the Romanian Parliament to the NATO Parliamentary Assembly

[12/2012 – 12/2016]



Chair-in-Office of the South-East European Cooperation Process (SEECP)

[07/2013 – 06/2014]



Vice-President of the UN General Assembly

[09/2013 – 12/2016]



Minister of Foreign Affairs

[08/2012 – 11/2014]



Minister of Justice

[05/2012 – 08/2012]



Senator, President of the Foreign Policy Committee of the Romanian Senate

[12/2008 – 05/2012]



Member of the Delegation of the Romanian Parliament to the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (PACE)

[12/2008 – 05/2012]



Elected Member of the European Parliament

[12/2007 – 12/2008]



First Vice-President of the Legal Affairs Committee of the European Parliament

[12/2007 – 12/2008]



Member of the EU-Republic of Moldova Parliamentary Cooperation Committee

[12/2007 – 12/2008]



Member of the European Parliament with the title of Observer

[09/2005 – 12/2006]



Member of the EP Committee on Civil Liberties, Justice and Home Affairs

[09/2005 – 12/2006]



Member of the EP Foreign Policy Committee

[09/2005 – 12/2006]



Member of the Romanian Parliament

[12/2004 – 12/2007]



Secretary of the Foreign Policy Committee of the Chamber of Deputies

[12/2004 – 12/2007]



President of the Subcommittee for Romanians Abroad

[12/2004 – 12/2007]



Member of the Commission for European Integration

[12/2004 – 12/2007]



Secretary of State, Department for Romanians Abroad

[06/2003 – 12/2004]



Personal advisor to the Prime Minister on foreign policy issues

[10/2001 – 06/2003]



Diplomat, Ministry of Foreign Affairs

[09/1994 – 10/2001]



Co-Agent of the Romanian Government before the European Court of Human Rights

[08/1997 – 08/2001]

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Doctor of Laws

University of Bucharest [11/2010]

National Defence College

[06/2005]

Advanced course in diplomacy and international relations

International Institute of Public Administration (IIAP), Paris [09/1995 – 12/1995]

Advanced Diploma in International Law and International Relations

University of Bucharest [1994]

Bachelor's degree

Faculty of Law - University of Bucharest [1990 – 1994]

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): Romanian

Other language(s):

English

LISTENING C2 READING C2 WRITING C2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C2 SPOKEN INTERACTION C2

French

LISTENING C2 READING C2 WRITING C2

SPOKEN PRODUCTION C2 SPOKEN INTERACTION C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

HONOURS AND AWARDS

[2004]

National Order of the Star of Romania in the Degree of Knight

[2014]

Order of Pro Merito Melitensi in the rank of Grand Cross, Sovereign Military Order of Malta

[2014]

Order of Honor of the Republic of Moldova

CIVIC ACTIVITY

[1993 – Current]

Member of the Romanian Association of International Law (ADIRI)

[2002 – Current]

Member of the Titulescu European Foundation

[2002 – Current]

Member of the International Law Association (ILA), Romanian Section

[2015 – Current]

Member of the Romanian Society of European Law

[2021 – Current]

Member of the Romanian Association of Philosophy of Law - National Section of the International Association of Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy - IVR

SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITY

[2023]

Public International Law – University Course (Vol. I); The State, Succession of States in International Law (2nd edition, revised)

[2017]

The Constitution of Romania/Comments and Explanations, C.H. Beck Publishing House, Bucharest, 2017 (co-author)

[2011]

Execution of Judgments of the European Court of Human Rights, Monograph Collection, Universul Juridic, Bucharest 2011

[2012]

Succession of the Russian Federation to the Belgrade Convention on the Regime of Navigation on the Danube (1948) and to the Danube Commission, Monograph Collection, Universul Juridic, Bucharest 2012

[2012]

Succession of States in International Law. Particular Case: Republic of Moldova, Monograph Collection, Universul Juridic, Bucharest 2012

[2012]

European and International Protection of Human Rights, Universul Juridic, Bucharest 2012; numerous articles published in ISI, B+, BDI-listed specialist journals, etc.

[2015]

European and International Protection of Human Rights, Universul Juridic, Bucharest 2015, Second Edition

Several articles, studies, contributions as co-author published in specialized journals or monographs in Romania or abroad

ACADEMIC AND TEACHING ACTIVITY

[2023 – Current]

Associate Professor at the National Defense University “Carol I” (tenured). Disciplines: Public International Law; International Humanitarian Law; General Theory of Law; Human Rights, Foreign Policy.

[2021 – 2023]

Associate Professor (invited) at the National Defense University “Carol I”. Disciplines: Public International Law; International Humanitarian Law; Human Rights

[2021 – 2022]

Associate Professor at the Academy of Economic Studies, Faculty of Law. Disciplines: Public International Law; Diplomatic Law

[09/2018 – 06/2019]

Visiting Scholar at Harvard University / Center for the study of World Religions

[2013 – Current]

Associate Professor, "Dimitrie Cantemir" Christian University, Faculty of Law and Administration, Discipline "Human Rights"; Diplomatic and Consular Law (2019 – 2021)

[2010 – 2013]

University lecturer, "Dimitrie Cantemir" Christian University, Faculty of Political Sciences, discipline "Human Rights"

[2010 – 2013]

University lecturer, "Nicolae Titulescu" University, Faculty of Social and Administrative Sciences, discipline "Public International Law"

[1993 – 1993]

Research Assistant, Romanian Institute of International Studies (IRSI)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

[06/11/2024 – Current]

Associate Researcher (unpaid) Institute of Legal Research “Acad. Andrei Rădulescu”, Romanian Academy

[1992 – 1995]

Member of the European Law Students Association (ELSA)

[2011 – Current]

Lawyer, Bucharest Bar Association