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Education:

Prof Dr. *habil.* 2020. Philology (English
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“Lucian Blaga” University of Sibiu
(Romania)
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Ph.D. 1992. Communication
(Rhetoric/Mass Media),
The Ohio State University.
Adviser: Josina Makau

M.A. 1982. Speech Communication
(Radio/TV/Film), University of North
Texas.
Adviser: Marilyn Lawrence-Boemer

B.A. 1979. Communication
/Political Science, University of
Texas/Arlington.

Academic Experience (last 20 years):

June, 2013-Present. Department of Communication and Development Studies, Papua New Guinea University of Technology (PNGUoT/UNITECH). Professor.

September, 2000—June 2013. “Lucian Blaga” University of Sibiu. Department of Anglo-German Studies as “C. Peter Magrath” Fellow/Invited Professor and (since 2011) as a consulting researcher in the UNESCO Chair’s Office in Quality Management of Higher Education and Lifelong Learning of the "Lucian Blaga" University of Sibiu.

March, 2011—August, 2012. Hannam University, Linton Global College, Department of Communication and Culture (Daejeon, Korea). (Visiting) Associate Professor (on leave from LBUS).

2000-2009. Cuttington University, Liberia, West Africa. (Periodic) Visiting Professor (of English language, social sciences, theology).

March, 1999—February, 2000. Sosung Institute for Advanced Studies, Kyonggi University. Visiting Professor (of media, English language and social welfare) (on leave from the University of Bucharest).

June, 1998—September, 2000. University of Bucharest. Associate Professor (of English language, sociology).

Awards Received:

Certificate of appreciation (teaching), 2008, Cuttington University (Bong County, Liberia).

Certificate of appreciation, 1999, Graduate School, Assumption College (Makati City, Philippines).

Honorary diploma, 1997, "Romania, European Integration and Community Law" research symposium, Romanian Union of Jurists.

Walter B. Emery memorial research award, 1989. Department of Communication, The Ohio State University.

“Research Week” paper competition award, 1987. College of Communication, Ohio University.

Domains of Specialization:

I can advise Masters and PhD student theses and dissertations in the field of English-Language Philology, with the following sub-fields: Rhetoric, Communication Sciences/Theory, with taxonomically subordinated sub-fields such as Communications and Public Relations, Mass Media structures, Sociology of Development, Higher Education discourse, Social-Psychology of Persuasion, Political discourse.

Research Activities:

Since 1982, I have published numerous publications (journal articles, book chapters and studies) in US, British, Romanian and international publications, three sole-authored books (as well as number of edited books and many critical reviews), in areas of communication/cultural studies, comparative media studies, media history, international higher education policy, and literary studies. According to Google Scholar (retrieved: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=nPZVCbcAAAAJ&hl=en&oi=ao> (14 July 2020), my statistics are:

	All	Since 2015
<u>Citations</u>	96	27
<u>h-index</u>	5	3
<u>i10-index</u>	3	0

Academic Journal Editorial Work:

Editor-in-Chief, *JCDS: Journal of Communication and Development Studies* (ISSN: 1992-1322).

I am on the Advisory and/or editorial board for a number of international publications, most notably *The University of Bucharest Review* (Department of English and the Center for Cultural Identity), *American, British and Canadian Studies* review (Lucian Blaga University, Sibiu, Romania), and the *East-West Cultural Passage* review (Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu).

Policy Expertise:

In addition to my expertise in Critical/Cultural Studies and Communication Studies, I have become an internationally recognized expert in higher education policy by penning over 50 extensive comparative reviews of the field's relevant policy literature, via professional responsibilities as a contributing book reviews editor to both the UNESCO-CEPES review, *Higher Education in Europe* (from 1996 to 2009) and the Taylor and Francis *European Journal of Higher Education* (from 2011-2014).

Consultations as Higher Education Expert:

From December 2013 to present. Higher Education Expert, Department of Higher Education, Research Science and Technology (DHERST), Papua New Guinea.

From 03 July to 03 October 2010. Contract No: 3240232778, Higher Education Expert Consultant, UNESCO/UNAMA Kabul, Afghanistan.

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