

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

## Radu Stefan CIOBOTEA



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Date of birth 01/07/1960

## WORK EXPERIENCE

20/12/2013–Present

**Deputy Director**

Romanian Cultural Institute, Paris (France)

01/07/2010–20/12/2013

**Diplomatic counsellor**

General Consulate of Romania, Balti (Moldova)

06/2013–08/2013

**Acting head**

General Consulate of Romania, Balti (Moldova)

01/10/2009–01/07/2010

**Associate professor**

"Aurel Vlaicu" University, Arad (Romania)

01/10/2007–01/10/2009

**Diplomatic counsellor**

Romanian Embassy, Paris (France)

02/2006–09/2007

**Associate professor, PhD**

"Aurel Vlaicu" University, Arad (Romania)

10/2005–02/2006

**Lecturer, PhD**

"Aurel Vlaicu" University, Arad (Romania)

09/2004–Present

**PhD Degree "Magna cum Laude"**

"Babes Bolyai" University, Cluj (Romania)

09/2004–Present

**PhD Degree "avec le felicitations du jury"**

Universite d'Artois, Arras (France)

2000–2003

**Lecturer**

"Banatul" University, Timisoara (Romania)

01/01/2006–Present

**Columnist**

Diaspora Romaneasca journal, London (Marea Britanie)

- 2002–2005 **Editor in Chief and columnist**  
Evenimentul Zilei, Western edition, Timisoara (Romania)
- 2001–2002 **Editor in Chief**  
Banateanul, Timisoara (Romania)
- 03/2000–04/2000 **Special correspondent in France and Spain**  
Event Day, Bucuresti (Romania)
- 1999–2001 **General manager**  
Alongpress, Timisoara (Romania)
- 1998–1999 **Special correspondent in Kosovo**  
Evenimentul Zilei, Bucuresti (Romania)
- 1997–1998 **Manager**  
Tvt 89 Television, Timisoara (Romania)
- 1996–1998 **Editor in Chief**  
Tvt 89 Television, Timisoara (Romania)
- 1992–1996 **Chief of the press office**  
Evenimentul Zilei, Timisoara (Romania)
- 1992–1996 **War correspondent in Bosnia and Croatia**  
Daily Event, Bucuresti (Romania)
- 1991–1992 **Editor, special correspondent in ex-Yugoslavia**  
Express Magazine, Bucuresti (Romania)
- 1990–1991 **Editor**  
Flacara, Bucuresti (Romania)
- 1984–1987 **Romanian literature Teacher**  
Periam College, Periam (Romania)
- 1981–1984 **Editor in Chief**  
Forum Studentesc, Bucuresti (Romania)

#### EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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- 1980–1984  
Western University, Faculty of Letters, Romanian and French language and literature section,  
Timisoara (Romania)

- 2000–2004 **Study for PhD in comparative Literature**  
Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj Napoca (Romania)
- 2004–Present **PhD Degree "Magna cum laude" in comparative literature**  
Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj Napoca (Romania)
- 2001–2004 **Study for PhD in comparative literature**  
Universite d'Artois, Arras (France)
- 2004–Present **PhD Degree "avec les felicitations du jury"**  
Universite d'Artois, Arras (Romania)
- 1999 **Scholarship in Press Management**  
Freedom House, Washington, Chicago, Milwaukee (United States)

**PERSONAL SKILLS**

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

## Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
French	C2	C2	C2	C2	C2
English	C2	C2	C1	C1	C1
Italian	C1	C1	B2	B1	B1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user  
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

## Communication skills

- Highly-developed communication skills, resulting from fruitful experiences as a Diplomatic Counsellor of the Romanian Embassy in Paris and the General Consulate in Balti, as Deputy Director of the Romanian Cultural Institute in Paris and moreover as a University Associate Professor

## Organisational / managerial skills

- Leadership (current position)
- Very good organisational and team-leading skills gained as Deputy Director of the Romanian Cultural Institute of Paris, as General Manager of Alongpress and Editor-in-chief of "Evenimentul Zilei" Timisoara and TTV 89 Television

Driving licence B

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

## Published Books

- Return to Shaolin** (reportage on martial arts), Published by "Almanahul Banatului", Timisoara, 1995
- Late, After the Revolution** (reportages, interviews and commentaries about the years after The 1989 Revolution in Timisoara), Published by "Almanahul Banatului", 1996
- War without winners** (reportages of war realized while special correspondent of the Romanian daily *Evenimentul Zilei* during the Yugoslavian wars, between 1991 and 1998), Published by

"Meridian 21 Delta", Timisoara, 1998

- **The pink panther remains in the shop window** (literary and political essays about the integration problems of Romania in the European spiritual space), Published by Popa's ART, Timisoara, 2003
- **War with Doctor Blues** (reportages from Kosovo and USA) - Published by "Mirton", Timisoara, 2003
- **Une guerre sans vainqueur** (reportages of war), Published by Paris- Mediterranee, Paris 2003
- **Reportage and Literature (An Essay on the Romanian and French Interwar Reportage)**, Published by "Casa Cartii de Stiinta", Cluj Napoca, 2005
- **The Romanian Interwar Reportage. Sensationalism, Adventure and Political Extremism**, Published by "Polirom", Iasi, 2006
- **The Defenders** (2 volumes), historical novel, Published by "Cartea Romaneasca", Bucharest, 2006
- **Le Mot Vecu. Le Reportage Roumain et Francais Dans L'entre Deux Guerres**, Published by "Orizons", university collection, Paris, 2010
- **Reportage. Wording techniques**, published by "Cartier", university collection, Chisinau, 2012
- **Journalistes Francais Dans la Roumanie Communiste 1974 – 1989** (sole coordinator), Published by "Orizons", Temoins – Temoignages Collection, Paris, 2014

#### Published Works

- **Literary Avant-Garde and Reportage**, "Banatul" University Annals, 2002
- **Maiquet, the Reporter. Reportage and Detective Novel at Georges Simenon**, "Orizont" magazine nr. 2, 2003
- **Georges Simenon, Reporter in the Soviet Union**, Romania Literara, 2004
- **The Overturned World of Max Blecher. Essay on the "Berk, City of the Damned"** Reportage, "Orizont" magazine nr. 3, 2004
- **A Journal of Silence. Gheorghe Drumaru's Prose**, "Orizont" magazine nr. 8, 2004
- **Le Sensationalisme, Entre Marketing et Strategie Narrative**, Published by "Cultura. Educatie. Societate. Lucrarile Simpozionului Facultatii de Stiinte Umaniste si Sociale" magazine, Arad, 2005
- **Giornalismo Alla Romena. Professionale, Credibile, Europea: Il Nuovo Volta Della Stampa Di Romania**, Published by Profilli dell'Est, Milano, 2006
- **Simenon, the Reporter**. Essay, "Secoul 21" magazine, Bucharest, 2006
- **Reportage in the Countries of Sadness**, review, Published by "Diaspora Romaneasca", London, 2006
- **Journalism and Temperament**, essay, Published by "Diaspora Romaneasca", London, 2006
- **Romanian Immigrants and the British Press**, essay, Published by "Diaspora Romaneasca", 2006
- **The Immigrant and the "stranger's perception"**, review, Published by "Diaspora Romaneasca", 2006
- **The Labyrinth of Exile**, review, Published by "Diaspora Romaneasca", 2007
- **Litterature et Protestation Dans la Diaspora Roumaine a Paris (1970-1989)**, "Colloque International" magazine, Identite et Revolte Dans l'art, la Litterature, le Droit et l'histoire en Bulgarie, en Roumanie et en Europe Centrale et Orientale, Entre 1947-1989), Published by l'Universite d'Artois, France, 2007
- **Basarab Nicolesco: Le Quotidien Comme un Miracle**, "Journal of Humanistic and Social Studies" magazine, Published by "Aurel Vlaicu" University, Arad, 2010
- **British Tabloids in the Current European Journalism**, study, Published by "Diaspora Romaneasca", London, 2011
- **Radio Free Europe. La Dignite de l'exil**, analysis published in "Journalistes Francais Dans la Roumanie Communiste 1974-1989", Published by Orizons, Paris, 2014

#### Conferences

- **War reportage** - conference held at the University of Iasi , May 1998
- **Direct Experience and Media Discourse** - Novi Sad , Serbia , the opening of the International

Book Fair , June 1998

- ***Avant-garde Literary Reportage*** - Banat University Timisoara, 26 th of April, 2002
- ***Litterature et protestation dans la diaspora roumaine à Paris (1970 - 1989)***, Université d'Artois, Arras, France, May 2007
- ***Le Français Comme Langue de Communication Dans les Crises Traversées par la Présidence Française de l'Union Européenne***, Sorbonne University, Paris, 23<sup>rd</sup> of April 2008
- ***Le reportage roumain et français dans l'entre-deux-guerres***, "Alecu Russo" University, Balti (R. Moldova), 2011
- ***Forms of European Contemporary Reportage*** , State University of Moldova, Chisinau , 23 rd February, 2013
- ***Recherche de l'identité et passion du voyage chez Matila C. Ghyka***, Sorbonne 8 University, Paris, November 2013
- ***La Dimension Francophone de la Diplomatie Culturelle Roumaine***, debate conference organized by AMOPA 94 (Association des Membres de l'ordre des Palmes Académiques) and ARECEP (Association pour le Rayonnement Economique et Culturel dans l'est parisien), Club Foch, Vincennes, 10<sup>th</sup> of February 2015

#### Memberships

- Member of the Romanian Journalists' Association
- Member of the Writers' Union of Romania
- Associate Member of the Centre d' Etudes de Recherches sur le Textes et Electronique de l' Université d' Artois littéraires, Arras , France
- Member of the Press Club de France
- Member of the Association des Journalistes Européens