



INNOVATIVE APPROCHES TO CONTEMPORARY TRENDS IN EDUCATION
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DETAILED SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, 14TH OF NOVEMBER 2024	
EfaStud – 16th Edition CREATIVITY, INNOVATION, DEVELOPMENT FOR PROFESSIONAL CAREER	
14.00-16.00	WORKSHOPS Participants: students – bachelor's and master's study programs and PhD students
16.15-18.15	Student Scientific Paper Presentation Sessions
FRIDAY, 15TH OF NOVEMBER 2024	
Time	Activity
10.30-11.00	REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS <i>* UAV Arad, Complex M</i>
11.00 – 11.30	OPENING CEREMONY <i>* UAV Arad, Complex M, Conference hall</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Welcoming speech held by Rector Teodor Florin CILAN, PhD., "Aurel Vlaicu" University of Arad ✓ Opening speech by representatives of the partner institutions ✓ Opening speech held by Alina Felicia ROMAN, PhD, Dean, Faculty Of Educational Science, Psychology And Social Work
11.30 –13.30	KEYNOTE SESSION 1 <i>* UAV Arad, Complex M, Conference hall</i> Moderator: Alina ROMAN, PhD Dana RAD, PhD
11.30 – 11.50	Ion ALBULESCU, PhD "Babeş-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca <i>Autonomy in Learning and the Use of Digital Technologies</i>
11.50 –12.10	Tetiana BONDARENKO, PhD Ukrainian Engineering Pedagogics Academy <i>MOOC as an Effective Tool in the Modern Digital Space of the Teacher</i>



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12.10 –12.30	Muşata BOCOŞ, PhD "Babeş-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca Mihaela-Gabriela NEACŞU, PhD National University of Science and Technology Politehnica Bucharest, Piteşti University Centre. <i>Mentoring in Education, Training, and Research: Paradigms, Theoretical and Practical Research Directions, Scientific and Institutional Achievements of ARCE (Romanian Association for Research in Education)</i>
12.30-12.50	Luís Miguel CARDOSO, PhD University of Coimbra, Portugal <i>Artificial Intelligence and Higher Education Institutions</i>
12.50-13.10	Cristian Nicolae STAN, PhD "Babeş-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca <i>Educational Assessment: A Diachronic and Prospective Analysis</i>
13.10-13.30	Marinel NEGRU, PhD Aleksandar STOJANOVIĆ, PhD University of Belgrade, Serbia <i>Models of creative reception of the literary text according to the research tasks on the example of the stories „The bottle neck” by Hans Christian Andersen and „The key” by Mihail Sadoveanu</i>
13.30-14.30	LUNCH BREAK
14.30-17.30	KEYNOTE SESSION 2 * UAV Arad, Complex M, Conference hall Moderator: Evelina BALAŞ, PhD Henrietta TORKOS, PhD
14.30-14.50	Orsolya SZILVASSY, PhD Gal Ferenc University, Hungary <i>The picturebook as a powerfull source of multiliteracy</i>
14.50-15.10	Horaţiu CATALANO, PhD "Babeş-Bolyai" University of Cluj-Napoca <i>The implications of transformational leadership on the performance of early childhood education leaders</i>
15.10-15.30	Uleanya CHINAZA, PhD University of Johannesburg, South Africa <i>Psychosocial Support and Wellness: Resilience building for school leaders</i>
15.30-15.50	Georgeta PÂNIŞOARĂ, PhD University of Bucharest <i>The Meaning of Life, Locus of Control, and Resilience: An Analysis of Psycho-Social Adaptability in the Context of Educational Approaches for Young People</i>



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15.50-16.10	Florin FRUMOS, PhD "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iasi <i>Epistemic education in a post-truth era</i>
16.10-16.30	Sevinc GÜLSEÇEN, PhD Istanbul University <i>Transition to Smart City with Smart Education</i>
16.30-16.50	Braduša ŽUJKA PhD, University of Belgrade, Serbia Aleksandra GOJKOV RAJIĆ PhD., Faculty of Education, Preschool Teacher Training and Medical College in Vrsac <i>New Technologies And Literature</i>
16.50-17.10	Arora MADHU, Ph D New Delhi Institute of Management Studies <i>Increasing role of artificial intelligence in education</i>
17.30-19.00	PARALLEL SESSIONS AND WORKSHOPS
Session 1 * UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 204 Moderators: Anca EGERĂU, PhD Editha COȘARBĂ, PhD <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ CURRICULAR STRATEGIES FOCUSED ON DEVELOPING RESEARCH AND INNOVATION COMPETENCIES IN TEACHER TRAINING FOR PRIMARY AND PRESCHOOL EDUCATION, Claudiu Bunăiașu PhD, University of Craiova✓ THE MOST IMPORTANT QUALITIES OF A MENTOR IN A TEACHING CAREER, Mihaela Birescu PhD, Krisztina Katona PhD, Orsolya Szilvássy PhD, Ágota Balogh Szabóné PhD, Gal Ferenc University, Hungary✓ ENHANCING ONLINE COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN EDUCATION: A REVIEW OF CURRENT DIGITAL CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES FOR TEACHERS AND STUDENTS, Andreea-Ionela RUSU, PhD. Student, University „Vasile Alecsandri”, Bacău✓ DYNAMICS OF CURRICULUM DESIGN, Bărbos Liana-Cecilia Theoretical High School Bathory Istvan Cluj-Napoca, Maxim Andreia-Nicoleta, Moise Nicoară National College, Arad✓ EARLY EDUCATION: CHALLENGES AND PERSPECTIVES FOR DEBUTANT TEACHERS, Monica Coste PhD., Ana-Maria Crișan PhD. Student, Babeș-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca✓ USING COMICS AS A TOOL FOR DEVELOPING IMAGE COMPREHENSION IN PRIMARY SCHOOL, Miclea Elena-Maria, PhD student, Babeș-Bolyai University Cluj-Napoca✓ VIRTUAL REALITY AS AN EDUCATIONAL TOOL IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES, Alina Florina RAȚIU, Ph.D. Student, Babeș-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca	
Session 2 * UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 124 Moderators: Sonia IGNAT, PhD Edgar DEMETER, PhD	



- ✓ POSITIVE COMMUNICATION IN EDUCATION: THE KEY TO A SUCCESSFUL STUDENT-TEACHER RELATIONSHIP, **Ispas Cristina PhD, Jura Ana-Maria Eugenia PhD Student**, Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, University Center of Reşiţa
- ✓ EDUCATIONAL RESILIENCE OF STUDENTS WITH LOW PERFORMANCE, **Enache TUŞA PhD** „Ovidius” University of Constanta
- ✓ MITIGATING STUDENT DROPOUT RATES THROUGH MACHINE LEARNING: A PREDICTIVE APPROACH IN EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH, **Dana Rad PhD., Gavril Rad PhD.**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ THE MEANING OF LIFE, LOCUS OF CONTROL, AND RESILIENCE: AN ANALYSIS OF PSYCHO-SOCIAL ADAPTABILITY IN THE CONTEXT OF EDUCATIONAL APPROACHES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE, **Georgeta Pânişoara PhD., Ider Ştefan PhD., Andreea Şiţoiu PhD.**, University of Bucuresti
- ✓ SCHOOL DROP-OUT AMONG ADOLESCENTS - SCHOOL SATISFACTION AND SELF-EFFICACY, **Creţ Cristiana**, Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca
- ✓ THE PARADOX OF DIGITAL CONNECTIVITY: GROUP-CENTERED EDUCATION AS A PATHWAY FOR DEVELOPING ESSENTIAL LIFE AND CIVIC SKILLS, **Raluca Roxana Voştinar**, Teacher, Learning Together
- ✓ FORMATIVE DIMENSIONS OF COOPERATIVE LEARNING, **Monica Iuliana Anca PhD**, University 1 Decembrie, 1918, Alba-Iulia

Session 3

** UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 203*

Moderators: **Alina COSTIN, PhD**

Remus RUNCAN, PhD

- ✓ RESILIENCE IN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SURVIVORS, **Remus Runcan PhD.**, „Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad, **Patricia Runcan PhD.**, West University of Timisoara, **Marici Marius PhD.**, Stefan cel Mare University, Suceava
- ✓ APPROACHING THE FEUERSTEIN METHOD THROUGH SELF-DETERMINATION THEORY IN THE CONTEXT OF SOCIAL INCLUSION OF ADOLESCENTS WITH AUTISTIC DISORDER, **Belinger Ana (Ciobotariu), PhD. student, Mihaela Gavrilă-Ardelean PhD**, Interdisciplinary Doctoral School, Social Work, ”Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad
- ✓ SOCIAL INTEGRATION OF PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES, **Mariş Anita Larisa, PhD. Student, Mihaela Gavrilă-Ardelean PhD**, Interdisciplinary Doctoral School, Social Work, ”Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad
- ✓ EDUCATION AS A TOOL FOR IMPROVING TRANSVERSAL COMPETENCES IN THE FIELD OF SOCIAL WORK, **Alina Costin PhD.**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ IMPROVING QUALITY OF LIFE THROUGH VIRTUAL REALITY: EMOTIONAL REGULATION IN ADULTS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES USING THE LIMINAL VR PLATFORM, **Motorca Mihaela Camelia (Gherghel), PhD. student, Mihaela Gavrilă-Ardelean PhD**, Interdisciplinary Doctoral School, Social Work, ”Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad

17.30-18.30

Workshop 1

** UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 228\online*

Moderators: **Otilia TODOR, PhD**

Tiberiu DUGHİ, PhD

***The Feuerstein Instrumental Enrichment Program – a Support Tool in Learning
Programul de îmbogăţire instrumentală Fuerstein- instrument suport în învăţare***



17.30-18.30	<p>Workshop 2 <i>* UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 18</i></p> <p>Moderator: Alina ROMAN, PhD Ruxandra HOSSU, PhD student</p> <p><i>Creating a Metacognitive Culture in the Classroom</i> <i>Crearea unei culturi metacognitive în sala de clasă</i></p>
19.00	DINNER
SATURDAY, 16TH OF NOVEMBER 2024	
09.00-11.30	PARALLEL SESSIONS
<p>Session 1 <i>* UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 204</i></p> <p>Moderators: Dana DUGHİ, PhD Adela REDEȘ, PhD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ CONTINUOUS TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION, Ramona Radut-Taciu PhD., Olga Chiș PhD., Luciana Truța PhD., Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, Ana Maria Toma PhD., Educators' Community Association of Sibiu ✓ MENTORING IN EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND RESEARCH: PARADIGMS, THEORETICAL AND PRACTICAL RESEARCH DIRECTIONS, SCIENTIFIC AND INSTITUTIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS OF ARCE (ROMANIAN ASSOCIATION FOR RESEARCH IN EDUCATION), Mușata Dacia BOCOȘ, PhD, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, Mihaela-Gabriela NEACȘU, PhD, National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA Bucharest, Pitești University Centre, Diana-Crina MARIN, PhD National Academy of Music "Gheorghe Dima" ✓ THE USE OF AI IN THE EDUCATION OF CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS (SEN), Marius Tepelea PhD, Karla Barth PhD., University of Oradea, Romania ✓ THE MANAGEMENT OF THE LAST GENERATION DIDACTIC MEANS IN THE TEACHING-LEARNING-EVALUATION OF HISTORY: SAMSUNG FLIP PRO INTERACTIVE DISPLAY, Cuc Sorin PhD., Florescu Cristina PhD., University of Oradea, Romania ✓ CREATIVE AND COLLABORATIVE LEARNING EXPERIENCES THROUGH THE USE OF DIGITAL TOOLS, Nițulescu Lavinia PhD, Pîrciu Pavelina PhD Student, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, University Center of Reșița ✓ PROGRAMS AND SUPPORT SERVICES NECESSARY FOR MAINTAINING AND ADVANCING THE TEACHING CAREER OF PRE-UNIVERSITY TEACHERS, Gianina Prodan PhD., Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, University Center of Reșița ✓ IDENTIFICATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF DECISION-MAKING MECHANISMS AT THE SCHOOL ORGANIZATION LEVEL, Anca Egerău PhD, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad, ✓ THE ROLE OF DEVELOPING FUNDAMENTAL TEACHING SKILLS TO ENSURE THE QUALITY OF EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES, Larisa Chițu, teacher, National College "Preparandia - Dimitrie Țichindeal" Arad 	



- ✓ DEVELOPING TEACHING SKILLS FOR INNOVATIVE METHODS SPECIFIC TO STEAM EDUCATION IN STUDENTS, FUTURE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATORS, **Țifrea Doina PhD student**, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca
- ✓ DEVELOPING LANGUAGE SKILLS - CURRENT TRENDS AND STRATEGIES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD AND SCHOOL EDUCATION, **Dana Dughi PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ MEANS OF TRANSFORMATION OF TRADITIONAL TEACHING METHODS AND INNOVATION FOSTERING THROUGH OUTDOOR EDUCATION, **Henrietta Torkos PhD.**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP AND SCHOOL MANAGEMENT IN TIMES OF UNCERTAINTY. ADAPTING TO NEW EDUCATIONAL CHALLENGES, **Editha Coșarbă, PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ INNOVATIVE STRATEGIES FOR DEVELOPING TEACHERS TRANSVERSAL SKILLS FOR A SUSTAINABLE EDUCATION, **Adela Redeș PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ FORMATIVE ASSESSMENT AS A CHALLENGE IN UNIVERSITY EDUCATION, **Felea Maria Iulia PhD student**, „Babeș-Bolyai” University of Cluj-Napoca”, „1 Decembrie 1918” University of Alba Iulia

Session 2

* UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 124

Moderators: **Gabriela VANCU, PhD**
Roxana CHIȘ, PhD

- ✓ INTEGRATING STUDENTS' LIFE STORIES INTO LESSONS TO DEVELOP BEHAVIORAL SKILLS, **Chiș-Toia Dorina PhD**, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, University Center of Reșița
- ✓ ASSERTIVE COMMUNICATION TO FUTURE TEACHERS, **Dughi Tiberiu PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad, **Elena Mirela Samfira PhD**, USVT, Timișoara
- ✓ TELEWORK STRATEGIES AND LIFE SATISFACTION AMONG TEACHERS: A MACHINE LEARNING APPROACH TO UNDERSTANDING REMOTE WORK IMPACT IN EDUCATION, **Gavril Rad PhD., Dana Rad PhD.**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ THE CORRELATION BETWEEN METACOGNITIVE AWARENESS OF READING STRATEGIES AND ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE AMONG STUDENTS, **Hossu Rucsandra PhD student, Alina Roman PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ DEVELOPMENT OF STRATEGIC THINKING FOR TEACHING STAFF INVOLVED IN ERASMUS PROJECTS, **Adriana Silvica Lefter**, School Elena Doamna, Tecuci, Romania,
- ✓ DEVELOPING ASSERTIVE COMMUNICATION IN PRESCHOOLERS: TECHNIQUES AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES, **Ignat Sonia PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad, **Szikszai Anita**, Kindergarden PP 8 Arad
- ✓ MACHINE LEARNING AND LEARNING ORGANIZATIONS: ENHANCING ORGANIZATIONAL LEARNING IN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, **Dana Rad PhD., Gavril Rad PhD.**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ PHILOSOPHICAL PERSPECTIVES ON CONSTRUCTIVIST VEIWS OF LEARNING, **Roman Regis PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ THE EFFICIENCY OF PEER MENTORING IN DEVELOPING COLLABORATION AND TEAMWORK SKILLS, **Evelina Balaș PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ USING CHAT GPT ON EDUCATION: BENEFITS, RISKS AND LIMITS, **Maria Sinaci PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ THE ROLE OF GROUP DYNAMICS AND SOCIAL INFLUENCE IN CURRENT EDUCATIONAL TRENDS, **Roxana Chiș PhD.**, „Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad



- ✓ PROCRASTINATION IN EDUCATIONAL CONTEXTS: IMPLICATIONS FOR STUDENT DEVELOPMENT AND SUPPORT STRATEGIES, **Maria Alexandra Opriş PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ INTEGRATING COMPUTER-AIDED GRAPHICS IN EDUCATION TO PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE BEHAVIORS: INNOVATIVE APPROACHES AND CONTEMPORARY TRENDS, **Chiş Sabin PhD.**, „Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad

Session 3

** UAV Arad, Complex M, Room 203*

Moderators:., **Ovidiu TODERICI, PhD**
Mihaela GAVRILĂ-ARDELEAN, PhD

- ✓ GERONTOLOGICAL SOCIAL WORK PRACTICES IN RESIDENTIAL CENTERS, **Alina Maria Breaz, PhD**, „Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad
- ✓ LOGOS AND IMAGO IN SOCIAL WORK, **Liliana Bran, PhD**, „Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad
- ✓ THE FAMILY AS A PROTECTIVE AND RISK FACTOR FOR MENTAL HEALTH: AN ANALYSIS OF FAMILY DYNAMICS, **Alina Costin, PhD**, „Aurel Vlaicu” University of Arad
- ✓ SOCIOLOGICAL DIMENSIONS OF INNOVATION AND TRANSFORMATION IN CONTEMPORARY EDUCATION, **Cătălin-Iulian Drăgan PhD student**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad
- ✓ THE ROLE OF THE SCHOOL SOCIAL WORKER IN PREVENTING ADDICTION, **Adelia Furdui (Florea) PhD student**, West University of Timisoara
- ✓ EDUCATION FOR DIVERSITY: SOCIOLOGICAL AND INTERCULTURAL PERSPECTIVES ON INCLUSION IN SCHOOLS, **Denisa Ramina Chasciar, PhD student**, Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, **Vasile Chasciar, PhD student**, University of Craiova
- ✓ PERSPECTIVES ON INCLUSION. MINI RESEARCH CARRIED OUT WITHIN THE TRAINING PROGRAM „EDUCATION IN THE SCHOOL FOR ALL”, **Elena Maria Ungureanu (Erdeli) PhD student**, Babeş- Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, **Alina Roman PhD**, Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad

11.30-12.00

CONFERENCE CLOSING CONCLUSIONS

** UAV Arad, Complex M, Conference hall*