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Personal information

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Nationality Romanian
Date of birth 31 January 1970
Gender Female

Work experience

Dates **2009 – present**
Occupation or position held Director E-Learning Center (CEL)
Main activities and responsibilities General co-ordination and management of CEL
Academic, research, development and strategic development activities, quality assurance, distance education policies and strategies, evaluation and monitoring of educational activities
Planning, design, development supervision, evaluation of the Virtual Campus of UPT – www.cv.upt.ro
Research in the area of e-learning and blended learning with a focus on OERs, MOOCs, virtual mobility
Supervision of course production, development of educational policies for course structures at all educational levels
Design and development of ViCaDiS www.vicadis.net
Co-ordination of EU Projects (projects in List of projects)
Design, planning, development, coordination, monitoring, implementation of the Romanian MOOC UniCampus www.unicampus.ro
Name and address of employer CEL - Center for E-Learning, Politehnica University of Timisoara, Bul. Parvan, nr. 2, 300223 Timisoara, Romania
Type of business or sector Higher education
Dates **1997 – present**
Occupation or position held Associate Lecturer (1997 – 2004), Associate Professor (2009 – present)
Main activities and responsibilities Teaching “Development of Multimedia Applications”, “Multimedia Technologies”, “Journalism”, “E-commerce – applications and implementation”, “Web 2.0 Technologies”, “Interactivity and Usability”, “Advanced Multimedia Technologies”, “Instructional Technologies” - courses at Bachelor and Master level
Teaching “Multimedia Technologies” at distance education studies. Teaching ICT courses at postgraduate level and lifelong learning
Name and address of employer Department of Communications, Faculty of Electronics and Telecommunications Engineering, Politehnica University of Timisoara, Bul. Parvan, nr. 2, 300223 Timisoara, Romania
Type of business or sector Higher education
Dates **2004 – 2009**
Occupation or position held Teaching Assistant and Researcher
Main activities and responsibilities Project assistant for the “CI131 Introduction to Web Design” – undergraduate course

	Teaching and subject leader for the "CI221 Time Based Media" – undergraduate course Project work for "e-learning Technologies" – MA course. Software development for university learning management system
Name and address of employer	Computers Mathematics and Information Sciences School, Brighton University, UK
Type of business or sector	Higher education
Dates	1994 – 2004
Occupation or position held	Programme Manager / Chief-Editor
Main activities and responsibilities	General co-ordination of TeleUniversity TV TV Programme co-ordination, producing daily 2 hours of regional broadcasting television with reports, news, documentaries and educational, cultural programs TV producer, reporter, digital editing
Name and address of employer	"Teleuniversity" Television in Timisoara, Bul. Parvan, nr. 2, 300223 Timisoara, Romania
Type of business or sector	Media
Dates	1996-2004
Occupation or position held	Associate lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Teaching "Communication" course for undergraduates.
Name and address of employer	Journalism Department, West University of Timisoara, Romania
Type of business or sector	Higher education
Dates	1995 - 2003
Occupation or position held	Administrator
Main activities and responsibilities	General management and administration of EU projects
Name and address of employer	TEMPUS PHARE Programs DRUM (S-JEP 09838/95), TEMIS (S-JEP 12086/97), Socrates Erasmus and Leonardo da Vinci programmes
Type of business or sector	Research & development
Dates	June 2000
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures and module leader in "How to develop an open distance education course"
Name and address of employer	UCLAN, UK
Type of business or sector	Higher education
Dates	March 2002
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures and module leader in "How to develop an open distance education course"
Name and address of employer	University of Athens, Greece
Type of business or sector	Higher education
Dates	April 2000, March 2001
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures and module leader in "Educational Technology" for Internet Environment specialization
Name and address of employer	Oulu Institute of Technology, Oulu, Finland
Type of business or sector	Higher education
Dates	May-June 2000
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures in "Multimedia Applications" – undergraduate course
Name and address of employer	University of Central Lancashire, Preston, UK
Type of business or sector	Higher education

Dates	October – December 1998
Occupation or position held	Lecturer
Main activities and responsibilities	Lectures and module leader in “Multimedia Interactive Communication”
Name and address of employer	Bilston Community College, UK
Type of business or sector	Tertiary education
Dates	1993-1994
Occupation or position held	News reporter and producer
Main activities and responsibilities	Reports on technology, community development subjects with filming, reporting, editing
Name and address of employer	“Samtel” Local Television, Satu-Mare
Type of business or sector	media
Dates	1990-1992
Occupation or position held	Research assistant
Main activities and responsibilities	Programming and computer engineering design
Name and address of employer	Robots Research Group, Technical University of Timisoara, Romania
Type of business or sector	Research & development
Education and training	
Dates	2004 – 2011
Title of qualification awarded	Doctor of Philosophy
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Major in Computer Science, Interdisciplinary in E-learning, Media and Management, with full scholarship Thesis: “Designing eLearning Spaces for Higher Education Students of the Digital Generation”
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	School of Computing, Mathematical and Information Sciences, University of Brighton, UK
Level in national or international classification	PhD degree
Dates	2001 - 2003
Title of qualification awarded	MA in European Studies (grades 9.91), European Expert
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	European Studies, Political Sciences Thesis: Impact of the European Projects on the Restructuration of the Educational Systems in the CEE Countries, in the View of European Integration
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	School of High Comparative European Studies, West University of Timisoara, Romania
Level in national or international classification	Master of Arts
Dates	2000 (4 months)
Title of qualification awarded	
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Project area: Information
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	International Women University, Hannover-Hamburg
Level in national or international classification	Postgraduate studies
Dates	1999 (9 months)
Title of qualification awarded	
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Postgraduate distance education course “Learning about Open Learning”
Name and type of organisation providing	Herriot-Watt University, Edinburgh, UK

education and training	
Level in national or international classification	Postgraduate studies
Dates	1996
Title of qualification awarded	Master of Science degree (grades 10)
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Specialisation "Flexible Robotic Systems with Artificial Intelligence"
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Politehnica University of Timisoara, Romania
Level in national or international classification	Master of Science degree, MSc
Dates	1994 - 1995
Title of qualification awarded	Journalism diploma
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	News producer
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	BBC School of Journalism & the Theatre and Film Academy in Bucharest
Level in national or international classification	Postgraduate studies
Dates	1994
Title of qualification awarded	License in Engineering (grades 9.21), Dipl. Eng.
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Specialization "Peripherals and Industrial Robots"
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Technical University of Timisoara, Romania
Level in national or international classification	Bachelor degree

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s) **Romanian**

Other language(s)

Self-assessment
European level ()*

English

French

Italian

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user	C2	Proficient user
C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	C1	Proficient user	B1	Proficient user	B1	Proficient user
B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	B1	Independent user	A2	Basic user

(*) [Common European Framework of Reference for Languages](#)

Professional affiliations

EDEN – European Distance and E-learning Network; **Member of the EDEN Executive Committee**, since 2014

IEEE Education Society

IEEE Computer Society, member in Technical Committee of Learning Technologies

EATA – European Association for Telematics Applications

AACE - Association for the Advancement of Computing in Education

IADIS – International Association for Development of Information Society

IAFES – International Association for e-Science (founding member)

ASLERD - Association for Smart Learning Environments and Regional Development (founding member)

Smart City Association

Coalitia Resurselor Educationale Deschise din Romania (Open Educational Resources Coalition from Romania)

The Research Group of European Integration, Romanian Academy - Timis branch
Romanian Press Association

Professional awards

EDEN Fellow, since 2012 (European Distance and E-learning Network)

OUTSTANDING PAPER AWARD, European MOOCs Stakeholders Summit on experiences and best practices in and around MOOCs, EMOOCS 2016, Graz, Austria, 22-24 February 2016, for the paper – Vlad Mihaescu, Diana Andone, Radu Vasii: *An Analysis of Different MOOC Environments from the Students' Perspective*

BEST PAPER AWARD, 12th IEEE International Conference on Advanced Learning Technologies ICALT 2012, Rome, Italia, 4-6 July 2012, for the paper - Diana Andone, Radu Vasii: *Devising ICT in Engineering Education Based on the University Academia Expectations*

DISTINGUISHED PAPER AWARD, 26th Information Systems Educators Conference ISECON 2009, Washington DC, USA, 5-8 Nov. 2009, for the paper - Frydenberg Mark, Andone Diana: *Two Screens and an Ocean: Collaborating Across Continents and Cultures with Web-Based Tools*

BEST PAPER AWARD, 6th International Conference on Networking Entities, NETTIES 2000, Oulu, Finland, March 2000, for the paper - David Evans, Radu Vasii, Diana Andone: *Online Learning in Romania - International Co-operation through Information and Communications Technology*

OUTSTANDING PAPER AWARD, AACE World Conference on E-Learning in Corporate, Government, Healthcare & Higher Education, E-Learn 2008, 17-21 Nov. 2008, Las Vegas, Nevada, USA, for the paper - Andone Diana, Dron Jon, Pemberton Lyn: *The Usability of DIMPLE - Digital Internet and Mobile Phone e-Learning Environment*

BEST PRACTICAL PAPER, IADIS International Conference on e-Learning (part of IADIS Multi Conference on Computer Science and Information Systems), Amsterdam, Netherlands, 25-27 July 2008, for the paper - Andone Diana: *Web 2.0 Technologies for Digital Students*

OUTSTANDING PAPER AWARD, IADIS International Conference "Cognition and exploratory Learning in Digital Age" CELDA 2007, Algarve, Portugal, 7-9 Dec 2007, for the paper - Andone Diana, Dron Jon, Pemberton Lyn: *Evaluation of the Digital Students and DIMPLE*

2006, 2007 Outstanding Research Award, University of Brighton, UK

2006 – Jubilee Certificate awarded by EDEN - European Distance and E-learning Network, for outstanding performance during the 15 years of association's activity

Professional exchanges

Invited professor (for periods from 2 weeks to 3 months):

- July 2015 – Universita degli Studi di Palermo, Italy
- June 2014 - Oulu University of Applied Sciences, Finland
- July-August 2013 – St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences, Austria
- June 2013 – Bonch-Bruевич St-Petersburg State University of Telecommunications, Russia
- June 2012 – University of Brighton, UK
- November 2011 – University of Brighton, UK
- May 2011 – Oulu Polytechnic, Institute of Technology, Finland
- September 2010 – Universita degli Studi di Palermo, Italy
- May 2010 – University of Applied Sciences Salzburg, Austria
- June 2009 – Universita degli Studi di Palermo, Italy
- May 2009 – Oulu Polytechnic, Institute of Technology, Finland
- May 2008 – Universita degli Studi di Palermo, Italy
- June 2008 – Fachhochschule St. Pölten, Austria
- June 2007 – Universita degli Studi di Palermo, Italy
- May 2007 – Université de LaRochelle, France
- April 2006 – Universita degli Studi di Palermo, Italy
- May 2005 – Oulu Polytechnic, Institute of Technology, Finland
- October-November 2003 – University of Central Lancashire, Preston, UK
- April-May 2003 – Technological Education Institute of Piraeus, Athens, Greece
- June 2002 – I.U.T. de Nice et de la Côte d'Azur, France
- March 2002 – Technological Education Institute of Piraeus, Athens, Greece
- May 2001 – I.U.T. de Nice et de la Côte d'Azur, France
- May 2001 – University of Central Lancashire, Preston, UK
- March-April 2000 – Oulu Polytechnic, Institute of Technology, Finland

Social skills and competences	Member in Rotary International, Club Secretary in 2015, Assistant Governor in 2013 Member of the Board "Pentru Voi" Foundation for People with Intellectual Disabilities, since 2005 Active community work and fundraising
Organisational skills and competences	Organizational and team building skills, capacity to work in a group; Leader and team work in international and multi-cultural environment; Good communication skills, presentation and public speaking skills; Co-operating with NGOs in democracy, charity, public relations and cultural projects; Management of European and International Projects: managed 8 EU projects (Tempus, Phare, Socrates, LLP), managed 3 Structural Funding projects and contact person in other 14 international projects); Promoting Open Educational Resources (OER), Open Knowledge (OKF) and Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs); 2012 – 2015: Co-organizer of Timisoara Start-Up Weekend 2012-2015; Co-organizer of HackTM 2014, 2015, 2016 and Open Culture Hackathon 2015, The biggest hackathon in SSE Europe November 2014, focus on Smart City, Culture & Open Data
Technical skills and competences	Academic experience in computer science, journalism, multimedia. Research experience in e-Learning, lifelong learning, multimedia, instructional design, web 2.0 technologies. Producing Video programs, organizational and creative skills for video and television Producing, managing and tutoring e-learning, blended learning and adult learning courses; Development of on-line educational platforms (experience with Moodle). Very good skills with Very good computer skills, office and web software, graphics (Adobe), multimedia and web design, non-linear video editing.
Other competences	2013 – 2015: Expert for ICDE - International Council for Distance Education and UNESCO Institute for Lifelong Learning (IDEAL project) 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 Organizing Open Education Workshops as part of the Open Education Week 2013- present: Supporting the Timisoara Creative Industries and Start-up Hub (workshops, presentations, meet-ups) 2013- present: Timisoara 2021 Candidacy for European Capital of Culture Task Force (project works, digital culture project and Interactive Light Festival) 2004 – present: reviewer for more then 20 international conferences and 3 scientific journals 1998 – present: organizing 12 international conferences and workshops
Driving licence	Driving license, type B
Additional information	17 books, 10 book chapters, over 80 papers in journals and international conferences, editor of 2 conference proceedings books
Annexes	List of papers, List of projects

PUBLISHING LIST

Dr. DIANA MARIA ANDONE

17 books, 10 book chapters and over 80 papers in journals and international conferences, editor of 2 conference proceedings. Most recent:

BOOKS:

1. Bogdan Patrut, Diana Andone, Carmen Holotescu, Gabriela Grosseck (Editors): *International Proceedings of SMART 2014 International Conference - Social Media in Academia: Research and Teaching*, 18-21 Sept 2014, Timisoara, Medimond Publishing, 2015, 450 pages, ISBN 978-88-7587-712-5
2. Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, Vlad Mihaescu, Radu Ticiu, *Antreprenoriat si inovatii digitale pentru mediul de afaceri*, Editura U.T.Press, Cluj-Napoca, 2013, 177 pag, ISBN 978-973-662-894-8
3. Diana Andone, Bogdan Dragulescu, Radu VasIU, *E-Guvernare pentru cetateni*, Editura U.T.Press, Cluj-Napoca, 2013, 86 pag, ISBN 978-973-662-897-9
4. Diana Andone, Bogdan Orza, Serban Meza (coord.), *Tehnologii si instrumente avansate de comunicare TIC in procesul educational. Planul de cariera a cadrului didactic – Modul 6 DidaTec*, Editura U.T.Press, Cluj-Napoca, 2013, 58 pag, ISBN 978-973-662-860-3
5. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, Iasmina Ermalai, Vlad Mihaescu, Silviu Vert, Bogdan Dragulescu, Daniel Ivanc, *Tehnologii Web 2.0*, Editura U.T.Press, Cluj-Napoca, 2012, 275 pag, ISBN 978-973-662-770-5
6. Diana Andone, *Designing eLearning Spaces for Higher Education Students of the Digital Generation*, PhD Thesis, University of Brighton, UK, 2011, 220 pag. (British Library)
7. Muguras Mocofan, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, Iasmina Ermalai, Mihai Onita: *Tehnici informationale si de comunicare – avansati*, Editura Academiei Oamenilor de Stiinta din Romania, Bucuresti, 2011, ISBN 978-606-8371-58-0, 82 pag.
8. Muguras Mocofan, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone: *Introduce in tehnologii multimedia*, Editura Academiei Oamenilor de Stiinta din Romania, Bucuresti, 2011, ISBN 978-606-8371-59-7, 75 pag.
9. Nicolae Robu, Radu VasIU, Cristian Tzecu, Diana Andone (Ed.): *Universitatea "Politehnica" din Timisoara. Aniversarea a 90 ani / 90th Anniversary*, Editura Politehnica, Timisoara, 2010, 229 pages, ISBN 978-606-554-224-2
10. Nicolae Robu, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, Cristian Tzecu: *Universitatea "Politehnica" din Timisoara la 90 ani / at 90 years. Monografie / Monography*, Editura Politehnica, Timisoara, 2010, 172 pages, ISBN 978-606-554-199-3
11. Bebo White, Pedro Isaias, Diana Andone (Editors): *Proceedings of the IADIS International Conference on WWW/Internet 2010*, IADIS Press, 2010, 435 pages, ISBN 978-972-8939-25-0
12. Radu VasIU, Diana Andone (Ed.): *ViCaDiS – Virtual Campus for Digital Students. Set of Guidelines*, Editura Politehnica, Timisoara, 2009, 187 pages, ISBN 978-606-554-061-3
13. Radu VasIU, Corneliu Toma, Diana Andone: *Amintiri despre Multimedia / Memories of Multimedia*, Editura Politehnica, Timisoara, 2009, 106 pages, ISBN 978-973-625-965-4
14. Risto Kimari, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone (Editors), *Proceedings of the 12th International Conference NETTIES (Networking Entities) 2006 "The Future of E: Advanced Educational Technologies for a Future e-Europe"*, Orizonturi Universitare, 2006, 286 pages, ISBN 978-973-638-262-8
15. Diana Andone, Mugur Mocofan, *Dezvoltarea aplicatiilor multimedia – Curs pentru invatamant deschis la distanta*, Centrul de Multiplicare UPT, Timisoara, 2006, 148 pag.

16. Diana Andone, *Dezvoltarea aplicatiilor multimedia*, Editura Orizonturi Universitare, Timisoara, 2003, 147 pag., ISBN 973-638-067-X
17. Diana Andone, *Publicistica de televiziune multimedia – Curs pentru invatamant deschis la distanta*, Centrul de Multiplicare UPT, Timisoara, 2003, 135 pag.

BOOK CHAPTERS:

1. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, *MOOCs in Higher Education - Flipped Classroom or A New Smart Learning Model?*, pp. 303-307, chapter in "State-of-the-Art and Future Directions of Smart Learning" (eds. Yanyan Li, Maiga Chang, Milos Kravcik, Elvira Popescu, Ronghuai Huang, Kinshuk, Nian-Shing Chen), series Lecture Notes in Educational Technology, series ISSN 2196-4963, doi: 10.1007/978-981-287-868-7_37, ISBN 978-981-287-866-3, e-ISBN 978-981-287-868-7, Springer Singapore, 2016, 503 pag.
2. Diana Andone, Iasmina ERMALAI, Dan Ivanc, *Cautarea avansata a informatiei utilizand unelte TIC. Instrumente avansate de editare a continutului. Transpunerea grafica a textului, ecuatiilor, graficelor, imaginilor*, chapter in Aurel Vlaicu, Bogdan Orza, Serban Meza, Laura Grindei (coord.), *Proiectarea si dezvoltarea cursurilor si materialelor educationale pentru stiintele ingineresti utilizand tehnici si tehnologii modern (TIC) – Modul 3 DidaTec*, Editura U.T.Press, Cluj-Napoca, 2012, 80 pag, ISBN 978-973-662-695-1
3. Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, *Ideas and Concepts of ViCaDiS – A Virtual Learning Environment for Digital Students*, chapter in *Multiple Perspectives on Problem Solving and Learning in the Digital Age*, Eds. D. Ifenthaler, P. Isaias, J. M. Spector, Kinshuk, D. Sampson, Springer New York, 2011, 398 pages, pp. 359-376, ISBN 978-1-4419-7611-6, E-ISBN 978-1-4419-7612-3, doi: 10.1007/978-1-4419-7612-3_23
4. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, Marian Bucos, *The Development of the "Politehnica" University of Timisoara Distance Learning Web Portal*, chapter in "IT, Knowledge, Education, Cooperation and Collaboration", Ed.: Johann Guenther, University of the Danube, Krems, Austria, 2004, EATA Press
5. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, Marian Bucos, Artur Muller, Flavius Raicovici, *Experiences in Developing Multimedia Application for People with Disabilities*, chapter in "IT, Knowledge, Education, Cooperation and Collaboration", Ed.: Johann Guenther, University of the Danube, Krems, Austria, 2004, EATA Press
6. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, Nicolae Robu, *Experiences in Developing ICT-tools for Web-based Training*, chapter in "Computers and Advanced Technology in Education", Ed: Vladimir Uskov, Bradley Univ. SUA, pp. 565-570, ISBN 0-88986-361-X, ISSN 1482-7905, ACTA Press, Anaheim, Calgary, Zurich, 2003
7. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, Dan Marincu, Flavius Raicovici, *Development of the European Key Competences IT Testing Tool*, chapter in "Technologies for the Future", Eds: S. Katsikides, J. Guenther, G. Zeibekakis, R. Kimari, University of Cyprus, Limassol, Cyprus, 2003, pp. 109-119, EATA Press
8. Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, *Invatamantul la distanta on-line: tehnologie, metodologie, avantaje, constrangeri*, capitol in *Impactul programului Tempus asupra dezvoltarii educatiei continue si invatamantului la distanta in universitatile din Romania*, Editura Ars Docendi, Sibiu, 2001, pp. 108-115, ISBN: 973-8118-37-9
9. Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, David Evans, *Online Learning in Romania – International Co-operation through Information and Communications Technology*, chapter in "The Best Practices in the Information Society", Ed: Risto Kimari, Oulu Polytechnic, Finland, 2000, pp. 79-83, ISBN 951-597-016-4, EATA Press

10. Corneliu Toma, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, Dan Pescaru, *The open Access Multimedia Learning Centre and its Role in Introducing Flexible Education Methods*, chapter in "Universities in their Social and Economical Environment", European Tempus Office, 1998, pp. 80-85

CONFERENCE PAPERS:

1. Vlad Mihaescu, Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, *An Analysis of Different MOOC Environments from the Students' Perspective*, Proceedings of the European MOOCs Stakeholders Summit on experiences and best practices in and around MOOCs (EMOOCs 2016), February 22-24, 2016, Graz, Austria, ISBN 978-373-923710-7, pp. 417-424, OUTSTANDING PAPER AWARD
2. Renate Simion, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, *The Impact of Image Based Web Technologies in Educational Communication*, 10th International Conference on Virtual Learning, ICVL 2015, 31 October 2015, Timisoara, Romania, ISSN 1844-8933, pp. 308-314
3. Diana Andone, Andrei Ternauciu, *A Continuous Development Strategy for a Higher Education Virtual Campus*, 10th International Conference on Virtual Learning, ICVL 2015, 31 October 2015, Timisoara, Romania, ISSN 1844-8933, pp. 359-362
4. Diana Andone, Vlad Mihaescu, Radu VasIU, *Using MOOCs within Traditional Courses: Students' Perspective*, World Conference on E-Learning, E-Learn 2015, Kona, Hawaii, 19-22 October 2015
5. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, *MOOCs in Higher Education - Flipped Classroom or a New Smart Learning Model?*, 2nd International Conference on Smart Learning Environments ICSLE 2015, September 23-25, 2015, Sinaia, Romania, in "State-of-the-Art and Future Directions of Smart Learning, series Lecture Notes in Educational Technology, Springer Singapore, ISBN 978-981-287-866-3, ISSN 2196-4963, pp. 303-307
6. Carlo Giovanella, Diana Andone, Mihai Dascalu, Elvira Popescu, Matthias Rehm, Giuseppe Roccasalva, *Smartness of Learning Ecosystems and its bottom-up emergence in six European Campuses*, International Conference on Technology Enhanced Learning, Smart Learning Ecosystems in Smart Regions and Cities (EC-TEL 2015), Toledo, Spain, Sept 2015, 12 pages
7. Mark Frydenberg, Diana Andone, *Social Media, Online Collaboration and Mobile Devices: Tools for Demonstrating Digital Literacy*, World Conference on Educational Media and Technology 2015, EdMedia, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, 22-25 June 2015, pp. 6-15, ISBN 978-1-939797-16-2
8. Diana Andone, Mark Frydenberg, *International Virtual Mobilities for Opening Up Education*, EDEN 2015 International Annual Conference "Expanding Learning Scenarios. Opening Out the Educational Landscape", Barcelona, Spain, 9-12 June 2015, ISBN 978-615-5511-02-8, pp. 124
9. Diana Andone, Vlad Mihaescu, Andrei Ternauciu, Radu VasIU, *Integrating MOOCs in Traditional Higher Education*, eMOOCs 2015, European Stakeholders Summit on Experiences and Best Practices in and around MOOCs, 18-20 May 2015, Mons, Belgium, pp 71-75 .
10. Perifanou M., Carmen Holotescu, Diana Andone, Gabriela Grosseck, *Exploring OERs and MOOCs for Learning of EU Languages*, International Conference Social Media in Academia: Research and Teaching, SMART 2014, sept. 2014, Medimont Publ. House, Bologna, Italy, ISBN 978-88-7587-712-5
11. Diana Andone, *Becoming Creative Creators and Entrepreneurs: Simulating a Global Workplace through Virtual Mobility*, Online Educa 2014, 03-05 December 2014, Berlin, Germany, 3 pages
12. Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, *OERs and MOOCs – the Romanian Experience*, IEEE International Conference on Web and Open Access to Learning, ICWOAL '2014, 25-27 November 2014, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, ISBN 978-1-4799-5739-2
13. Diana Andone, Carmen Holotescu, Gabriela Grosseck, *Learning Communities in Smart Cities. Case Studies*, International Conference on Web and Open Access to Learning, ICWOAL '2014, 25-27 November 2014, Dubai, United Arab Emirates, ISBN 978-1-4799-5739-2

14. Vlad Mihaescu, Radu VasIU, Diana Andone, *Developing a MOOC: The Romanian Experience*, 13th European Conference on e-Learning ECEL-2014, Aalborg University Copenhagen Denmark, 30-31 October 2014, ISBN 978-1-910309-69-8, ISSN 2048-8645, pp. 339-346
15. Mark Frydenberg, Diana Andone, *Developing Digital Literacy Skills through Interactive Images, Multimedia Mashups, and Global Groups*, ICALT 2014, the 14th IEEE International Conference on Advanced Learning Technologies, Athens, Greece, 7-9 July 2014, pp. 632-633, ISBN 978-1-4799-4038-7
16. Diana Andone, Mark Frydenberg, *Becoming Creative Creators: Simulating a Global Workplace Using Computational Thinking Practices*, EdMedia 2014, World Conference On Educational Media & Technology, Tampere, Finland, June 23-26, pp 564-571, AACE, 2014 ISBN 978-1-939797-08-7
17. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU, Mihai Onita, *Virtual Practical Training in Engineering Fields*, 2014 EDEN Annual Conference "From Education to Employment and Meaningful Work with ICTs", Zagreb, Croatia, 10-13 June 2014, 5 pages, CD version
18. Diana Andone, *Micro-projects for Simulating Working at Global Level*, International Conference on Ubiquitous Learning: Opportunities-Challenges-Strategies, UNESCO UNITWIN Serial International Training Workshops, Shanghai, China, 30-31 May 2014
19. Mark Frydenberg, Diana Andone, *ToolBox 2.0: Web-Based OER for Connectivism Learning*, 10th International Scientific Conference "eLearning and Software for Education", ELSE 2014, Bucharest, April 2014, Vol. 1, pp. 223-230, ISSN 2066-026X, e-ISSN 2066-8821
20. Silviu Vert, Diana Andone, *Open Educational Resources in the Context of the Linked Data Web*, 10th International Scientific Conference "eLearning and Software for Education", ELSE 2014, Vol. 1, pp. 304-310, ISSN 2066-026X, e-ISSN 2066-8821
21. Diana Andone, Radu VasIU: *Devising ICT in Engineering Education Based on the University Academia Expectations*, Proceedings of the 11th IEEE International Conference on Advanced Learning Technologies ICALT 2012, Rome, Italy, 4-6 July 2012, ISBN 978-0-7695-4702-2 (print), 978-1-4673-1642-2 (CD), pp. 242-243 – **BEST PAPER AWARD**
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3. *Digital Creative Industries in Timisoara*, 3rd International Danube Conference on Culture, 24-26 June 2015, Timisoara, Romania
4. *OER Tools and using OER and MOOCs in Higher Education*, Opening Up Education Workshop, 13 March 2015, Timisoara, Romania
5. *Free Access to Education – Dream or Reality?*, Rotary Regional Vocational Forum, 22 March 2014, Timisoara, Romania
6. *Open Educational resources in Romania*, Keynote speaker, National Conference on Open Education Romania, 14 March 2014, Bucharest, Romania
7. *New Trends in Continuing Education*, Rotary Regional Vocational Forum, November 2013, Sibiu, Romania
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6. *Imbunatatirea Managementului Universitar*, proiect strategic pentru Invatamantul Superior, no. POSDRU/2.1/S/4/2679 (Infiintare Centrul de Competenta in Imbunatatirea Managementului Universitar Timisoara), coordonat de UEFISCSU (2009 – 2011)
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