

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2014- **Lecturer**
Department of International Economic Relations, Bucharest Academy of Economic Studies (ASE)
■ Selected Courses: International Trade, Trade Policy, World Economy, Research Methodology
Business or sector Education
- 2014- **Senior Researcher**
Eurofound (European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions)
■ Senior Researcher in the Romanian national network of correspondents, on the part of the European Institute of Romania (IER)
■ Regular monitoring and reporting
■ Contributions to comparative and thematic work
■ Annual meetings
Business or sector Research
- 2014-2015 **Consultant**
World Bank
■ Short Term Consultant (STC) on the project „Strategy of Decentralization in Romania”
■ Expert Analysis on the evaluation of the overall structure and financing of local government in Romania, and evaluation of the Government’s decentralization strategies
Business or sector Consultancy
- 2014-2015 **Consultant**
GEA Strategy and Consultancy
■ External Expert on the development of the Romanian „Competiveness Operational Program 2014-2020”
■ Development Strategies for Local Public Administrations in Romania
Business or sector Consultancy
- 2010-2014 **Economic consultant**
Volin Consulting
■ Strategy and Development Projects
Business or sector Consultancy
- 2008-2010 **Economic consultant**
EfectSistem
■ Project Management
Business or sector IT and Media Solutions

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

- 2010-(2016) PhD in Political Science, Government Department, London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)
- 2011-2013 PhD in Political Economy, Department of International Economic Relations, Bucharest Academy of Economic Studies (ASE)
- 2009-2011 MBA, Conservatoire National des Arts et Métiers (CNAM), Paris/ National Institute for Economic Development (INDE), Bucharest (double degree)
- 2009-2010 MRes in Political Science, Government Department, LSE
- 2008-2009 MSc in Comparative Politics, Government Department, LSE
- 2005-2008 Bachelor in International Economics, Department of International Economic Relations, Bucharest Academy of Economic Studies (ASE),

Mother tongue	Romanian				
Other languages	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER
French	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER	PROFICIENT USER

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Selected Publications

- Volintiru, C. (2017) Tax Collection without Consent: State Building in Romania. In Sven Steinmo, Leap of Faith: The Fiscal Foundations of Successful Government in Europe and America, Oxford University Press (under review)
- D'Attoma, J., Volintiru, C. and Steinmo, S. (2016). Sharing the Fiscal Burden: Taxes and behavior in Sweden, Britain, Italy and the USA. An experimental approach. (under review)
- Volintiru, C and Buzaşu, C. (2016). Shaping Power of Activist Citizenship: Comparative Assessment of Romania and Ukraine. (under review)
- Volintiru, C and Gherghina, S. 2015. A NEW MODEL OF CLIENTELISM: Political Parties, Public Resources, and Private Contributors. *European Political Science Review* (upcoming), IF 0.816
- Volintiru, C. 2015. The exploitative function of party patronage: does it serve the party's interest?. *East European Politics*, (ahead-of-print), 1-17.
- Volintiru, C & Dămăşaru, C. 2015. Learning the „Look-at-you-go” Moment in Corporate Governance Negotiation Techniques. *European Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies*. 7(1) (upcoming)
- Volintiru, C., & Miron, D. 2015. Business Environment and Creative Industries in Romania. *Amfiteatru Economic* 38(17).
- Darabont, R. et al (2014). Medical tourism in Romania: the case study of cardiovascular rehabilitation in Covasna. *Amfiteatru Economic*, 16(8), 1151-1159. IF 0.838
- Volintiru, Clara, 2014. Managerial Challenges and the Romanian Labour Dynamics in the European Context, *Review of International Comparative Management*, 15(2): 215-225
- Volintiru, Clara, 2013. *Public Funds Management in Romania: Distributive Politics and Political Allocations*, LAP Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany, ISBN 978-3-659-44713-6
- Volintiru, Clara. 2013. Corruption Dimensions in Central and Eastern Europe. In Sergiu Gherghina and Sergiu Miscoiu (eds.) *Democratization and Consolidation in Central and Eastern Europe*. Cluj: Efes Publishing House
- Volintiru, Clara. 2013. Political Clientelism and Democratic Institutions. In Sergiu Gherghina and Sergiu Miscoiu (eds.) *Institutional Democratization and Political Behaviour in Romania*. Iasi: European Institute Publishing House
- Volintiru, Clara, 2013. Effects of Specialisation. In Valentin Cojanu (ed.) *International Trade Handbook*. Bucharest: Economica Publishing House
- Volintiru, Clara, 2013. How Public Spending is Fuelling Electoral Strategies in Romania. *SudostEuropa*, 61(2), ISSN: 0722-480X
- Volintiru, Clara, 2013. *Institutional Framework and Corruption: Evidence from Southeastern Europe*. IBIMA ISI Proceedings, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, March 2013
- Volintiru, C., 2012. The Institutionalisation of the the Romanian Party System, *Sfera Politicii*, Vol 20, Nr. 6 (172), ISSN: 1221-6720
- Volintiru, C., 2012. *Politica monetară a Uniunii Europene*. Ghidul Politicilor Uniunii Europene, No. 1, European Institute of Romania, ISBN online: 978-606-8202-25-9
- Volintiru, C. (2012). Institutional Distorsions, Clientelism and Corruption: Evidence from Romania. CCREI Working Papers Series 1
- Volintiru, C., 2012. Clientelism: Electoral Forms and Functions in the Romanian Case Study, *Romanian Journal of Political Science*, 12(1), ISSN 1582-456X, IF 0.238
- Vasile, V., Tache, I., Volintiru, C. și Tudor, C., 2012, *The analysis of the evolution of EU social policies in the last three years: supplementary/private pensions and the impact of an ageing population*, Strategy and Policy Study No. 4, European Institute of Romania (EIR), ISBN 978-606-8202-23-5
- Volintiru, C., 2011. Economic Integration and Statist Reach: Towards a Holistic Assessment, *Romanian Journal of European Affairs*, 11(1), ISSN 1841- 4273
- Volintiru, C. 2010. The Entrenchment of Clientelistic Practices: Methodological and Conceptual Issues of Transferability. *European Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies*, (2).
- Volintiru, C. (2010). *Towards a Dynamic Model of Terrorist Radicalization*. European Institute of Romania Press
- Darabont, C. 2010. Are Contemporary Wars New?. *Romanian Journal of European Affairs*., 10, 52.

