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EDUCATION

PhD in Sociology (2008)

“Babes-Bolyai” University, Romania. Faculty of Sociology and Social Work

MSc in Evidence Based Social Interventions (2007)

Oxford University, Department of Social Policy and Social Work, Merton College

MA with Merit in Gender Studies (2002)

Central European University, Department of Gender Studies

MA in Inclusive Education (2001)

“Babes-Bolyai” University, Romania, Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences

INDEPENDENT RESEARCH GRANTS

2010/ 2011: Local Government and Public Sector Service Initiative (Open Society Institute/ Budapest)

Fellowship to undertake research on Reintegration Initiatives for Returning Roma Migrants

2007/ 2008: Center for Advanced Study, Sofia.

Shaken Order: Authority and Social Trust in Post-Communist Societies.

Fellowship to undertake the research: “Experiencing social transition at the workplace: Hard to reach youth and their social capital”

2006/ 2007: Foreign and Commonwealth Office, UK

Chevening Scholarship for pursuing an MSc in Evidence Bases Social Interventions.

2006/ 2007: Open Society Institute

International Policy Fellowship. Policy paper: “Combating Roma Child Labor through Education in Romania: Challenges and the Need for Child-centered Roma Policies”.

2004/ 2005: Open Society Institute Europe, Higher Education Support Programme Academic Fellowship Program

Returning Scholar Fellowship for teaching at the Department of Sociology and Social Work, Babes Bolyai University (BBU).

2003/ 2004: Civic Education Project (CEP)

CEP Local Faculty Fellowship for teaching at the Department of Sociology and Social Work, BBU.

EMPLOYMENT

Since 2004: "Babes Bolyai" University, Faculty of Sociology and Social Work. Assistant Professor.

EVALUATION AND CONSULTANCY WORK

2012 - **Public Policy and Management Institute, Vilnius**

External consultant for preparation of technical proposals

2012: **Partnership on Youth between EC and CoE**

Member of the Pool of European Youth Researchers:

- Provision of research advice on youth policy strategies and approaches when requested.
- Convener for the Research seminar "Mobility of young people – Opportunities and obstacles for cross-border volunteering for young people, particularly with fewer opportunities", Strasbourg, 11-14 December 2011.

2011: **The European Youth Foundation**

Contracted evaluator of the Pilot Project Programme of the European Youth Foundation, with particular emphasis on the period 2007-2010.

Presentation of results at the 26th meeting of the Advisory Council on Youth (CCJ).

2009 - 2010: **The Centre for Strategy & Evaluation Services, Kent, UK.**

Evaluator and country expert for the Evaluation of ESF Support for Enhancing Access to the Labour Market and the Social Inclusion of Migrants and Ethnic Minorities (*Provision of evaluation and evaluation related services to DG EMPL, including support for Impact Assessment Activities. VC/2008/481*),

2009: **UNDP and UNIFEM CEE**

Consultant for supporting UNDP Bratislava in completing a Gender Mainstreaming assessment of the National Action Plans for Decade for Roma Inclusion (areas of education, employment, health, and housing).

2008: **Council of Europe and the European Commission**

Individual evaluation study of the research and policy strand of the Partnership on Youth between the CoE and EC.

PRESENTATIONS AND COORDINATION DUTIES IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

(SELECTED LIST)

2011: **CoE/ EC Youth Partnership, EYC Strasbourg**

Convener for the Research seminar "Mobility of young people – Opportunities and obstacles for cross-border volunteering for young people, particularly with fewer opportunities".

- 2011: **Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies. European University Institute.**
Workshop Director (together with Flavia Piperno): *Transnational family making: children, young people and migration* at the 12th session of the Mediterranean Research Meeting.
- 2010: **World Forum Convention Centre, The Hague**
15th International Metropolis Conference: Justice and Migration: Paradoxes of Belonging
- 2009: **Center for Ethics and Poverty Research University of Salzburg.**
Decent Work and Unemployment International Conference, Salzburg, May.
- 2009: **Modena, Department of Language and Cultural Sciences**
Seminar "Research on peace education in multilingual and intercultural contexts: the CISV case".
- 2009: **Barcelona University, Faculty of Law and Asociación para la Defensa de los Derechos de la Infancia y la Adolescencia.**
First meeting of the Mediterranean Network on Children's Rights.
- 2008: **First ISA Forum of Sociology, Barcelona, Spain.**
Paper presentation at the Research Committee on Sociology of Childhood.
- 2007: **Comparative Research Programme on Poverty (CROP), Oslo, Norway.**
Presentation at the Conference: "Rethinking Poverty and Children in the New Millennium: Linking Research and Policy"
- 2007: **Nuffield College, Oxford University**
Presentation at the Graduate Research in Progress Seminar.
- 2006: **School of Slavonic and East European Studies, University College London**
Paper presentation at 7th Annual International Postgraduate Conference "Inclusion/ Exclusion".
- 2006: **Human Rights Centre, Ghent, Belgium**
Paper presentation at "International Interdisciplinary Conference on Children's Rights. An appraisal of the Children's Rights Convention. Theory meets practice".
- 2005: **European Consortium of Sociological Research and Interuniversity Center for Social Science Theory and Methodology, Nijmegen, Netherlands**
Paper presentation and discussant at Summer school: „Solidarity and Inequality: Markets, State and Communities“.
- 2005: **Cultural Analysis Summer Academy, Amsterdam, Netherlands**
Paper presentation at Cultural Analysis Summer Academy meeting on Borders, Markets, Movement/s.
- 2004: **Inter-University Centre Dubrovnik, Croatia**
Paper presentation at Post-Graduate Course: 'Women's Work Biographies, Living Conditions and Global Transformation in Comparative Studies'.
- 2004: **Central European University SUN, Hungary**
Country report presented at Post-Graduate Course: 'A Critical Basis for 21st Century Romany Studies'.

EDITORIAL WORK

Editorial Board Member (2012-2014): *Research on Social Work Practice*, SAGE.
Editorial Board member: *Pompeii – Journal for the Publication of Junior Scholars in the Arts and Sciences*. Stream 2: Reforming Education.

Reviewer:

- ~~///~~ *Journal of Adolescent Research*. SAGE
- ~~///~~ *Journal of Early Adolescence*. SAGE
- ~~///~~ *International Journal of Sociology and Anthropology*
- ~~///~~ *Studies of Transition States and Societies*
- ~~///~~ *International Journal of Multicultural Education*
- ~~///~~ *Plenum: The South Carolina State University Journal of Interdisciplinary Studies*
- ~~///~~ *Journal of Global Studies of Childhood*.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

- ~~///~~ Member of the European Pool of Youth Researchers (2010-2013)
- ~~///~~ Founding member of the Mediterranean Network on Children's Rights
- ~~///~~ Association for Women's Rights in Development (since 2006)
- ~~///~~ Human Development and Capability Association (since 2006)
- ~~///~~ Comparative Research Programme on Poverty (CROP) (since 2007).
- ~~///~~ Oxford University Society.

EXTERNAL ACTIVITIES

- 2008: UNC-Chapel Hill School of Social Work, USA
Training: *School Success Profile: Administration, Interpretation and Use for Intervention Planning*.
- 2007: Certificate in Public Policy Research, Open Society Institute and Center for Policy Studies at the Central European University – Hungary (2007)
Project: *Combating Roma Child Labor through Education in Romania: Challenges and the Need for Child-centered Roma Policies*.
- 2004: Council of Europe, DG IV: Education, Culture and Heritage, Youth and Sport and European Youth Centre, Budapest: "Training trainers in Human Rights Education with young people"
- 2004: Central European University, SUN.
Postgraduate Course: 'A Critical Basis for 21st Century Romany Studies'
- Competency in QSR NVivo 7: Certificate from Oxford University IT Programme.

PUBLICATIONS

Book:

Pantea, M. (2008) Copiii care muncesc in Romania (Engl. *Working Children in Romania*). Cluj, Cluj University Press. (570 pg).

Articles in peer-reviewed journals and book chapters:

Pantea, M. (Forthcoming, 2012) "Transitional Education for Child Labourers. A Review of Residential Bridge Camps for Mainstreaming Ex-Child Labourers into the Formal Education System" in the *Journal of Evidence-Based Social Work*. 9(3). Taylor and Francis.

Pantea, M (Forthcoming, 2012) "Negotiating change: Young students doing voluntary work in Romania" in Jason A.L., Concepción N. and Mrnjaus, K. (Eds). *Citizenship, Democracy, and the University: Theory and Practice in Europe and North America*.

Pantea, M. (Forthcoming, 2012) "Comments on CRC concluding observations on Romania" in Carlos Villagrassa (Ed). *Children's Rights in Euro Mediterranean region*. Barcelona: Huygens Editorial.

Pantea, M. (Forthcoming, 2013) „Romania” in Robert E. Emery (Ed.) *Cultural Sociology of Divorce*. SAGE.

Pantea, M. (in print) „Negotiating ‘children’s best interests’ in the context of parental migration” in Hanne Warming (Ed). *Trust dynamics in the governance of children and youth – a European perspective*. Palgrave Macmillan.

Pantea, M. (2012) „Social ties at work: Roma migrants and the community dynamics” in *Ethnic and Racial Studies*. *IFirst*

Pantea, M. (2012) From ‘making a living’ to ‘getting ahead’: Roma women’s experiences of migration. *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*. 38(8)Special Issue ‘The Roma in the new EU: policies, frames and everyday experiences’. *ifirst*.

Pantea, M. (2012) „The changing nature of volunteering and the cross-border mobility. Where does learning come from?” in *Studies in Continuing Education*. *ifirst*.

Pantea, M (2012). ‘Young volunteers’ perspectives on their interactions with adults in position to facilitate their participation’ in Baraldi, C. and Vittorio Iervese (Eds). *Participation, facilitation and mediation. Perspectives on children and young people involvement in social contexts*. pp. 161-179. Routledge. Series: Routledge Research in Education.

Pantea, M. (2012) “Grandmothers as main caregivers in the context of parental migration” in the *European Journal of Social Work* special issue ‘Social work, older people and migration’ 15(1): 63-80.

Pantea, M. (2012) “‘I have a child and a garden’: Young people’s experiences of care giving in transnational families” in *Journal of Youth Studies*. 15(2): 241-256.

Pantea, M. (2011) “Young people’s perspectives on changing families’ dynamics of power in the context of parental migration” in *YOUNG* 19(4) 375–395.

- Pantea, M. (2011) *Experiencing Social Transition at the Workplace: Hard to Reach Youth and Their Social Capital*. CAS Working Paper Series No. 4/2011: Sofia 2011. *Shaken Order: Authority and Social Trust in Post-Communist Societies (Case Studies in Law)*, a project of the Centre for Advanced Study Sofia.
- Pantea, M. (2011). Contributions for the SAGE Reference publication: *The Encyclopedia of Women in Today's World*. Mary Zeiss Stange (Ed.): Entries: "Adolescence", "Child Labor", "Migrant workers", "Romania".
- Pantea, M. (2011). "What does it take to volunteer? Benefits and social costs of volunteering for disadvantaged young people" in Christiana Bagusat/William J.F.Keenan/ Nadja Lobner/Clemens Sedmak (eds.): *Decent Work and Unemployment. Perspectives on Social Ethics*. Wien–Berlin–Münster: Lit Verlag.
- Pantea, M. (2010) "Romania" in Andrea O'Reilly (Ed.): *Encyclopedia of Motherhood*, Sage.
- Pantea, M. (2009) "Child Labour in Romania" in *The World of Child Labor: An Historical and Regional Survey*, Hugh D. Hindman (Ed.), M.E. Sharpe Inc., New York.
- Pantea, M. (2009) "Performing the border of child labour: Roma working children", in *Romani Studies* 5, Vol. 19, No. 1, 19–48. Liverpool University Press.
- Pantea, M. and Roth, M. (2008). "Challenges in Addressing Child Abuse and Neglect among Roma Children in Romania" in ISPCAN's *World Perspectives on Child Abuse: an International Resource Book*, 8th edition.
- Pantea, M. (2007) "Current challenges in analyzing child labor in Romania", in *Human Rights of Children. An appraisal of the Children's Rights Convention. Theory meets practice*, Intersentia.

Reports:

- Pantea, M. (2011). *Evaluation of the Pilot Project Programme of the European Youth Foundation, with particular emphasis on the period 2007-2010*. Submitted to: The European Youth Foundation. (62 pg).
- Pantea, M. (2011). *A policy research of voluntary repatriation schemes and reintegration incentives addressed to roma migrants*. Submitted to LGI Programme of OSI. (50 pg).
- Pantea, M. (2011). *Country report on ESF measures enhancing the labour market and social inclusion of migrants and minorities. Romania*. Centre for Strategy & Evaluation Services. Kent. Submitted to the DG. Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities. (85 pg).
- Pantea, M. (2011). *Thematic Roma Report. Romania*. Centre for Strategy & Evaluation Services. Kent. Submitted to the DG. Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunities. (49 pg).
- Pantea, M. (2009). *Gender Mainstreaming in the National Action Plans for the Decade of Roma Inclusion*. UNIFEM. At http://www.unifem.sk/uploads/doc/GM_in_Roma_Decade_NAPs.pdf (106 pg)
- Pantea, M. (2008). *Ex-ante Evaluation study of the research and policy strand of the Partnership on Youth between the Council of Europe and the European Commission* (44 pg).
- Pantea, M. (2008). *Report of the 3rd meeting of the Quality group to the European Knowledge Centre for Youth Policy*. Strasbourg. European Youth Centre. (9 pg).
- Pantea, M. (2007). *Combating Roma child labor through education in Romania: Challenges and the need for child-centered Roma policies*. CEU Center for Policy Studies. (71 pg).

Book reviews:

Olthoff, J. (2006) *A Dream Denied. Teenage Girls in Migrant Popular Neighborhoods, Lima, Peru.* Book review in *Studia Universitatis Babeş-Bolyai – Sociology* 2/ 2007. ISSN 2066 – 0464.

Frunza, Gavriluta and Jones (Eds). (2005) *The Challenges of Multiculturalism in Central and Eastern Europe.* Book review in *Journal for the Study of Religions and Ideologies* 10/ 2005. ISSN: 1583 0039.

Translations:

Booth, T. and Ainscow, M. (2000) *Inclusion: developing learning and participation in schools,* Centre for Studies on Inclusive Education (CSIE) INCLUES: Clues to inclusive and cognitive education. 2000.

Gavriluta, N. (2002) *On Tolerance and Acceptance of the Other* in *Journal for the Study of Religions and Ideologies* 3/ 2002. ISSN: 1583-0039.

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