PROJECT TIMETABLE

During the fellowship year:

- Monitoring of the legislative process in Romania in the tobacco related areas.
- Monitoring of the Romanian mass-media for tobacco related articles.
- Submission on GLOBALINK of information regarding activities / facts from Romania.
- Establish of a working group for publishing in Romanian language a compendium (book) for tobacco control.
- Involvement in other tobacco control projects organized in Romania and in the region.

January-February 2003 – Fieldwork in Bucharest - participation to the seminar organized by Romtens Foundation under the World Health Organization program - "Channeling the Outrage". Discussions with stakeholders from different fields of activity related to tobacco control about the Framework Convention on Tobacco Control on their fields of activity, in order to adopt and implement it.

March 2003 – First IPF seminar in Budapest

April 2003 – OSI - American Cancer Society University for Romanian fellows in tobacco control.

April 2003 - Conference in Bucharest with the main topic – "Tobacco Control in CEE and Former Soviet Union Countries" organized by OSI.

May 2003 – Participation to the 56th World Health Assembly in Geneva. Fieldwork in Bucharest – Preparation of the events for World No-Tobacco Day May – 31st.

June 2003 – Second IPF seminar in Budapest Research on the status of FCTC points in CEE Countries, exchange of information with others fellows.

15 June – 15 July 2003 –Visit at London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM) for studying BAT Guildford documents and other Tobacco Industry documents online.

15 July – 1st August 2003 – Preparation for the 12th World Conference on Tobacco or Health – Helsinki.

3 August – 10 August – 12th World Conference on Tobacco or Health – Helsinki.

September – November 2003 – Preparing of reports about Tobacco Control in CEE and Former Soviet Union Countries, about strategies of the Transnational Tobacco companies in the region and about the stage of implementation of the recommendation of the FCTC.

November 2003 – Preparation of the National No-Tobacco Day (third Thursday in November) activities.

December 2003 – February 2004 – Field research in Romania and meetings with people / organizations involved in tobacco control.

March 2004 – Final reports to the OSI-IPF Program. IPF Seminar in Budapest.

April 2004 – Presentation of the policy recommendation.