

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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POSITION

Chair, Public Administration and Management Department; Babes Bolyai University, Romania

WORK EXPERIENCE

03/2013–Present

Associate professor

Babes Bolyai University/Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

research, teaching, administrative (chair)

06/2009–03/2013

Lecturer

Babes Bolyai University/Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

research and teaching

02/2006–06/2009

Teaching assistant

Babes Bolyai University/Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

research and teaching

08/2004–05/2006

graduate assistant

Michigan State university, East Lansing (United States)

research and teaching

02/2003–02/2006

Adjunct professor

Babes Bolyai University/Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

teaching, tutoring, research, administrative tasks

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

01/10/2006–01/11/2008

PhD

Babes Bolyai University/Faculty of Sociology and Social Works, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

concentration area in urban studies

01/08/2004–01/05/2006

master degree

Michigan State University/Dep. of Urban and Regional Planning, East Lansing (United States)

graduate research and teaching assistantship; tutoring activities for mid-career Korean students.

01/10/2002–01/07/2004

master degree

Babes Bolyai University/Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

management of public services (in English)

01/10/2002–01/07/2003

master degree

Babes Bolyai University/Law School, Cluj-Napoca (Romania)

European law and policies

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Romanian

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C2	C1	C2	C2	C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills

- good communication skills with students, both Romanian and foreign, gained through teaching;
- good convener for scientific event; moderator for workshops and conference panels;

Organisational / managerial skills

Chair, Public Administration and Management department, Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babes Bolyai University, Romania (since January 2016)
Co-director, Center for Good Governance Studies, Babes Bolyai University, Romania (since 2010)
Co-director, Transatlantic Institute for Public Management and Sustainable Communities (since 2013)
Department coordinator for Erasmus program and other international projects

- coordination of research activities and organization of scientific events/conferences; organization of student and faculty exchanges with the partner foreign universities; organization of community outreach projects

Job-related skills

- research and documentation;
- coordination and organization of scientific event;
- drafting of policy papers and reports; interaction with clients during consultancy activities;
- coordination of international programs and exchanges;

Digital competence

SELF-ASSESSMENT				
Information processing	Communication	Content creation	Safety	Problem solving
Proficient user	Proficient user	Independent user	Independent user	Basic user

Digital competences - Self-assessment grid

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Publication list

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Professional accomplishments

Grants, participation to conferences, visiting professor, member of editorial boards

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APPENDIX 1.pdf **Appendix 1 - Publication List****Books**

1. **Neamțu, B.**, *Introduction to urban planning*, Tritonic: București, 2013.
2. **Neamțu, B.**, *Sustainable urban development*, Tritonic: București, 2013.
3. Alpopi, C., **Neamțu, B.**, Oprea, F., Sabie, O., *Dezvoltare durabilă*, Tritonic: București, 2013.
4. **Neamțu, B.**, *Dezvoltarea durabilă. Provocări ale dispersiei urbane*, București: C.H. Beck, 2012.
5. Cobârzan, B., Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, *Transparența administrativă în România* (Administrative transparency in Romania), ediție bilingvă, Cluj-Napoca: Accent, 2008.

Editors for collective volumes/books

1. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, *Alternative Dispute Resolution in European Administrative Law*, Springer, 2014.
2. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, Hamlin, R., *Law in Action: Case Studies in Good Governance*, IPPSR & Center for Good governance Studies, East Lansing, Michigan, USA, 2011.
3. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, *Instituția Ombudsmanului – justiție alternativă?* București: C.H. Beck, 2011.

Chapters in collective volumes/books

1. **Neamțu, B.**, "The social and environmental safeguard policy at the World Bank: Instance of internationalization of public contracts? ", in Audit, M., Schill, S., *Transnational law of public contracts*, Bruylant, 2016 (forthcoming).
2. **Neamțu, B.**, Dragoș, D., "Fighting Corruption in Central and Eastern European Countries through Transparency: Regulatory and Institutional Challenges", in Y. Zhang and C. Lavena, *Government Anti-Corruption Strategies. A Cross-Cultural Perspective*, CRC Press, 2015 pp. 139-166.
3. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "Life-cycle Costing for Sustainable Public Procurement in the European Union", in B. Sjaafjell and A. Wiesbrock, *Sustainable Public Procurement under EU Law*, Cambridge University Press, 2015, pp. 114-137.
4. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, Suci, R., "The Dynamic of Administrative Appeals and Other ADR Tools in Romania", in Dragoș D., Neamțu, B., *Alternative Dispute Resolution in European Administrative Law*, Springer, 2014, pp. 421-459.
5. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "Sustainable public procurement in the EU: Experiences and prospects", in F. Lichère, R. Caranta & S. Treumer (eds.), *Modernising Public Procurement: The New Directive*, DJOF, 2014, pp. 301-336.
6. **B. Neamțu, D. Dragoș**, "Fighting corruption in public procurement: The case of Romania", in G.M. Racca, C. R. Yukins, (eds), *Integrity and Efficiency in Sustainable Public Contracts. Balancing Concerns Corruption in Public Procurement Internationally*, Bruylant, 2014, pp. 69-100.

7. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Suciu, R., "The theory and practice of award criteria in the Romanian procurement law", in Mario Comba & Steen Treumer, *Award of contracts in EU procurements*, DJOF Publishing, 2013, pp. 177-208.
8. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Velişcu, R., "Public Procurement outside EU Directives in Romania: Is voluntary Compliance Leading to Effectiveness?", in Dragoş, D., Caranta, R., *Outside the EU Procurement Directives – Inside the Treaty*, DJOF Publishing, 2012, pp. 221-258.
9. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Velişcu, R., "Remedies available for Procurement outside the Directives – A Comparative Assessment", in Dragoş, D., Caranta, R., *Outside the EU Procurement Directives – Inside the Treaty*, DJOF Publishing, 2012, pp. 397-413.
10. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, "The implementation of the Services Directive in Romania", in Stelkens, U., Weiß, W., Mirschberger, M., *The implementation of the Services Directive. Transposition, Problemes and Strategies*, Springer, 2012, pp. 513-544.
11. **Neamţu, B.**, "Dispersia urbană. Un model de dezvoltare urbană nesustenabil", Proceedings conferinţa CENPO "Perspective asupra reformei administraţiei publice din România în contextul integrării europene", Cluj Napoca: Accent, 2012.
12. **Neamţu, B.**, "Steps toward measuring urban sustainability in Romania", Proceedings of the 8th Administration and Public Management International Conference „City management and urban policy in time of turmoil”, pp. 1-20, ASE Bucureşti, 2012.
13. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Velişcu, R., "Remedies in Public Procurement in Romania", in Treumer, S., Lichere, F., *Enforcement of EU Public Procurement Rules*, Copenhagen: DJOF Publishing, 2011, pp. 155-200.
14. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Velişcu, R., "Secondary considerations in public procurement in Romania", in Caranta, R., Trybus, M., *The Law Of Green and Social Procurement in Europe*, Copenhagen: DJOF Publishing, 2010, pp. 189-234.
15. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Balica, D., "Ombudsmanul român şi interacţiunea acestuia cu instanţele de judecată – o cercetare empirică", în Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, *Instituţia Ombudsmanului – justiţie alternativă?* Bucureşti: C.H. Beck, 2011, pp. 59-88.
16. **Neamţu, B.**, Carp, R., Rebegea, C., "Percepţia instituţională a Ombudsmanului în România – evidenţe empirice", în Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, *Instituţia Ombudsmanului – justiţie alternativă?* Bucureşti: C.H. Beck, 2011, pp. 124-142.
17. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Velişcu, R., "Romanian Administrative Law between Tradition and Dialogue", in Caranta, R., Gerbrandy, A., *Traditions and Change in European Administrative Law*, Europa Law Publishing, 2011, pp. 189-236.
18. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Hamlin, R., "From the Editors: Good Governance – A Multifaceted Concept", in Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Hamlin, R., *Law in Action: Case Studies in Good Governance*, IPPSR & Center for Good governance Studies, East Lansing, Michigan, USA, 2011, pp. 3-11.
19. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, "Freedom of Information Act in Romania – A Theoretical Background", in Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Hamlin, R., *Law in Action: Case Studies in Good Governance*, IPPSR & Center for Good governance Studies, East Lansing, Michigan, USA, 2011, pp. 150-164.
20. Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Balica, D., "Ombudsman and the Courts: Living in Different Worlds", in Dragoş, D., **Neamţu, B.**, Hamlin, R., *Law in Action: Case Studies in Good Governance*, IPPSR & Center for Good governance Studies, East Lansing, Michigan, USA, 2011, pp. 384-398

21. Antonie, R., Hințea, C., Moldovan, B, **Neamțu, B.**, Țiclău, T., "Studiu calitativ privind calitatea 4 programe de masterat în domeniul administrației publice", în Hințea, C. și Antonie, R., *Evaluarea calității programelor de masterat în administrație publică*, Cluj-Napoca: Accent, 2011.
22. Macarie, F.C., **Neamțu, B.**, Creța, S., "Partidele politice din România dominate de bărbați – model de cultură organizațională", în Macarie, F.C., *Politica de gen în organizațiile publice*, Cluj-Napoca, Eikon, 2011, pp. 181-198.
23. **Neamțu, Bogdana**, "Dezvoltare durabilă", în *Managementul administrației publice*, Suport de curs, vol. 1, Cluj-Napoca: Accent, 2010, pp. 463-500.
24. **Neamțu, B.**, Leuca, C.R., "Urban redevelopment strategies in the US: An evaluation study of the City Center Project, East Lansing, Michigan" in C. E. Hintea, *Case studies in strategic planning*, Accent, Cluj-Napoca, 2007, pp. 28-62.
25. **Neamțu, B.**, "Policy tools for addressing urban sprawl in Romania", in *The partnership between administration and citizens in the context of European and international best practices*, Curtea Veche, 2007, pp. 163-176 .

Journal articles

1. **Neamțu, B.**, Dragoș, D, "Sustainable Public Procurement: The use of eco-labels", *EPPPL*, vol. 10, issue 2, 2015, pp. 92-101.
2. Hințea, C, **Neamțu, B.**, "Strategic Planning in the Framework of Metropolitan Areas in Romania: Going beyond the Requirements of the Law and Transforming it into an Effective Planning Tool", *NISPACEe journal*, special issue, December 2014, pp. 71-97.
3. **Neamțu, B.**, Dragoș, D., Căpraru, L., "Public Participation In Environmental Decision Making in Romania", *International Public Administration Review*, vol. Xii, no. 2-3, June 2014, pp. 63-78.
4. Mustață, R., Bonaci, C., Hințea, C., **Neamțu, B.**, "Educație de afaceri pentru dezvoltare sustenabilă: cazul universităților românești" (Business education for sustainable development: the case of Romanian universities), *Amfiteatrul economic*, vol. 15, special issue 7/2013, pp. 802-818.
5. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "Effectiveness of administrative appeals – Empirical evidence from Romanian local administration", *Lex Localis-Journal of Local Self Government*, vol.1/1, 2013, pp. 71-85.
6. Dragoș, D., **Neamtu, B.** "LCC in the new directive proposal, in European Public Procurement and PPP Law Review", *EPPPL*, vol. 8, issue 1, 2013, pp. 19-30.
7. **Neamțu, B.**, "Measuring the social sustainability of urban communities: the role of local authorities", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, 2012, no. 37E, pp. 112-127.
8. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, Cobârzan, B., "Procedural transparency in rural Romania: Linking implementation with administrative capacity?", *IRAS*, 2012, 78(1), pp. 134-157.
9. **Neamțu, B.**, "A methodology for assessing how master plans contribute toward achieving sustainable urban development", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, 2011, no. 32E, pp. 174-194.
10. **Neamțu, B.**, "Public-private partnerships for stimulating the eco-efficiency and environmental responsibility of SMEs", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, 2011, no. 34E/2011, pp. 137-154.

11. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, Balica, D., "The Romanian Ombudsman and its interaction with the courts – an exploratory research", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, 31E/2010, pp. 58-75.
12. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "Re-using public sector information – policy choices and experiences in some of the member states with an emphasis on the case of Romania", *European Integration online Studies (EloP)*, vol. 13/2009 (online, fara pagini).
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14. **Neamțu, B.**, Dragoș, D., Velișcu, R., "Assessing urban sustainability: Models and options for city governments", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 26E/2009, pp. 122-138.
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16. **Neamțu, B.**, "Abordări teoretice cu privire la managementul dezvoltării periurbane", *Revista Transilvană de Științe Administrative*, no. 1(21)/2008, pp. 75-98 .
17. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "A comparative perspective on national policies addressing genetically modified organisms. How does the US - European Union debate on this topic affect other countries?", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 23E/2008, pp. 18-42.
18. **Neamțu, B.**, "Business coalitions in the US and their role in advancing a regional agenda", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 22E/2008, pp. 125-131.
19. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "Reforming local public administration in Romania: Trends and obstacles", *International Review of Administrative Sciences*, 73(4), 2007, pp. 629-648.
20. **Neamțu, B.**, Leuca, C. R., "From competing urban imaginaries to cohesive city brands– new challenges for local governments", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 21E/2007, pp. 73-85.
21. **Neamțu, B.**, Leuca, C.R., "Adapting the US Main Street philosophy and program to the Romanian urban context. Could it possibly work?", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 18E/2006, pp. 80-95.
22. Dragoș, D., **Neamțu, B.**, "The rise and evolution of freedom of information legal regime in the European Union", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 16 E/2006, pp. 12-24.
23. Strauss, E., **Neamțu, B.**, "Policy tools for addressing urban sprawl: Urban growth boundaries", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 16 E/2006, pp. 136-153.
24. Hamlin, R., **Neamțu, B.**, "Dezvoltare locală și parteneriatul public-privat în creditarea micilor afaceri din interiorul comunităților locale", *Revista Transilvană de Științe Administrative*, no. 3(15)/2005, pp. 38-51 .
25. Hamlin, R., **Neamțu, B.**, "Policy tools for urban redevelopment: Public-private partnerships", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 15 E/2005, pp. 107-120.
26. **Neamțu, B.**, "Urban sprawl from a comparative perspective: the case of US cities versus their Romanian counterparts. Is there any reason why we should worry? (I)", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no. 2 (14)/2005, pp. 77-85.
27. **Neamțu, B.**, "A case study: A policy perspective on East Lansing's redevelopment agenda", *Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences*, no.1 (10)/2004, pp. 100-106 .

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Appendix 2 – Professional accomplishments

Grants (selective)

- a) **Participation as team member** - Starting with 2007, she took part in numerous national research grants as researcher or researcher with coordination responsibilities: Romanian Public Administration Reform Assessment, 2006-2008, national research grant CEEEX, MODULE 1, value 2.150.000 RON; The evaluation of the implementation of administrative transparency, 2007-2009, national research grant CNCIS A, value 152.950 RON, The role of the Ombudsman institution in the process of promoting good governance and administrative transparency, 2009-2011, national research grant CNCIS IDEI 2009, value 950.000 RON; Gender impact on organizational culture from public organizations. Study regarding the presence of women in the top management of public organizations, 2009-2011, National research grant CNCIS IDEI 2009-2011, value 650.000 RON.
- b) **Principal investigator** in 2 post-doc grants: 1) *Study of Related International Practices and Experiences to Help Develop a Methodology and Tools for Assessing Urban Sustainability in Romania*, structural funds (European Social Fund/POSDRU), 09.2010-0.3 2013, 35,000 Euro, <http://www.postdoc.commscie.uaic.ro/fisiere/documente/teme%20de%20cercetare%20postdoc%202010-2011.pdf>; and 2) *Policy tools for sustainable public procurement in the European Union and Romania*, Babes Bolyai University, 4545 Euros, November 2013 - October 2014, <http://cercetare.ubbcluj.ro/wp-content/uploads/2013/10/Rezultate-FINALE-competitia-GTC-UBB.pdf>.

Participation to conferences (selective):

- TED 2016, 3-6 February, Ljubljana, Slovenia, "Transparency and Integrity in public procurement: conflicts of interests, with D. Dragos
- EGPA annual conference 2014, 10-12 September, Speyer, Germany, *Fighting corruption in public procurement in Romania. Are good laws enough?*, paper co-authored with D. Dragos;
- European Procurement Law Series Annual Conferences 2014, 3-4 July, Munich, Germany, *Anti-corruption policy in the Eastern European states of the EU*;
- TED 2014 conference (Trans-European Dialogue), 6-7 February, Cluj-Napoca, Romania, *Cooperation and strategic planning at the level of metropolitan areas in Romania*,
- European Procurement Law Series Annual Conferences 2012, London, *Award criteria in public procurement*, country report co-authored with Dragoș, D. And Velișcu, R.;
- EGPA annual conference, 2012, Bergen, Norway, *Public Procurement outside EU Directives in Romania: Is voluntary Compliance Leading to Effectiveness?*, paper co-authored with Dragoș, D. And Velișcu, R.;
- International Seminar, Torino University, 6 July 2012, *The making of a European legal culture: The Aarhus Convention*, country report co-authored with Dragoș, D.;
- International conference The allocation of limited authorizations and grants in the European Member States, Leiden University, Law School, 19-20 January 2012, Leiden, Netherlands, *Allocation of certain scarce rights: radio frequencies, gambling licenses, and carbon permits*, country report, co-authored with Dragoș, D. and Velișcu, R.;
- International Seminar on Remedies in Public Procurement, 10 September 2010, Copenhagen, Denmark, organized by the University of Copenhagen, prof. Steen Treumer

- EGPA (European Group of Public Administration) Conference, Toulouse, France, 2010, 8-10 September, Effectiveness of Administrative Appeals in the Framework of Administrative Justice, paper co-authored with D. Dragoș and Raluca Veliscu.
- International Seminar on Ombudsman as a Human Rights Defender, Liverpool, 23-26 August, 2010, organized by the Law Department, University of Liverpool, coordinator prof. Brian Thompson.
- International conference, Orta, Italy, 10-13 September, 2009, Sustainable public procurement. Secondary considerations, country report on Romania, co-authored with D. Dragoș and R. Veliscu
- EGPA (European Group of Public Administration) Conference, St. Julian, Malta, 2009, 2-5 September, paper co-authored with D. Dragoș and Raluca Veliscu, Administrative Appeals - A Comparative Perspective and the Case of Romania.
- RealLAW First Research Forum, Top Down and Bottom Up, Groningen, Holland, 3 June 2009, paper co-authored with D. Dragoș, Europeanization of administrative law in Romania: Current developments in jurisprudence and legislation
- EGPA (European Group of Public Administration) Conference, Rotterdam, 2008, 3-7 September, paper co-authored with D. Dragoș and B. Cobârzan, Transparency in Decision Making: Linking Implementation with Administrative Capacity.
- Seminar, Universitat Innsbruck, Institut für Öffentliches Recht, Staats- und Verwaltungslehre, Austria, Innsbruck, 7-12 October, 2007, paper co-authored with, D. Dragoș and B. Cobârzan, Transparency in public administration from a comparative perspective: Austria and Romania.
- EGPA (European Group of Public Administration) Conference, Madrid, 2007, 19-22 September, paper co-authored with D. Dragoș, Re-using Public Sector Information – Experiences at EU Level and Challenges for the New Member States;
- București, Academy of Economic Studies, 15-16 June 2006, International conference “Modern governance of local communities from the perspective of Romania’s accession into the EU”. Paper presented: Policy tools for addressing urban sprawl in Romania.

Visiting professor/fellow to foreign universities

Erasmus+ mobility to E. Buketov Karaganda State University, Kazakhstan (May 2016); Erasmus+ mobility to National University of Lao, Lao Republic (April 2016) Erasmus+ mobility la University of Ljubljana, Slovenia (February 2016)

Visiting scholar to Corvinus University, Budapest, Hungary (March 2012); Twente University, Netherlands (September-October 2011); Leon University, Spain (December 2009)

Visiting scholar to Michigan State University – September 2013, August 2009, and December 2006-January 2007

Peer review for academic journals and member in editorial boards

- Editorial board member, Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences (ISI) and Revista Transilvană de Științe Administrative (BDI+, national ranking).
- Reviewer: Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences (ISI). I mostly review articles on topics related to urban studies and urban affairs. I am also reviewer for IRAS (International Review of Administrative Sciences) and
- Guest Editor, 2009 special issues of the Transylvanian Review of Administrative Sciences. It comprises the papers presented at the 2009 EGPA conference in Malta, Panel ‘Law and Public Administration’. Guest editor for NISPAcee journal, 2014 special issue winter. It comprises papers presented at TED (Trans European Dialogue Conference) February 2014.