


PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Sex F | Date of birth 02.09.1989 | Nationality Romanian

WORK EXPERIENCE

December 2012 - present

**Museographer**

Brukenthal National Museum, Department of Education, Marketing and Communication

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EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2011 – present

**MA Studies** at the Department of History, Patrimony and Protestant Theology, “Lucian Blaga” University of Sibiu.

Specialisation: Romanian Political Elites (18th-20th centuries).

2008-2011

**BA Studies** at the Department of History, Patrimony and Protestant Theology, “Lucian Blaga” University of Sibiu.

Thesis: Zsófia Torma’s Diary. Translation, Analysis and Interpretation.

2009-2010

**Erasmus Scholarship** at the “Eötvös Lóránd” University, Budapest, Department of Archaeology. Field of study: Prehistoric archaeology.

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)

Hungarian, Romanian

Other language(s)

|         | UNDERSTANDING   |         | SPEAKING           |                   | WRITING |
|---------|---|---------|--------------------|-------------------|---------|
|         | Listening   | Reading | Spoken interaction | Spoken production |         |
| English | C2  | C2      | C2                 | C2                | C2      |
|         | 2007 - Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English<br>2008 – Certificate of Language Competence, Advanced Level |         |                    |                   |         |
| German  | B1  | B1      | A2                 | A2                | B1      |

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

Computer skills

Good command of Microsoft Office™ tools (Word™, Excel™, Access™, PowerPoint™), Google Earth, and of graphic design software, such as Corel Draw and Corel Photo-Paint.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Publications**
- Coltofean, Laura: *The Guilt of Priesthood. The Case of a Protestant Priest from Transylvania, Reflected in His Securitate File and the Memory of His Children*, in *Interstitio. East European Review of Historical and Cultural Anthropology*, special issue "Politics and Practices of Memory in Eastern Europe", vol. IV, no. 1-2 (7-8), 2012 (forthcoming).
- Coltofean, Laura: *When Passion is Stronger than Death... Zsófia Torma's Reflections*, in *Brukenthalia. Romanian Cultural History Review*, no. 2, Sibiu, 2002, p. 67-77.
- Grancea, Mihaela, Coltofean, Laura, Mladinovic, Elena: *23 August cu fast, cu mic și cu mare, mai mult o zi liberă decât națională (III)*, in *Cultura*, year VII, no. 34/2012, Fundația Culturală Română, Bucharest, 2012, p. 27-29.
- Coltofean, Laura: *Neolithic and Copper Age Signs – Methodology of Translations*, in *Acta Terrae Septemcastrensis*, IX, Sibiu, 2010, p. 115-118.
- Projects**
- 2011-2012: I collaborated as a volunteer on the Museum Communicator Project (MU.COM), where I researched the connection between museums and various domains, such as economy, sociology, communication etc., as well as translated the courses from Romanian into English, and from English into Romanian: <http://www.museumcommunicator.eu/>.
- 2009: I received the F-MU.S.EU.M. grant offered by the National Brukenthal Museum, Sibiu, with the theme "Neolithic and Copper Age Signs in Romania" („Semne din Neolitic și Epoca Cuprului de pe teritoriul României”), which consisted in gathering, scanning, translating into English, as well as editing in Corel Draw and PDF the Romanian and Hungarian bibliography concerning this theme. The Project resulted in the translation and editing of 20 articles and book excerpts, which are published on the official site of the F-MU.S.EU.M Project: <http://europeanvirtualmuseum.net/>.
- Conferences**
- 21 September 2012, Rome (Sapienza University of Rome, Italy): I participated in the final international conference of the Museum Communicator Project (MU.COM), in the Student Testimonial section, where I presented my own experience within the MU.COM Project.
- 11-12 November 2011, Alba Iulia (Alba County, Romania): I participated in the Students' National Scientific Communication Session, with the presentation *Zsófia Torma's Diary*.
- 1-5 September 2011, Coronini (Caraș-Severin County, Romania): I participated in the international symposium "50 Years of Tărtăria Excavations" with the presentation *Documents Regarding Zsófia Torma's activity*.
- International workshops**
- 9 March 2012, Sibiu: I participated in the "2nd Transnational Workshop" organized within the MU.COM Project, with the following presentation: Cosmin Ioan Suci, Raluca Teodorescu, Laura Coltofean: *Evaluation in Romania. Findings and Results. Lessons Learned. Introducing the Course Participants in Romania (target, number, institution)*.
- Scholarships**
- During the 2009-2010 academic year, I benefited from an Erasmus scholarship at the Department of Archaeology of the "Eötvös Lóránd" University, Budapest.
- Awards**
- In 2008 I was awarded with the prize of the "Németh Géza" Association (Miercurea Ciuc, Romania) for supporting the local culture and ethnography.