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Prof. Marian Preda, PhD
Rector of the University of Bucharest

Characterized by a continuous and dynamic process of transformation, the University of Bucharest is today a flagship university, a European university, a promoter of knowledge, science, and the values of an open society. Efficient, equitable and future-oriented, the University of Bucharest is today an authentic crucible for scientific and social elites, a university for future generations and for the future of the country.

As you know, UB is currently part of the CIVIS Alliance, along with nine other prestigious European universities. This membership represents for us a huge opportunity, but also a great responsibility. Therefore, we are firmly determined to reach the highest standards in education and research, both as part of the mission undertaken by our community and as a key component of the European University concept.

The collaboration within the alliance contributes significantly to strengthening our assets as individual entities and supports us in creating new platforms and tools that would not have been possible otherwise. Beyond the superior quality of local individuals and teams, the main competitive advantage of CIVIS is diversity, given both the geographical and cultural area covered by the member universities, and our excellent cooperation, which ensures a veritable unity in diversity.

The strategy of the University of Bucharest aims at consolidating and diversifying the study programs, supporting and elevating research in all fields, but also at developing the openness and international dimension of our community. We seek to ensure the connection of our institution to the main higher education centres in the world and to encourage students to access compound mobility opportunities and exchanges of experience.

Even more, nowadays, UB remains true to the belief that, in an increasingly divided world, in the age of post-truth and fake news, critical thinking and knowledge keep on being the only guarantees for preserving a free open society and the state of law.



The University of Bucharest is the heart of a multicultural and cosmopolitan city, with numerous museums, palaces, memorial houses, theaters, cinemas, libraries and art galleries. Combining old and new, Bucharest is a true European capital, a monumental and unusual place, extremely effervescent from a cultural and artistic point of view, constantly animated by festivals, conventional and unconventional events, experimental shows, book launches, exhibitions.

Bucharest offers plenty of possibilities to spend quality free time in the largest city of the country, to take part to the most popular festivals and concerts of the year, to watch movies, in cinemas or open air, to attend unique theater and animation shows.

And not far from the city, interesting experiences are available, such as tandem jumping or parachuting. Those passionate about extreme sports, such as climbing and mountaineering, will appreciate that the city is close to the mountains and will find specialized indoor gyms for daily training. At the same time, walking in the Old Center, they will discover a city that never sleeps.



Victoriei Street at night



Romanian Atheneum



Central University Library



Herăstrău Park, open air cinema



Royal Palace



National Theatre

Brief History of UB



Transylvanian bookman Gheorghe Lazăr establishes St Sava School, a Romanian teaching school.



Ruler Alexandru Ioan Cuza (1859–1866) establishes the University of Bucharest. The institution brings together the Faculties of Law, Sciences and Letters.

The Education Reform Act is enacted, and the Soviet Model of Higher Education is grafted. Consequently, the extensive reorganization of UB begins: the Faculties of Theology, Human Medicine and Veterinary Medicine are detached from the University. The University Institutes are abolished, and new Institutes subordinated to the Academy of Romanian's Popular Republic are created.

1694

Advised by Constantin Cantacuzino, an illustrious humanist with studies in Padua, the Ruler of Wallachia, Constantin Brâncoveanu (1688–1714), founds in Bucharest the Princely Academy of St Sava. Courses are taught in Greek.

1818

1857

The fundamental stone of the University Palace is laid. Located in the University Square, the Palace was designed by Alexandru Orăscu, president of Romanian architects, following the model of Western Universities.

4/16 July 1864

1944

A long process of purging the University bodies, accompanied by abuses and retaliation from the new communist authorities, begins.

1948



1989

Following the abusive abolition of numerous departments and faculties, the University has only 6 faculties with 8000 students.



1990

The process of rebirth of the University begins: new faculties are created, education is radically reorganized, new departments and research centres are established, the number of students significantly increases, international partnerships of UB are expanded.



1996

Adoption of the Charter of the University of Bucharest.



2011

UB is classified by the Ministry of Education, Research, Youth and Sport as the first University for Advanced Research and Education in Romania.



2014

The University of Bucharest celebrates its 150th anniversary with important members from the national and international academic community.

2015

On the occasion of the 151st anniversary, UB has reopened the Museum of the University for visitors, after a year of renovation, modernization and reorganization.

2019



The University of Bucharest participates in the establishment of CIVIS alliance together with seven other prestigious European Universities: Aix-Marseille University, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens, Free University of Bruxelles, The Autonomous University of Madrid, The Sapienza University of Rome, University of Stockholm, Eberhard Karls University of Tübingen. In 2021, CIVIS was joined by the University of Glasgow and the Paris Lodron University of Salzburg.

University of Bucharest: Mission and Vision

With a history of over 150 years and a constantly reconfirmed reputation, the University of Bucharest is today a dynamic and inclusive academic space, student-centered and characterized by creativity, innovation, and pragmatism.

Institution of excellence in both education and research, the University of Bucharest made it a priority in preparing students for life and profession. Thus, UB constantly and firmly acts to ensure the highest quality of services, which guarantees its graduates an easy and efficient assimilation on the labor market, regardless of the field or program of study. At the same time, by adopting competitive standards, at an international level, UB manifests a continuous concern for interdisciplinary and transdisciplinary collaboration, leadership and excellence in the activity of its teachers and employees.

A central player in Romanian and European higher education, the University of Bucharest is an institution engaged in a permanent process of adaptation and internationalization, open to multiculturalism and diversity. Moreover its membership to CIVIS – the European Civic University –, together with other nine top European universities, confirms once again that UB is an organization strongly anchored in the societal transformations of today's world, being a civically and socially engaged institution, connected to the major local, national, European and global challenges.





An institution with responsibility towards Romanian society and global issues, the University of Bucharest acts permanently to promote the principles of an open society and the rule of law. Thus, UB has assumed a firm mission in developing the critical spirit, in achieving excellence in the process of knowledge and in the creation of new directions of education and research in all its fields of study.

By constantly reaffirming the cultural and moral values of an open society and the fundamental importance of knowledge, the University of Bucharest understands to play a key role in training the professionals and elites of tomorrow's society. At the same time, UB aims to permanently crystallize and strengthen a civic and responsible conscience among all members of its academic community, in the spirit of respect for human and civil rights.

University of Bucharest in Numbers

UB

19 Faculties

97 BA programmes

215 MA programmes

9 Didactic MA programmes

21 Doctoral Schools on various fields

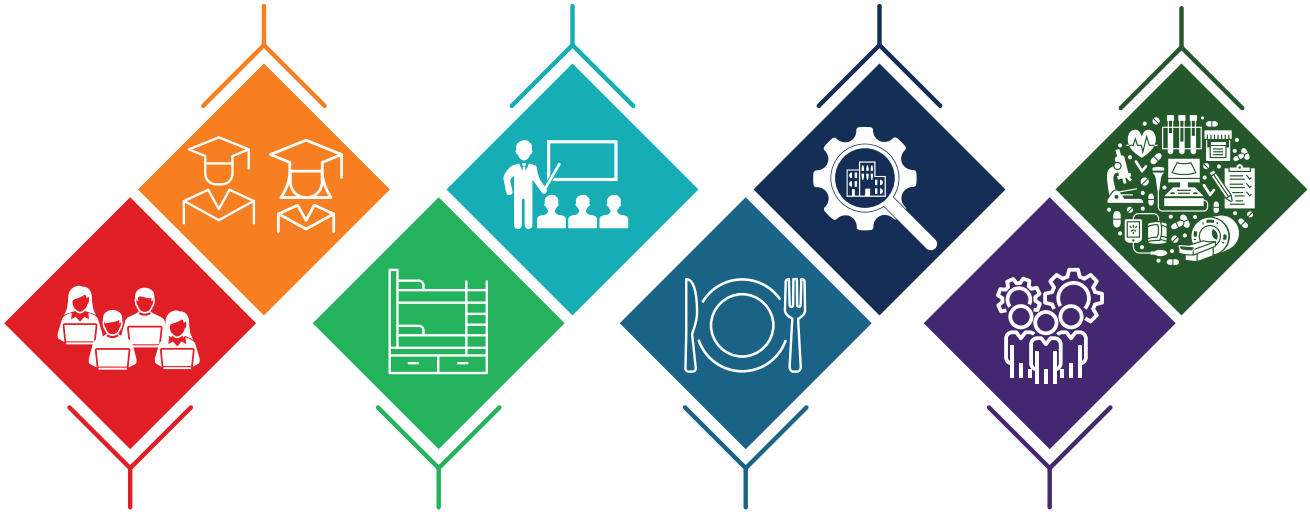
1 School for interdisciplinary studies: Interdisciplinary School of Doctoral Studies (ISDS)

34 000 Students

1300 Professors

50 Research centres

9 Research stations



500 Researchers

18 Dormitories

1 Canteen

1300 Administrative staff

Academic Structure

BA studies

3–4 years
of studies

(6–8 semesters) /
credits:
180–240

MA studies

1–2 years
of studies

(2–4 semesters) /
credits:
60–120

PhD studies

3 years
of studies

(6 semesters)

Faculties

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Law
- Business and Administration
- Geology and Geophysics
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Geography
- History
- Journalism and Communication Studies
- Letters
- Foreign Languages and Literatures
- Psychology and Educational Sciences
- Mathematics and Computer Science
- Sociology and Social Work
- Political Science
- Orthodox Theology
- Roman-Catholic Theology
- Baptist Theology



Business and Administration

BACHELOR

Public Administration
Business Administration
Business Administration (at Focșani)
Marketing
Business Administration (in English)
Economic Cybernetics

MASTER

Public Administration and the Efficiency of the Administrative System
Human Resources Administration and Development
Public Relations Administration and Managerial Assistance
Public Policies Administration in the European Union
Crisis Management
Public Procurement Management
Small and Medium Sized Business Administration
Business Consultancy
Strategic Marketing and Sales Management
Business Consulting (in English)
Behavioral Economics (in English)

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The “youngest” faculty of the University of Bucharest, the Faculty of Business and Administration was established in 2004 with the mission to train administration and business specialists and young entrepreneurs in a dynamic, pragmatic and innovative way.



Biology

BACHELOR

Biology
Biochemistry
Ecology and Environmental Protection

MASTER

Applied Clinical Biochemistry
Applied Genetics and Biotechnology
Applied Microbiology and Immunology
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology
Integrated Natural Capital Management
Medical Bioinformatics
Medical Biology
Medical Laboratory
Neurobiology
Applied Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (in English)
Applied Bioinformatics for Life Sciences (in English)
Sustainability of Socio-Ecological Systems (in English)
Didactic MA in Biology

PhD

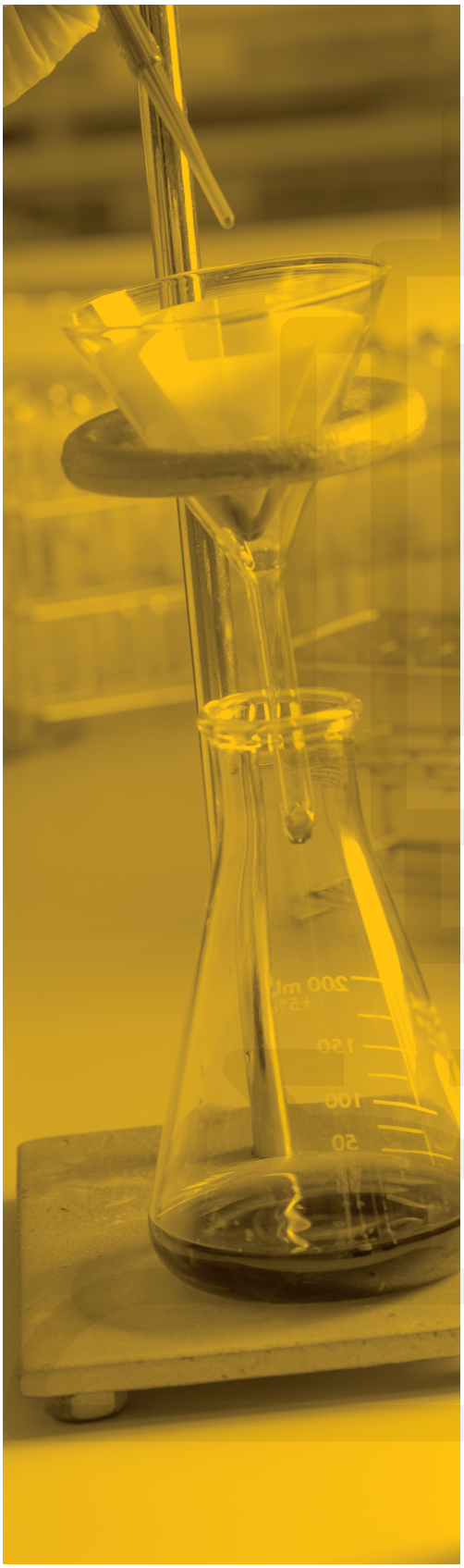
Doctoral School in Biology
Doctoral School in Ecology



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UB's Faculty of Biology, by constantly connecting to current research standards and by initiating or participating in multiple national and international projects and networks, offers a mixed platform, dedicated to both human resources training and improvement, and to fundamental and applied research in various fields of life sciences and environment.



Chemistry

BACHELOR

Chemistry
Technological Biochemistry
Pharmaceutical Chemistry
Medical Chemistry

MASTER

Chemistry of Medicines and Cosmetics
Biomolecules
Chemistry of Advanced Materials (in English)
Didactic MA in Chemistry

PhD

Doctoral School in Chemistry

chimie.unibuc.ro



Organized in five departments, Inorganic Chemistry, Analytical Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, Biochemistry and Catalysis, Physical Chemistry and the Doctoral School of Chemistry, and owning seven advanced research centres, the UB Faculty of Chemistry has distinguished itself over time through a vast and rich tradition of teaching and scientific research, as well as through a wide international connection.



Law

BACHELOR

Law
Law (Distance Learning)

MASTER

Business Law
Judicial Career
Private Law
Fiscal Law
Labor Law, Labor and Industrial Relations
Public International Law
European Union's Law
Criminal Sciences
Public Procurement, Concessions, Public-Private Partnership
Urbanism and Spatial Planning Law
Professional Master in European and International Business Law
International Arbitration (in English)
Droit et gouvernance des affaires internationales et européennes (in French)
Europäisches Wirtschaftsrecht (in German)

PhD

Doctoral School – Field of Study: Law

drept.unibuc.ro



Founded in 1859, the Faculty of Law is the oldest faculty of the University of Bucharest, being most often associated with notions like tradition, prestige and professionalism. Here, students have the opportunity to work with specialists who, by remaining permanently connected to the life of the city, were involved in drafting the most important legislation of Romania.



Philosophy

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Philosophy

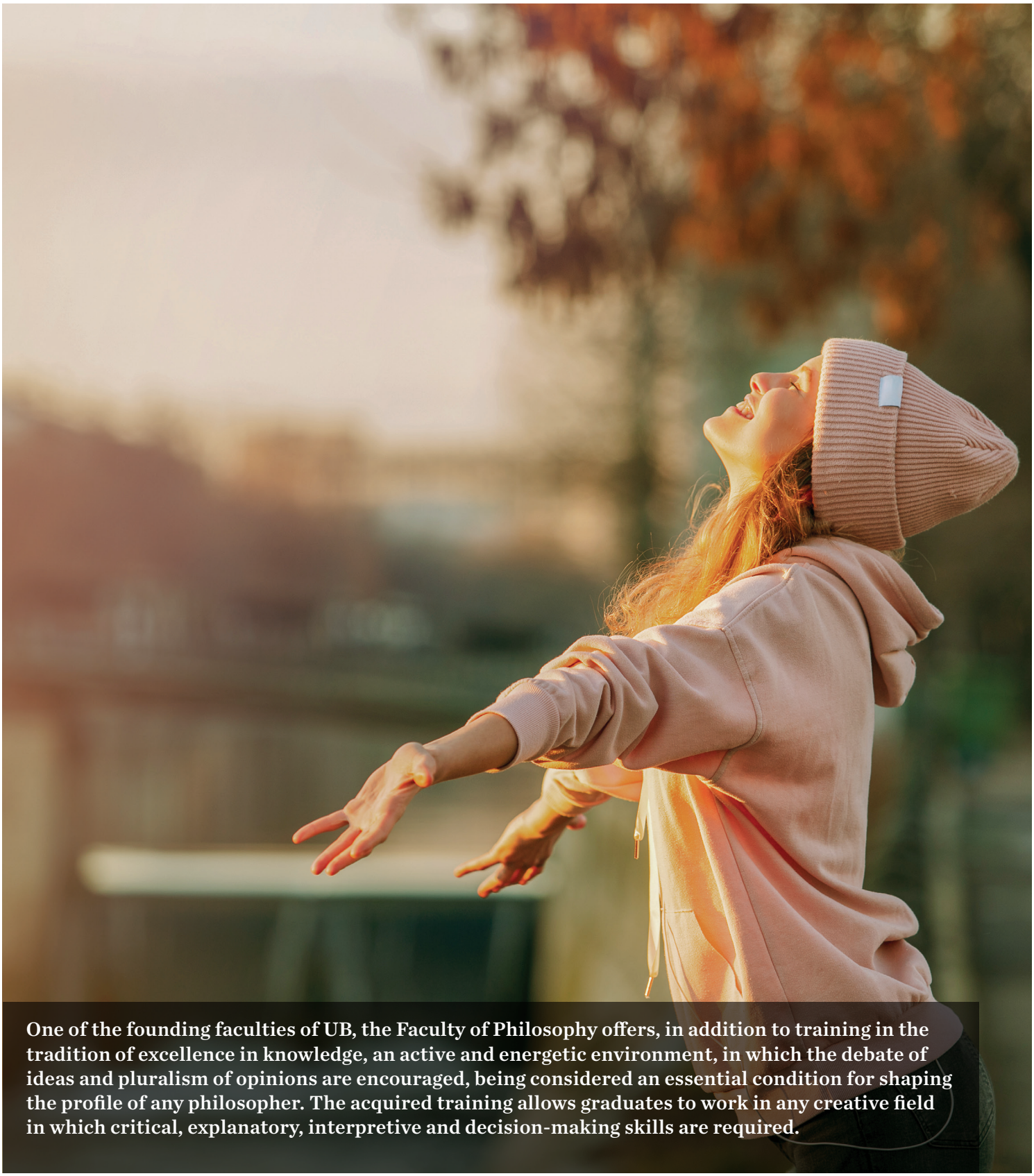
MASTER

History and Circulation of Philosophical Ideas
Ethics Applied in Society, Business and Organizations
International Development Studies and Ethics of International Relations Philosophy and Critical Thinking
Communication and Intercultural Studies (in English)
Intercultural Management (in English)
Business Administration (MBA) (in English)
Cognitive Science (Mind the Brain!) (in English)
Analytic Philosophy (in English)
Philosophy, Politics and Economics (in English)
Didactic MA in Philosophy

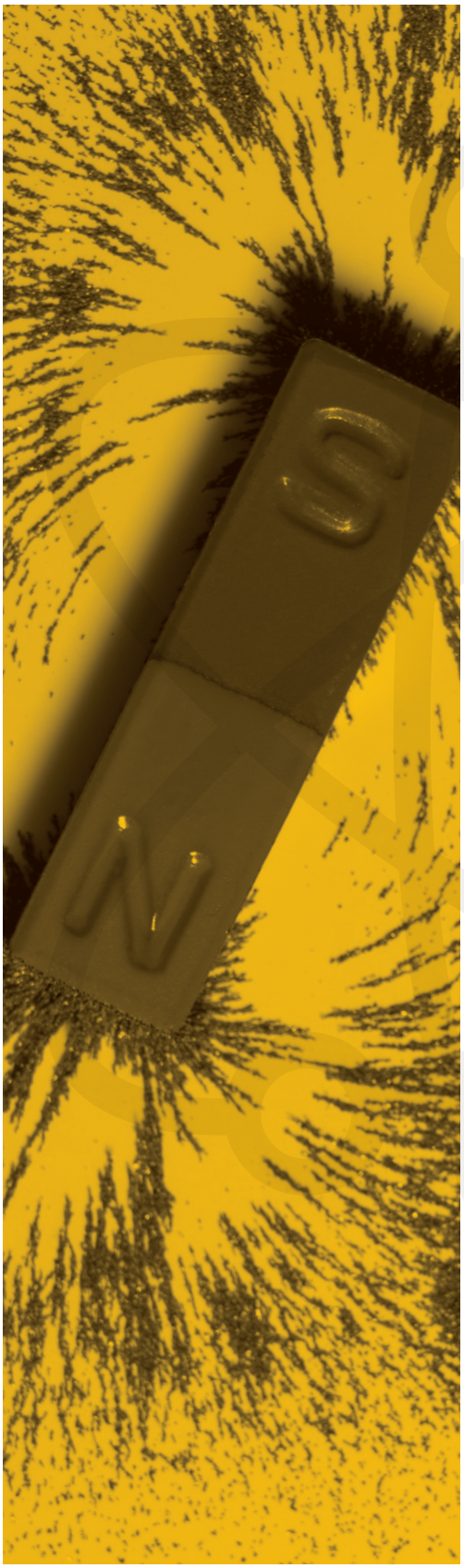
PhD

Doctoral School in Philosophy

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One of the founding faculties of UB, the Faculty of Philosophy offers, in addition to training in the tradition of excellence in knowledge, an active and energetic environment, in which the debate of ideas and pluralism of opinions are encouraged, being considered an essential condition for shaping the profile of any philosopher. The acquired training allows graduates to work in any creative field in which critical, explanatory, interpretive and decision-making skills are required.



Physics

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Physics
Physics (in English)
Medical Physics
Computer Physics
Technological Physics

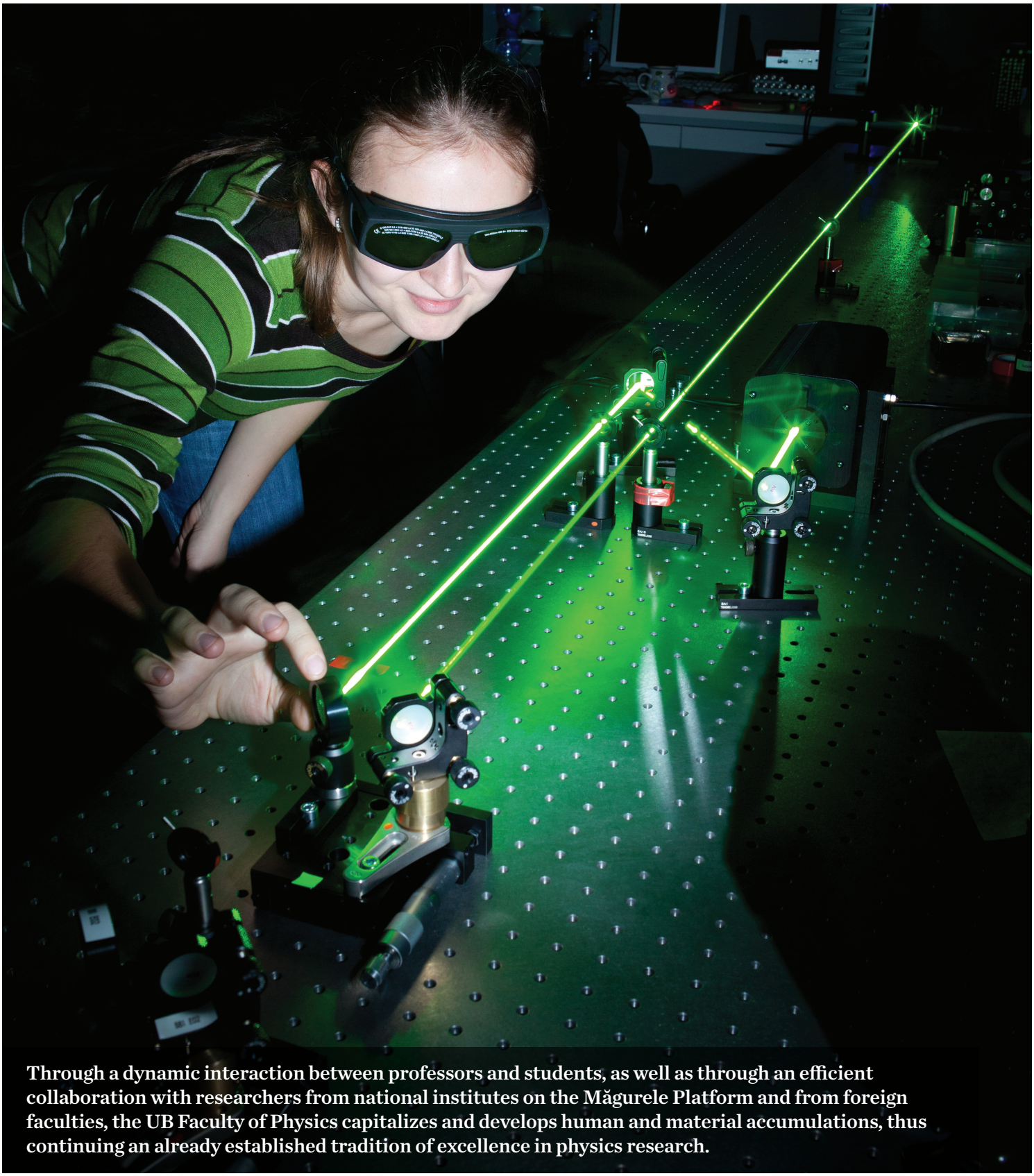
MASTER

Physics of Advanced Materials and Nanostructures (in Romanian and English)
Medical Physics
Environmental Physics and Ecological Polymers
Theoretical and Computational Physics (in Romanian and English)
Physics of Atom, Nucleus, Elementary Particles, Astrophysics and Applications (in Romanian and English)
Optics, Lasers and Applications
Renewable and Alternative Energy Sources (interdisciplinary with the Faculty of Chemistry)
Didactic MA in Physics

PhD

Doctoral School in Physics

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Through a dynamic interaction between professors and students, as well as through an efficient collaboration with researchers from national institutes on the Măgurele Platform and from foreign faculties, the UB Faculty of Physics capitalizes and develops human and material accumulations, thus continuing an already established tradition of excellence in physics research.



Geography

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Geography
Geography of Tourism – Bucharest
Territorial Planning – Drobeta Turnu-Severin
Cartography
Hydrology and Meteorology
Territorial Planning – Bucharest
Environmental Geography
Geography of Tourism (Distance Learning)

MASTER

Geomorphology and Cartography with Cadastral Elements
Tourist Space Management and Hospitality Services
Applied Geography and Regional Development
Climatology and Water Resources
Management of Resources and Tourist Activities
Spatial Planning and Management of Urban and Rural Areas
Geographic Information Systems
Disaster Management
Geodemography and Social-Territorial Vulnerabilities
Smart Territorial Development (Interdisciplinary MA with "Ion Mincu" University of Architecture and Urbanism)
Environmental Policies for Sustainable Development
Environmental Sciences – Integrated Assessment of the Environment
Didactic MA in Geography

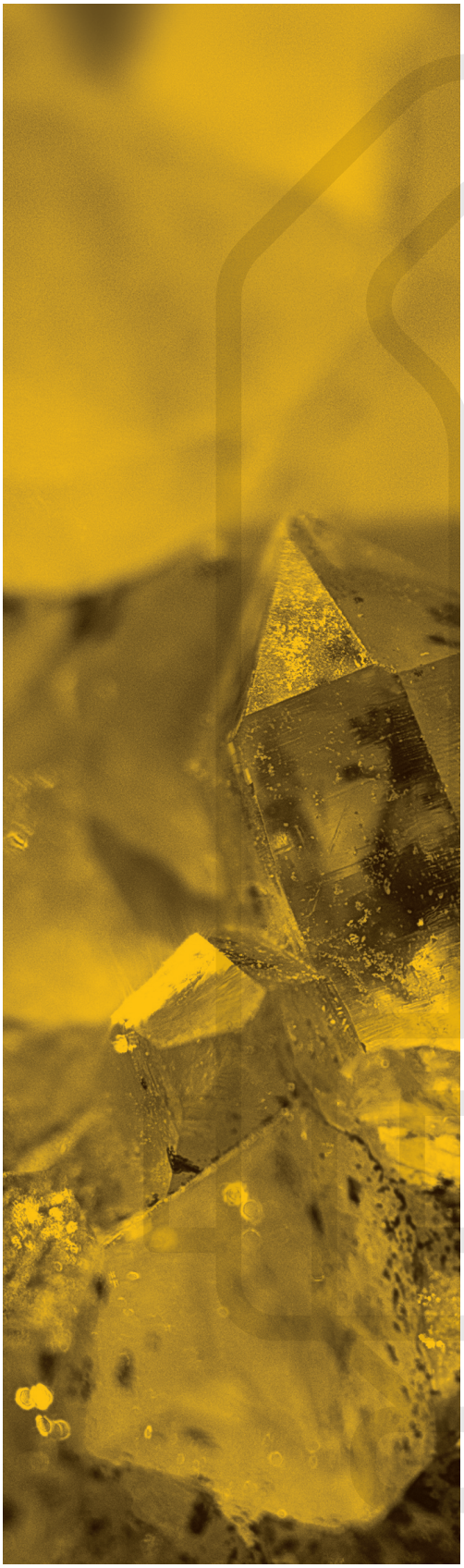
PhD

Doctoral School "Simion Mehedinți – Nature and sustainable development" for Geography

geo.unibuc.ro



One of the oldest faculties of UB, established on November 3, 1900, the Faculty of Geography offers both a general and specialized theoretical training and the chance of relevant interactive internships, designed to contribute to the formation of capable specialists in geomorphology, pedology, geomatics, human and economic geography, as well as in meteorology, hydrology, regional geography and the environment.



Geology and Geophysics

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Geology
Geological Engineering
Geophysics

MASTER

Assessment of Sedimentation Basins and Mineral Resources
Environmental Geological and Geotechnical Engineering
Geobiology Applied in the Conservation of Natural and Cultural Heritage
Applied Geophysics (in English)

PhD

Doctoral School in Geology

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Unique in the country, the Faculty of Geology and Geophysics continues and develops the traditions of Romanian geology at a high scientific and didactic level, encouraging the modernization and permanent updating of approaches and study methods, as well as the blending of theoretical and practical elements to train specialists of excellence in the concerned fields.



History

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History
Art History
International Relations and European Studies
History (Distance Learning)

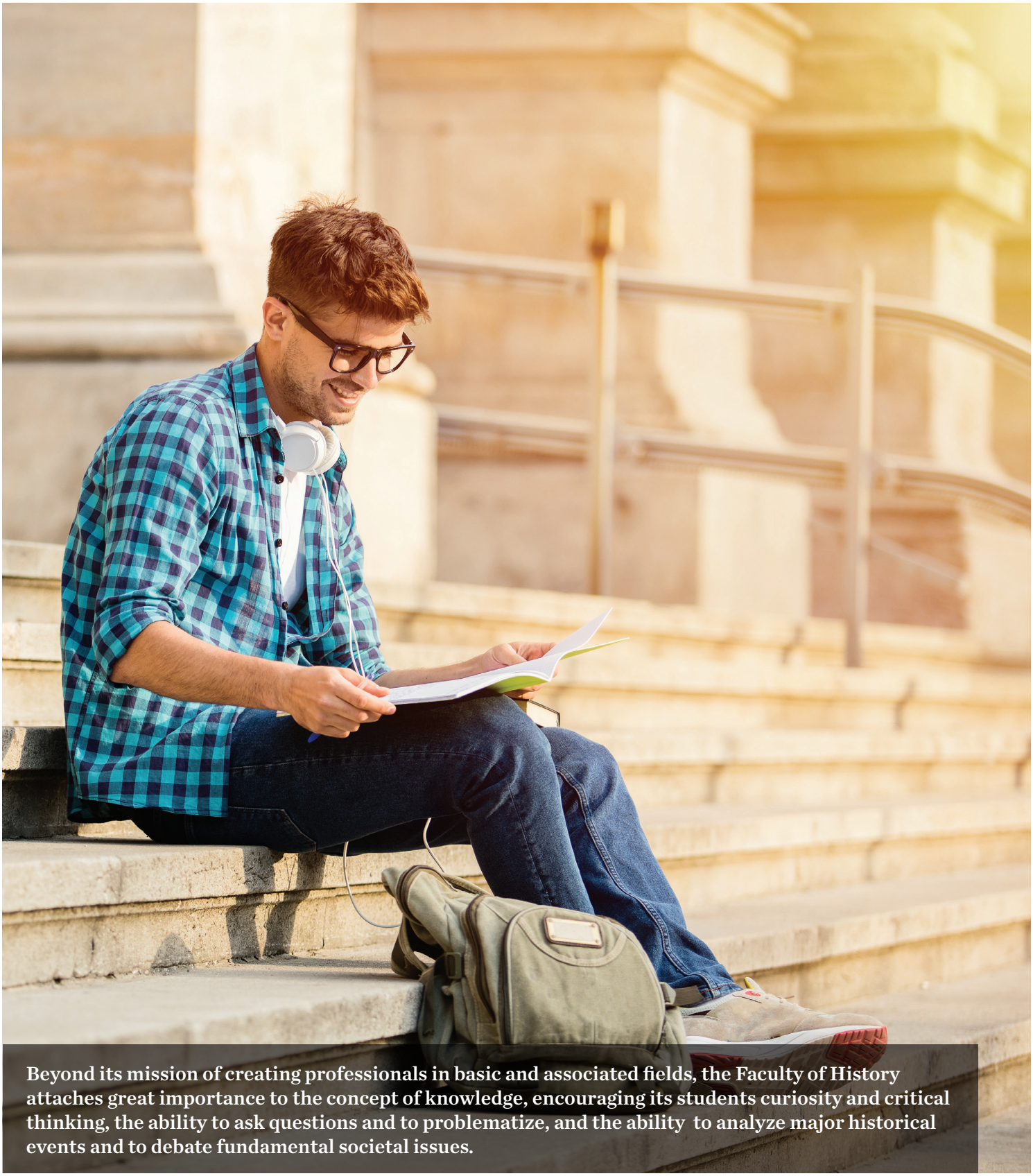
MASTER

Cultural Interfaces in Prehistory and Antiquity
History and Military Policy in Romania in the XIX–XXI centuries
Politics and Society in the XXth Century
History of Communism in Romania
Art History and Philosophy of Culture (interdisciplinary with the Faculty of Philosophy)
Medieval Studies (interdisciplinary with the Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures)
Diplomatic Techniques
History and Practice of International Relations
History, Cultural Resources and Heritage in Contemporary Society
Experiments of Modernity
History of Ideas, Mentalities and Mass Culture (interdisciplinary with the Faculty of Journalism and Communication Studies)
Didactic MA in History

PhD

Doctoral School in History

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Beyond its mission of creating professionals in basic and associated fields, the Faculty of History attaches great importance to the concept of knowledge, encouraging its students curiosity and critical thinking, the ability to ask questions and to problematize, and the ability to analyze major historical events and to debate fundamental societal issues.



Journalism and Communication Studies

BACHELOR

Journalism
Journalism (Distance Learning)
Communication and Public Relations
Communication and Public Relations (Distance Learning)
Advertising
Advertising (Distance Learning)

MASTER

Communication Campaigns in Advertising and Public Relations
Communication and Human Resources
Journalism and Political Communication
Thematic Journalism
Management of Media Institutions
Multimedia and Audio-Video Production
Applied Research in Communication Studies
Médias, développement et société (in French)
Advertising and Digital Communication (in English)

PhD

Doctoral School in Communication Studies



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In a world that increasingly needs experts in the fields of journalism, advertising and public relations, FJSC develops and trains professionals in all these fields. It combines original and creative approaches to the study topics with the mission of training specialists in journalism and communication sciences, endowed with a developed creative spirit and dedicated to the correct and balanced information delivered to the public.

Foreign Languages and Literatures

BACHELOR

Modern Language and Literature (A)* – Modern Language and Literature (B)** / Latin Language and Literature / Romanian Language and Literature
Classical Philology (Latin Language and Literature – Ancient Greek Language and Literature)
Applied Modern Languages (English with Czech / Croatian / French / German / Italian / Polish / Russian / Slovak / Spanish)
Translation and Interpretation (English, French, German, Italian, Russian, Spanish)
American Studies
Jewish studies

MASTER

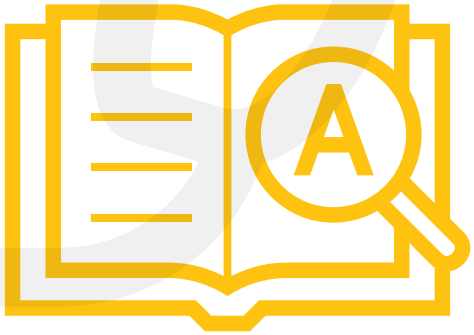
American Studies (in English)
British Cultural Studies (in English)
Culture and Language of European Organizations
Digital Humanities (in English)
Interkulturelle Kommunikationsstrategien – Literatur und Linguistik – Germanistik (in German)
English Linguistics. Methods and Applications (in English)
European Master in Conference Interpreting
Master d'Études françaises et francophones (in French)
Máster de estudios hispánicos (in Spanish)
Islamic Area. Societies, Cultures, Mentalities
Русский прикладной язык. Техники перевода (in Russian)
Slavic Cultural Studies: Russia and the Slavic Countries of Central and Eastern Europe
East-Asian Studies
Religious Studies. Texts and Traditions
Specialized Translations and Terminology Studies
Latin-Romance Translation Studies
Translation of the Contemporary Literary Text (in English)
Pedagogical Master's Degree in French Language and Literature (in French)
Pedagogical Master's Degree in French Language and Literature (in German)

PhD

Doctoral School in Languages and Cultural Identities
Doctoral School in Literary and Cultural Studies

* Arabic, Bulgarian, Czech, Chinese, Croatian, English, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Hungarian, Dutch, Modern Greek, Polish, Portuguese, Romani, Russian, Serbian, Slovak, Spanish, Swedish, Turkish, Ukrainian.
** Catalan, Dutch, English, French, German, Hindi, Italian, Korean, Persian, Portuguese, Russian, Spanish, Swedish.

Note:
The following combinations are not allowed: Spanish - Italian (A or B), Portuguese – Russian (A or B), Portuguese A – Latin B, Russian A – Latin B



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Dedicated to the concepts of diversity and multiculturalism, the Faculty of Foreign Languages and Literatures comes with an extremely rich offer of programs for all levels of study and with innovative and dynamic approaches and teaching methods, meant to form well-trained specialists equiped with an integrative vision on the areas in which they operate.



Letters

BACHELOR

Romanian Language and Literature – A Modern Language and Literature *
Universal and Comparative Literature – A Modern Language and Literature * / Latin Language and Literature **
Communication and Public Relations
Communication and Public Relations (Distance Learning)
European Studies
Ethnology***
Information and Documentation Sciences
Managerial and Administrative Assistance

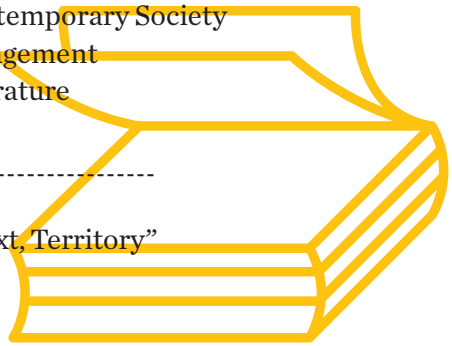
* English, French, German, Italian, Spanish, Portuguese, Russian.
** The program enrols once every 2 years, alternatively with the Ethnology Program.
*** The program enrols once every 2 years, alternatively with the Universal and Comparative Literature Program – A Modern Language and Literature / Latin Language and Literature.

MASTER

Literary Studies
Editing – Theory and Practice
Theoretical and Applied Linguistics
Didactics of Philological Disciplines
Jewish Culture and Civilization
Ethnology, Cultural Anthropology and Folklore
Culture and Politics in a European and International Context
Image Theory and Practice (Interdisciplinary Master's Degree of the Centre of Excellence in Image Study)
Society, Multimedia, Spectacle (Interdisciplinary Master's Degree of the Centre of Excellence in Image Study)
Communication and Public Relations Models
Advertising Consultancy and Expertise
Information Management in Contemporary Society
Information and Document Management
Didactic MA in Language and Literature

PhD

Doctoral School of Letters
Doctoral School "Space, Image, Text, Territory"



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Founded in 1863, the UB Faculty of Letters encourages creativity and originality as manners of broadening personal and human horizons and imprints an active and innovative rhythm to teaching and learning methods applied in the interactions between students and teachers.



Mathematics and Computer Science

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Mathematics
Mathematics-Computer Science
Applied Mathematics
Computer Science
Information Technology

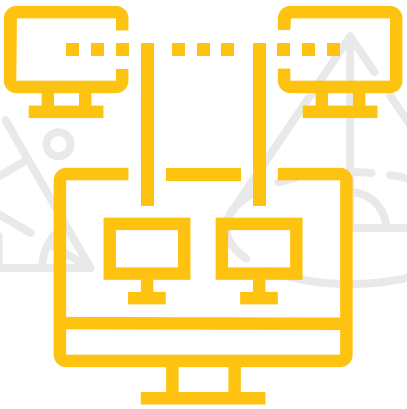
MASTER

Mathematics
Advanced Studies in Mathematics (in English) – in partnership with Normal Superior School in Bucharest
Mathematical Analysis and Applications
Didactic Mathematics
Probability and Statistics in Finance and Sciences

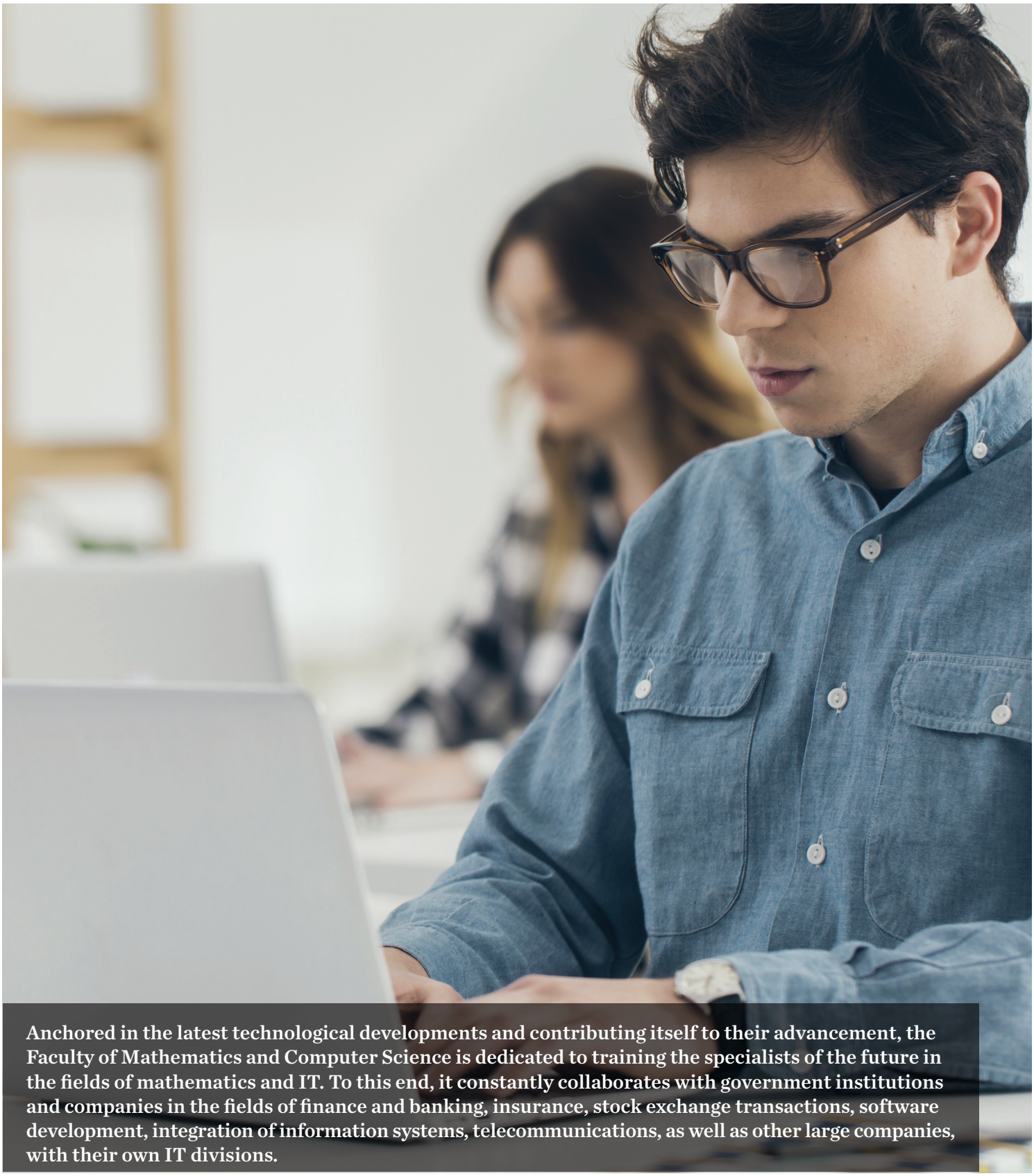
Computer Science
Databases and Software Technologies
Data Science (in English)
Software Engineering
Artificial Intelligence (in English)
Security and Applied Logic (in English)
Distributed Systems
Natural Language Processing (in English)
Databases and Software Technologies (Distance Learning)

PhD

Doctoral School in Mathematics
Doctoral School in Computer Science



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Anchored in the latest technological developments and contributing itself to their advancement, the Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science is dedicated to training the specialists of the future in the fields of mathematics and IT. To this end, it constantly collaborates with government institutions and companies in the fields of finance and banking, insurance, stock exchange transactions, software development, integration of information systems, telecommunications, as well as other large companies, with their own IT divisions.

Psychology and Educational Sciences

BACHELOR

Psychology
Psychology – Cognitive Science
Psychology – Cognitive Science (in English – to be certified)
Pedagogy
Special Psychopedagogy
Pedagogy of Primary and Preschool Education – Bucharest
Pedagogy of Primary and Preschool Education – Buzău
Pedagogy of Primary and Preschool Education – Focșani
Pedagogy of Primary and Preschool Education (Distance Learning)

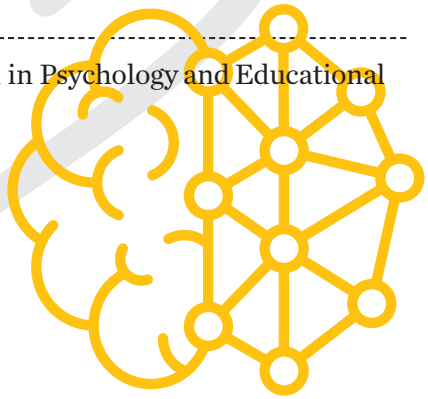
MASTER

Psychology
Clinical Psychology and Child and Family Psychotherapy
Clinical Psychology – Evaluation and Therapeutic Intervention
Psychodiagnosis, Unifying Experiential Psychotherapy (PEU) and Personal Development
Trauma Psychology – Clinical Evaluation and Therapeutic Intervention
Health Psychology – Clinical Research and Behavioral Optimization
Organizational Psychology and Human Resource Management
Psychology of Work, Transport and Services
Occupational Health and Human Resource Performance
Applied Psychology in the Field of National Security
Educational Psychology and Psychological Counseling
Emotionally Focused Therapy
Cognitive Behavioural Therapy

Educational Sciences
Training of Trainers
Management and Evaluation of Organizations and Educational Programs
School and Career Counseling
Pre-Secondary Education. Development Policies and Strategies
Inclusive School Psychopedagogy
Speech Therapy in Communication Processes
Educational Management – Focșani
Educational Management – Buzău
Mentoring in Education
Learning, Innovation and Coaching in Education
Information and Communication Technologies in Education
Early Education (Interdisciplinary)
Alternative Pedagogies and Theatrical Art in Education (Interdisciplinary with Theater and Performing Arts)
Educational Management (IFR)

PhD

Doctoral School in Psychology and Educational Sciences



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An educational and research institution both modern and representative, national leader in various areas of professional and scientific specialization, the Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences has assumed as fundamental objectives the initial and continuous training of highly qualified specialists, the development of scientific research of excellence in the fields of psychology and educational sciences, as well as an active and concrete contribution to solving great social and community problems.



Sociology and Social Work

BACHELOR

Sociology
Sociology (in English)
Social Work
Social Work (Distance Learning)
Anthropology
Human Resources

MASTER

Counseling in Social Work
Risk Groups and Social Support Services
Management of Social and Health Services
Prevention and Combating Illicit Drug Use
Probation
Anthropology, Community and Regional Development
Social Deviance and Crime
Management of Human Resources
Sociology of Consumption and Marketing
Surveys, Marketing and Advertising
Security Studies
Advanced Sociological Research
Public Policies and Management in Public Administration Research in Sociology (in English)

PhD

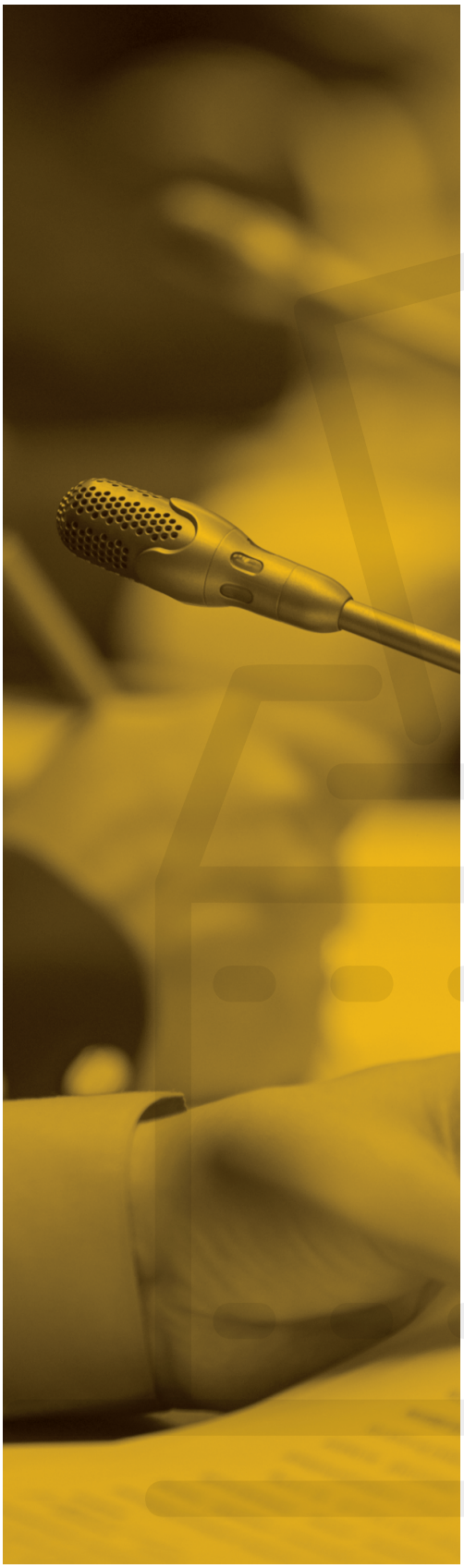
Doctoral School in Sociology



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Starting from the premise that any society evolves through its people, the Faculty of Sociology and Social Work combines theoretical and practical approaches in the mission of training unprejudiced professionals, able to analyse essential social phenomena and to formulate and implement successful social policies.



Political Science

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Political Science
Political Science (in English)
Sciences Politiques (in French)
Political Science
Security Studies

International Relations and European Studies
International Relations and European Studies (in English)

MASTER

Political Science
Comparative Politics (in English)
Politique en Europe: État, Frontières et Sociétés (in French, double degree with École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales Paris)
Equal Opportunities Policies in a European and Romanian Context (professional master in Romanian with an optional module in French that allows double degree with Université de Lyon by enroling in the European MA – E.G.A.L.E.S.)

International Relations and European Studies
International Relations
European Studies
International Public Affairs (professional master in English)

PhD

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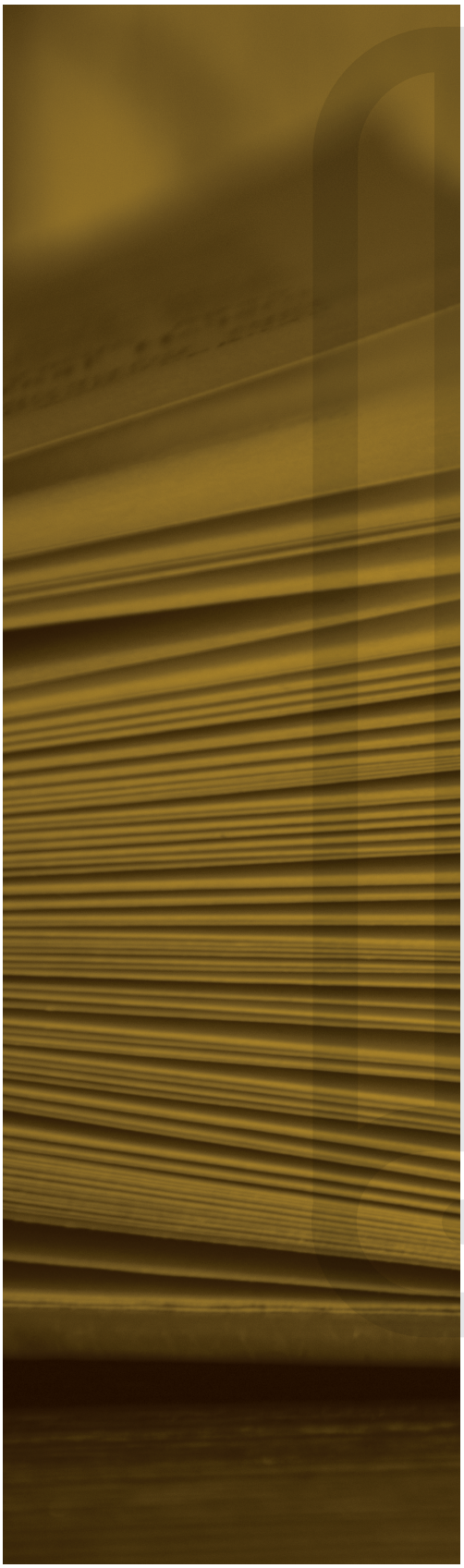


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Founded in 1991 in direct opposition to the party education of the former communist regime, the Faculty of Political Science helps to establish and use complex knowledge, nationally and globally, through higher education and research. The Faculty of Political Science embraces and conveys to its students the importance of academic integrity, as a fundamental value in society, and the responsibility of critical thinking.

It is the only faculty with this profile in the country that offers a complete bachelor-master-doctoral path in Romanian, English and French in the fields of Political Science and International Relations & European Studies.



Orthodox Theology

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Orthodox Pastoral Theology
Orthodox Pastoral Theology (Rome, Italy)
Didactic Orthodox Theology
Orthodox Theology – Social Work
Sacred Art

MASTER

Sacred Art in Contemporaneity
Ecclesiastical Communication and Communion in the Orthodox Space
Christian Doctrine and Culture
Biblical Exegesis and Hermeneutics
Christian History and Tradition
Pastoral Care and Liturgical Life
Theology and Social Mission of the Church
Tourism and Religious Heritage
Economic Management and Administration of Church Units

PhD

Doctoral School in Orthodox Theology

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Founded in 1884 and under the authority of the UB since 1890, the Faculty of Orthodox Theology has established itself over time through an optimal process of education and scientific research, recognized nationally and internationally, in order to contribute to the great discussion about fundamental religious themes.



Roman-Catholic Theology

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Roman-Catholic Theology – Social Work
Religious Studies

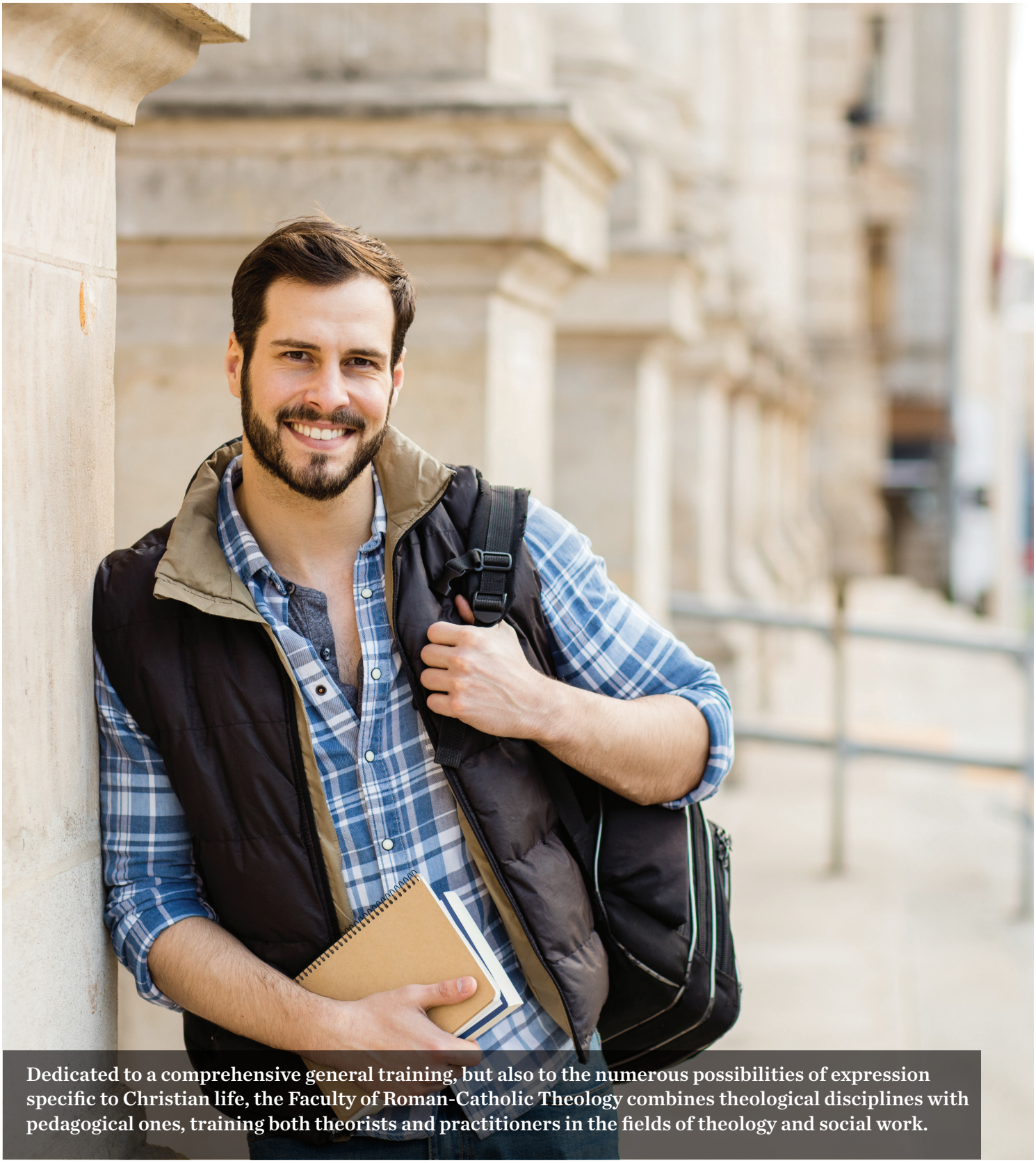
MASTER

Church Social Work
Biblical and Ecclesiastical Communication
Christian European Heritage

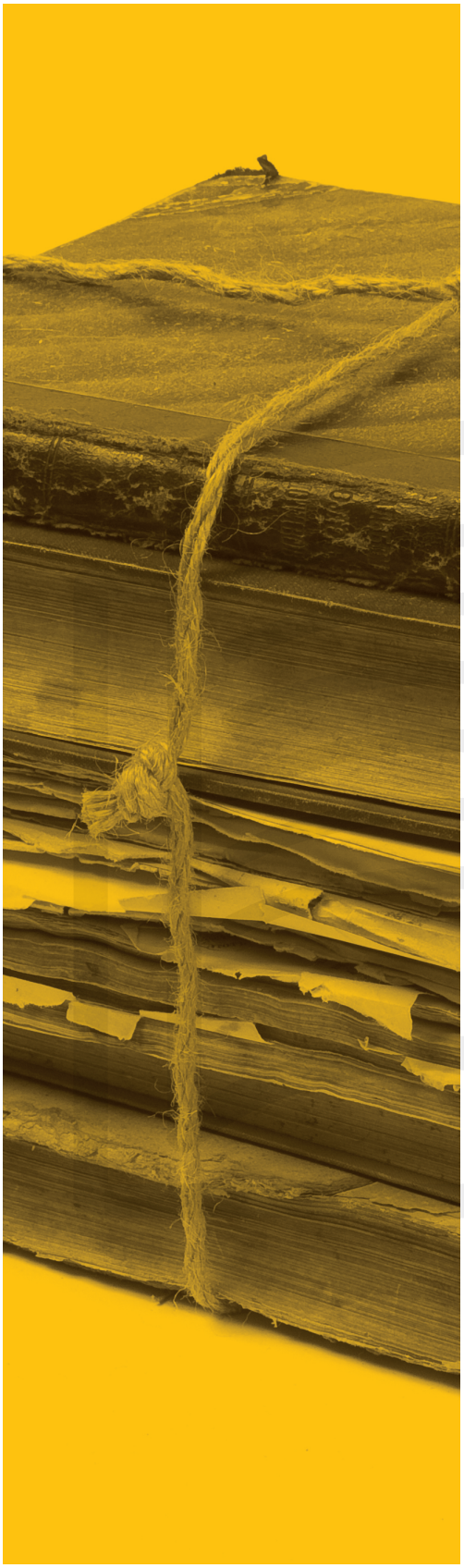
PhD

Doctoral School in Theology and Religious Studies

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Dedicated to a comprehensive general training, but also to the numerous possibilities of expression specific to Christian life, the Faculty of Roman-Catholic Theology combines theological disciplines with pedagogical ones, training both theorists and practitioners in the fields of theology and social work.



Baptist Theology

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Baptist Theology – Social Work

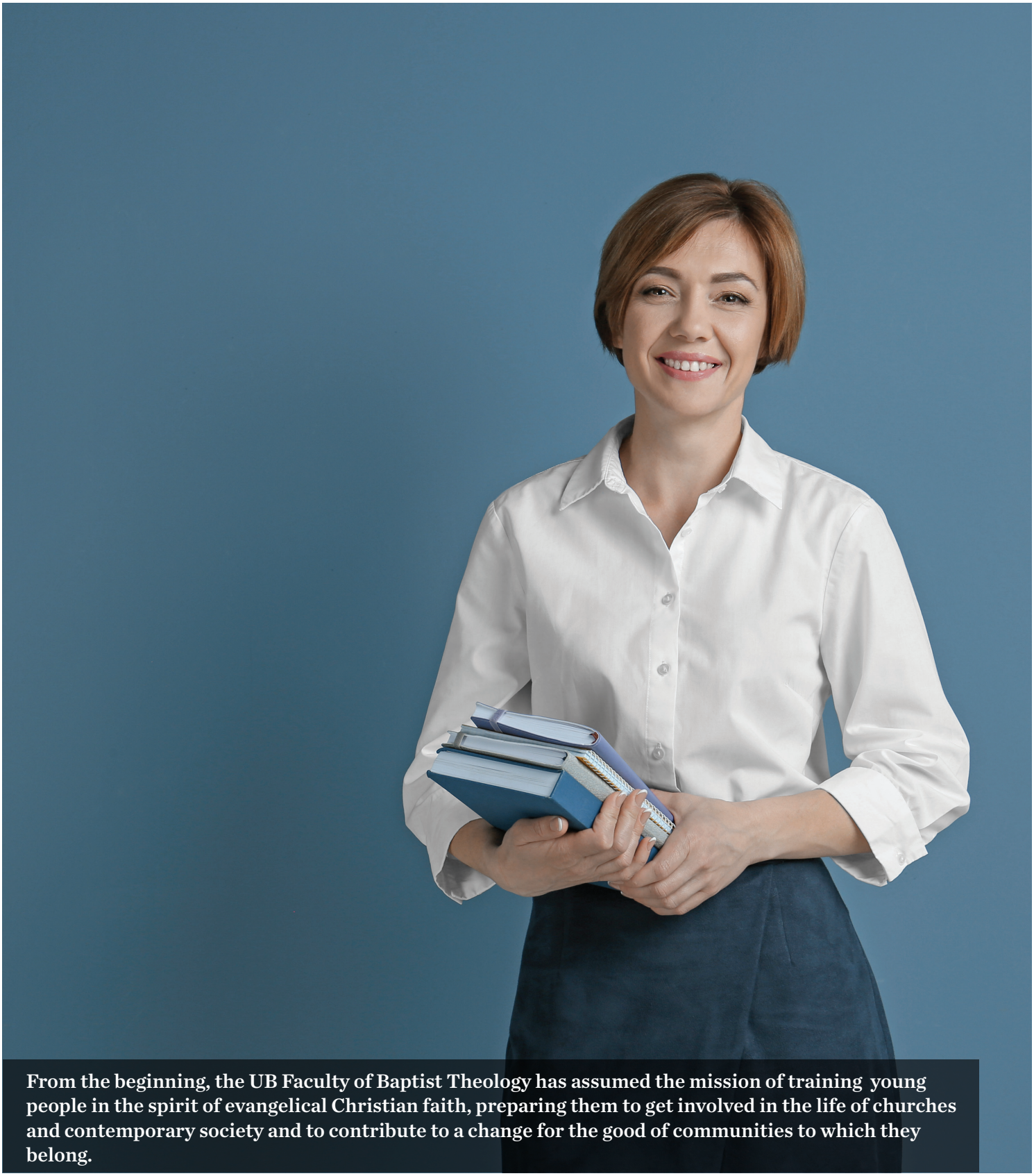
MASTER

Baptist Theology

PhD

Doctoral School in Theology and Religious Studies

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From the beginning, the UB Faculty of Baptist Theology has assumed the mission of training young people in the spirit of evangelical Christian faith, preparing them to get involved in the life of churches and contemporary society and to contribute to a change for the good of communities to which they belong.

Competitiveness, Employability and International Recognition

In today's global society, where competition for human capital has become increasingly strong, the University of Bucharest is making notable efforts and steady progress in placing itself among the elite international universities, including through a visible presence in international charts and rankings.
In a progressively open world, beyond the need to respond quickly to local problems, a university which is connected to the realities of the moment must constantly adapt to both new regional and global challenges and to the constant competition encouraged by an increasingly globalized society.



UB is the only university in Romania present in the top QS – Employability 2020, with a position in the range of 301–500 worldwide, thus confirming the reputation it enjoys among employers. The list covers several key issues, such as student outcomes, partnerships with employers, connections between students and employers, and the employability rate of graduates.

The university of Bucharest ranks first nationally and in the range of 801–1000 worldwide in the **QS World University Rankings 2020.**

UB occupies the 42nd position in the international ranking QS – Emerging Europe and Central Asia University Ranking 2020.

Fields of Excellence at UB

In **Quacquarelli Symonds University Rankings**, in 2020, the University of Bucharest appears in 10 domains and subdomains out of the 53 analysed:

In World University Rankings by Subject, UB is found in 4 fundamental fields out of the 5 fields analysed: *Art and Humanities* and *Natural Science* (position 1 at national level), *Engineering & Technologies* and *Social Science & Management*;

UB is the only university in the country classified in the *English Language & Literature* and *Linguistics* subdomains;

UB is ranked first at national level for the subdomains *Chemistry* and *Physics & Astronomy*;

In 2020, for the first time, UB is included in **QS World University Rankings by Subject** with the subdomain *Computer Science* (*Computer Science & Information Systems*).

In **Shanghai Global Ranking of Academic Subjects**, UB is present with the field *Earth Sciences*.

In the world ranking of universities after the impact on society according to the objectives of the UN – **Times Higher Education University Impact Rankings**, UB occupies the first position at national level, being best ranked at the objectives *Peace, justice and strong institutions, Reduced inequalities*, and *Gender equality*.

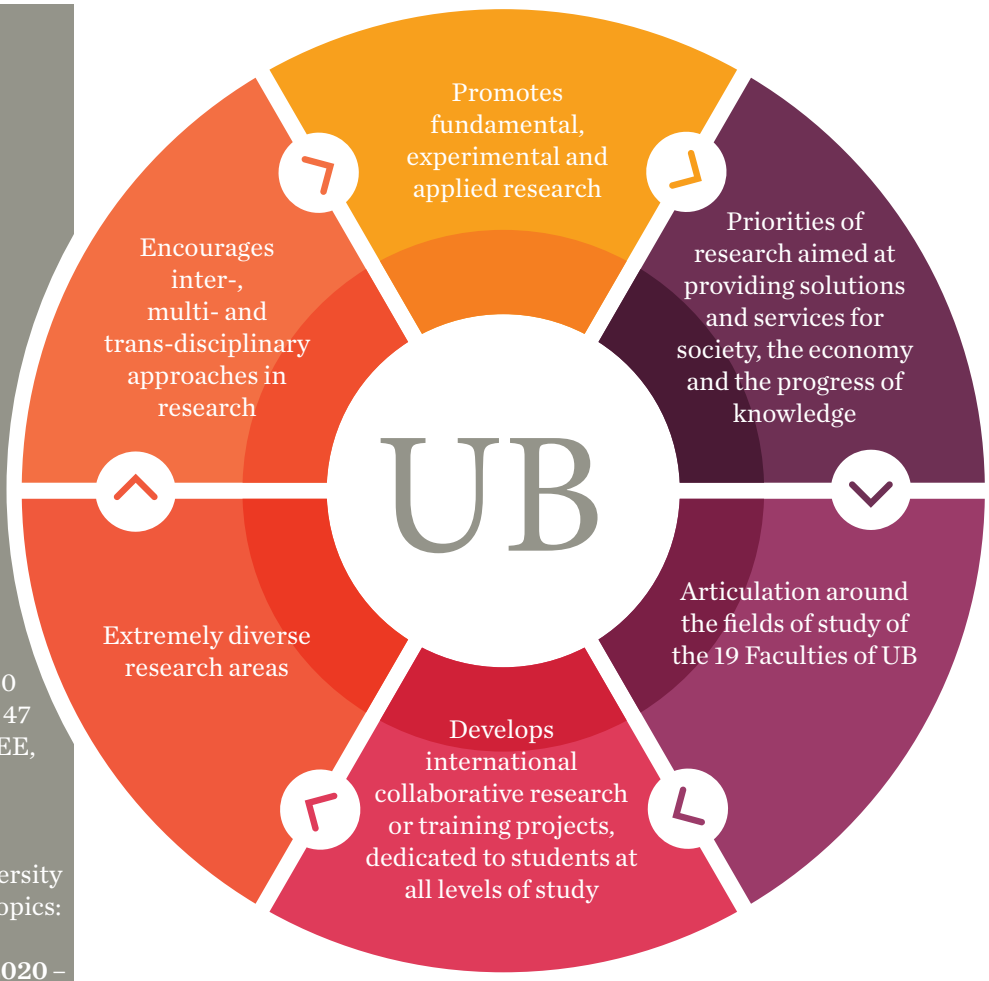
In the **URAP Field Based Ranking 2019/2020**, UB is present with 5 domains: *Mathematics*, *Physics*, *Geology* (first position at national level), *Earth Sciences* (the only university from Romania) and *Chemistry* (second position at national level).

In the ranking **Times Higher Education (THE)**, the University of Bucharest is ranked in 6 domains: *Art and Humanities, Business and Economics, Computer Science, Life Science, Physical Science*, and *Social Science*.

In **Round University Ranking**, UB occupies the first position at national level, being present in 5 of the 6 fundamental analysed areas, and being ranked on the first position at national level in 3 of them: *Social Science, Natural Science, Life Science.*

Excellence in Research

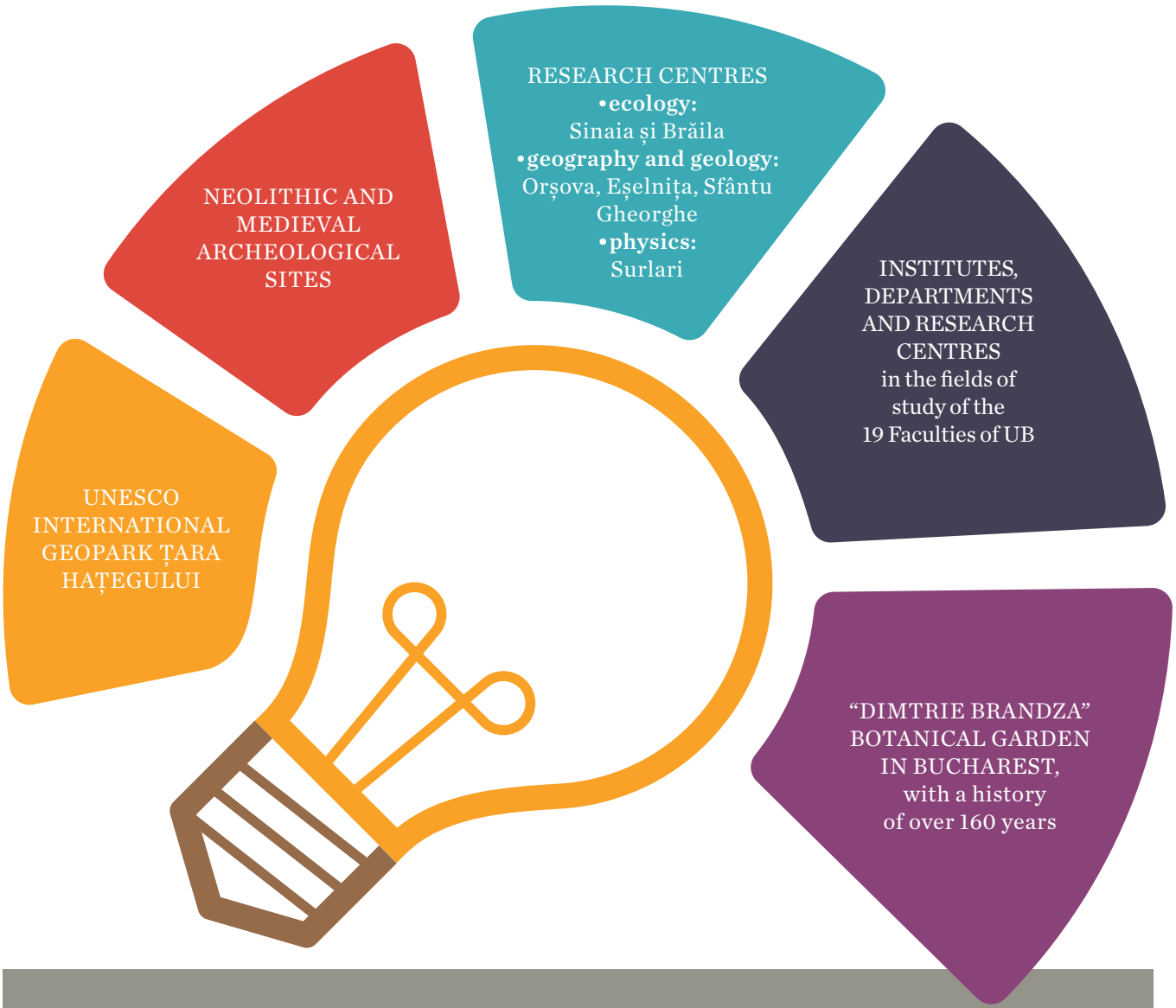




In 2019, UB has implemeted 150 national research projects and 47 international projects (ERC, SEE, ERANET, Horizon 2020, AUF, Dubna, EUREKA etc.)

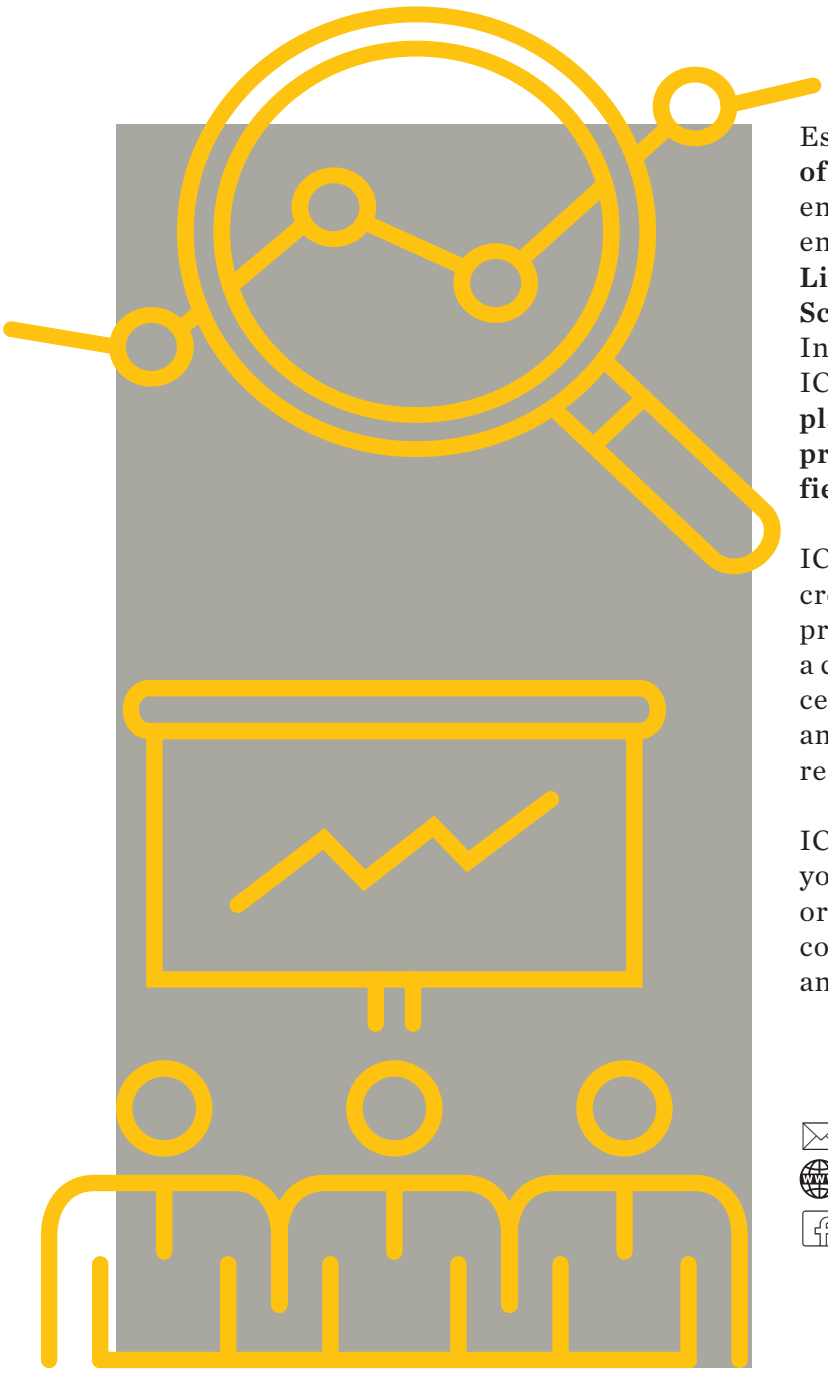
Several examples show the diversity and interdisciplinarity of the topics:

- **ERC Starting Grant, 2015–2020** – *Record-keeping, fiscal reform, and the rise of institutional accountability in late-medieval Savoy: a source-oriented approach*;
- **EEA-RO-NO-RO02** – *Caves as archives of climate and environmental changes. A Center of Excellence in speological research*;
- **EEA-RO-NO2018-0496** – *Spacetime Vision – Towards Unsupervised Learning in the 4DWorld*;
- **AUF-IFA 2019–2020** – *Campagnes « anti-genre » en Europe: enjeux de savoir, enjeux de pouvoir*;
- **ERA-NET AWARE** – *Antibiotic Resistance in Wastewater: Transmission Risks for Employees and Residents around Waste Water Treatment Plants*;
- **PDI-PFE-CDI ID 335** – *Interdisciplinary Institutional Platform for Excellence in Research, Development, Innovation and Professional Training in Archaeological Sciences*;
- **POC2014–2020** – *Large Research Infrastructures – Strengthening the capacity of ecosystem research and biodiversity of the University of Bucharest through e-science and technology – Lifewatch Romania.*



In 2019, UB researchers published over 1000 studies indexed in Clarivate Analytics (*Nature*, *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*), of which over 30% were conducted in collaboration with researchers from more than 30 countries and over 50 books and chapters at prestigious international publishers (Oxford University Press, Springer, Wiley, Elsevier, etc.)

Research Institute of the University of Bucharest



Established in 2014, the **Research Institute of the University of Bucharest (ICUB)** was envisaged as an innovative structure, which encourages excellence and interdisciplinarity in **Life, Environment and Earth Sciences**, **Exact Sciences**, **Humanities** and **Social Sciences**. In addition to **the 4 key areas of research**, ICUB hosts **the institutional interdisciplinary platform for excellence in research, professional development, and training in the field of archeology – ArchaeoSciences**.

ICUB's mission is to provide a dynamic and creative environment for both young and professional researchers and to assert itself as a central point in the international research centres network, promoting the collaboration and the partnerships with other centres and research projects.

ICUB offers scholarship programs for both young and professional researchers and organizes various international scientific events: conferences and workshops, seminars, lectures and summer schools.

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SECTION

Life, Environment and Earth Sciences

The section aims at excellence in research in the fields of biology, geography and geology by creating an attractive research platform and by securing funding for individual and group projects of both UB researchers and renowned scientists or young researchers from abroad.

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SECTION

Exact Sciences

The section includes researchers from three faculties of the University of Bucharest: Faculty of Chemistry, Faculty of Mathematics and Computer Science and Faculty of Physics. The basic mission of the section is to support and encourage research and interdisciplinary projects of the University of Bucharest.

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Social Sciences

The section aims at promoting "smart" research, building a research platform in accordance with the time and providing scientific arguments for public policy decisions. The mission is to support interdisciplinary research projects with an international dimension in areas such as law, public administration, business, sociology, political science, international relations, psychology, journalism and communication.

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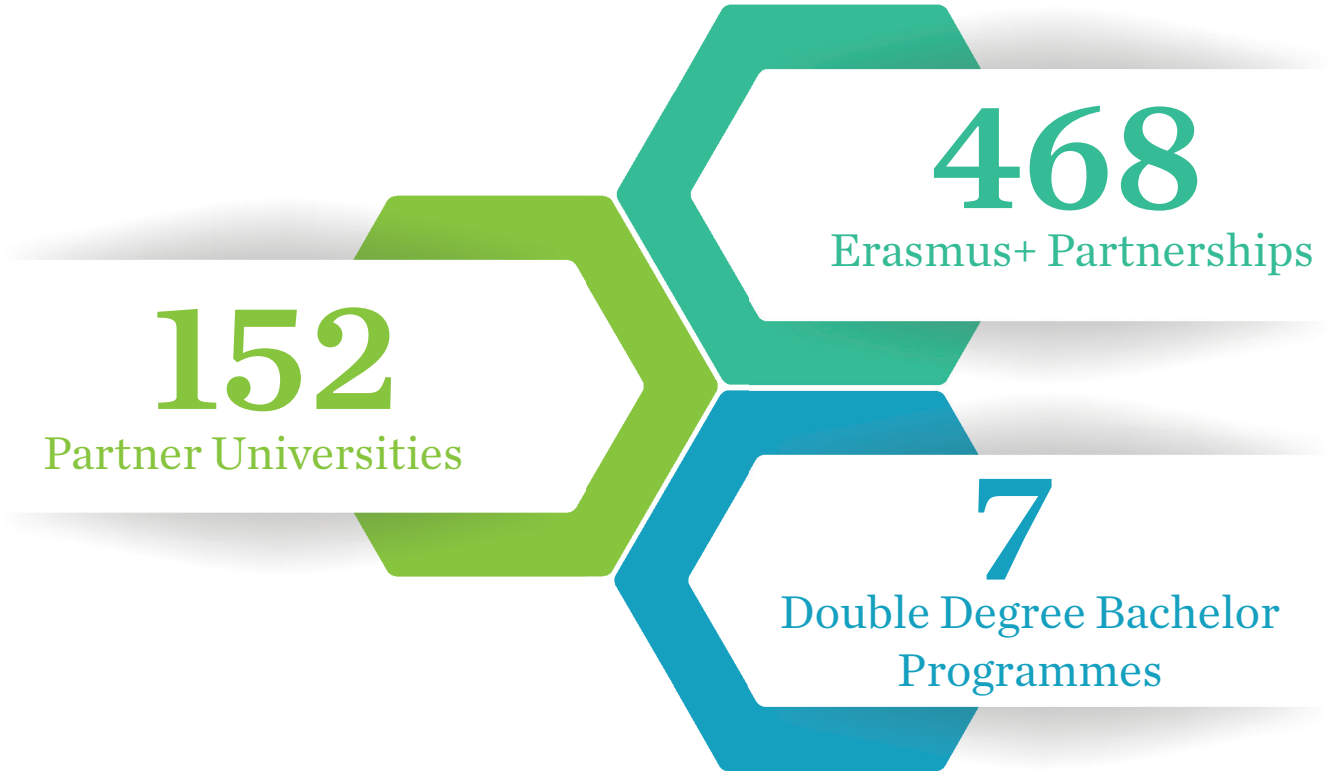
SECTION

Humanities

The section has undertaken its mission to promote and stimulate exceptional research in the humanities. It encourages international projects in disciplines such as history, philology, philosophy, intellectual history and religious studies, but also interdisciplinary or multidisciplinary projects.

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Extensive International Collaborations



International Mobilities

Erasmus+ Programmes

Summer Schools, Workshops and International Conferences

Exchange Programmes

Free Access to International Research Platforms

The Network of Universities from the Capitals of Europe (UNICA)

Founded in 1990, it is an institutional network of 53 universities in 37 European capitals, bringing together 175,000 employees and 1,950,000 students. Its goals are to facilitate international collaboration and to promote the leading role of European universities, as well as academic exchanges in the European space.

The European University Association (EUA)

It represents more than 800 universities in 48 European countries and plays a key role in the Bologna process and in influencing EU policies on higher education, research and innovation, ensuring that the independent voice of European universities is heard.

The Balkan Universities Association (BUA)

It includes 79 universities and proposes to generate a strengthened vision for the future through universities, libraries and research centres in the Balkans in relation to global common values and the challenges of today.



Black Sea Universities Network (BSUN)

It includes over 120 universities in the 12 member states of the Black Sea Economic Cooperation Organization: Albania, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Georgia, Greece, Moldova, Romania, Russia, Turkey, Ukraine and Serbia. It aims to contribute to the development of a collaborative platform for universities in the Black Sea area.

L'Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie (AUF)

It includes 1007 universities, academic networks and scientific research centres that use French in 119 countries. Supports cooperation and solidarity between French-speaking university institutions in order to contribute to the development of higher education and research.

Central European Exchange Program for University Studies (CEEPUS)

It is a university network of mobilities with a tradition in the Central European space that finances the mobility of students and teachers, in which Romania has been a member since 1998.

CIVIS – UB Strategic Partnership

A strong alliance of **10 European universities**
grouped around a **common vision.**
A community of almost **470.000 students**
and **68.000 teaching and administrative staff**
united by a common vision and shared values.



CIVIS

A European Civic University

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CIVIS – initiative led and structured around the four cardinal points of knowledge: education, research, innovation and civic involvement.



Local Level: establishment of open labs which will strongly cooperate with regions of origin and the entire society.

European Level: establishment of a Hub for each challenge aiming at developing multinational and multidisciplinary research and teaching programmes.

Global Level: similar collaboration with partners from African and Mediterranean Areas.

Opportunities for Students

Scholarships

scholarship for scientific performance

performance scholarship "Olympic Merit"

regular scholarship

scholarship for students domiciliated in rural areas

social scholarship and occasional social scholarship

special scholarship for students with remarkable results in cultural or sport activities

special scholarship for extracurricular activities

Summer Schools and Courses

Extracurricular activities

International Exchanges

Vocational and Career Guidance and Counseling

Romanian Language Course for Foreigners

Sport Facilities

UNESCO International Geopark Țara Hațegului

Museum of the University of Bucharest

"Dimitrie Brandza" Botanical Garden



Central University Library "Carol I" and its branches

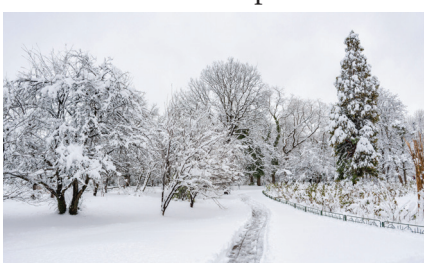
“Dimitrie Brandza” Botanical Garden

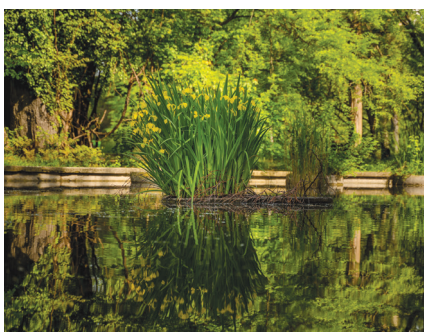
- with a living history that begins in 1860, it is an environment of active interaction and a space for knowledge and research. It covers an area of over 18 hectares.
- hosts over 3700 species of plants from various geographical and climatic areas and many rare plants.
- includes 10 outdoor sectors, organized thematically, a large and varied exhibition greenhouse, the old greenhouse and a fascinating botanical museum.
- The Botanical Garden Herbarium, established in 1882, currently includes a vast collection of over 500,000 plates.

- **The Botanical Museum** was added to the Botanical Garden in 1882 by the famous botanist Dimitrie Brândză.
- it is structured in 22 rooms, dedicated to the history of the Botanical Garden, medicinal plants, curiosities from the world of plants, special collections, etc.
- the first museum of this kind in which the zoning and layering of vegetation was applied in order to restore the unity of the living world. For even greater accuracy, the habitats thus constituted also include animals characteristic of the respective vegetation areas.
- the most important collection is the watercolors, made by Angiolina Santocono, with over 2500 works representing native and exotic plants.

- **The greenhouses of the Botanical Garden** are a study and research area, but also a recreation space in an exotic environment.
- include a rich selection of lush and unusual species from tropical, subtropical and equatorial areas around the globe.
- the exhibition-greenhouse, structured in eight compartments, includes over 1200 unique species.
- the old greenhouse, built between 1889 and 1891 after the model of the greenhouses in Liège, today includes a single visitable pavilion, intended for a collection of plants specific to tropical forests.









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UNESCO International Geopark Țara Hațegului

The Geopark is an international programme of continuous collaboration between the University of Bucharest and the partners from Țara Hațegului, in social, economic and cultural development projects. The Geopark expands the academic space of education, research and training in the real world.

- It is a member of the International Network of UNESCO Geoparks, the first territory in Romania with this status and the only geopark managed by a university.
- It is a model for other geopark projects, obtaining multiple awards, including the *Champion Model for Sustainable Development*, awarded by the Romanian Government.
- It includes 12 localities from Țara Hațegului, Hunedoara County, in the southwest of Transylvania.
- Scientific research is reflected in activities of interpretation and conservation of geological, natural and cultural heritage and in innovative projects in the field of education, geotourism and Creative Traditions.
- The Geopark unites the history of the Earth with the history of humans and invites visitors to a cultural and scientific adventure, a *Road through Time*, from the *Time of the First Rocks*, 600 million years ago, to the *Time of the Dinosaurs* and to *Our Time*.
- ***Discover*** | ***Appreciate*** | ***Respect*** is the invitation addressed to visitors for the development of responsible tourism. It is an approach supported by the 6 visiting routes, by the Geopark Houses, by the partnership for the Ecotourism Destination, by the cooperation in national and international programmes.
- It promotes respect for local communities and supports social entrepreneurship and the circular economy.
- It develops a coherent programme of involvement and continuous training of young people under the brand: *Geopark Volunteers* and *Geopark Ambassadors*.



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Museum of the University of Bucharest

- recomposes a history that descends in time to 1694, the moment when Constantin Brâncoveanu established the Princely Academy in Bucharest.

- established on July 29, 1967, the Museum includes over 2000 originals and facsimiles from the collection of the University and from donations received from professors and their descendants:

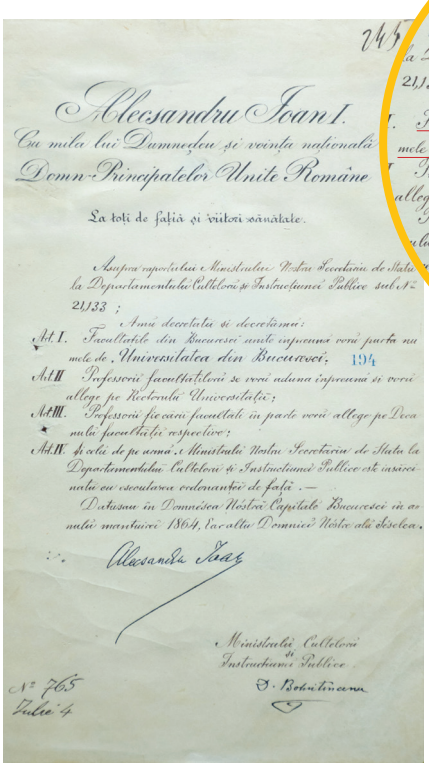
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- the founding moment is marked in the Museum by the decrees of Alexandru Ioan Cuza on the establishment and functioning of UB, as well as by the fundamental stone of the old building of the University, which was put at the foundation of the building on October 10, 1857.

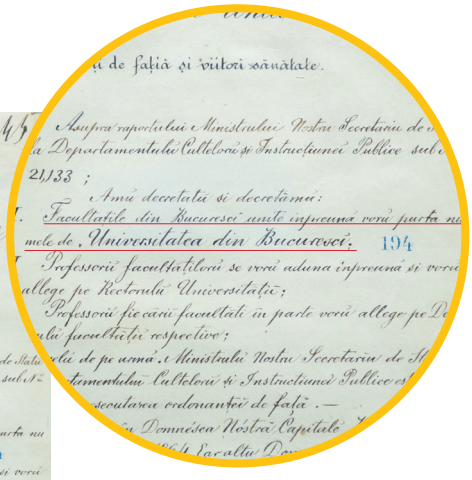
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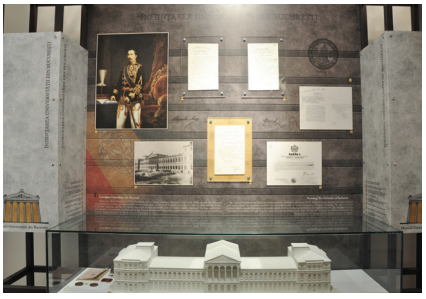


Alecsandru Ioan I.
Cu mila lui Dumnedeu și voința națională
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