



## Europass Curriculum Vitae

### Personal information

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### Desired employment / Occupational field

### Work experience

Dates	1974 - 1977
Occupation or position held	Young engineer
Main activities and responsibilities	Installation and running tests of tire production equipments, artificial fibers processing
Name and address of employer	"Victoria" Tire Company, Floresti-Prahova; "Victoria" Silk Company, Iasi
Type of business or sector	Industry
Dates	1977 – to date
Occupation or position held	Senior researcher (since 1997), Head of Department (2001-2013) / Deputy Director of the Institute (since 2001)
Main activities and responsibilities	Research, teaching (PhD supervisor from 2009, postdoc tutor 2010-2015), management
Name and address of employer	"Petru Poni" Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry, Iasi
Type of business or sector	Research

### Education and training

Dates	October 1985 - April 1992
Title of qualification awarded	PhD
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Multifunctional radical polymerization initiators/organic and macromolecular chemistry; physical chemistry of polymers
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	"Gh. Asachi" Technical University, Iasi
Level in national or international classification	
Dates	1969 – 1974
Title of qualification awarded	Chemical engineer, Polymer Chemistry and Technology
Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Inorganic chemistry, organic chemistry, macromolecular chemistry, analytical chemistry, physical chemistry, physics, mathematics, mechanics, polymer physical chemistry, transfer phenomena, specific equipments and technologies for chemical engineering, technical drawing a.s.o.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	"Gheorghe Asachi" Polytechnic Institute, Iasi

Level in national or international classification	
<b>Personal skills and competences</b>	
Mother tongue(s)	Romanian
Other language(s)	
Self-assessment	
European level (*)	
<b>Language English</b>	
<b>Language French</b>	
	(*) <a href="#">Common European Framework of Reference for Languages</a>
Social skills and competences	Team spirit (working in different research teams, including international teams) Communication skills
Organisational skills and competences	Managerial skills (project level and institutional level) Organizer of national/international scientific events, summer schools, open day actions
Technical skills and competences	Production of silane monomers and of siloxane polymers at laboratory, pilot and industrial scale
Computer skills and competences	Medium level user
Artistic skills and competences	
Other skills and competences	
Driving licence	B category
<b>Additional information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Member of the Coordination Committee of the Romanian Chemical Society</li> <li>- Member of the European Academy of Sciences and Arts, of the Romanian Chemical Society</li> <li>- Member of the Editorial Board of International Journal of Polymer Analysis and Characterization</li> <li>- More than 160 ISI articles, books and book chapters</li> <li>- More than 20 invited lectures in Romania and abroad</li> <li>- Cooperation: Centre of Polymer Chemistry, Zabrze, Poland (1996-to date); Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Mines de Paris, CEMEF Sophia Antipolis, France (1994-to date); Univ. d'Evry Val d'Essonne, Evry, France (1998-to date); Istanbul Technical University, Turkey (1994-2002); Institute of Macromolecular Compounds, St. Petersburg, Russia (1996-to date)</li> <li>- Organizer and co-organizer of different national and international scientific events (e.g. EPNOE International Polysaccharide Conference: Warshaw, Poland, 2015; Nice, France, 2013; Wageningen, Holland, 2011; Turku, Finland, 2009)</li> <li>- Coordinator of 5 industrial contracts</li> <li>- Coordinator or Romanian person in charge of international projects supported by the EC (FP 3, FP 5, FP 6 and FP 7)</li> <li>- Romanian person in charge of 8 bilateral international projects</li> <li>- Coordinator of 8 national projects</li> <li>- "N. Teclu" Prize of the Romanian Academy (1994)</li> <li>- "Gheorghe Spacu" Medal of the Romanian Chemical Society (2009)</li> </ul>
<b>Annexes</b>	<a href="#">List of papers</a> <a href="#">List of projects</a>

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**ISI papers (2010-2016)**

1. Plasma effect on polyhydrosilane/metal interfacial adhesion/cohesion interactions; M. Soroceanu, A.I. Barzic, I. Stoica, L. Sacarescu, E.G. Ioanid, V. Harabagiu; *Int. J. Adhesion Adhesives* **74**, 131-136 (2017)
2. Surface hydrophobization of polyester fibers with poly(methylhydro-dimethyl)siloxane copolymers: Experimental design for testing of modified nonwoven materials as oil spill sorbents; C. Cojocaru, L. Pricop, P. Samoila, R. Rotaru, V. Harabagiu; *Polymer Testing* **59** 377-389 (2017)
3. Oxidation vs. degradation in polysaccharides: Pullulan – A case study; S. Coseri, M. Bercea, V. Harabagiu, T. Budtova; *Eur. Polym. J.* **85**, 82-91 (2016)
4. Novel synthesis route for chitosan-coated zinc ferrite nanoparticles as potential sorbents for wastewater treatment; M. Ignat, P. Samoila, C. Cojocaru, L. Sacarescu, V. Harabagiu; *Chem. Eng. Commun.* **203**(12), 1591-1599 (2016)
5. Viscose-barium titanate composite for electromagnetic shielding; R. Rotaru, C. Peptu, V. Harabagiu; *Cell. Chem. Technol.* **50**(5-6), 621-628 (2016)
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7. Behavior of thermo- and pH-responsive copolymer of N-isopropylacrylamide and maleic acid in aqueous solutions; E.B. Tarabukina, M.A. Simonova, S. Bucatariu, V. Harabagiu, G. Fundueanu, A.P. Filippov; *Int. J. Polym. Annal. Charact.* **21**(1), 11-17 (2016)
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11. Nanotechnology approaches for pain therapy through transdermal drug delivery; C. Peptu, R. Rotaru, L. Ignat, A.C. Humelnicu, V. Harabagiu, C.A. Peptu, M.-M. Leon, F. Mitu, E. Cojocaru, A. Boca, B.I. Tamba; *Curr. Pharm. Design* **21**, 6125-6139 (2015)
12. PNiPAM-functionalized mesoporous carbon for the absorption of Vitamin B2; M. Ignat, M.E. Fortuna, L. Sacarescu, M.F. Zaltarov, V. Harabagiu; *Env. Eng. Manag. J.* **14**(3), 607-613 (2015)
13. The influence of polysilane chemical structure on optical properties, rubbed film morphology and LC alignment; M. Soroceanu, A.I. Barzic, I. Stoica, L. Sacarescu, V. Harabagiu; *Express Polym. Lett.* **9**(5), 456-468 (2015)
14. Organic-inorganic hybrid nanomaterials based on inorganic oxides and a mesomorphic polyazomethine; E. Perju, L. Ghimpu, G. Hitrc, V. Harabagiu, M. Bruma, L. Marin; *High Perform. Polym.* **27**(5) 546–554 (2015)
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18. Computational study of the electronic absorption spectra of polyhydrosilanes; L. Sacarescu, M. Fortuna, M. Soroceanu, C. Cojocaru, G. Sacarescu, M. Simionescu, V. Harabagiu; *Silicon* **7** 343-349 (2015)
19. Synthesis and Investigation of Double Stimuli-Responsive Behavior of NIsopropylacrylamide and Maleic Acid Copolymer in Solutions; A. Filippov, E. Tarabukina, M. Simonova, T. Kirila, G. Fundueanu, V. Harabagiu, M. Constantin, I. Popescu; *J. Macromol Sci. Part B: Phys.* **54** (9), 1105-1121 (2015)
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22. Modification of  $\beta$ -cyclodextrin through solution ring-opening oligomerization of  $\beta$ -butyrolactone; C. Peptu, I. Kwiecien, V. Harabagiu, B. C. Simionescu, M. Kowalcuk; *Cell. Chem. Technol.* **48**, 1-10 (2014)
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24. Poly(N-isopropylacrylamide-co-methacrylic acid) pH/thermo-responsive porous hydrogels as self-regulating drug delivery system; M. Constantin, S. Bucatariu, V. Harabagiu, I. Popescu, P. Ascenzi, G. Fundueanu; *Eur. J. Pharm. Sci.* **62**, 86-95 (2014)
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30. Nanocomposites based on aromatic polyamide-imide and magnesium hydrosilicate nanotubes; G. Gubanova, S. Kononova, S. Bronnikov, K. Romashkova, T. Sukhanova, E. Korytkova, D. Timpu, M. Cristea, V. Harabagiu; *J. Macromol. Sci., Part B: Phys.* **53**, 555-567 (2014)
31. Surface modifications of aromatic polyimides by RF-oxygen plasma and pulsed electrical discharges in water; C. Miron, I. Sava, M. Aflori, L. Ursu, I. Jepu, C. Porosnicu, C.P. Lungu, L. Sacarescu, V. Harabagiu; *JOAM* **16**, 1206-1211 (2014)
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### **Book chapters**

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### **List of projects**

#### **National projects**

Program/Project	Function	Period
<b>PNII - Cooperation Program</b> 1. Contract PNII-PT-PCCA-2013 59/2014: <i>Monitoring the structural/self-healing integrity of the wind turbine blades and of other devices made of "smart" composites (STHEMWOTB)</i> 2. Contract nr. PNII-PT-PCCA-2013-276/20114: <i>Liposomal cyclodextrin-based formulations for transdermal pain therapy (NANODERMA)</i> Partners: Universitatea Tehnica „Gh. Asachi”, Iasi Universitatea de Medicina si Farmacie „Gr. T. Popa”, Iasi A&B. srl	Partner responsible Project director	2014-016 2014-016
<b>CNCIS</b> 3. Grant 64/2006: <i>Nanomaterials, supramolecular interactions in polymer systems and organic-inorganic hybrids: fundamentals, mechanisms, methods</i>	Project director	2006-2008
<b>CEEx MATNANTECH Program</b> 4. Project 40(510)/2005: <i>Integrated scientific network for development of knowledge-based multifunctional polymeric materials</i> Partners: Universitatea Tehnica „Gh. Asachi”, Iasi Institutul de Chimie Fizica „I.G. Murgulescu”, Bucuresti ICECHIM, Bucuresti ICPE-CA, Bucuresti Universitatea de Stiinte Agronomice si Medicina Veterinara „Ion Ionescu de la Brad”, Iasi Universitatea de Medicina si Farmacie, Iasi	Project director	2005-2008
<b>MATNANTECH Program</b> 5. <i>Rotaxane supramolecular structures: synthesis, NMR spectrometry, biomedical and opto-electronic application</i>	Project director	2003-2005
<b>CERES Program</b> 6. <i>New macromolecular interpenetrated networks; processes, mechanisms, properties, application</i>	Project director	2001-2004
<b>ORIZONT Program:</b> 7. <i>Polisiloxanes – components for designing specialty materials</i>	Project director	2000-2002
<b>MEC/Romanian Academy Programs</b> 8. <i>Electron transfer chemical reaction in polymer synthesis</i> 9. <i>1,3-dipolarophile reactions and heterocyclics' polymerisation</i> 10. <i>Complex macromolecular architectures based on modified cyclodextrins</i>	Project director Team member Project	1996-1998 1997-2000 1999-2001

11. Membranes based on siloxane copolymers	director Team member	2001-2002
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### International projects

Program/Project	Function	Period
<b>EC projects</b>		
1. Contract FP7-REGPOT-2010-264115 – STREAM: Strengthening the Romanian research capacity in multifunctional polymeric materials	Project coordinator	2011-2014
2. Contract FP7-PEOPLE-2007-216011 – MINILUBES: Mechanisms of interactions in nano-scale of novel ionic lubricants with functional surfaces	Team member	2008-2010
3. Contract INCO-CT-2005-017142 (FP6) – RAINS: Romanian action for integrating, networking and strengthening the ERA. „Petru Poni” Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry	Project manager	2005- 2008
4. Contract NMP3-CT-2005-500375 (FP6) – POLYSACCHARIDES: The European polysaccharide network	Dissemination manager	2005-2009
5. Contract no. NMP2-CT-2005-515762 (FP6) – I-STONE: Re-engineering of natural stone production chain through knowledge based processes, eco-innovation and new organisational paradigms	Scientific responsible	2005-2008
6. Contract GTC1-2002-73018 (FP5) - ERIC: Virtual institute for composites	Scientific responsible	2003-2005
7. Contract CRAFT G5ST-CT-2002-50293 (FP5) – BlockSave: A novel methodology for the safe handling and consolidation of dimensional stone blocks using a cost-effective vacuum-based technology and high penetrating resin formulation	Scientific responsible	2003-2005
8. Contract Growth G1RD-CT-1999-00130 (FP5) - SPONGE: New environmentally friendly technology for cellulose three dimensional objects	Scientific responsible	2000-2003
9. Contract PEKO (FP3): Constitutive rheological equation for polymers in processing conditions	Team member	1994-1997
<b>COST Actions</b>		
10. COST Action CM 1302: European network on smart inorganic polymers (SIPs)	National manager	2013-2017
11. COST Action MC 537: Core Laboratories for the improvement of medical devices in clinical practice from the analysis of implanted prostheses	National manager	2004-2008