
CORNELIU CONSTANTINEANU

Curriculum Vitae

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA:

- Date of birth: 28 October, 1967
- Place of birth: Botosani, Romania
- Marital status: Married to Ioana; two daughters, Anamaria and Carmen

EDUCATION:

- 1999 - 2006 **PhD** **Doctor of Philosophy**/Biblical Studies/New Testament
University of Leeds, UK and the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies, Oxford,
UK; Dissertation title: “*The Social Significance of Reconciliation in Paul’s
Theology with Particular Reference to the Romanian Context*”
- 1995.1997 **MTh** **Master of Theology** (*Summa Cum Laude*), Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet,
Osijek, Croatia
- 1993-1997 **BTh** **Bachelor of Theology**, Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia
- 1988-1993 **BSc** **Engineer**, Banat University of Agricultural Sciences Timisoara,
Romania, Faculty of Zootehny; Specialization: Reproduction and
Biotechnology

PRESENT ACADEMIC/ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS:

- **Rector/President** of Institutul Teologic Penticostal, București, Romania
- **University Professor** at Institutul Teologic Penticostal, Bucharest
- **Visiting/associate professor** at West University of Timișoara, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology, Department of Social Work and at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia
- **Editor in chief**, *Pleroma: Journal for Theological Studies and Research*, ITP, București
- **Editor of the series** *Prelegeri Anuale ITP*, București
- **Co-editor**, *Suplimentul Teologic al Jurnalului Pleroma*, ITP, București
- **Consulting editor** (Eastern European Studies), for *Transformation, An International Journal of Holistic Mission Studies*, Oxford, UK.
- **Peer-Review editor** for *Studii Teologice*.
- **Quality Assurance Expert Evaluator** in Higher Education with *The Romanian Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education*, ARACIS.
- **Board Member of the Council of Trustees** of the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies, Oxford, UK (2010-2015) and of the Board of Directors at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia (from 2012)
- **Board Member in the International Leadership Team of INFEMIT**, *International Fellowship for Mission as Transformation*, representing Europe.

AWARDS/SCHOLARSHIPS/RESEARCH GRANTS:

- *International Langham Scholarship Award*, UK – PhD scholarship (1998-2006)
- “*Bridging Gaps*” *Scholarship*, Faculty of Theology, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, Netherlands, September to November, 2003.
- “*Building the Church for the 21st Century: (Re)Defining the Theological Task of Our Generation*” a project financed by a grant from Langham Partnership International, London, UK (2009-2010).
- “*Faith and Profession*” a project financed by a grant from ICCO & Kerk in Actie, Utrecht, Holland (2009-2010).
- “*Langham Preaching Romania: Expository Preaching*” project financed by a grant from Langham Preaching, Oxford, UK (2009-2012).
- „*Romanian Pentecostal Magazines and Manuscripts Digitization Project*”, a research project financed by a grant from John Tempelton Foundation via University of Southern California (June-December, 2012).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE/COURSES TAUGHT:

I have taught the following courses at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia(1995–present), at the Evangelical Theological Seminary, Timisoara, Romania (2000–2009), at the West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Sociology & Psychology/Social Work Department (2007–present), and at the Institutul Teologic Pentecostal, Bucuresti, in the period from (2009–present):

- *Academic Research & Writing*
- *Biblical Interpretation and Hermeneutics*
- *Faith & Public Life: religion & science*
- *Greek I and II*
- *Interpreting Paul*
- *Introduction to the New Testament*
- *Introduction to Orthodox Theology*
- *Issues in E. European Theology*
- *New Testament Exegesis*
- *New Testament Theology*
- *Paul and Politics*
- *Pauline Theology*
- *Romans: Exegesis and Interpretation*
- *Social Reconciliation*
- *Social Theology*
- *Socio-political dimension of the gospel*
- *The Synoptic Gospels*

PROFESIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

- American Academy of Religion
- Society of Biblical Literature
- Uniunea Bibliștilor din România
- European Pentecostal Theological Association
- Tyndale Fellowship
- Langham Scholars Fellowship
- Euro-Asia Theological Association

ECLEZIASTIC ACTIVITY:

1989 – 1993: Ministry in Elim Pentecostal Church, Timișoara, Leader of student movement

1994 – 1997: Presbiter, International Church of Osijek, Croatia

1997 – 2009: Pastor, International Church of Osijek, Croatia

2010 – prezent: Pastor, Pentecostal Church „Vestea Bună” in Bucharest, Romania

EMPLOYMENT AND PROFESSIONAL/CHRISTIAN WORK EXPERIENCE:

- 2010 – present: Rector/President of Institutul Teologic Pentecostal din București
- 2013 – present: University Professor of NT Studies at Institutul Teologic Pentecostal din București
- 2010 – 2013: Associate Professor at Institutul Teologic Pentecostal din București
- 2010 – present: Pastor at ”Vestea Bună” Pentecostal Church, Buchares
- 2010-present, Board Member in the International Leadership Team of INFEMIT, *International Fellowship for Mission as Transformation*, representing Europe
- 2012 – present: Consulting editor (for Eastern European Studies), at *Transformation, An International Journal of Holistic Mission Studies*, Oxford, UK
- 2012 – present: Peer-Review editor for *Studii Teologice*
- 2012 – present: member of the Board of Directors at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia
- 2010-present: member of Council of Trustees, The Oxford Centre for Mission Studies, Oxford, UK.
- 16-25 October, 2010: Romanian Delegate and Table Group Leader at the 3rd Lausanne Congress on World Evangelization, Cape Town, South Africa.
- 2008 – 2010: Executive Director of the Areopagus Center for Christian Studies and Contemporary Culture, Timisoara, Romania
- 2009 – 2010: Associate Professor (visiting/associate faculty) at Institutul Teologic Pentecostal, Bucharest.
- 2008 – present: Associate Professor (visiting/associate faculty) at West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology, Department of Social Work.
- 2007 – present: Associate Professor of New Testament Studies and Biblical Interpretation, Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia.
- 2007 – 2009: Academic Dean, Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia.
- 2007 – 2008: Director of educational programs at Areopagus Center, Timisoara
- 1999 – 2007: Dean of Graduate Studies, Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia.
- 1996 – 2008: Director of Library, Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia.
- 1995 – 2007: Lecturer in New Testament and Biblical Interpretation at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia and Evangelical Theological Seminary, Timisoara, Romania.
- 1997 – 2009: Pastor of International Church of Osijek, Croatia (within the Evangelical Pentecostal Church of Croatia).
- 1999 – 2007: Chair of the Weekly Graduate Research Seminar, ETS
- 1996 – present: Supervisor/mentor for various BTh theses and Graduate Projects
- 2003 – present: Co-founder and President of *Theological Education in Central and Eastern Europe*, a non-profit International Christian Foundation dedicated to support Central and Eastern European indigenous theologians and young scholars.
- 2004: Ordained as the Pastor of the International Church of Osijek, in the local church Evandeoska Crkva Radosna Vjest, 12 December, 2004.
- 2004: Co-organizer and host of the *International Postgraduate Theological Symposium*, at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 6-7 May, 2004.

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- 2004 – 2007: Chair and Director of the annual *ETS International Postgraduate Symposium*, held at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia
 - 2001 – 2002: Served as an approved mentor of the Bethany College, USA, for the Internship of Christopher Scobie.
 - 2000 – 2001: Academic Dean at Evangelical Theological Seminary, Timisoara, Romania.
 - 2000 – 2001: Served as approved mentor for the “Mentored Ministries” of the Gordon Cornwall Theological Seminary, Boston, USA, for the internship of Andrew Weidman.
 - 2000: Organized the ‘*Eminescu Evening: an International Cultural Event*, in cooperation with Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, and the Romanian Embassy in Zagreb, event held in Osijek, Croatia, 26 February, 2000.
 - 1998: “Observer” at the Jubilee Assembly of the World Council of Churches, Harare, Zimbabwe, on behalf of the “International Fellowship of the Evangelical Mission Theologians”. Member of the “Evangelicals at Harare” Committee.
 - 1993 – 2007: Member of the Board of Directors at Evangelical Theological Seminary, Timisoara, Romania;
 - 1992 – 1993: Lecturer on “Moral Religious Education” at General Public Schools nr. 24 and 28, Timisoara, Romania.

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

NT/ Pauline theology; reconciliation; hermeneutics; public theology: the relationship between church & society, gospel & culture, religion and science, faith and life; the dynamics/ integration between theological, ministerial and spiritual formation.

LANGUAGES:

- Romanian (native)
- English - excellent
- Croatian/Serbian – very good
- French: working knowledge
- German: beginner level

INDEXES, CITATIONS, AND REVIEWS IN INTERNATIONAL DATABASES AND PRESTIGIOUS SCIENTIFIC JOURNALS:

1. **ATLA** – American Theological Library Association
2. **KVK** – Karlsruher Virtueller Katalog
3. **ERIH** – European Reference Index for the Humanities
4. **EBSCO** – EBSCO host Online Research Databases
5. **CEEOL** – Central and Eastern European Online Library
6. **WORLD CAT DATABASE**, provided by OCLC Online Computer Library Center
7. **THE BRITISH LIBRARY** – the national library of the United Kingdom
8. **The library of congress** – the research library of the US Congress & US national library
9. *Religion & Theology* (2012): 34-37, Reviewed by Armand J. Boehme
10. *Evangelical Quarterly* 84.1 (2012): 78-79, Reviewed by James Miller
11. *Theology* 114.4 (2011): 291-291, Reviewed by A. Katherine Grieb
12. *Journal for the Study of the New Testament* 33.5(2011):95-97, Reviewed by Kent Brower
13. *Review of Biblical Literature* 11(2011) , Reviewed by Robert Jewett
14. *Studii Teologice* 4 (2010):164-172, Reviewed by Alexandru Ionita

PUBLICATIONS:

A. Books (author/editor):

1. *Trăiți în pace. Dimensiunea socială a reconcilierii în teologia paulină.* Oradea: Casa Cărții & Risoprint, Cluj-Napoca, 2013.
2. *Puterea Evangheliei. Pledoarie pentru Cuvântul lui Dumnezeu.* București: Editura Universitară, 2013.
3. *First, the Kingdom of God. A Festschrift in honour of Prof. Dr. Peter Kuzmič* (Miroslav Volf, Corneliu Constantineanu, Marcel V. Macelaru, Kresimir Simic, editors), Osijek: Evandeoski teoloski fakultet, 2011 [894+Ixi pag., ISBN 978-953-6110-14-8].
4. *Dimensiunea socială a Evangheliei.* Suptiment Teologic al Jurnalului Pleroma (Corneliu Constantineanu & Emanuel Conțac, editors). Oradea: Romanian Bible Society/Pleroma, 2011 [116 pag., ISBN 978-973-8983-68-7].
5. *The Social Significance of Reconciliation in Paul's Theology. Narrative Readings in Romans* (London/New York: T&T Clark Continuum, 2010 [272 pag., ISBN 9780567581983].
6. *Encountering the Other: Studies in Reconciliation.* Cluj-Napoca: Casa Cărții de Știință, 2009 [244 pag., 978-973-133-658-9].
7. *Interpretare narativă în teologia paulină.* Cluj-Napoca: Casa Cărții de Știință, 2009 [200 pag., ISBN 978-973-133-657-2].
8. *Bible, Culture, Society: Postgraduate Explorations. Selected Papers Presented at Postgraduate International Symposia Held at Evandeoski teološki fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 2007–2009* (Corneliu Constantineanu & Marcel V. Măcelaru, eds.). Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2009 [379 pag., ISBN 978-953-6110-09-4].
9. *Theological Pilgrimages : Collected Faculty Papers, 2007–2009* (Marcel V. Măcelaru & Corneliu Constantineanu, eds.). Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2009 [450 pag., ISBN 978-953-6110-10-0].
10. *Epangelia: An Exegetical Study of the Concept of "Promise" in the Pauline Corpus.* Osijek: Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, 2005 [145 pag., ISBN 978-953-6110-01-6].

B. Articles / Studies / Chapters in books:

1. **"Christ and Caesar: Religion, Power and Politics from a Pauline Perspective."** In Natalia Vlas and Vasile Boari, editori, *Religion and Politics in the 21st Century: Global and Local Reflections*, Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Cambridge, 2013.
2. **"Fear, courage and hope: a hermeneutic of love in a culture of suspicion."** In Janez Juhand, Bojan Zalec (editors), *Culture of Fear*, Berlin, Lit Verlag, Dr. W. Hopf, 2013.
3. **„Exclusion and Embrace: Reconciliation in the Works of Miroslav Volf."** In *Kairos: Evangelical Journal of Theology* 7.1 (2013): 35-54.
4. **„Peter Kuzmič – A Believing and Practicing Scholar in the Service of the Kingdom."** In David Cranston & Ruth Padilla DeBorst (editors), *Mission as Transformation. Learning from Catalysts*, Oxford: Regnum Books International, 2013
5. **„Isključenje i zagrljaj: Pomirenje u djelima Miroslava Volfa."** In *Kairos: Evandeoski teološki časopis*, Godište VII. (2013), br. 1, pp. 33-52.

6. „**Religia în spațiul public. O perspectivă teologică asupra relației dintre religie, libertate și democrație**, in co-autorship with Ciprian Terinte, in Nelu Burcea, editor, *Jurnalul Libertății de Conștiință*, Bucuresti, Editura Universitară, 2013.
7. “**OCMS, Holistic Mission and the Future of Christianity.**” În Mary Miller, editor, *Faces of Holistic Mission*, Oxford: Regnum Books International, 2013.
8. “**Religion in the public square: a theological exploration on religion, freedom and democracy,**” in in co-autorship with Ciprian Terinte, in *European Journal of Science and Theology*, vol. 9, no. 4 (2013): 129-139.
9. “**Pauline concept of Powers: trends in interpretation,**” în *Studii Teologice* 4 (2012): 15-39.
10. “**Narrative Interpretation in the Pauline Writings (II): Christological References and Narrative Motifs in Romans 5–8.**” In *Studii Teologice* 2 (2012): 13-24.
11. “**Religion, Freedom and Democracy: An Investigation into the Social Role of Religious Communities.**” In Marcel V. Măcelaru & Julijana Mladenovska-Tešija, editors). *Demokracija, dijalog i dar-al salam. Međuvjerski dijalog i praktično djelovanje*. Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2012.
12. “**Stav crkve prema vladarima: Pavlovo poimanje vlasti,**” in co-autorship with Siniša Hamp. In Marcel V. Măcelaru & Julijana Mladenovska-Tešija, editors). *Demokracija, dijalog i dar-al salam. Međuvjerski dijalog i praktično djelovanje*. Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2012.
13. “**The Passion of Christ.**” In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2012.
14. “**Reconciliation in a world of exclusion: the possibility of a radical novelty ‘in Christ.’**” In Janez Juhand, Bojan Zalec (eds.), *Reconciliation: The Way of Healing and Growth*, Berlin, Lit Verlag, Dr. W. Hopf, 2012.
15. “**The role of communication in the parent-child interaction**” [Patricia Luciana Runcan, Corneliu Constantineanu, Brigitta Ielics, Dorin Popa] In *Procedia - Social and Behavioral Sciences* 46 (2012): 904–908.
16. “**Gender Equality and Work from a Biblical Perspective,**” [co-author with Patricia Runcan] in Elena-Loreni Baciu (editor), *Youth Employment: Challenges and Opportunities. The International Conference SIEO 2012, Conference Proceedings*, Timisoara, Editura Eurostampa, 2012.
17. “**Encountering the Other: Otherness, Identity, and Reconciliation from a Biblical Perspective.**” In Janez Juhant & Boja Zalec (eds.), *Humanity after Selfish Prometheus: Chances of Dialogue and Ethics in a Technicized World*, Berlin, Lit Verlag Dr. W. Hopf, 2011.
18. “**Narrative Interpretation in the Pauline Writings (I): Methodological Considerations.**” In *Studii Teologice* 4 (2011): 105-125.
19. “**Child Theology: A challenge to seminaries. A response to Victor Nakah.**” In Keith J. White, et al, eds., *Now and Next: a Compendium of Papers presented at the ‘Now & Next’ Theological Conference on Children, Nariobi, Kenya, March 9-12, 2011*, Singapore: Compassion International, 2011.
20. „**Teologie și asistență socială: o reflecție teologică despre credința și profesie.**” In Alexandru Neagoe (ed.), *Values and Spirituality in Social Work Practice*, Bonn, Verlag fur Kultur und Wissenschaft, 2011.
21. “**Vojska Gospodnja: Utjecaj Biblije na obnovu Rumunjske pravoslavne crkve**” In *KAIROS - Evandeoski teološki časopis / Godište V.* (2011), br. 1, str. 75-91.

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22. **“Faith and Life: A Pauline Perspective on the Integration of Faith and Everyday Life.”** In Miroslav Volf, *et al*, editors, *First, the Kingdom of God. A Festschrift in honour of Prof. Dr. Peter Kuzmič*. Osijek: Evandeoski teoloski fakultet, 2011.
 23. **“Întâlnirea cu „celălalt”. Perspective biblice asupra alterității, identității și reconcilierii.”** In Patricia Runcan și Elena Zamfir, editors, *Riscuri și oportunități ale sistemului de asistență socială în România*. Timisoara: Editura Excelsior Art, 2011.
 24. **“The ‘rediscovery’ of scripture and its impact on the Romanian Christian context at the beginning of the 20th century.”** In *Kairos: Evangelical Journal of Theology*, Vol. 5, no. 1 (2011): 81-112.
 25. **„Puterea transformatoare a evangheliei: dimensiunea socială a adevărului evanghelic în Romani 12”** In Corneliu Constantineanu & Emanuel Conțaș, eds. *Dimensiunea socială a Evangheliei*. Suplement Teologic al Jurnalului Pleroma (Oradea: Romanian Bible Society/Pleroma, 2011), pp. 69-100.
 26. **“1 & 2 Thessalonians: Keep awake and sober.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2011.
 27. **“The Presence of the Future”: The Eschatological Framework of the New Testament,”** in co-authorship with Yordan Kalev Zhekov, in *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, vol. XII, nr. 2, New series, (December 2010): 15-47.
 28. **„The New Heavens and New Earth”: Explorations in Biblical Eschatology,”** in co-authorship with Marius Ungur, in *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, vol. XII, nr. 2, New series, (December 2010): 49-67.
 29. **“The Gift of Work: Biblical and theological reflections on the subject of work”** În *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, Anul XII, nr. 1, Serie nouă, (iunie 2010): 171-188.
 30. **“The Bible and the Public Arena: A Pauline Model for Christian Engagement in Society with Reference to Romans 13.”** In *Kairos: Evangelical Journal of Theology*, Vol. 4, no. 2 (2010): 135-157.
 31. **“Biblija i javnost: Pavlov model za kršćanski angažman u društvu s upućivanjem na Poslanicu Rimljanima 13.”** In *KAIROS: Evandeoski teološki časopis*, Godište IV. (2010), br. 2, str. 191-212.
 32. **“Imagination and Creativity: Imaging the Divine and the Human.”** În *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2010.
 33. **“The Authority of Scripture as the Word of God.”** In *Kairos: Evangelical Journal of Theology*, vol. 4, no. 1 (2010): 13-29.
 34. **“Autoritet Svetoga pisma kao Riječi Božje.”** In *Kairos: Evandeoski teološki časopis / Godište IV*. (2010), br. 1, str. 13-28.
 35. **““All God’s Promises Are ‘Yes’ in Christ’: An Exegetical Analysis of the Concept of ‘Promise’ in 2 Corinthians.”** In *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, Vol. XI, nr. 2, New series (2009): 81-105.
 36. **“The Social Significance of Reconciliation in Paul’s Theology with Particular Reference to the Romanian Context”.** Extended abstract of the doctoral dissertation. In *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, Vol. XI, nr. 2, New series (decembrie 2009): 175-182.
 37. **“The Word of God and a World of Cultures: Introduction.”** In Corneliu Constantineanu & Marcel V. Măcelaru (eds.) *Bible, Culture, Society: Postgraduate Explorations. Selected Papers Presented at Postgraduate International Symposia Held at Evandeoski teološki fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 2007–2009*. Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2009.

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38. **“The Isaianic Background of 2 Corinthians 5:11–7:1: A Substructure of the Social Dimension of Reconciliation.”** In Corneliu Constantineanu & Marcel V. Măcelaru (eds.) *Bible, Culture, Society: Postgraduate Explorations. Selected Papers Presented at Postgraduate International Symposia Held at Evandeoski teološki fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 2007–2009*. Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2009 [pp. 135-153].
 39. **“Paul’s Paradigm Shift and Reconciliation: A Kuhnian Exploration into Paul’s Theologizing.”** In Corneliu Constantineanu & Marcel V. Măcelaru (eds.) *Bible, Culture, Society: Postgraduate Explorations. Selected Papers Presented at Postgraduate International Symposia Held at Evandeoski teološki fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 2007–2009*. Osijek: Evandeoski teološki fakultet, 2009 [pp. 155-181].
 40. **“The Christian and the Governing Authorities: An Analysis of Romans 13 in Context.”** In *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, Anul XI, nr. 1, Serie nouă, (iunie 2009): 109-136.
 41. **“Postmodernity, Religion and Human Flourishing.”** In Alexandru Neagoe and Heleen Zorgdrager (eds.), *Postmodernity, Friend or Foe? Communicating the Gospel to Postmodern People: Theological and Practical Reflections from Central and Eastern Europe*. Utrecht/Timisoara: Mirton, 2009.
 42. **“Readings in Mathew: Emanuel, God with us.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2009.
 43. **“Društveni značaj pomirenja u Pavlovoj teologiji s posebnim osvrtom na rumunski kontesk.”** Prikaz doktorata. In *Loci Comunnes: časopis za teološka istraživanja* 1 (2009): 121-22.
 44. **“The Practice of Genuine Love: Concrete Manifestations of the Ongoing Incarnation of the Gospel.”** In *Kairos: Evangelical Journal of Theology*, vol. 3, no. 1 (2009): 35-50.
 45. **“Činiti djela istinske ljubavi: Konkretna očitovanja trajnoga utjelovljenja Evandelja.”** In *Kairos: Evandeoski teološki časopis / Godište III*. (2009), br. 1, str. 35-48.
 46. **„The call of Ezekiel: Ezekiel 1-8.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2008.
 47. **“Reconciliation as a Missiological Category for Social Engagement: a Pauline Perspectives from Romans 12:9-21.”** In *Bible and Mission. A Conversation Between Biblical Studies and Missiology*. Edited by Rollin G. Grams, I. Howard Marshall, Peter Penner and Robin Routledge. Schwarzenfeld: Neufeld Verlag, 2008: pp.132-159.
 48. **“The Kingdom of God and Christian Unity and Fellowship: Romans 14:17 in Context.”** In *Kairos: Evangelical Journal of Theology*, vol. 2, no. 1 (2008): 11-28.
 49. **“Kraljevstvo Božje i kršćansko jedinstvo i zajedništvo: Rimljanima 14:17 u kontekstu.”** *Kairos: Evandeoski teološki časopis*, Godište II. (2008), br. 1, str. 11-27.
 50. **“Ravnopravnost Spolova – stalna preokupacija za svijet i crkvu.”** [“Gender Equality – a constant preoccupation for the world and church] In *Biblija i ravnopravnost spolova. Zbornic radova*. Edited by Antal Balog and Julijana Tesia. Osijek: Evandeoski teoloski fakultet, 2008 [pg. 55-68].
 51. **“Reconciliation, Identity and Otherness: Damascus Road Experience as the Foundation of Paul’s Vision of Reconciliation.”** In *Ethical Thinking at the Crossroads of European Reasoning: Proceedings of the Third Annual Theological Symposium of the International Postgraduate Theological Fellowship*. Edited by Parush R. Parushev, Ovidiu Creanga, Brian Brock. IBTS: Prague, 2007: pp. 69-83.
 52. **“The Benefits of Wisdom: A Sampler of Sayings, Proverbs 10-31.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2007.

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53. **“Readings from Exodus: Pharaoh’s refusal.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2006.
 54. **“Readings in Joshua: Entering the Promised Land.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2005.
 55. **“The Hero Behind: A Tribute to Helena Kuzmic.”** In *Ila, Radi Smo Te Imeli*. Edited by Mihael Kuzmic. Ljubljana: Duhovno Obzroje, 2004.
 56. **“Prison and Prisoners: Prisoner of the Lord.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2004.
 57. **“The Minor Prophets: Joel.”** In *Light for Our Path*, edited by Kate Hughes. Birmingham: International Bible Reading Association, 2003.

C. Other Publications/ Editorials/ Book Reviews:

58. Forward to *Freedom. The power to walk as a disciple*, by Alastair Dickson, London, Words by Design, 2013.
59. Preface to *Colecția Prelegeri anuale ITP*, Editura Pleroma, București, 2011, 2012.
60. Forward to the Romanian edition of *Spiritualitatea Pentecostală. O pasiune pentru împărăție*, de Steven Land, București, Editura Pleroma, 2013.
61. Preface to *First, the Kingdom of God. A Festschrift in honour of Prof. Dr. Peter Kuzmič* (Miroslav Volf, Corneliu Constantineanu, Marcel V. Macelaru, Kresimir Simic, eds.), Osijek: Evandeoski teoloski fakultet, 2011.
62. Forward to *Dimensiunea socială a Evangheliei*. Supliment Teologic al Jurnalului Pleroma (Corneliu Constantineanu & Emanuel Conțac, editori). Oradea: Romanian Bible Society/Pleroma, 2011.
63. “Viața trăită în puterea învierii.” In *Cuvântul Adevărului*, Seria II, Anul XXII, nr. 4 (2011): 6-9.
64. Editorials in *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, Serie nouă, Vol. XI, no. 1 și 2, June & December, 2009; Vol. XII, no. 1 și 2, June & December, 2010.
65. “Congresul Lausanne III pentru evanghelizarea lumii: Cape Town 2010.” In *Cuvântul Adevărului*, Seria II, Anul XXI, nr. 12 (2010): 20-21.
66. Book review of Young-hoon Lee, *The Holy Spirit Movement in Korea. Its Historical and Theological Development*. In *Pleroma: Studii și Cercetări Teologice*, vol. XIV, nr. 1, new series (June 2012).
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1. **„The dialogue of the kingdoms & reimagining the seminary: the Kingdom of God and the kingdoms of this world.”** Paper presented at the *International Conference on Theological Education Leadership: Reimagining the Seminary*, 11–14 September 2013, Bucharest, Romania.
2. **„Biserica și adevărurile teologice.”** Paper presented at the international conference on *Provocarea bisericii din România secolului XXI*, 26–28 August 2013, Hațeg, România.
3. **„Christianity and Nation Building in Eastern Europe: A Response to Hwa Yung.”** Paper presented at *Stott-Bediako Forum on Gospel and the World Today: "New Horizons in Missions I"*, Oxford Centre for Mission Studies Oxford, 13 June, 2013.
4. **„Religia în spațiul public: O perspectivă teologică asupra relației dintre religie, libertate și democrație.”** Paper presented at the International Conference on *Freedom of Religion and Conscience*, Romanian Parliament, 17 June 2013, Bucharest.
5. **„Evanghelia ca adevăr public: Fundamente biblice și teologice ale universității creștine.”** Paper presented at the *International Symposium "The Idea of Christian University"*, organized by Institutul Teologic Penticostal, 23-24 May 2013, ITP, București.
6. **„Church and Academy in the Service of God: A Search for Integration of Faith and Life.”** Paper presented at the **2nd Langham Europe Regional Conference**, *In Academia, for the Church? A Conference on Theological Education*, 9-12 May 2013, Berekfurdo, Hungary.
7. **„Romanian Pentecostalism: an overview of the development of the Romanian Pentecostal Church after 1989.”** Paper presented at la International Theological Institute of Yoido Full Gospel Church, 4 March 2013, Seoul, South Korea.
8. **„Space and Community, Engagement and Empowerment: Missiological Equipping for a New Mission Era,”** in co-autorat cu Perry W.H. Shaw. Paper presented at the international

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9. „**A Hermeneutic of Love. A Study in Paul’s Prayer in Philipians 1:9-11.**” Lucrare științifică prezentată la conferința internațională a Uniunii Biblistilor din România, 22 februarie 2013, Sibiu, România.
 10. “**Fear, courage and hope: a hermeneutic of love in a culture of suspicion.**” Lucrare științifică prezentată la conferința internațională *Culture of Fear*, organizată de Universitatea din Ljubljana, 8–11 November 2012, Celje, Slovenia.
 11. “**Faith and Learning: Re-Visiting the Idea of Christian University.**” Lucrare științifică prezentată la Simpozionul Internațional *21st Days of Frane Petric: The Idea of the University*, organizată de Societatea Filozofică Croată, 23–26 September 2012, Cres, Croatia.
 12. “**Church and Theological Education in Romania – Challenges and Opportunities.**” Lucrare științifică prezentată la Conferința Internațională *COURAGE TO BE. Theology in the changing market: Church and theological education in post communist countries*, Wrocław, Poland, September 19-22, 2012.
 13. “**Peter Kuzmič – A Believing and Practicing Scholar in the Service of the Kingdom.**” Paper presented at the first edition of *Stott-Bediako Forum on the Gospel and the World Today: ‘A Portrait of Catalysts’*, 15-16 June, 2012, OCMS, Oxford, United Kingdom.
 14. „**Gender Equality and Work from a Biblical Perspective,**” in co-autorship cu Patricia Luciana Runcan. Paper presented at the first Edition of the International Conference on Social Inclusion and Equal Opportunities – SIEO 2012, *Employment for Young People: Challenges and Opportunities*, organized by the Social Work Department of the Faculty of Sociology and Psychology within the West University of Timisoara, 24-27 mai 2012, Timisoara, Romania.
 15. “**Postmodernitate, credința și bunăstare umană**”. Paper presented at the international symposium *Imaginarul postmodern și cadrul de referință al Evangheliei*, Colegiul Biblic Est European, Oradea, 17-18 May, 2012.
 16. “**Shaped by the Story: A Pauline Perspective on the Story of Christ and our Participation in the Story of Redemption.**” Invited, public lecture delivered at the Monty Barker Lecture, OCMS, Oxford, 20 March, 2012.
 17. “**“Seek the welfare of the city:’ A Biblical and Theological Reflection on Faith and Public Life”**”, Paper presented at the debate on “Church and State” during the National Prayer Breakfast in the Romanian Parliament, 7-9 December, 2011.
 18. “**Reconciliation in a world of exclusion: the possibility of a radical novelty “in Christ,”**” Paper presented at the international conference on *The Possibilities and Meaning of Reconciliation*, organized by the Faculty of Theology of the University of Ljubljana, 3–6 November, 2011, Celje–Ljubljana, Slovenia.
 19. “**Ambassadors of Reconciliation**” Public lecture/ graduation address at Bibliski Teoloski Institut, Zagreb, Croatia, 7 October, 2011.
 20. “**Theological education for the mission of the church**” A paper presented at *A 43-a Convenție a Bisericii Pentecostale Române din Statele Unite și Canada*, 2-5 septembrie 2011, Chicago, USA.
 21. “**“Whoever welcomes a little child, welcomes me’: A Re-examination of the Doctrine of Reconciliation**” Paper presented at the *International and Ecumenical Consultation on “Child Theologies: Perspectives from World Christianity,*” August 11-14, 2011, Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana, USA.

22. **“Child Theology: A challenge to seminaries. A response to Victor Nakah.”** A paper presented at the *Now and Next: a theological conference on children*. 9-12 March, 2011, Nairobi, Kenya.
23. **“The missiological landscape in Europe: regional presentation.”** Paper presented at the *Now and Next: Together in Mission. Global INFEMIT Summit*, 6-9 March, 2011, Nairobi, Kenya.
24. **“Evangelia ca adevăr public: elemente pentru o teologie publică în România”** Public lecture delivered Areopagus Centre for Christian Studies and Contemporary Culture, 11 December, 2010, Timisoara.
25. **“Encountering the Other: Otherness, Identity, and Reconciliation from a Biblical Perspective.”** Paper presented at the International Conference, **“Peaceful and Sustainable Dialogue after Selfish Prometheus”** organized by the Faculty of Theology of the University of Ljubljana; November 4th–7th 2010, Celje–Ljubljana, Slovenia.
26. **“The Gospel as Public Truth: An Argument for the Need of a Public Theology in the Romanian Context.”** Paper presented at the International Conference, *Building the Church for the 21st Century: (Re)Defining the Theological Task of Our Generation*, held at Areopagus, 30 September – 3 October 2010, Timișoara, Romania.
27. **“Living a Transformed Reality: 2 Corinthians 5:14-21.”** Invited public lecture, graduation address at Evandeoski Teoloski Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, June 26, 2010.
28. **„Teologie și asistență socială: o reflecție teologică despre credință și profesie.”** Paper presented at the International conference *„Practica Asistenței Sociale Orientată Spiritual”*, June 18-20, 2010, Băile Herculane, Romania.
29. **“Reconciliation, Social Engagement and Mission: Biblical Perspectives on the Social Dimension of Reconciliation.”** *The Montagu Barker Public Lecture* at OCMS, June 8, 2010, Oxford, UK
30. **“Solidarity and Difference: Legitimization of Difference and a Call to Acceptance and Love in Romans 14–15.”** Paper presented at *The Faculty Seminar*, Evandeoski Teoloski Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, May 20, 2010.
31. **“Reconciliation and Transformation: Pauline Perspectives on the Social Role of Religious Communities.”** Paper presented at *INFEMIT International Consultation on Mission as Transformation*, 5-8 March, 2010, Oxford, UK.
32. **“Reconciliation and Social Engagement.”** Plenary paper presented at the international conference on *Celebrating and Assessing Twenty Years of Freedom. Challenges for Church and Society in Post-communist Contexts*, held at Evandeoski Teoloski Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 28-31 October, 2009.
33. **“Christian Publishing and Theological Resources.”** Paper presented at a workshop at the international conference on *Celebrating and Assessing Twenty Years of Freedom. Challenges for Church and Society in Post-communist Contexts*, held at Evandeoski Teoloski Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 28-31 October, 2009.
34. **„Puterea transformatoare a evangheliei: dimensiunea socială a adevărului evanghelic în Romani 12.”**[The transformative power of the gospel: the social dimension of the truth of the gospel in Romans 12]. Paper presented at the scientific symposium on *Dimensiunea socială a Evangheliei în noul context european*. ITP, București, 8 mai 2009.
35. **“The Practice of Genuine Love: Concrete Manifestations of the Ongoing Incarnation of the Gospel.”** Paper presented at the international symposium *Actualizacija inkarnacije: Krovstvo očitovanje u vremenu i svijetu danas*. Bibliški Teoloski Institut, Zagreb, 25 October, 2008.

36. **“Romans as the Gospel of Reconciliation.”** Lecture presented at the Ljubljana Study Center, 25-27 September, 2008, Ljubljana, Slovenia.
37. **“Identity, Otherness and Reconciliation: a Biblical Perspective on Reconciliation as a Category for Social Engagement.”** Paper presented at the 12th Quadrennial International Conference of the International Association for Mission Studies: *Human Identity and the Gospel of Reconciliation- Agenda for Mission Studies and Praxis in the 21st Century*. Balatonfüred, Hungary, August 16 - 23, 2008.
38. **“Postmodernity, religion and human flourishing!”** Paper presented at the International Conference on *“Communicating the Gospel to Postmodern People: Theological and Practical Reflections.”* *KiA & Areopagus Center*, Timisoara, Romania, 4-8 June, 2008.
39. **“The Kingdom of God and Christian Unity and Fellowship: Romans 14:17 in Context.”** Paper presented at the International Symposium on „**Unity and Christian Fellowship**,“ at Biblijski institut, Zagreb, Croatia, 9 February 2008.
40. **“The Isaianic Background of 2 Corinthians 5:11-7:1. The Substructure of the Social Dimension of Reconciliation in Paul.”** Paper presented at the *International Symposium on Bible, Culture and Society*, at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 10-12 May, 2007.
41. **“Narrative Readings in Paul I: Methodological Considerations on Some Recent Developments in Pauline Studies.”** Paper presented at the ETF Faculty Seminar, Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, April, 2007.
42. **“Reconciliation as a Missiological Category for Social Engagement: a Pauline Perspectives from Romans 12:9-21.”** Paper presented at the International Conference on “Mission: Basic Issues in the Bible,” IBTS, Prague, Czech Republic, 12-16 February, 2007.
43. **“Reconciliation, Identity and Otherness: Damascus Road Experience as the Foundation of Paul’s Vision of Reconciliation. A reading of 2 Corinthians 5:11-21.”** Paper Presented at the International Postgraduate Theological Symposium, IBTS, Prague, Czech Republic, 16-17 February, 2007.
44. **“The return of religious phenomena in the social arena--the case of Romania.”** Paper for the *International Symposium on Reformation: Reformacija – Europa – Ekumenizam*, held at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, October 27-31, 2006.
45. **“The Story of Christ and Reconciliation: Narrative Dynamics in Romans 5-8.”** Paper presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies Research Seminar, Oxford, UK, September 7, 2005.
46. **“The Significance of Paul’s Interchange of Metaphors in Romans 5:1-11 and the Meaning of Reconciliation: A Window into Paul’s Theologizing.”** Paper presented at the “*Bible, Culture and Society Conference*”, the 2nd edition of *ETS Postgraduate International Symposium* at the Evangelical Theological Seminary Osijek, Croatia, May 6-7, 2005.
47. **“The Protestant Emphasis on Scripture and its Impact on the Romanian Christian Context at the Beginning of 20th Century.”** Paper presented at the *International Symposium on Reformation – Reformacijka misao i utjecaj-nekada i danas*, held at the Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, October 20-30, 2004.
48. **“Paul’s Paradigm Shift: A Kuhnian Exploration into the Social Dimension(s) of Reconciliation in Pauline Theology.”** Paper presented at the *International Postgraduate Theological Symposium*, at Evandeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 6-7 May 2004.
49. **“From Creation to New Creation: The Narrative Substructure of Pauline Theology.”** Series of lectures delivered within the *Symposium of Theology*, at Evangelical Theological Seminary, Timisoara, Romania, 30 April – 1 May and 14-15 May, 2004.

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50. **“The Social Meaning of Reconciliation in 2 Corinthians.”** Paper presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies, Oxford, UK, 30 March, 2004.
 51. **“Religious Freedom in a Pluralist Society.”** Paper presented at the *Symposium on Religious Freedom/Tribina povodom Dana vierskih sloboda*, 18 January 2004. Osijek, Croatia.
 52. **“A Hermeneutic of Love – A Way of Being *IN* the World.”** Lecture delivered at a *Study Day, Pastoral Conference*, in Ljubljana, Slovenia, 13 December, 2003.
 53. **“A Royal Priesthood – A Way of Being *FOR* the World.”** Lecture delivered at the *Pastoral Conference/ Study Day*, in Ljubljana, Slovenia, 13 December, 2003.
 54. **“Romania: A Social Analysis of the Religious Phenomenon.”** Paper presented at the *“Text and Context” Symposium*, at the Faculty of Theology, Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam, Netherlands, 12 October, 2003.
 55. **“A Diachronic and Synchronic Comprehensive Analysis of the ETS Diploma Works: 1975-2002.”** A scientific research project presented to the Academic Committee of Evangeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, Croatia, 18 November, 2002.
 56. **“Identity, Vision and Reconciliation: A Biblical/Pauline Perspective on Christian Social Engagement.”** A series of lectures given at the *‘Alongside Discovery 2002’ Conference*, at Institute Biblique, Nogent-sur-Marne, Paris, France, August 3-16, 2002.
 57. **“Believing and Practicing Scholars and the Future of Christianity.”** A theological reflection presented at the *European Consultation on Theological Didactics in a Changing Society*, Utrecht, Netherlands, 25-27 June, 2002.
 58. **“Theological Education in post-communist, post-war and post-modern Eastern Europe.”** Paper presented at the *European Consultation on Theological Didactics in a Changing Society*, Utrecht, Netherlands, 25-27 June, 2002.
 59. **“Master of Theology/ Master of Arts in Christian Studies.”** A curriculum proposal for a postgraduate programme to be delivered at ETS, Osijek and validated by the University of Wales, UK, in cooperation with Oxford Centre for Mission Studies. Drafted, presented and discussed at a joint consultation of ETF and OCMS, Oxford, UK, April 27-30, 2002.
 60. **“The Pauline Concept of Powers: Trends in Interpretation.”** Paper presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies Research Seminar, Oxford, UK, March 27, 2002.
 61. **“Post-Communist Europe: Challenges and Hopes.”** Lecture delivered at King’s Bible College in Oxford, UK, March 15, 2002.
 62. **“A Most Excellent Way: A Hermeneutic of Love.”** A theological reflection on Philippians 1:9-11, presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies, Oxford, UK, March 20, 2002.
 63. **“Identity and Reconciliation in Eastern Europe.”** Paper presented at the *‘World Church’ Sunday Conference*, St. George’s Church, Leeds, U.K., 23-24 February, 2002.
 64. **“Reconciliation in Modern Theology: An Analysis of the Theme of Reconciliation in the Works of Miroslav Volf.”** Paper presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies Research Seminar, Oxford, UK, April 18, 2001.
 65. **“New Testament Scholarship on Reconciliation: A Review of the Related Literature.”** Paper presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies Research Seminar, May 3, 2000.
 66. **“Interferente: Cultura & Spiritualitate intr-o Noua Europa/ Encounter: Culture & Spirituality in a New Europe.”** A theological reflection presented at the *‘Eminescu Evening:’ an International Cultural Event*, organized by Evangeoski Teološki Fakultet, Osijek, and the Romanian Embassy in Zagreb, held in Osijek, Croatia, 26 February, 2000.
 67. **“Future Planning of Evangelical Seminaries in the Non-Western World.”** Paper presented at the first *Langham Scholars Consultation*, 12-15 April, Westminster College, Cambridge, 1999.
 68. **“‘Troubled’ Transylvania: Issues in a Romanian-Hungarian Dialogue.”** Paper presented at the Oxford Centre for Mission Studies Research Seminar, Oxford, April 7, 1999.

69. **“Defining features of Pentecostalism in Europe – with a particular reference to Romania, Croatia and Bosnia-Herzegovina.”** Paper presented at a workshop on “Pentecostals Worldwide” at the 8th, *Jubilee Assembly of the World Council of Churches*, Harare, Zimbabwe, 1998.
70. **“Love and Faith: A response to the Evangelical-Orthodox dialogue.”** Paper presented at a workshop on “Evangelical-Orthodox Dialogue” at the 8th, *Jubilee Assembly of the World Council of Churches*, Harare, Zimbabwe, 1998.

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