

International Conference

Social Inclusion and Equal Opportunities - SIEO 2016

Detailed Program

26 – 28 October 2016

Venue: Boavista Hotel, Timisoara

Address: No 7/A, F. C. Ripensia Street

Wednesday, October 26th 2016

10.00 – 11.00 – Registration & Refreshments, Hotel Lobby

11.00 – 11.30 – Official Opening Session (S1), Yellow Room

- A Welcome Address from the Organizers of the International Conference *Social Inclusion and Equal Opportunities – SIEO 2016*

11.30 – 12.30 – Plenary Session (S2), Yellow Room

- Keynote Speaker – Professor Mårten Söder, Uppsala University, Sweden

12.30 – 14.00 – Lunch

14.00 – 16.00 – Parallel Sessions 3, 4 & 5

PS3: Promoting Social Inclusion – What Role for Education? (1), Yellow Room

- Bridging the social inequality gap through education - Liliana Eva Donath & Monica Boldea (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- The Need for Development of Health, Social and Educational Services in Bacau County - Elena Ungureanu, Denisa Iordache & Viorica Raba (The Community Support Foundation - FSC, Romania)
- Pedagogical Aspects Related to the Integration of the Roma People - Ramona-Elena Tutunaru (West University of Timisoara, Romania) & Luminita Pana (National Pedagogical College "Queen Mary", Deva, Romania)
- Access and Integration of Disadvantaged Students In Higher Education. A Comparative Approach in the Romania-Hungary Crossborder Area - Sorana Saveanu, Tomina Saveanu & Raluca Buhas (University of Oradea, Romania)

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Liechtenstein and Norway

- Youth Education and Employment in Romania. Secondary Data Analysis - Gabriela Neagu (Research Institute for Quality of Life, Bucharest, Romania)
- The role of socio-economic status and classroom interventions in the development of literacy skills of Roma children in Romania - Dacian Dolean (Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania), Crina Damsa (University of Oslo, Norway) & Ioana Tincas (Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania)
- Social Representations of the Roma Minority within the Classroom Social Group - Ileana Rotaru (Tibiscus University, Timisoara, Romania) & Adelina Cauniac (Traian Lalescu National College, Resita, Romania)
- Access to Higher Education of Vulnerable Groups - Simona Sava, Mariana Crasovan, Daniel Luches & Laura Malita (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

PS4: Equal Access on the Labour Market – A Cornerstone for Equality, Blue Room

- The Effects of the Labour Force Migration on Children's Identity Formation. Case-study: Romania and United Kingdom - Simona Adam (West University of Timisoara, Romania) & Sarah Whitehouse (University of the West of England, Bristol, United Kingdom)
- Occupational integration of people with intellectual disabilities by developing protected units, case study "Pentru Voi" NGO, Timisoara - Marius Vasiluta-Stefanescu & Marius Imre Parno (West University of Timisoara)
- Social and occupational integration of the Roma community Telechiu, Bihor County, Romania - Marius Imre Parno & Marius Vasiluta-Stefanescu (West University of Timisoara)
- Understanding Social Enterprise and its role for Social Inclusion - Cristina Barna & Irina Opincaru (Institute of Social Economy, Civil Society Development Foundation, Bucharest, Romania)
- Are Men Victims of THB Considered Vulnerable? The Case Study of Labour Exploitation of Romanian Men in Agriculture - Rafaela Pascoal (University of Palermo, Italy)
- Vulnerable Categories Face to Face with the Public Officers. Institutional communication as a Success Factor in the Employment of Vulnerable Groups - Melinda Dinca (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Inequality of Chances for Persons from Isolated Rural Communities In the North-East Region of Romania - Dumitru Stan ("Al. I. Cuza" University of Iasi)
- Good Intentions in Brussels Dashed down in Timis County. Romanian Experiences of European Disability and Roma Policies on Labour Market Integration - Janne Iren Paulsen Breimo (Nord University, Norway), Johans Tveit Sandvin (Nord University, Norway) & Teodor Mircea Alexiu (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

PS5: Creating Equal Opportunities – Where do we start?, Red Room

- Roma NGOs involved within Local Action Groups of Rural Area in the Western Region of Romania - Ileana Rotaru (Nevo Parudimos Association, Romania)
- The impact of the health system reorganization process on the Anina social development - Munteanu Laura (“Lauras” Association of Anina, Romania) & Gabriela Felicia Georgevici (“Eftimie Murgu” University of Resita, Romania)
- Bullying Victims: Personal Characteristics and Adaptability - Valentina Ekimova & Alexey Kokurin (Moscow State University of Psychology and Education, Russia)
- The Role of the Youth Worker in Supporting the Integration on the Labour Market of the Youth - Sorin Roman (SC Predict CSD Consulting SRL, Romania) & Adina Schwartz (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Perceived Employment Barriers and Confidence in Youth Career Counseling - Dana Balas-Timar, Claudiu Schwartz & Alina Costin (Aurel Vlaicu University, Arad, Romania)
- Social Integration of Migrants in European Union – Challenges and Opportunities - Victor Nicolaescu (“Petre Andrei” University, Iasi, Romania)
- Labour Exploitation Through Human Trafficking - Mihaela Alida Tomita & Adina Schwartz (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Description of the Homeless in Timisoara - Cosmin Goian, Luiza Vlaicu & Rodica Cojan (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

16.00 – 16.30 – Coffee-break

16.30 – 18.00 – Parallel sessions 6 & 7

PS6: Promoting Social Inclusion – What Role for Education? (2), Yellow Room

- Students’ Attitude and Perception of Discrimination – Local Perspectives - Ileana Rotaru & Gabriela Georgevici (University Eftimie Murgu, Resita, Romania)
- Features of Discrimination in Higher Education in the Context of Intercultural Education - Loredana Marcela Tranca (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Roma pupils’ school dropout - Georgevici Gabriela Felicia (“Eftimie Murgu” University of Resita, Romania)
- Accessible education – designing an educational setting for all students - Anca Luștrea (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Curricular Adaptations for Hearing Impaired Students - Anca Luștrea (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Vocational and professional orientation in adolescence – Eugen Jurca (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Inclusive education in Romania? - Teodor Mircea Alexiu & Andreea Georgiana Birneanu (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

PS7: Recent Trends and Theories in Promoting Equality and Social Inclusion (1), Blue Room

- Questioning Digital Inclusion Concept - Bogdan Popoveniuc (University „Stefan cel Mare” of Suceava, Romania)
- About the use of stabilometry to evaluate social integration predictors - Marius Mateas (Politehnica University, Timisoara, Romania), Veronica Argesanu (Politehnica University, Timisoara, Romania), Iolanda Mateas (Nikolaus Lenau Highschool, Timisoara, Romania) & Andrei Farkas (Politehnica University, Timisoara, Romania)
- Case study: Social Inclusion Dedicated Program for Non-Digital Communities - Raluca Vidrascu (University of Bucharest, Romania)
- The Motivation of Change - Irina Vladutescu (Vastag) & Mihaela Alida Tomita ((West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Acceptance of Military Females in Professional Emergency Services in the Western Part of Romania - Irina Vladutescu (Vastag) (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Didactic Perspectives on Inclusion - Anca Luștrea (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

18.00 – 20.00 – Dinner

Thursday, October 27th

9.30 – 10.00 – Registration

10.00 – 10.45 – Editorial Event – Book Release (S8), Yellow Room

- The Official release in Timisoara of the *Encyclopedia of Social Work* (Polirom Publishing House), coordinated by Professor George Neamtu, University „Stefan cel Mare” of Suceava, Romania

10.45 – 11.00 – Coffee-break

11.00 – 12.00 – Plenary Session (S9), Yellow Room

- Keynote Speaker – Gelu Duminica, Executive Director of the „Impreuna” Agency for Community Development, Bucharest, Romania

12.00 – 14.00 – Lunch

14.00 – 15.30 – Parallel Sessions 10, 11 & 12

PS10: European Sociological Association Mid-term Meeting 2016 - Research Network 26: The sociology of social policy and welfare (1), Yellow Room

- Keynote: Marcus Knutagård, Lund University, Sweden
- Education and Social Inclusion: An Evaluative Case Study of a School-Dropout Prevention Project - Caterina Balenzano & Giuseppe Moro (University of Bari, Italy)

PS11: Promoting Social Inclusion – The Institutional Response, Red Room

- Social policy support towards social economy entities in Romania - Simona Maria Stanescu (Research Institute for Quality of Life, Romanian Academy, Bucharest, Romania)
- Social economy and social enterprise. Law, values and perceptions in a Romanian town - Ciprian G. Nitu (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- The approaches on work and social entrepreneurship in vocational and training education in Romania. A thematic analysis of the written curricula - Cristina Faludi ("Babes-Bolyai" University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania)
- Social Capital and the Subjective Well Being of the European's elderly population - Serban Olah & Gabriel Roseanu (University of Oradea, Romania)
- The Role of the Romanian Social Worker in European Context - Fitzek Sebastian (Research Institute for Quality of Life, Romanian Academy, Romania)
- New Expressions of Poverty in Romania - Mariana Stanciu (Research Institute for Quality of Life, Romanian Academy, Romania)
- Solutions in Social Policies Countering Poverty from Romania - Adina Mihailescu (Research Institute for Quality of Life, Romanian Academy, Romania)
- Social Inclusion and Social Risks of Economy Shift - Mariana Balan & Cornelia Dumitru (Institute of National Economy, NIER, Romanian Academy, Romania)
- Better off Alone? Partnership Strategies of Romanian Organizations Providing Social Services to Vulnerable Categories - Elena-Loreni Baci (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

PS12: Recent Trends and Theories in Promoting Equality and Social Inclusion (2), Blue Room

- Gender analysis as conflicting approach to the study of medical 'truths'. Reality or myth? - Aurora Carmen Barbat (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Social integration of persons with disabilities in Targu Carbunesti - Marian Popescu (CSEI "P.P. Neveanu" Timisoara, Romania)
- Trauma Historical Ruptures and Resilient Identities - Alin Gavreliuc & Dana Gavreliuc (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Abrogation and Appropriation of Language on Auctorial and Fictional Levels - Sadia Riaz (University of Management and Technology, Pakistan)
- Poverty and Social Status of Russian Elderly - Smol'kin Anton (Russian Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Moscow, Russia)
- Social Problems in Roma Communities: Human Capital, Employment and Habitation in marginalized Areas of Checea Village, in Western Region - Mihaela Alida Tomita, Melinda Dinca, Corina Ilin & Roxana Ungureanu (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Mapping of Existing Social Services in Arad. Social Barometer - Aurora- Lupas, Oana-Alexandra Morcan & Maria Oprea (Western University "Vasile Goldis" of Arad, Romania)
- The topic of social and communitarian security services in the North-Eastern region - Liviu Adrian Măgurianu (Social and Economic Research Institute "Gheorghe Zane", Romanian Academy, Iasi Branch, Romania) & Andrei Crăciun (Save the Children Association, Iasi, Romania)
- Family support and community context as moderators of the disabled inclusion - Andreea Georgiana Birneanu & Teodor Mircea Alexiu (West University of Timisoara, Romania)

15.30 – 16.00 – Coffee-break

16.00 – 18.00 – Parallel sessions 13 & 14

PS13: European Sociological Association Mid-term Meeting 2016 - Research Network 26: The sociology of social policy and welfare (2), Yellow Room

- Child Welfare Regulation Concerning Aftercare for Youngsters Beyond 18 Years of Age – (Marielle Følvik, Nord University, Norway)
- The Non-Take-up of Means-Tested Welfare Benefits - Ralf Lüth (University of Kassel, Germany)
- Democratic Civic Activism through the Lens of Social Capital and Social Media Tools: Perspectives from the Recent Uprisings of North Africa and the Middle East - Akbar Valadbigi (Yerevan State University, Armenia)

PS14: Poster Session , Hotel Lobby

- Labour, Labours and Survival: Experiences and Narratives in the Roma Communities of Romania - Sînziana Preda (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- “A Bottom-Up” Approach to the Roma Inclusion in Europe - Camelia Cmeciuc (University of Bucharest, Romania)
- The Cinderella-Snow White Syndrome. East European Women on the Panoptic Discourse - Elizabeta Zelinka (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- MOOCs as alternative to education for vulnerable groups - Grossec Gabriela, Malita Laura & Tiru Laurentiu (West University of Timisoara, Romania)
- Ethical Europe – the (de)legitimation of social inclusion within an online communicative context - Madalina Manolache (University of Bucharest, Romania)

18.00 – 20.00 – Dinner

Friday, October 28th

9.30 – 11.00 – Parallel Session 15 & 16

PS15: European Sociological Association Mid-term Meeting 2016 - Research Network 26: The sociology of social policy and welfare (3), Yellow Room

- The Social Inclusion of Family Caregivers in the Czech Eldercare System: Possibilities and Limits - Kateřina Kubalčíková (Masaryk University Brno, Czech Republic)
- Making Inclusive Education Work - Gábor Szüdi & Jaroslava Szüdi (University of Economics, Slovakia)

PS16: Workshop with the Stakeholders – Social Inclusion of Disabled Persons, Blue Room

11.00 – 11.30 – Coffee-break

11.30 – 13.00 – Parallel Sessions 17 & 18

PS17: European Sociological Association Mid-term Meeting 2016 - Research Network 26: The sociology of social policy and welfare (4), Yellow Room

- Disabling Barriers in the Romanian Labor Market - Ingrid Fyiling (Nord University, Norway)
- Risky German 'Angst'. Functional inclusion in post-conservative welfare capitalism - Sigrid Betzelt, Berlin School of Economics and Law & Ingo Bode (University of Kassel, Germany)

PS18: Workshop with the Stakeholders – Social Inclusion of Roma Persons, Blue Room

13.00 – 13.30 – Official Closing Session (S19)

13.30 – 15.00 – Lunch