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● ABOUT ME

VELIBOR MLADENOVICI is a Ph.D. student in Educational Sciences at the West University of Timisoara. Since 2017, he has worked as a Research and Training Assistant at the Center of Academic Development at the West University of Timișoara. His Ph.D. research is linked to the instructional development of higher education teachers, including academics' conceptions about learning and teaching, as well as their teaching approaches to uncover their impact on students' learning outcomes.

Function: Research Assistant Ph.D. Student in Educational Sciences since February 2023

Taught subjects

Educational Sciences Department, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology, West University of Timișoara

Responsible for the seminars / practical activities of the following subjects:

- Research Methodology in Educational Sciences (Bachelor level)
- Higher Education Pedagogy (Bachelor level)
- Practice for Completing the Bachelor's Thesis (Bachelor level)

Teacher Training Department, West University of Timișoara

Responsible for the seminars / practical activities of the following subjects:

- Pedagogy II (The Theory and Methodology of Instruction and the Theory and Practice of Evaluation) (Module I, Bachelor level)

Areas of interest

His ongoing research interests relate to various educational topics such as quality assurance in higher education, curriculum and instruction, and advanced quantitative statistical techniques (e.g., network analysis, latent growth analysis, multilevel modeling, etc.).

● WORK EXPERIENCE

31/01/2018 – CURRENT Timișoara, Romania

RESEARCH AND TRAINING ASSISTANT WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

Business or Sector Education | **Department** The Center of Academic Development (CAD) |

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Link <https://cda.uvv.ro/en/about/the-cda-team/>

17/03/2021 – 30/12/2023 Timișoara, Romania

RESEARCH ASSISTANT IN PEDAGOGY (PHD STUDENT) WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

SMAPH project

Overall objective: The overall objective of this research project is to investigate for evidence regarding the *Spiral Model of Academic Performance and Health (SMAPH)*. This work is supported by a grant of the Romanian Ministry of Education and Research, CNCS - UEFISCDI, project number PN-III-P4-ID-PCE-2020-1760, within PNCDI III.

Link <https://psihologietm.ro/smaph/projectteam.html>

12/12/2022 – CURRENT Timisoara, Romania

RESPONSIBLE FOR TASK IMPLEMENTATION 2.1. AND 2.2. WITHIN THE UNITA MONTIUM PROJECT WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

Project name: Unita Montium Project (Grant Agreement Number: 101004082-Unita-IAC-A02-2019/EACA02-2019-1)

Project link: <https://univ-unita.eu/Sites/>

Position held: Responsible for implementing Task 2.1 "Supporting the personalization and recognition of study Paths" and Task 2.2. "Sharing best practices in digital learning and student-centered pedagogies" from within the Work Package 2 "UNITA Teaching and Learning-flexible and student-centred"

11/09/2019 – 30/07/2021 Timișoara, Romania

RESEARCH TOOLS ANALYSIS EXPERT (EAIC) WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

"Together universities and employers. An integrated system of innovative educational programmes", project ID - POCU 121030

Business or Sector Education

Link <https://cda.uvt.ro/impreuna-121030/>

11/07/2022 – 11/08/2023 Brussels, Belgium

MEMBER OF ESU'S QUALITY ASSURANCE STUDENT EXPERTS' POOL THE EUROPEAN STUDENTS' UNION – ESU

31/01/2020 – CURRENT București, Romania

STUDENT EVALUATOR - ROMANIAN AGENCY FOR QUALITY ASSURANCE IN HIGHER EDUCATION ROMANIAN AGENCY FOR QUALITY ASSURANCE IN HIGHER EDUCATION (A.R.A.C.I.S.)

30/09/2020 – CURRENT Timișoara, Romania

PEER-REVIEW CONTRIBUTOR GENDER STUDIES JOURNAL

Gender Studies Journal (ISSN online: 2286-0134; ISSN: ISSN: 1583-980X)

The journal is open access by De Gruyter Sciendo and is indexed in 37 international databases, including SCOPUS, ERIH Plus and EBSCO. Additional information about the magazine is available at the site below:

<https://content.sciendo.com/view/journals/genst/genst-overview.xml>

Website <https://content.sciendo.com/view/journals/genst/genst-overview.xml>

07/07/2019 – 07/08/2021 Timișoara, Romania

JUNIOR TEACHER TRAINING EXPERT WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

"Access and equity in universities. Innovative entrepreneurial approaches for students and teachers "- project ID POCU379/6/21/124874

Link <https://www.facebook.com/accessiechitateinuniversitati/>

07/09/2021 – 16/12/2021 Timișoara, Romania

RESEARCH AND TRAINING ASSISTANT IN PEDAGOGY WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

UVT teaching & learning brand – Reflective & Collaborative Learning into action - Project ID - CNFIS-FDI-2021-0460

Link <https://cda.uvt.ro/uv-t-teaching-learning-brand-reflective-and-collaborative-learning-into-action/>

22/05/2018 – 12/12/2018 Timișoara, Romania
EDUCATION EXPERT WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

20/09/2017 – 03/05/2019 Timișoara, Romania
CONSULTANT VOLUNTEER WITHIN THE CENTER FOR ACADEMIC DEVELOPMENT (CDA) WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA

10/08/2013 – CURRENT Svinița, Romania
VOLUNTEER DEVELOPMENT PARTNER ASSOCIATION - SVINIȚA

Link <http://www.asociatii.net/mehedinti/asociatie-asociatia-partener-pentru-dezvoltare-svinita-cui25273561.html>

● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

30/09/2020 – CURRENT
PH.D. STUDENT IN EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES West University of Timisoara, Doctoral School of Psychology

Website <https://fsp.uvt.ro/studii-de-doctorat-stiinte-ale-educatiei/>

16/09/2018 – 05/07/2020
MASTER IN EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES) West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology

Website <https://fsp.uvt.ro/>

16/09/2018 – 05/07/2020
BACHELOR IN PEDAGOGY (DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL SCIENCES) West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology

Website <https://fsp.uvt.ro/>

14/09/2015 – 03/07/2018 Timișoara, Romania
BACHELOR IN PSYCHOLOGY (DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY) West University of Timisoara, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology

Website <https://fsp.uvt.ro/>

06/09/2016 – 10/07/2017 Maia Porto (Maia), Portugal
STUDENT ERASMUS ISMAI - Institutul Universitário da Maia

Address Av. Carlos de Oliveira Campos, , 4475-690 , Maia Porto (Maia), Portugal | Website <https://www.ismai.pt/pt>

2010 – 2014 Orșova, Romania
HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA High School "Traian Lalescu" Orșova, profile of Mathematics and Informatics, intensive English

● LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **ROMANIAN** | **SERBIAN**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
ENGLISH	C1	C2	C1	C1	C1
FRENCH	B2	B2	B1	B1	B1
SERBIAN	C1	C1	B2	B2	B2

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
PORTUGUESE	B2	B2	A2	B1	A2
CROATIAN	B2	B2	B1	B2	B1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● DIGITAL SKILLS

Analyze Data Using SPSS | R / R Studio / R Markdown | Statistical software: SPSS, R, MPlus | Microsoft Office: proficient user of Word, Excel and Powerpoint | Network Analysis | Latent profile analysis | Latent profile transition analysis | Confirmatory Factor Analysis (CFA)

● ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

PUBLICATIONS

[Mladenovici, V., and Ilie, M. D. \(2023\). A cross-lagged panel model analysis between academics' conceptions of teaching and their teaching approaches. Studies in Higher Education](#)

Field: Education & Educational Research; Impact factor = 4.2 in 2022 (Q1)

[Mladenovici, V., Ilie, M. D., Maricuțoiu, L. P., & Iancu, D. E. \(2022\). Approaches to teaching in higher education: the perspective of network analysis using the revised approaches to teaching inventory. Higher Education, 1-23.](#)

– 2022

Field: Education & Educational Research; Impact factor = 4.634 (Q1)

Link <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10734-021-00766-9>

[Erașcu, M. and Mladenovici, V. \(2022\). Transferring Learning into the Workplace: Evaluating a Student-centered Learning Approach through Computer Science Students' Lens. In Proceedings of the 14th International Conference on Computer Supported Education - Volume 2: CSEDU, ISBN 978-989-758-562-3; ISSN 2184-5026, pages 442-449.](#)

– 2022

Conference Proceeding; Publisher: SCITEPRESS Digital Library

[Maricuțoiu, L. P., Pap, Z., Stefancu E., Popescu, B., Mladenovici, V., Valache, D., Ilie, M. D, & Virga, D. \(2023\). Is teachers' well-being associated with students' school experience? A meta-analysis of cross-sectional evidence. Educational Psychology Review, 35\(1\), 1.](#)

– 2023

Impact factor of the Educational Psychology Review Journal in 2022 = 10.1 (Q1)

Link <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10648-023-09721-9>

[Ilie, M. D., Maricuțoiu, L. P., Iancu, D. E., Smarandache, I. G., Mladenovici, V., Stoia, D. C., & Toth, S. A. \(2020\). Reviewing the research on instructional development programs for academics. Trying to tell a different story: A meta-analysis. Educational Research Review, 30, 100331.](#)

– 2020

Field: Education & Educational Research; Impact factor = 7.803 (Q1)

[Smarandache, I. G., Maricuțoiu, L. P., Ilie, M. D., Iancu, D. E., & Mladenovici, V. \(2022\). Students' approach to learning: evidence regarding the importance of the interest-to-effort ratio. Higher Education Research & Development, 1-16.](#)

– 2022

Field: Education & Educational Research; Impact factor = 3.851 (Q2)

[Pap, Z., Maricuțoiu, L. P., Vîrgă, D., Ilie, M. D., Mladenovici, V., Popescu, B., & Valache, D. \(2023\). Happy teacher, healthy class? Linking teachers' subjective well-being to high-school and university students' physical and mental health in a three-level longitudinal study. *Social Psychology of Education*, 1-21.](#)

– 2023

Impact factor (IF) of the *Social Psychology of Education Journal* in 2022 = 2.9 (Q2)

[Ilie, M. D., Bunoiu, M. O., Iancu, D. E., Mladenovici, V., Smarandache, I. G., & Chereches, V. \(2020\). Promoting student-centred forms of learning across an entire university: The West University of Timisoara project. *Proceeding of the Fundamental Values of the EHEA: Bologna, June 24-25 2019*, 131-135. Bononia University Press.](#)

– 2020

Conference Proceeding; Publisher: Bononia University Press

DRIVING LICENCE

Driving Licence: AM

Driving Licence: B1

Driving Licence: B

CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS

International & National Conferences International conferences

- The 20th Biennial EARLI Conference, 22 - 26 August 2023, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki and the University of Macedonia, Greece.

- SIG 1 (Assessment and Evaluation) & SIG 4 (Higher Education) JOINT CONFERENCE 2022, 27-30 June 2022, Cadiz, Spain

- The European Conference on Educational Research (ECER 2019 - Hamburg), 2 - 3 September 2019 (Emerging Researchers' Conference) and 3 to 6 September 2019 (ECER) at Universitat Hamburg, Germany

- IMPACT CEE 2019 Congress between 21/22 May in Krakow, Poland

- 5th International Conference on Communication and Education in Knowledge Society (5-6 May 2022) - *CHANGING LANDSCAPES IN EUROPEAN HIGHER EDUCATION* at West University of Timișoara, Romania

- member of the organization team of & participant in the International Conference Jean Monnet Project „Penser, raconter, vivre L'Europe à l'école” (587757-EPP-1-2017-1-ROEPPJMO-PROJECT) *L'identité européenne en question* July 18 – 19, 2019, Timișoara

National conferences

- the 4th 5th 6th 7th 8th 9th (2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023) National Conference(s) on Research in Education (CERED), Romania

- a member of the organization team of & participant in the 6th edition of the National Conference of Educational Research – CERED 2019 “Research in European Education Area” Timișoara, 17-18 of July 2019, Timișoara & followed by the [PEREV](#) International Conference, *L'identité européenne en question*, 18-19 of July 2019

- the national conference “Education TODAY” organized by the Department for the training of the teaching staff of the West University of Timișoara, May 18-19, 2018

Research competencies development pieces of training Research competencies development pieces of training

- Participation at the 25th Summer School in Social Science Methods 2021 where I attended the following workshop:
 - Trainer: **Elmar Schlüter** is a Professor of Sociology, with a focus on methods of cross-national comparative social research, at the University of Giessen. Theme: Multilevel Structural Equation Modeling. Period: 23-27 August 2021. Details: the regular workshop was taught for 5 consecutive days (at least 36 hours of teaching of which a minimum of 50% were seminar/ guided project work)
- Workshop on Research Methods inside the Conference Causality in the Social Sciences, November 22-24, 2018, Timișoara, Romania;
- I participated between February 3-8, 2020, at the Winter School of the Industrial and Organizational Psychology Association (APIO) in Sinaia, in Bran, Romania.
- I participated from February 6-11, 2023, at the Winter School of the Industrial and Organizational Psychology Association (APIO) in Sinaia, Romania.

Extra workshops

- Workshop "Preparation and submission of funding applications through the Horizon Europe program", 24-26 March 2021 inside the project "Support center for participation in international projects - SupportTM", ID 108173, financed by the Competitiveness Operational Program 2014-2020
- Introduction Course to Financer Guide - Erasmus+
- ResponseAbility – Positive Change - Identity, Training course For Key Action 1 – Learning Mobility of Individuals: by all partner organizations for mobility actions in the youth field. A training course for youth workers about finding a response to the global challenges of the 21st century. Haus Venusberg, Bonn, Germany, 22-28 May, 2016

HONOURS AND AWARDS

23/10/2021

Third Place in the Competition of Scientific Projects Coordinated by Young Researchers – Faculty of Sociology and Psychology, West University of Timisoara, Romania Procedura privind organizarea competiției: [click here](#)

Dovada obținerii premiului: [click here](#)

25/11/2022

The "Student of the Year" award at the UVT Awards Gala - West University of Timișoara – West University of Timișoara Proof of award: [click here](#) or [here](#)

Diploma: [click here](#)

Link <https://galapremiilor.uvt.ro/premiul-studentul-anului/>

20/10/2023

Second Place in the Competition of Scientific Projects Coordinated by Young Researchers – Faculty of Sociology and Psychology, West University of Timisoara, Romania Procedura privind organizarea competiției: [click here](#)

Dovada obținerii premiului: [click here](#)

MEMBERSHIP RESEARCH ASSOCIATIONS

10/04/2021 – CURRENT

Member of the Romanian Association for Research in Education (ARCE)

31/12/2021 – CURRENT

Member of the European Association for Research on Learning and Instruction (EARLI)

Memberships

- EARLI - Full Membership (2024)
- EARLI - Full Membership (2023)
- EARLI - Full Membership (2022)

Interest Group Memberships

- EARLI - SIG 04 - Higher Education (2023)
- EARLI - SIG 04 - Higher Education (2022)
- EARLI - SIG 06 - Instructional Design (2022)
- EARLI - SIG 11 - Teaching and Teacher Education (2022)
- EARLI - SIG 14 - Learning and Professional Development (2022)

31/12/2021 – CURRENT

Member of the American Educational Research Association (AERA)

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Full Name: **Velibor Mladenovici**

AERA Member Type: **Graduate Student Member 2 Years**

Member Since: **1/1/2022**

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CONSULTATIONS WITH STUDENTS

01/10/2023 – 26/02/2024

Consultations 1st semester of the academic year 2023-2024

Face-to-face (f2f) or online on Google Meet - at requests via e-mail at least 24 hours before, the address velibor.mladenovici@e-uvt.ro

f2f at office 607 - Center of Academic Development (6th floor in the main building of the West University of Timișoara, Blvd. Vasile Parvan, no 4, Timișoara)

*Consultations are available each week with the exception of national holidays and teacher rest leave.

Consultations 1st semester of the academic year 2023-2024

For students for the Educational Sciences Department, Faculty of Sociology and Psychology, West University of Timișoara

Wednesday: 14:40 - 16:10

For students at the Teacher Training Department, West University of Timișoara

Friday: 14:40 - 16:10
