

Tatiana PUIU
Republic of Moldova (RM)

CURRICULUM VITAE

Professional experience

2008 – present Attorney to the Associated Law Office “Nagacevschi and partners”

2015 – present RM Project Consultant, International Organization Freedom House

Activities and responsibilities: Freedom House’s advocacy and program representative in RM; engagement with FH’s partners in RM for the development of programmatic or other approaches aimed at defending human rights, supporting civil society and facilitating reforms on national level.

2017 – present Co-chair of the Parliamentary working group in charge of the harmonization of media-related legislation with the European standards.

2012 – present Instructor/Trainer, Chisinau Advanced School of Journalism

Activities and responsibilities: in charge of trainings on *Mass Media Law*, including access to information, freedom of expression, hate speech, non-discriminatory language etc.

2008 – 2015 Legal Counselor, Public Association *Lawyers for human rights*

Activities and responsibilities: Free legal aid to people and legal specialists on ECtHR jurisdiction and procedures, representation of the applicants to the ECtHR in selected strategic cases and reopening of the domestic proceedings as a result of Strasbourg proceedings, thus assistance to the domestic authorities, press/releases on the ECtHR case-law on major systematic problems. Monitoring cases of human rights violations, notifying national authorities of incompatibility cases between national legal framework and international human rights agreements the Republic of Moldova is part to.

Specific professional experience in the relevant area

2015 – present Board member of the Moldovan Institute for Human Rights (IDOM)

Activities and responsibilities: consultancy on implementing IDOMs Strategic Activity Domains Plan, in particular: defense and promotion of the rights of persons living with HIV/AIDS; monitoring, defense and promotion of the rights of persons with mental disabilities in psychiatric and psycho-neurological institutions; prevention of inhuman treatment in pre-detention institutions; litigation cases of malpractice (assessment of national and international legislation regarding malpractice and defending patients and reproductive rights).

2014 -2017 Expert, Center for Analysis and Prevention of Corruption, RM

Activities and responsibilities: analysis of draft normative acts with further recommendations for legislation improvement against human rights related legal vacuums.

2018 – present Local consultant in the area of prevention of human rights violations by the Ombudsperson Institution and the National Prevention Mechanism of Torture, Council of Europe.

11/2015 – 01/2016 and 08/2017 – 11/2017 National consultant for the assessment of the implementation of specific intervention areas of the *Strategy and Action Plan of Justice Sector Reform of the Republic of Moldova*, Council of Europe

Education

2002 – 2006 Free International University of RM, Bachelor of Law, Specialization: Civil Law

2006 – 2007 Free International University of RM, Master Degree in Civil Law

2009 – 2010 Jagiellonian University in Krakow (Poland), The Lane Kirkland Scholarship Program 2009/2010, Certificate of Recognition, Topic of research: *The Impact of the European Court of Human Rights' Judgements in the Republic of Moldova*

Language skills

Romanian, Russian, English, Polish