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## EXPERIENCE

### March 2007 – Present – Landscape Architect @ Geometrik Design Architects

>> [www.geometrik.us](http://www.geometrik.us)

- developed schematic designs/ concept studies
- coordinated specific package from concept to construction documents
- coordinated with other disciplines
- site visits, client presentations
- involved with product specifications

#### Concepts and Studies

- 51,090 sqm Residential Complex, Hampton/New York - Masterplan
- 904,281 sqm University Campus, Romania – Landscape concept and outdoor ArtWorks
- 150,000 sqm Radius Shopping Center, Bucharest – Landscape and traffic studies
- 40,000 sqm Sport Arena, Bucharest – Landscape concept
- 3 ha Residential Complex, Bucharest - Masterplan
- Mangalia Lake - Feasibility Study, SWOT, Landscape design concept

### Assistant Teacher – Landscape Design @ USAMV, Bucharest, RO

>> [www.usamvb.com](http://www.usamvb.com)

#### 2006-2008

MediaPro and Buftea film studios (Romania) – set design for film and theatre productions

#### 2005-2007

"Art & Roll" magazine – column "What's new in the art galleries"- articles on art issues

#### 2004-2006

"Foundation of Voluntary Blood Donors", Bucharest (Romania)

Promotion of foundation in public events campaign –project conception and coordination

## EDUCATION

**07/10** MA - University of Agronomy, Bucharest – **Landscape Design**

**07/99** MA – Romanian Academy of Fine Arts, Bucharest - **Sculpture**

**09/10** Ph. D candidate at the Academy of Fine Arts, Bucharest-doctoral thesis: *Art, Space and Landscape: Experimental Elements of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century*

#### Awarded Merit Scholarships

- 2004, UNESCO Scholarship, *Academia Nacional de Belas Artes*, Lisbon (Portugal)
- 2002, MEN Scholarship, - *The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts*, Copenhagen (Denmark)
- 2000, Scholarship of the Romanian Association of Art for Sculpture
- 1999, MEN Scholarship, *Akademie der bildenden Kunst Wien*, Vienna (Austria)

Registered Landscape Designer – Lic No: **4021**

Registered Degree in Arts – Lic No: **T 0056242**

Registered Graduating Teachers – Lic No: **D 0004796**

Member of Romanian Association of Art - UAPR

Member of Romanian Landscape Architects' Association-ASOPB

Member of European Federation of Landscape Architects-EFLA

- Advanced computer skills / design and management software :  
AutoCAD, Sketch-up, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe In Design, Adobe Illustrator, Microsoft Office
- Familiar with PC platforms
- Good Hand Drawing and Sketching skills
- Bilingual – English, Romanian
- Knowledge of French

## PUBLICATIONS

### Articles in several design art magazines

- *Seven night Magazine*.....Art and Landscape. Nomad Gardens - September 2010
- *Architectural Magazine*.....Limanu – Alternative Space- September issue
- *Iasi Magazine*.....Cristian Nae, Identities in the contemporary art- May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2007
- *Cultural Centre Magazine*....Cosmin Năsui, Sculpted Forest of the Genealogic Treeno.38/2005
- *Financial Magazine*.....Corneliu Antim, Adam and Eve - 16.07.2004
- *Art&Roll Magazine*.....Daniel Ionescu, Exhibitions- nr. 21, 2003
- *Cultural Centre Magazine*....Cosmin Năsui, Micromegas complex- 18-24.02.2003
- *Western Day Magazine*.....Ștefan Both, The ARTuborg Sculpture Park- 8.08.2003
- *Cultural Centre Magazine*....Oana Tănase, Ritual and Transfiguration-no. 106,,2002
- *Cultural Centre Magazine*....Oana Tănase, About Object and Its Transparency- nr. 50, 2001
- *Public Magazine*.....Roxana Istudor-9-10.02.2001
- *Event Magazine*.....Exhibits at the Art Jazz Club-23.02–1.03.2001

**Web links:**      [www.anaidart.ro](http://www.anaidart.ro) ; [www.hartgallery.ro](http://www.hartgallery.ro) ; [www.modernism.ro](http://www.modernism.ro)

## COMPETITIONS

### Landscape Design Concepts and Art Competitions

*Street Delivery* - concept and execution of project "Street Forest" – *outdoor sculpture*, 2010  
*Midsummer Night*- concept and execution of project *Forest "Within the Forest"*- *sculpture*, 2010  
*Limanu – A Planning Study on the area of Limanu Lake, Mangalia*, project of landscaping and land planning, feasibility and execution - chief designer - beneficiary Limanu Town Hall 2010  
*Free on the grass* - concept of installation "Dams" its execution in collaboration with Landscape Factory Association - *outdoor art installation*, 2009  
*Cismigiu Gardens in details*- assistant coordinator of the project 2009

- Nomad Gardens – Urban Art competition for French Cultural Center on display in September 2010/2011 in several locations in Bucharest
- BAB10 – Biennale Exhibition of Architecture Bucharest 2010
- Honorable mention for Aeronautical Memorial-*sculpture*, Bucharest 2009
- Oslo Museum Design Competition- *landscape concept*
- Honorable mention for "Parks of the Future"-*landscape*, Constanta 2009
- Honorable mention for "Ecaterina Teodoroiu"park-*landscape*, Azuga 2008
- 1<sup>st</sup> prize – "The Walls" art installation – Residency Programme, Berlin 2000

## ACTIVITIES

### Participations in scientific conferences

Annual Science Session, organized by University of Agronomy, Bucharest -subject "*Land-art*" 2009  
*ECO Bucuresti 2015, an urban development platform*, organized by The ARK, Space Syntax and Cultural Foundation Art Promo- on the subject "*Ecological Design and Engineering for the 1000 hectares between Izvor and Lacul Morii*", Bucharest 2009  
*Green Space and Urban Identity* –ATU- Association for UrbanTransition & Folk Museum, 2008

### Personal sculpture exhibitions (selected)

2011 "*Body extension*" – Art Gallery, Philadelphia, USA  
2005 "*Remember the time*"- Anaid Gallery, Bucharest  
2004 "*Evo(po)llution*" – H'art Gallery, Bucharest  
2003 "*Round Dance*" – Simeza Gallery, Bucharest  
2002 "*Underground*" –Royal Palace, Bucharest  
2001 "*Transiencies*" – Art Jazz Gallery, Bucharest  
1999 "*Transparencies*" – Gallery of Academy of Art, Vienna  
1999 "*The Amazons*" – Cultural Foundation for Poetry and Art - *Mircea Dinescu*, Dolj

### Group sculpture exhibitions (selected)

2007 "*Identity*" – Dana Gallery, Iasi  
2002 "*Accents and impressions*"- Apollo Gallery, Bucharest  
2001 "*Indoor sculpture*" – Orizont Gallery, Bucharest  
2000 "*Arts*" – World Trade Center Complex Gallery, Bucharest  
1999 "*Signs and Symbols*" –Simeza Gallery, Bucharest  
1998 "*Drawings by sculptor*" – History Museum Gallery, Bucharest  
1997 "*Portraits*" –Jazz Art Gallery, Bucharest

### Art symposiums

- 2008 "*Art Forest 2008*"- International Land Art Symposium, Sangiorz-Bai (Romania)  
2003 "*The Sculpture Park*"- monumental sculpture – welded metal, Timisoara(Romania)  
2001 "*Experimental Art*"- sculpture and ceramics - Cultural Foundation for Poetry and Art - *Mircea Dinescu, Dolj* (Romania)  
1999 "*Art and History*"- wood carving – Corvinesti Castle, Hunedoara (Romania)  
1998 "*Objects*"- stone sculpture, Techirghiol (Romania)  
1997 "*Marks*"- monumental sculpture - metal, Roman (Romania)  
1996 "*Perceptions*"- stone sculpture, Satu Mare (Romania)  
1994 "*Shapes*"- stone sculpture, Campulung-Moldovenesc (Romania)

>>Work in private collections : Romania, London, Greece, Belgium, Vienna, New York, Philadelphia