

## MEMORIU DE ACTIVITATE

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### PREGĂTIREA PROFESIONALĂ (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/bio.html>):

- 1992-1996: Diplomă de doctor, Facultatea de Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara, 1996, ramura Științe tehnice, specializarea Sisteme automate, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Ștefan Preitl, titlul tezei: “Contribuții privind conducerea proceselor cu fază neminimă cu aplicații la reglarea turăției hidrogenatoarelor”.
- 1988-1993: Diplomă de licență, Facultatea de Matematică din cadrul Universității din Timișoara, promoția 1993, specializarea Matematică, cu media 9.05 a celor patru ani de studii și media 10 la licență.
- 1982-1987: Diplomă de merit, Facultatea de Electrotehnică din cadrul Institutului Politehnic “Traian Vuia” din Timișoara, promoția 1987, specializarea Automatică și calculatoare, direcția de aprofundare Conducerea proceselor cu calculatorul, cu media 9.98 a celor cinci ani de studii și media 10 la diplomă.
- 1977-1981: Bacalaureat în Matematică-Fizică, Liceul Industrial nr. 1, Lugoj.

### EXPERIENȚA ÎN MUNCĂ (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/bio.html>):

- ❑ *Perioada 2016 – 2020:* Decan al Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea Politehnica Timișoara (<http://www.ac.upt.ro/conducere.php#top>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2016 – 2022:* Adjunct Professor la School of Engineering, Edith Cowan University, Joondalup, WA, Australia (<http://www.ecu.edu.au/schools/engineering/staff/>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2016 – 2020:* Membru al Consiliului Școlii Doctorale Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea Politehnica din București (<http://doctorat.acs.pub.ro/component-si-organizare/sedinte-alegeri/>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2017 – 2020:* Membru al Consiliului Național al Cercetării Științifice (CNCS) (<http://www.research.gov.ro/uploads/sistemul-de-cercetare/organisme-consultative/om-nr213-19-04-2017-cnsc-mo287.pdf>, <http://www.research.gov.ro/uploads/sistemul-de-cercetare/organisme-consultative/om-nr213-19-04-2017-cnsc.pdf>).
- ❑ *Perioada ianuarie – aprilie 2017:* Membru al Comisiei de Științe Inginerești din cadrul CNCS.
- ❑ *Perioada ianuarie – aprilie 2017:* Membru al Comisiei 2: Tehnologia informației și a comunicațiilor, spațiu și securitate din cadrul Colegiului Consultativ pentru Cercetare, Dezvoltare și Inovare (CCCDI).
- ❑ *Perioada 2012 – 2016:* Prodecan al Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea Politehnica Timișoara (cu vechea denumire, până în 2013, Universitatea “Politehnica” din Timișoara).
- ❑ *Perioada martie – iunie 2012:* Președinte al Comisiei de Cercetare Științifică a Senatului Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2011 – 2012:* Vicepreședinte al Comisiei de calculatoare, tehnologia informației și ingineria sistemelor din cadrul Consiliului Național de Atestare a Titlurilor, Diplomelor și Certificatelor Universitare (CNATDCU) și membru al panelului P2. Științe inginerești

<http://www.cnatdco.ro/paneluri-cnatdco/panel-2-stiinte-ingineresti/comisia-de-inginerie-calculatoare-tehnologia-informatiei-si-ingineria-sistemelor/>).

- ❑ *Perioada 2012 – în prezent:* Membru al Comisiei de calculatoare, tehnologia informației și ingineria sistemelor din cadrul CNATDCU (<http://www.cnatdco.ro/paneluri-cnatdco/incepand-cu-data-de-7-septembrie-2012/stiinte-ingineresti/comisia-de-calculatoare-tehnologia-informatiei-si-ingineria-sistemelor/>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2011 – în prezent:* Director al Centrului de Cercetare în Ingineria Sistemelor Automate din cadrul Universității Politehnica Timișoara (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/centru-cercetare/>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2009 – în prezent:* Membru al Școlii Doctorale de Informatică Aplicată și Matematică Aplicată din cadrul Óbuda University (cu vechea denumire Budapest Tech Polytechnical Institution), Budapesta, Ungaria ([http://www.doktori.hu/index.php?menuid=192&sz\\_ID=8670&lang=EN](http://www.doktori.hu/index.php?menuid=192&sz_ID=8670&lang=EN)).
- ❑ *Perioada 2008 – 2012:* Șef al Oficiului de Informare și Consiliere a Studenților (OICS) al Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea “Politehnica” din Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2004 – în prezent:* Conducător de doctorat în domeniul Ingineria sistemelor (fost Automatică) la Universitatea Politehnica Timișoara, cinci doctori cu teze susținute: Raul-Cristian Roman (martie 2018), titlul tezei: “Tehnici de tip model-free de acordare a parametrilor reguletoarelor automate”, calificativul Excelent, Radu-Codruț David (aprilie 2015), titlul tezei: “Contributions to modeling and optimization of fuzzy control systems”, calificativul Excelent, Mircea-Bogdan Rădac (septembrie 2011), titlul tezei: “Iterative Techniques for Controller Tuning”, Ovidiu Baniș (mai 2009), titlul tezei: “Contribuții la conducerea traficului rutier urban utilizând o rețea de senzori wireless ca detector de trafic”, Zsuzsa Preitl (aprilie 2008), titlul tezei: “Model Based Design Methods for Speed Control Applications” și 15 doctoranzi îndrumați la ora actuală (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/stud.html>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2018 – în prezent:* 2 cercetători postdoctorali mentorați: Alexandru Topîrceanu, Universitatea Politehnica Timișoara (UPT), cu tema „IMproving the PREdiction of opinion dynamics in temporal Social networks: Mathematical modeling and Simulation framework (IMPRESS)”, finanțare UEFISCDI prin proiectul PN-III-P1-1.1-PD-2016-0193, Alexandra-Iulia Szedlak-Stînean, UPT, cu tema „NONlinear OBServers-based control structures applied to MEChatronics Systems (NOBSMECS)”, finanțare UEFISCDI prin proiectul PN-III-P1-1.1-PD-2016-0331 (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/postdoc.html>).
- ❑ *Perioada 2001 – 2011:* Director adjunct al Centrului de Cercetare Științifică în Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara, director al Diviziei de Automatică și Informatică Industrială.
- ❑ *Perioada 2000 – în prezent:* Profesor la Departamentul de Automatică și Informatică Aplicată, la Facultatea de Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității Politehnica Timișoara, la disciplinele de System Theory and Automatization (Calculatoare și tehnologia informației – engleză), Ingineria reglării automate (Ingineria sistemelor), Tehnici de optimizare (Ingineria sistemelor), Matematici asistate de calculator (Ingineria sistemelor), Structuri și algoritmi pentru conducerea automată a proceselor (Ingineria sistemelor), Sisteme de conducere fuzzy (Ingineria sistemelor), Sisteme de conducere inteligentă (Ingineria sistemelor automate), Dynamic Systems and Stability în Automotive Control (Automotive Embedded Software), Prelucrarea matematică a semnalelor (Sisteme informatice aplicate în producție și servicii), Sisteme dinamice și stabilitate (Modele matematice în inginerie), Strategii de conducere avansată (Automatică), Sisteme de reglare avansată (Automatică), Optimizarea sistemelor asistată de calculator (Automatică), Abordări moderne în conducerea proceselor I (Sisteme automate), Elemente de reglare automată (Energetică), Intelligent Control in Automotive Embedded Systems (Automotive Embedded Software), Sisteme multiagent (Sisteme automate), Multi-agent Systems (Automotive Embedded Software).
- ❑ *Perioada 1998 – 2000:* Conferențiar la Departamentul de Automatică și Informatică Industrială de la Facultatea de Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara, la disciplinele de Ingineria reglării automate II (Automatică), Sisteme de reglare avansată (Automatică), Matematici asistate de calculator (Automatică și calculatoare), Tehnici de optimizare (Automatică), Tehnici moderne de conducere (Automatică), Conducerea inteligentă a proceselor (Automatică), Conducerea numerică a sistemelor hidropneumatice (Mașini Hidraulice și Pneumatice), Elemente de reglare automată (Energetică), Teoria sistemelor și automatizări (Mecanică), Sisteme de reglare automată a excitației generatoarelor sincrone și Sisteme de reglare automată a vitezei generatoarelor sincrone (Energetică).
- ❑ *Perioada 1994 – 1998:* Șef de lucrări la Departamentul de Automatică și Informatică Industrială de la Facultatea de Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara, la disciplinele de: Ingineria reglării automate I și II (Automatică), Sisteme de reglare avansată

(Automatică), Tehnici de optimizare (Automatică), Tehnici moderne de conducere (Automatică), Elemente de reglare automată (Energetică), Teoria sistemelor și automatizări (Mecanică).

- ❑ *Perioada 1991 – 1994:* Asistent la Catedra de Automatică și Informatică Industrială de la Facultatea de Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității Tehnice din Timișoara, la disciplinele de: Ingineria reglării automate I și II (Automatică), Teoria sistemelor (Automatică și calculatoare), Elemente de reglare automată (Energetică).
- ❑ *Perioada 1987 – 1991:* Inginer automatist la punctul de lucru Timișoara din cadrul S.C. Infoservice S.A. (fost SIRECA), cu preocupări profesionale în domeniul automatizărilor:
  - coordonarea activității compartimentului de Automatizări;
  - puneri în funcțiune de sisteme automate;
  - depanări și revizii de sisteme automate analogice și numerice.

#### **ALTE ACTIVITĂȚI MANAGERIALE ȘI ADMINISTRATIVE**

(<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/bio.html>):

- ❑ *Perioada 2019 – în prezent:* Reviewer al National Council of Science and Technology (CONACYT), Ciudad de Mexico, Mexic.
- ❑ *Perioada 2019 – în prezent:* Reviewer al Mobility and Reintegration Programme (MoRePro) of the Slovak Academy of Sciences, Bratislava, Slovacia.
- ❑ *Perioada 2019 – în prezent:* Reviewer al Science Fund of the Republic of Serbia, Belgrad, Serbia.
- ❑ *Perioada 2017 – în prezent:* Reviewer al Slovenian Research Agency (ARRS), Ljubljana, Slovenia.
- ❑ *Perioada 2014 – în prezent:* Membru al Informatics and Electrical Engineering review panel of the Hungarian National Research, Development and Innovation Office (NKFIH), cu denumirea anterioară Hungarian Scientific Research Fund (OTKA), Budapesta, Ungaria.
- ❑ *Perioada 2012 – în prezent:* Reviewer al Research Foundation - Flanders (Fonds Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek - Vlaanderen, FWO), Bruxelles, Belgia.
- ❑ *Perioada 2011 – în prezent:* Reviewer al Hungarian National Research, Development and Innovation Office (NKFIH), cu denumirea anterioară Hungarian Scientific Research Fund (OTKA), Budapesta, Ungaria.
- ❑ *Perioada 2011 – în prezent:* Reviewer al Czech Science Foundation (GACR), Praga, Cehia.
- ❑ *Perioada martie – iunie 2012:* Membru al Senatului Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2000 – în prezent:* Membru al Consiliului Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea Politehnica Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2008 – 2012 și perioada 2000-2004:* Membru al Consiliului Departamentului de Automatică și Informatică Aplicată de la Facultatea de Automatică și Calculatoare din cadrul Universității “Politehnica” din Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2000 – în prezent:* Expert și evaluator al Consiliului Național al Cercetării Științifice (CNCS, cu vechea denumire Consiliul Național al Cercetării Științifice din Învățământul Superior, CNCSIS), București, în domeniile Automatică, Robotică și Ingineria Sistemelor.
- ❑ *Perioada 2008 – 2009:* Coordonarea activității de acreditare a programului de Master în Automotive Embedded Software în cadrul Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea “Politehnica” din Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2008 – 2009:* Coordonarea părții de cercetare din cadrul activității de acreditare a programului de Bachelor în Ingineria Sistemelor și a programelor de Master în Ingineria Sistemelor și în Sisteme Informatice Aplicate în Producție și Servicii în cadrul Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, Universitatea “Politehnica” din Timișoara.
- ❑ *Perioada 2007 – în prezent:* Expert și evaluator al Agenției Române de Asigurare a Calității în Învățământul Superior (ARACIS), București, în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor.

#### **DOMENII DE INTERES ȘTIINȚIFIC** (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/research.html>):

- ❑ Dezvoltarea unor noi strategii, structuri și algoritmi de conducere și reglare automată: conducere convențională, conducere fuzzy (domeniul tezei de doctorat), conducere adaptivă hibridă neuro-fuzzy, data-driven control, model-free control, sliding mode control ș.a.
- ❑ Teorie și aplicații în soft computing.
- ❑ Prelucrarea semnalelor.
- ❑ Modelarea, identificarea și optimizarea sistemelor utilizând inclusiv algoritmi de inspirație biologică.
- ❑ Proiectarea asistată de calculator a sistemelor de conducere automată.
- ❑ Dezvoltarea unor aplicații de conducere a sistemelor mecatronice și sistemelor încorporate (inclusiv sisteme specifice autovehiculelor și roboți mobili), grupurilor energetice, servosistemelor, sistemelor de acționări electrice ș.a.

**Activitatea didactică** (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/teach.html>,  
<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/bio.html>):

- Am desfășurat cursuri, seminarii, laboratoare și proiecte la disciplinele menționate anterior.
- Am elaborat (în colaborare) patru cursuri, două culegeri de probleme și patru îndrumătoare de lucrări de laborator.
- Un program Socrates+ (cordonator) în 2014-2021, cu Universitatea din Ljubljana (Slovenia).
- Un program Socrates-Erasmus (cordonator) în 2009-2013, cu Universitatea din Ljubljana (Slovenia).
- Un program Socrates-Erasmus (cordonator) în 2010-2013, cu Kecekemét College (Ungaria).
- Un program Socrates-Erasmus (cordonator) în 1999-2000, cu Universitatea Tehnică din Viena (Austria).

**Adresa profilului meu pe researcherid.com:**

- <http://www.researcherid.com/rid/A-6993-2009>.

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- <https://orcid.org/0000-0002-2060-7403>.

**Activitatea științifică:**

Am desfășurat-o în domeniile de interes științific menționate anterior (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/research.html>), în care am elaborat (singur sau în colaborare, <http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/public.html>):

- O carte publicată în 2009 în **Butterworth-Heinemann, Elsevier** (Oxford, UK) (<https://www.elsevier.com/books/nature-inspired-optimization-algorithms-for-fuzzy-controlled-servo-systems/precup/978-0-12-816358-0>, <https://www.sciencedirect.com/book/9780128163580/nature-inspired-optimization-algorithms-for-fuzzy-controlled-servo-systems>), o carte publicată în 1997 la Editura Tehnică (București), zece cărți publicate în 1999-2009 la Editura Orizonturi Universitare (Timișoara) și trei cărți publicate în 2001-2012 la Editura Politehnica (Timișoara) (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/books.html>).
- Trei cărți *editate* publicate în 2012 și 2019 în **Springer** (<https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9783642283048>,  
<https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9789811359941>,  
<https://www.springer.com/gp/book/9789811361500>).
- 25 capitole de carte în Springer-Verlag, Kluwer Academic Publishers, IET Digital Library, World Scientific și Atlantis Press (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/bookch.html>).
- 90 lucrări științifice publicate în reviste cu factor de impact Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge) (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/isijournals.html>): Automatica, IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics, IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks, IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems, IEEE Transactions on Industrial Electronics, IEEE/ASME Transactions on Mechatronics, Information Sciences, IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics, IEEE Transactions on Instrumentation and Measurement, Expert Systems with Applications, Fuzzy Sets and Systems, ISA Transactions, Computers in Industry, Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence, Applied Soft Computing, Journal of The Franklin Institute, Robotics and Autonomous Systems, European Journal of Control, Asian Journal of Control, Mathematics and Computers in Simulation, Knowledge-Based Systems, IEEE Transactions on Education, IEEE Systems Journal, International Journal of Systems Science, International Journal of General Systems, Acta Astronautica, IET Control Theory & Applications, Neurocomputing, Electrical Engineering, Journal of Aerospace Information Systems, etc., în Elsevier, Springer, John Wiley and Sons, Taylor & Francis, The American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics etc.
- **Patru lucrări de tip Highly Cited Paper conform Clarivate Analytics Web of Science** în septembrie/octombrie 2019, mai/iunie 2018 și noiembrie/decembrie 2015 ([http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/CiI\\_2011\\_Highly\\_Cited\\_Paper.png](http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/CiI_2011_Highly_Cited_Paper.png),  
[http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/TIE\\_2017\\_Highly\\_Cited\\_Paper.png](http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/TIE_2017_Highly_Cited_Paper.png),  
[http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/InfSci\\_2017\\_Highly\\_Cited\\_Paper.jpg](http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/InfSci_2017_Highly_Cited_Paper.jpg),  
[http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/KBS\\_2013\\_Highly\\_Cited\\_Paper.jpg](http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/KBS_2013_Highly_Cited_Paper.jpg)).
- **O lucrare de tip Hot Paper conform Clarivate Analytics Web of Science** în noiembrie/decembrie 2015 ([http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/CiI\\_2015\\_Hot\\_Paper.jpg](http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/CiI_2015_Hot_Paper.jpg)).
- 46 lucrări științifice publicate în reviste de specialitate din străinătate sau în publicații asimilabile revistelor sub egida unor organizații profesionale internaționale (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/journals.html>).

- **Factor de impact (impact factor, IF) Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge) cumulat = 163.667, IF cumulat calculat conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 304.337** (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/isi-journals.html>, IF al celor mai bine cotate reviste din domeniul meu este aproximativ 3).
- Peste 50 lucrări științifice publicate în reviste de specialitate din țară.
- Peste 150 lucrări științifice prezentate și publicate în volumele unor manifestări științifice din străinătate (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/confe.html>) în Africa de Sud, Austria, Anglia, Brazilia, Bulgaria, Canada, Cehia, China, Cipru, Croația, Elveția, Franța, Germania, Grecia, Egipt, Italia, Malta, Moldova, Polonia, Portugalia, Rusia, Serbia, Slovacia, Slovenia, Spania, SUA, Tunisia, Turcia, Ungaria, Zambia.
- Peste 100 lucrări științifice publicate în volumele unor manifestări științifice organizate în România, în cadrul cărora 50 lucrări științifice publicate în volumele unor manifestări științifice internaționale organizate în România (cu referenți științifici) și redactate integral într-o limbă de circulație internațională.
- *Editor* al Proceedings of the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> International Conferences on Technical Informatics CONTI'2006 and CONTI'2008, Timișoara, România, Editura Politehnica, Timișoara, 2006 și 2008.
- **Numărul meu Erdős este 3.**

#### **CITĂRI** (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/cita.html>):

- **6897 citări, indice Hirsch (h-index) = 49 și indice Egghe (g-index) = 69** conform Harzing, A.W. (2007) Publish or Perish, disponibil la link-ul <http://www.harzing.com/pop.htm>, **6720 citări, h-index = 49 și i10-index = 127** conform Scholar Google, disponibil la link-ul <http://scholar.google.com/citations?user=a43tQMQA AAAAJ&hl=en>, la 31 august 2020.
- **4858 citări în lucrări Scopus** ale celor 359 lucrări proprii indexate în Scopus, **h-index = 41** conform Scopus, disponibil la link-ul <http://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.url?authorId=56234853500>, la 31 august 2020.
- **3549 citări în lucrări Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge)** ale celor 276 lucrări proprii indexate în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science, apreciate cu **h-index = 38** conform Clarivate Analytics Web of Science, disponibil la link-ul <http://www.researcherid.com/rid/A-6993-2009> transferat la <https://publons.com/researcher/1193864/radu-emil-precup/publications/>, la 31 august 2020.
- **h-index = 37** (sunt excluse autocitările tuturor coautorilor), **h-index = 35** (sunt excluse autocitările tuturor coautorilor) conform Scopus (a se vedea rezultatele prezentate sintetic la link-ul <http://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.url?authorId=56234853500>), **h-index = 29** (sunt excluse autocitările tuturor coautorilor) conform Clarivate Analytics Web of Science.
- **Factor de impact (impact factor, IF) Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge) cumulat al citărilor independente: 574.685, IF cumulat al citărilor independente calculat conform 2013 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2014: 623.687** (IF al celor mai bine cotate reviste din domeniul meu este aproximativ 3).
- **Peste 4000 citări independente.**

#### **Lucrări și prelegeri invitate** (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/invite.html>):

- R.-E. Precup, Evolving Fuzzy Models of Mechatronics Applications, 17<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Symposium on Intelligent Systems and Informatics SISY 2019, Subotica, Serbia, pp. 1-2, 2019.
- R.-E. Precup, T.-A. Teban and A. Albu, Evolving Fuzzy and Neural Network Models of Finger Dynamics for Prosthetic Hand Myoelectric-based Control, Proceedings of 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Electronics, Computers and Artificial Intelligence ECAI 2019, Pitesti, Romania, pp. 1-8, 2019.
- A. Albu, R.-E. Precup and T.-A. Teban, Medical Applications of Artificial Neural Networks, Proceedings of XIV International SAUM Conference on Systems, Automatic Control and Measurements SAUM 2018, Niš, Serbia, pp. 1-11, 2018.
- R.-E. Precup, St. Preitl, C.-A. Bojan-Dragoș, M.-B. Rădac, A.-I. Szedlak-Sținean, E.-L. Hedrea and R.-C. Roman, Technical and Non-Technical Applications of Evolving Takagi-Sugeno-Kang Fuzzy Models, Proceedings of 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Electrical, Electronic and Computing Engineering IcETRAN 2017, Kladovo, Serbia, pp. 1-8, 2017.

- R.-E. Precup, St. Preitl, C.-A. Bojan-Dragoș, M.-B. Rădac, A.-I. Szedlak-Stînean, E.-L. Hedrea and R.-C. Roman, Evolving Takagi-Sugeno Fuzzy Modeling Applications of Incremental Online Identification Algorithms, Proceedings of XIII International SAUM Conference on Systems, Automatic Control and Measurements SAUM 2016, Niș, Serbia, pp. 3-10, 2016.
- R.-E. Precup, Nature-inspired optimization algorithms applied to fuzzy control, fuzzy modeling, mobile robots and optical character recognition, Proceedings of IEEE 9<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Applied Computational Intelligence and Informatics SACI 2014, Timișoara, pp. 11, 2014.
- St. Preitl and R.-E. Precup, Linear and Fuzzy Control Extensions of the Symmetrical Optimum Method, Proceedings of Special International Conference on Complex Systems: Synergy of Control, Communications and Computing COSY 2011, Ohrid, Republic of Macedonia, pp. 59-68, 2011.
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**Granturi și contracte de cercetare (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/contracts.html>):**

- 45 granturi și contracte de cercetare-dezvoltare cu Ministerul Învățământului, CNCSU, CNCSIS, CNCS, UEFISCDI, Academia Română și directe cu terți, dintre care 33 câștigate prin competiție, la șapte granturi și contracte fiind director de proiect, la patru fiind responsabil de proiect al partenerului Universitatea Politehnica Timișoara.
- *Un grant de cercetare internațională (director) în 2008-2009 cu Universitatea din Ljubljana (Slovenia).*
- *Trei granturi de cercetare internațională (colaborator) în perioada 2003-2009: unul cu Universitatea Tehnică și Economică din Budapesta (Ungaria) și două cu Budapest Tech Polytechnical Institution.*

**Recunoașterea activității științifice (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/honours.html>):**

- *Membru corespondent al Academiei Române (din 2018).*
- *Membru corespondent al Academiei de Științe Tehnice din România (din 2018).*
- *Premiat cu Elsevier Scopus Award for Excellence in Global Contribution (2017).*
- *Premiul Grigore Moisil al Academiei Române, 2014, acordat în 2016, pentru Contribuții la optimizarea sistemelor fuzzy.*
- *Premiul Grigore Moisil al Academiei Române, 2003, acordat în 2005, pentru Contribuții la dezvoltarea conducerii FUZZY a proceselor.*
- *Premiul Spiru Haret al Marii Loji Naționale din România, acordat în 2016 în parteneriat cu Academia Română, pentru Educație, mediu, IT.*
- *Inclus în lista Top 10 researchers in Artificial Intelligence and Automation (conform listei publicate de IIoT World în iulie 2017).*
- *Inclus în Guide2Research Ranking for Top Scientists in Computer Science and Electronics în poziția 2974 a clasamentului mondial și a doua poziție în România (conform <http://www.guide2research.com/u/radu-emil-precup> la 17 iulie 2020).*
- *Marele Premiu la Gala Premiilor Lugojene, ediția a VIII-a, 2018.*
- *Premiat cu Certificate of Outstanding Reviewer from IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics în recognition of an outstanding contribution to the journal (2017).*
- *Profesor onorific al Óbuda University (cu denumirea veche Budapest Tech Polytechnical Institution), Budapesta, Ungaria (din 2007).*

- *Profesor Bologna* (2017) din partea Alianței Naționale a Organizațiilor Studentești din România (ANOSR).
- *Senior Member, IEEE* (din 2007).
- *Premiat cu Certificate of Appreciation* from the IEEE Romania Section in grateful recognition of 10 years of service as an IEEE member (2015).
- *Premiul Excelenței în Cercetare pe anul 2015* din partea Universității Politehnica Timișoara (UPT) pentru activitatea de cercetare avansată în domeniul Controllers, Control, Tuning, plasat conform măsurătorilor Scopus pe locul I în lume și pentru contribuția de excepție adusă astfel vizibilității UPT pe plan internațional.
- *Premiul Traian Vuia pentru Științe Inginerești la Gala Excelenței Bănățene, Ediția-II 2015.*
- *Premiat cu Best Paper Award* la 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Information Technology and Quantitative Management ITQM 2019 (Granada, Spania).
- *Nominalizare la Best Paper Award* la 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Informatics in Control, Automation and Robotics ICINCO 2015 (Colmar, Franța).
- *Premiat cu Certificate of Appreciation for the Best Paper in the Session TT07 I Control Theory* la 39<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the IEEE Industrial Electronics Society IECON 2013 (Viena, Austria).
- *Premiat cu Best Paper Award* la 16<sup>th</sup> Online World Conference on Soft Computing in Industrial Applications WSC16 (Loughborough University, Anglia, 2011).
- *Premiat cu Certificate of Achievement* from the IEEE Romania Section for notable services and contributions towards the advancement of the engineering professions (2011).
- *Premiat cu Best Paper Award in the Area of Intelligent Control* (două lucrări) la 2008 Conference on Human System Interaction HSI 2008, Krakow (Polonia).
- *Premiat cu Diplomă* din partea Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, acordată la Timișoara în 2006, pentru merite deosebite în cercetarea științifică valorificată prin publicații.
- *Premiat cu Diplomă de Excelență* din partea Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare, acordată la Timișoara în 2005, pentru performanțe deosebite obținute în activitatea desfășurată în cadrul Facultății de Automatică și Calculatoare.
- *Premiat cu Excellency Diploma* la International Conference on Automation, Quality & Testing, Robotics AQTR 2004 (THETA 14, Cluj-Napoca).

**Apartenență la societăți științifice și tehnice (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/soc.html>):**

- Din anul 2002 sunt membru al Comitetului Tehnic al International Federation of Automatic Control (IFAC) “Computational Intelligence in Control” (cu denumirea veche “Cognition and Control”).
- Din anul 2003 sunt membru al Control Systems Society din cadrul Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE), din anul 2003 sunt membru al Intelligent Transportation Systems Society, din anul 2010 sunt membru al Computational Intelligence Society, din anul 2011 sunt membru al Industrial Electronics Society iar din anul 2007 sunt **Senior Member, IEEE**.
- Din anul 2007 sunt membru al Subcommittee on Computational Intelligence of the Technical Committee on Control, Robotics and Mechatronics of the IEEE Industrial Electronics Society.
- Din anul 2013 sunt membru al Task Force on Autonomous Learning Systems within the Neural Networks Technical Committee of the IEEE Computational Intelligence Society.
- Din anul 2014 sunt membru al Technical Committee on Computational Cybernetics of the IEEE Systems, Man, and Cybernetics Society.
- Din anul 2016 sunt membru al Technical Committee on Cyber-Medical Systems of the IEEE Systems, Man, and Cybernetics Society.
- Din anul 2020 sunt membru al Task Force on Adaptive and Evolving Fuzzy Systems within the Fuzzy Systems Technical Committee of the IEEE Computational Intelligence Society.
- Din anul 2017 sunt membru al Machine Intelligence Research Labs (MIR Labs).
- Din anul 2011 sunt membru al The Working Group WG 12.9 on Computational Intelligence of the Technical Committee TC12 on Artificial Intelligence of the International Federation for Information Processing (IFIP).
- Din anul 2010 sunt membru al European Society for Fuzzy Logic and Technology (EUSFLAT).
- Din anul 2005 sunt membru onorific al Hungarian Fuzzy Association.
- Din anul 1993 sunt membru al Societății Române de Automatică și Informatică Tehnică (SRAIT).
- Din anul 1998 sunt membru al Societății de Robotică din România (SRR).
- Din anul 1996 sunt membru al Societății de Instalații Electrice și Automatizări din România (SIEAR).
- În perioada 2008-2019 am fost membru al Technical Committee on Virtual Systems in Measurements of the IEEE Instrumentation & Measurement Society.

- În perioada 2008-2019 am fost membru al Task Force on Educational Aspects of Standards of Computational Intelligence of the Technical Committee on Standards of the IEEE Computational Intelligence Society.

**Membru în colegii de redacție ale revistelor (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/edboards.html>):**

- *Guest Editor*, împreună cu Dr. Bo Xiao (Imperial College London, Anglia), Dr. Hak-Keung Lam (King's College London, Anglia) și Dr. R. Sakthivel (Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, India), al *Special Issue* on Interval Type-2 Fuzzy-Model-Based Control Design and Membership-Functions-Dependent Analysis, care va fi publicat în 2021 în revista *International Journal of Systems Science* (Taylor and Francis), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 2.149.
- Associate editor al revistei *IEEE Transactions on Fuzzy Systems* (din 2018), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 9.518.
- Associate editor al revistei *IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics* (din 2018), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 11.079.
- Associate editor al revistei *Information Sciences*, Elsevier (din 2020), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 5.910.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei *Applied Soft Computing*, Elsevier (din 2014), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 5.472.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei *Evolving Systems*, Springer (din 2014), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), top rated Springer Nature conform <https://www.springernature.com/>.
- Editor al revistei *Cogent Engineering*, Taylor & Francis, Anglia (din 2017), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge).
- *Guest Editor*, împreună cu Dr. Hak-Keung Lam (King's College London, Anglia), Dr. Bo Xiao (Imperial College London, Anglia) și Prof. Kazuo Tanaka (University of Electro-Communications, Tokyo, Japonia), al *Special Issue* on Membership-Function-Dependent Analysis and Design for Fuzzy-Model-Based Control Systems and their Applications, care va fi publicat în 2020 în revista *IET Control Theory & Applications*, factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 3.343.
- *Guest Editor*, împreună cu profesorii Hans Hellendoorn (Delft University of Technology, Olanda) și Plamen Angelov (Lancaster University, Anglia), al *Special Issue* on Synergy of computers, cognition, communication and control with industrial applications, publicat în revista *Computers in Industry* (Elsevier), vol. 74, dec. 2015, factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 3.954.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Proceedings of the Romanian Academy, Series A: Mathematics, Physics, Technical Sciences, Information Science, Academia Română (din 2018), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 1.294.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Romanian Journal of Information Science and Technology, Academia Română (din 2018), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 0.485.
- Membru al Senior Editorial Board al revistei Studies in Informatics and Control, ICI București (din 2020), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 2.102.
- Associate Editor al revistei Control Engineering and Applied Informatics, Societatea Română de Automatică și Informatică Tehnică (din 2016), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 0.775.
- Track Chair al revistei Acta Polytechnica Hungarica, Óbuda University, Ungaria (din 2014), Associate Editor (2012-2014), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea

anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 1.219.

- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei International Journal of Computers Communications & Control (din 2017), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 2.093.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Advances in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Universitatea "Ștefan cel Mare" din Suceava (din 2007), indexată în Clarivate Analytics Web of Science (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Web of Knowledge), factor de impact conform 2019 Journal Citation Reports (JCR) publicat de Clarivate Analytics în 2020 = 1.102.
- Associate Editor al revistei CAAI Transactions on Intelligence Technology, Chinese Association for Artificial Intelligence (CAAI) and The Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET) (din 2019).
- *Editor-in-Chief* al revistei International Journal of Artificial Intelligence, CESER Publications, India (din 2008), indexată în SCOPUS.
- *Editor-in-Chief* al revistei International Journal of Imaging and Robotics, CESER Publications, India (din 2011), indexată până în 2017 în SCOPUS.
- Editor al revistei Paladyn, Journal of Behavioral Robotics, Versita, Polonia, publicată pentru început împreună cu Springer-Verlag, apoi cu De Gruyter (din 2010), indexată în SCOPUS, DBLP.
- Editor al revistei International Journal of Tomography & Simulation, CESER Publications, India (din 2006), indexată până în 2017 în SCOPUS.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei International Journal of Advanced Intelligence Paradigms, Inderscience Publishers, Anglia (din 2009), indexată în SCOPUS, INSPEC.
- Membru al Editorial Advisory Board al revistei Mediterranean Journal of Measurement and Control, SoftMotor Ltd, Anglia (din 2009), indexată până în 2016 în SCOPUS, INSPEC.
- Editor al revistei International Journal of Soft Computing, Medwell Online, Pakistan (din 2007), indexată până în 2016 în SCOPUS.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Journal of Electrical Engineering, Editura Politehnica, Timișoara (din 2012), indexată până în 2017 în SCOPUS, INSPEC.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Facta Universitatis, Series Automatic Control and Robotics, University of Niš, Serbia (din 2008).
- Associate Editor al revistei Gradus, John von Neumann University, Ungaria (din 2014).
- Associate Editor al revistei Journal of Smart Environments and Green Computing, OAE Publishing Inc., SUA (din 2020).
- Associate Editor al revistei International Journal of Computational Intelligence and Pattern Recognition, Columbia International Publishing, SUA (2014-2016).
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Journal of Applied Mathematics, Hindawi Publishing Corporation, SUA (2014-2019), indexată în SCOPUS.
- Membru al Editorial Board of The Open Cybernetics & Systemics Journal, Bentham Open, Emiratele Arabe Unite (2016-2018), indexată până în 2018 în SCOPUS, Zentralblatt MATH, MathSciNet.
- Membru al Editorial Board al revistei Annals of The University of Craiova, Series: Automation, Computers, Electronics and Mechatronics (2015-2018), indexată până în 2018 în INSPEC.
- *Associate editor-in-chief* al Buletinului Științific al Universității Politehnica Timișoara, Seria Automatică și Calculatoare (2005-2016) și membru al colegiului de redacție în perioada 1994-2004.

**Membru în comitete internaționale de program (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/progcom.html>):**

- *FUZZ-IEEE Technical Chair*, împreună cu Prof. Plamen Angelov (Anglia) și Prof. Fernando Gomide (Brazilia), al 2022 IEEE World Congress on Computational Intelligence IEEE WCCI 2022 (Padua, Italia).
- *Co-Chair* al *Control Systems and Applications Track*, împreună cu Prof. Kanghyun Jo (Coreea) și Prof. Makoto Iwasaki (Japonia), în cadrul *44<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the IEEE Industrial Electronics Society IECON'18* (Washington DC, SUA).
- *Special Session Chair* al *IEEE Joint Conference on Neural Networks IJCNN 2013* (Dallas, TX, SUA).
- *Special Session Chair* al 2017 IEEE Conference on Evolving and Adaptive Intelligent Systems EAIS 2017 (Ljubljana, Slovenia).
- *Special Session Chair* al 2016 IEEE Conference on Evolving and Adaptive Intelligent Systems EAIS 2016 (Natal, Brazilia).

- *Publication Chair* al 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2016 (Bali, Indonezia), 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence and 2<sup>nd</sup> BRICS Congress on Computational Intelligence ICSI-CCI'2015 (Beijing, China), 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2014 (Hefei and Huangshan, China), 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2013 (Harbin, China), 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2012 (Shenzhen, China) și 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2011 (Chongqing, China), cu lucrările indexate în *Clarivate Analytics Conference Proceedings Citation Index (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Conference Proceedings Citation Index)*.
- *Publication Co-chair* al 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2020 (Belgrad, Serbia), 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2019 (Chiang Mai, Thailanda) și 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Swarm Intelligence ICSI'2018 (Shanghai, China).
- *Președinte al comitetului internațional de program* la 23<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on System Theory, Control and Computing ICSTCC 2019 (Sinaia).
- *Vicepreședinte al comitetelor internaționale de program* la 24<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> și 21<sup>st</sup> International Conferences on System Theory, Control and Computing ICSTCC 2020, ICSTCC 2018 și ICSTCC 2017 (Sinaia), cu lucrările indexate în *Clarivate Analytics Conference Proceedings Citation Index (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Conference Proceedings Citation Index)*.
- *Copreședinte general și copreședinte al comitetelor internaționale de program* la IEEE 14<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> și 12<sup>th</sup> International Symposia on Applied Computational Intelligence and Informatics SACI 2020, SACI 2019 și SACI 2018 (Timișoara), cu lucrările indexate în *Clarivate Analytics Conference Proceedings Citation Index (cu denumirea anterioară ISI Conference Proceedings Citation Index)*.
- *Copreședinte general* la 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Development and Application Systems DAS 2020 (Suceava), cosponsorizată tehnic de IEEE Industry Applications Society.
- *Membru în comitetul internațional de program* la: 2021 IEEE Second International Conference on Control, Measurement and Instrumentation CMI 2021 (Kolkata, India), IEEE Symposium on Evolving and Autonomous Learning Systems (IEEE EALS) within 2020 IEEE Symposium Series on Computational Intelligence (IEEE SSCI 2020, Canberra, Australia), IEEE 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on System of Systems Engineering SoSE 2020 (Budapesta, Ungaria), 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Informatics in Control, Automation and Robotics ICINCO 2020 (Liesaint - Paris, Franța), 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Control, Decision and Information Technologies CoDIT 2020 (Praga, Cehia), 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Fuzzy Computation Theory and Applications FCTA 2020 (Budapesta, Ungaria), IEEE 24<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Intelligent Engineering Systems INES 2020 (Reykjavik, Islanda), IEEE 18<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Intelligent Systems and Informatics SISY 2020 (Subotica, Serbia), 2020 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Control, Automation and Robotics ICCAR 2020 (Singapore), 12<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Intelligent Decision Technologies KES IDT 20 (Split, Croația), 14<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Agents and Multi-Agent Systems: Technologies and Applications KES AMSTA 20 (Split, Croația), 13<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Human Centred Intelligent Systems KES HCIS 20 (Split, Croația), 12<sup>th</sup> Asian Conference on Intelligent Information and Database Systems ACIIDS 2020 (Phuket, Thailanda), 2020 IEEE International Conference on Automation, Quality and Testing, Robotics AQTR 2020 (Cluj-Napoca), 5<sup>th</sup> IFAC Conference on Intelligent Control and Automation Sciences ICONS 2019 (Belfast, Marea Britanie), IEEE Symposium on Computational Intelligence in Control and Automation (IEEE CICA) within 2019 IEEE Symposium Series on Computational Intelligence (IEEE SSCI 2019, Xiamen, China), 18<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications ICMLA 2019 (Boca Raton, FL, SUA), 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computational Collective Intelligence ICCCI 2019 (Hendaye, Franța), 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Informatics in Control, Automation and Robotics ICINCO 2019 (Praga, Cehia), 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Fuzzy Computation Theory and Applications FCTA 2019 (Viena, Austria), 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Control, Decision and Information Technologies CoDIT'19 (Paris, Franța), 7<sup>th</sup> IFAC Symposium on Systems Structure and Control SSSC 2019 (Sinaia), 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Distributed Computing and Artificial Intelligence DCAI'19 (Avila, Spania), 23<sup>rd</sup> IEEE International Conference on Intelligent Engineering Systems INES 2019 (Gödöllő, Ungaria), 13<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Intelligent Distributed Computing IDC 2019 (Saint-Petersburg, Rusia), 19<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Intelligent Systems Design and Applications ISDA 2019 (Pretoria, Africa de Sud), International Symposium on Information Systems and Engineering ISE 2019 within 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference on High Performance Computing & Simulation HPCS 2019 (Dublin, Irlanda), 19<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Hybrid Intelligent Systems HIS 2019 (VIT Bhopal University, India), 11<sup>th</sup> Asian Conference on Intelligent Information and Database Systems ACIIDS

2019 (Yogyakarta, Indonesia), Second International Conference on Artificial Intelligence for Industries ai4i 2019 (Laguna Hills, CA, SUA), 11<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Intelligent Decision Technologies KES-IDT-19 (St. Julians, Malta), 13<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Agents and Multi-Agent Systems: Technologies and Applications KES-AMSTA-19 (St. Julians, Malta), 12<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Intelligent Interactive Multimedia: Systems and Services KES-IIMSS-19 (St. Julians, Malta), 10<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Cognitive Infocommunications CogInfoCom 2019 (Napoli, Italia), IEEE Joint 19<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Computational Intelligence and Informatics and 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Recent Achievements in Mechatronics, Automation, Computer Sciences and Robotics CINTI-MACRo 2019 (Szeged, Ungaria), 17<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Symposium on Intelligent Systems and Informatics SISY 2019 (Subotica, Serbia), 20<sup>th</sup> International Carpathian Control Conference ICC 2019 (Krakow-Wieliczka, Polonia), Second International Conference on Advanced Computational and Communication Paradigms ICACCP 2019 (Sikkim, India), 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Electrical, Electronic and Computing Engineering IcETRAN 2019 (Srebrno Jezero, Serbia), 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Transportation & Logistics TIL 2019 (Niš, Serbia), 37<sup>th</sup> Conference of the North American Fuzzy Information Processing Society NAFIPS 2018 (Fortaleza, Brazilia), 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Computing and Network Communications CoCoNet'19 (Trivandrum, Kerala, India), 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Electronics, Computers and Artificial Intelligence ECAI 2019 (Pitești), 7<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Systems Safety & Security IWSSS 2019 (Pitești), 17<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications ICMLA 2018 (Orlando, FL, SUA), 3<sup>rd</sup> IFAC Conference on Embedded Systems, Computational Intelligence and Telematics in Control CESCIT 2018 (Faro, Portugalia), 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Control, Decision and Information Technologies CoDIT'18 (Thessaloniki, Grecia), 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Cognitive Infocommunications CogInfoCom 2018 (Budapesta, Ungaria), 10<sup>th</sup> International Joint Conference on Computational Intelligence IJCCI 2018 (Sevilla, Spania), 6<sup>th</sup> World Conference on Information Systems and Technologies WorldCist'18 (Napoli, Italia), 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computational Collective Intelligence ICCCI 2018 (Bristol, Marea Britanie), 22<sup>nd</sup> IEEE International Conference on Intelligent Engineering Systems INES 2018 (Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spania), 2018 IEEE Conference on Evolving and Adaptive Intelligent Systems EAIS 2018 (Rhodes, Grecia), 2018 IEEE International Symposium on INnovations in Intelligent SysTems and Applications INISTA 2018 (Thessaloniki, Grecia), IEEE 18<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Computational Intelligence and Informatics CINTI 2018 (Budapesta, Ungaria), 16<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Intelligent Systems and Informatics SISY 2018 (Subotica, Serbia), 10<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Intelligent Decision Technologies KES-IDT-18 (Gold Coast, Australia), 12<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Agents and Multi-Agent Systems: Technologies and Applications KES-AMSTA-18 (Gold Coast, Australia), 11<sup>th</sup> International KES Conference on Intelligent Interactive Multimedia: Systems and Services KES-IIMSS-18 (Gold Coast, Australia), 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Soft Computing and Pattern Recognition SoCPaR 2018 (Porto, Portugalia), 18<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Hybrid Intelligent Systems HIS 2018 (Porto, Portugalia), 19<sup>th</sup> International Carpathian Control Conference ICC 2018 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Generation, Transmission & Distribution (The Institution of Engineering and Technology, UK), Journal of Biotechnology (Elsevier Science), International Journal of Control, Automation, and Systems (Institute of Control, Robotics and Systems, Korean Institute of Electrical Engineers and Springer-Verlag), Neurocomputing (Elsevier Science), Ocean Engineering (Elsevier Science), International Journal of Electronics (Taylor & Francis), International Journal of Automation and Computing (Springer-Verlag), Fuzzy Information and Engineering (Springer-Verlag and Guangzhou University, China), Computer Applications in Engineering Education (John Wiley and Sons), International Journal of Chemical Reactor Engineering (De Gruyter), Reviews in Chemical Engineering (De Gruyter), Strojniški vestnik - Journal of Mechanical Engineering (Ljubljana, Slovenia), Journal of Power Technologies (Warsaw, Poland), Electronics and Electrical Engineering (Lithuania), Applied and Computational Mathematics (Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences), Acta Polytechnica Hungarica (Budapest, Ungaria), Thermal Science (Society of Thermal Engineers of Serbia), Chemical Industry & Chemical Engineering Quarterly (Belgrad, Serbia), Computer Science and Information Systems (ComSIS Consortium), Tehnički vjesnik – Technical Gazette (Osijek, Croatia), Applications and Applied Mathematics (Prairie View, TX, SUA), International Journal of Computational Intelligence and Applications (World Scientific), Facta Universitatis (Niš, Serbia), Proceedings of the Romanian Academy Series A: Mathematics, Physics, Technical Sciences, Information Science (Academia Română, București), Control Engineering and Applied Informatics (SRAIT, București) și Buletinul Științific al Universității Politehnica Timișoara, Seria Automatică și Calculatoare.

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**Organizarea de manifestări științifice (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/organiz.html>):**

- *Vicepreședinte al comitetului național de organizare* al Joint IFAC Conference 7<sup>th</sup> IFAC Symposium on Systems Structure and Control SSSC 2019 and 15<sup>th</sup> IFAC Workshop on Time Delay Systems TDS 2019 (Sinaia).
- *Membru în comitetul de organizare* al 1<sup>st</sup> IFAC Workshop on Convergence of Information Technologies and Control Methods with Power Plants and Power Systems ICPS'07 (Cluj-Napoca, România), IEEE International Workshop on Soft Computing Applications IEEE - SOFA 2005 (Szeged, Ungaria, Arad, România), South-eastern Europe, USA, Japan and European Community Workshop on Research and Education in Control and Signal Processing REDISCOVER 2004 (Cavtat, Croația).
- *Organizator și chair* al *Sesiunii Speciale 5: Fuzzy Control, Modeling and Optimization*, în cadrul 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Computers Communications and Control IEEE - ICCCC2016 (Oradea).
- *Organizator*, împreună cu doctorii Jérôme Mendes (Institute of Systems and Robotics (ISR-UC), Portugalia), João Paulo (Institute of Systems and Robotics (ISR-UC), Portugalia), Cristiano Premebida (Loughborough University, Anglia) și Rui Araújo (University of Coimbra, Portugalia) al *Sesiunii Speciale* "Computational Intelligence Systems: Iterative, Dynamic, and Evolving Design", în cadrul 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the IEEE Industrial Electronics Society IECON 2019 (Lisbon, Portugalia).
- *Organizator*, împreună cu profesorii Plamen Angelov (Lancaster University, Anglia), Bruno Costa (Federal Institute of Rio Grande do Norte (IFRN), Natal, Brazilia), Luiz Affonso Guedes (Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte (UFRN), Natal, Brazilia), Moamar Sayed-Mouchaweh (High National Engineering School of Mines, Douai, Franța) și Igor Škrjanc (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia), al *Sesiunii Speciale* "Autonomous Fault Detection and Identification Methods", în cadrul 2<sup>nd</sup> IEEE International Conference on Cybernetics CYBCONF 2015 (Gdynia, Polonia).
- *Co-chair*, împreună cu profesorii Igor Škrjanc (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia) și Plamen Angelov (Lancaster University, Anglia), al *Sesiunii Invitate* "Applications of Data-Driven Approaches to Modeling, Identification, Prediction and Optimization for Intelligent Control and Planning", în cadrul 2014 IEEE Multi-Conference on Systems and Control MSC 2014 (Antibes, Franța).
- *Co-chair*, împreună cu profesorii Keith J Burnham (Coventry University, Anglia), Leszek Koszalka (Wroclaw University of Technology, Polonia) și Henry Selvaraj (University of Nevada, Las Vegas, NV, SUA), al *Sesiunii Speciale* "Artificial Intelligence in Systems Modelling, Optimisation and Control for Enhanced Computer Networks, Manufacturing Logistics and Tele-Informatics", în cadrul 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Hybrid Artificial Intelligence Systems HAIS 2011 (Wroclaw, Polonia).
- *Co-chair*, împreună cu profesorii Emil Petre (Universitatea din Craiova), Sergiu Caraman (Universitatea "Dunărea de Jos" din Galați) și Dan Selișteanu (Universitatea din Craiova), al *Sesiunii Speciale* "Intelligent Techniques in Modelling, Identification and Control of Bioprocesses", în cadrul 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Intelligent Decision Technologies KES-IDT-2011 (Piraeus, Grecia).
- *Membru în comitetul de organizare* al Conferințelor Internaționale CONTI'94, CONTI'96, CONTI'98, CONTI'2000, CONTI'2002, CONTI'2004, CONTI'2006 și CONTI'2008 (Timișoara).

**Președinte și copreședinte de sesiune la manifestări științifice de prestigiu: (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/chair.html>)**

- 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Electronics, Computers and Artificial Intelligence ECAI 2020 (București), **26<sup>th</sup> Mediterranean Conference on Control and Automation MED'18** (Zadar, Croația), 2017 IEEE Conference on Evolving and Adaptive Intelligent Systems EAIS 2017 (Ljubljana, Slovenia), XIII International SAUM Conference on Systems, Automatic Control and Measurements SAUM 2016 (Nis, Serbia), **2014 IEEE Multi-Conference on Systems and Control**

**MSC 2014** (Antibes, Franța), IEEE International Conference on Cybernetics CYBCONF 2013 (Lausanne, Elveția), 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference on System Theory, Control and Computing ICSTCC 2013 (Sinaia), 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on System Theory, Control and Computing ICSTCC 2012 (Sinaia), **18<sup>th</sup> World Congress of International Federation of Automatic Control IFAC 2011** (Milano, Italia), 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on System Theory, Control and Computing ICSTCC 2011 (Sinaia), 15<sup>th</sup> Online World Conference on Soft Computing in Industrial Applications WSC15, X<sup>th</sup> Triennial International SAUM Conference on Systems, Automatic Control and Measurements SAUM 2010 (Nis, Serbia), 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Intelligent Engineering Systems INES 2007 (Budapesta, Ungaria), Third IFAC Workshop on Advanced Fuzzy and Neural Control AFNC 07 (Valenciennes, Franța), 4<sup>th</sup> IFAC Conference on Management and Control of Production and Logistics IFAC MCPL 2007 (Sibiu), 16<sup>th</sup> World Congress of International Federation of Automatic Control IFAC 2005 (Praga, Republica Cehă), 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference “Control of Power Systems’04”, Strbske Pleso (High Tatras, Slovacia), 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Global Research and Education in Intelligent Systems INTER-ACADEMIA 2004 (Budapesta, Ungaria), 14<sup>th</sup> World Congress of International Federation of Automatic Control IFAC’99 (Beijing, China), Second International Conference on Applications of Fuzzy Systems ICAFS’96 (Siegen, Germania), 15<sup>th</sup> International Conference on System Theory, Control and Computing ICSTCC 2011 (Sinaia), 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on System Theory and Control ICTSC 2010 (Sinaia), 12<sup>th</sup> Symposium on Modeling, Simulation and Systems’ Identification SIMSIS 12 (Galați, 2004), 7<sup>th</sup> Symposium on Automatic Control and Computer Science SACCS’2001 (Iași), 4<sup>th</sup> IFAC Conference on System Structure and Control SSC’97 (București), Third International Conference on Development & Application Systems D & AS ’96 (Suceava), Conferințele Internaționale CONTI’94, CONTI’96, CONTI’98, CONTI’2000, CONTI’2002, CONTI’2004, CONTI’2006, CONTI’2008 și ICC-CONTI 2010 (Timișoara).

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- În februarie 2003 am fost *profesor invitat* în Franța, la Université de Savoie, École Supérieure d’Ingénieurs d’Annecy, LISTIC.
- Acceptat începând cu 2003 în baza de date conținând *experți pentru Programul Cadru 6 al Uniunii Europene*.
- Numit începând cu 2003 *expert evaluator* (peer review) în domeniul științific Automatică în cadrul C.N.C.S.I.S.
- Numit începând cu 2006 *expert evaluator* (peer review) în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor în cadrul A.R.A.C.I.S.
- *Membri în 16 comisii de abilitare* (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/habcom.html>): președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatei dr. ing. Zsofia Lendek, cu teza de abilitare “Takagi-Sugeno model-based design for switching systems and local stabilization” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2019, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Constantin-Florin Căruntu, cu teza de abilitare “Advanced control strategies for networked / distributed systems” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea Tehnică “Gheorghe Asachi” din Iași în 2019, membru al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Florin Stoican, cu teza de abilitare “Set-theoretic methods in control. Applications to fault tolerant control and motion planning” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea Politehnică din București în 2018, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Gheorghe Dorin Șendrescu, cu teza de abilitare “Identification and Control Techniques for Nonlinear Systems” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea din Craiova în 2018, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Monica Roman, cu teza de abilitare “Contributions to modelling, simulation and control of chemical reactions based processes” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea din Craiova în 2018, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Silviu-Corneliu Folea, cu teza de abilitare “Senzori wireless și sisteme înglobate în controlul proceselor” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2017, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Vlad Mureșan, cu teza de abilitare “Realizări științifice în domeniul modelării, simulării și controlului proceselor industriale” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2017, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Marius Cioca, cu teza de abilitare “Cercetări și rezultate în ingineria sistemelor” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea din Petroșani în 2017, președinte al comisiei de abilitare a candidatului dr. ing. Ion-Lucian Bușoniu, cu teza de abilitare “Optimistic planning for nonlinear optimal control and networked systems” în domeniul Ingineria Sistemelor, susținută la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2015,

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- *Referent la 61 de teze de doctorat în Australia, Belgia, Franța, Italia, Norvegia și România* (<http://www.aut.upt.ro/~rprecup/doctcom.html>): “Soluții informatice pentru cercetarea variantelor și tiparelor genomice aplicând metode din ingineria sistemelor”, susținută de Cristian-Grigore Zimbru la Universitatea Politehnică Timișoara în 2020, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Ioan Silea, “Development of advanced autonomous learning algorithms for modeling and controlling nonlinear dynamical systems”, susținută de Md Meftahul Ferdays la University of New South Wales (UNSW), Canberra, Australia, în 2019, conducători științifici: dr. Sreenatha G. Anavatti, UNSW, Canberra, Australia, dr. Matthew A. Garratt, UNSW, Canberra, Australia și dr. Mahardhika Prathama, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore, “Model predictive control based on sliding mode control”, susținută de Miodrag D. Spasić, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Trondheim, Norvegia, în 2019, conducători științifici: prof.dr. Morten Hovd și prof.dr. Dragan Antić, “Diagnosis of a Wind Turbine Using Wireless Sensor Networks”, susținută de Lavinius Ioan Gliga, Universite de Rouen Normandie, Franța, în 2019, conducători științifici: prof.dr. Hocine Chafouk și prof.dr.ing. Dumitru Popescu, “Contributions to modelling and control in urban intelligent transportation systems”, susținută de Vlad Ion Constantinescu la Universitatea Politehnică din București în 2019, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Cristian Oară, “Sistem de raportare și ghidare în caz de accident bazat pe terminale mobile”, susținută de Alexandra Maria Pop la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2019, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Honoriu Vălean, “Sistem distribuit bazat pe terminale mobile pentru monitorizarea condițiilor de mediu”, susținută de Adela Pușcașiu la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2019, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Honoriu Vălean, “Algoritmi performanți pentru prelucrarea imaginilor și a semnalelor”, susținută de Bogdan Popa la Universitatea din Craiova în 2019, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Dan Popescu, “Contribuții privind comunicațiile mobile în sistemele de conducere dedicate autovehiculelor”, susținută de Alexandra-Elisabeta Lörincz la Universitatea din Craiova în 2019, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Dan Selișteanu, “Modelling and advanced control techniques for multibody systems”, susținută de Marius-Simion Costandin la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2019, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Petru Dobra, “Autonomous Navigation Strategies for UGVs/UAVs”, susținută de Mac Thi Thoa la Ghent University, Belgia, în 2018, conducători științifici: prof.dr.ing. Clara M. Ionescu și dr.ing. Cosmin Copoț, “Robust and optimal control theory for algebraic dynamical systems”, susținută de Sebastian Florin Tudor la Universitatea Politehnică din București în 2018, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. ing. Cristian Oară, “Strategii de control avansat al proceselor de epurare biologică a apelor reziduale”, susținută de Laurențiu Luca la Universitatea “Dunărea de Jos” din Galați în 2018, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Sergiu Caraman, “Automatic synthesis of control components for cyber-physical systems”, susținută de Attila Ors Kilyen la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2018, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Tiberiu Stefan Leția, “Strategii de control al sistemelor de combatere a grindinei”, susținută de Ioan Porumb la Universitatea Tehnică din Cluj-Napoca în 2018, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Clement Feștilă, “Port-Hamiltonian systems identification”, susținută de Silviu Octavian Medianu la Universite Grenoble Alpes, Franța, în 2017, conducători științifici: prof.dr. Laurent Lefevre și prof.dr.ing. Dumitru Popescu, “Factorisation

techniques for generalised control systems”, susținută de George Cristian Flutur la Universitatea Politehnica din București în 2017, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. ing. Cristian Oară, “Cercetări privind securitatea sistemelor automate”, susținută de Emil Pricop la Universitatea Petrol-Gaze din București în 2017, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Nicolae Paraschiv, “Aplicații ale conducerii predictive”, susținută de Andreea-Valentina Șoimu la Universitatea din Craiova în 2016, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Vladimir Răsvan, “Control techniques for electrical drives in automotive applications”, susținută de Sabin-Constantin Carpiuc la Universitatea Tehnică “Gheorghe Asachi” din Iași în 2015, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. Corneliu Lazăr, “Automatic control applications in medicine”, susținută de Ciprian Sandu la Universitatea Politehnica din București în 2015, conducător științific: prof.dr.ing. 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