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• Research expertise (selection): characterization of nonlinear optical materials (Z-scan, I-scan, wave mixing, pump-probe interferometry), photonic functionalities in nonlinear optical materials (spatial soliton waveguides, lasing, all-optical phase modulation, optical limiting), optical nonlinearities in sub-wavelength structures and in nano-materials, holography and holographic interferometry.

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• Member of the Scientific Council of INFLPR since 2004. Expert in elaboration of the research strategy in Optics and Photonics in Romania (ESFRO Project, 2011) and of the European Roadmap for Photonics and Nanotechnologies, MONA - "Merging Optics and Nanotechnologies" European Consortium (2008).

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