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**Direction of change. Training
the specialists for
infodocumentary professions**

The university education of specialists for the information-documentation system from Romania represents a new didactic territory whose evolution has recorded both impressing positive achievements and alarming delays. Some of the failures of the Romanian information-documentation system could be explained through the very deficiencies of the training system. The acceleration of modernizing the university education in the filed of information and library science must aim at updating the curricula, diminishing the descriptivism, searching for excellence, increasing the weight of ethical approach, diminution of the descriptivism, search for excellence, increase of the importance of the ethical approach.

Keywords: *Library Science; Information Science; Library Science education; librarian*

Mircea Regneală
**Library science education in the
years of old and in the years to
come**

The history of library science and of library science education of Europe, America and Romania is presented in parallel with librarians' noteworthy names, whose contribution has marked the evolution of several generations and a significant change of attitude in appraising the profession of librarian. The evolution in time of the institutions oriented towards the librarian's training, the curricula, the major changes and the modernization of the educational structures, the apparition of the information technology and of the computing science have stood for determining factors in the moulding of library science and of information science as multidisciplinary and interdisciplinary fields.

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**The librarian, specialist in
information and documentation
sciences**

This article refers to the current Romanian education of library science and pleads for the endowment of the libraries with specialists very well trained in the field of Information and Documentation Sciences.

Once with the exponential development of the intellectual creation and of the techniques of information communication, the status and the mission of the library and of the librarian have radically changed. The library, modernized and adapted to the international requirements, holds an essential place in the globalized system of scientific and cultural information and documentation, and the librarian has to turn into a very qualified specialist in processing and accessing the information.

After the reestablishment, in 1990, of the Romanian Library Science education, currently represented by six departments of *Library and Information Science*, which function within the Universities of Bucharest, Cluj-Napoca, Timișoara, Brașov, Sibiu and Suceava, there have been created the conditions for the basic education and for the continuous training of the Romanian librarians. During the last 15 years, there graduated a form of library science education (faculty, college, post-graduate courses, master) almost 3000 students and trainees, among whom, however, very few succeeded in having been employed as librarians.

So as to reach the European parameters of competence and exigency in educating the future professionals in the infodocu-

mentary field, the author proposes the auditing of the curricula and the adoption of unitary legislative and administrative measures, with respect to the stimulation of the interest and to the employment of the specialists in the library institutions.

Keywords: *librarian; Information Science; Library Science; university education*

**Angela Repanovici, Andrei
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**Modernity in the Library
Science education and in the
Information Science education at
Transilvania University of
Brașov**

The profession of librarian implies special competencies. So as the university education should mould professionals in keeping with the imposed competencies, *Transilvania University of Brașov*, through the specialization *Library Science and Information Science* complies with the necessities.

The Department of Continuous Training develops the quality for qualifying the specialized staff within the libraries.

The organized international Conference holds concurrently the students', professors', librarians' experiences, through their dissemination.

The international relations are materialized through study and teaching mobilities and through projects. The scientific research in the field of information science has become a major preoccupation.

This article develops all these activities detailed with examples from *Transilvania University of Brașov*.

Keywords: *librarian; Information Science; Library Science; university education; research projects*

Elena Tîrziman
**Specialization Library and
Information Science at the
University of Bucharest**

As part of Philological Faculty of University from Bucharest is the specialization Librarianship and Information Science. The vocationally qualification is achieved to the university degree, master's degree and Phd level. Also, there are organized post-graduate courses for the graduates of other specializations which want to work in a library, inclusive post secondary courses for the graduates of a high school. The article presents the tendencies and the views in the development of specialty academic education in agreement with Bologna Project and with the solicitations of labor market.

Keywords: *Librarianship education; university degree; master degree; infodocumentary professions*

Victor Petrescu
**From the experience of the
Library Science education at
Târgoviște**

The present article tackles from the historical point of view the evolution of Librarianship education teaching to Târgoviște, as the main developmental notions of it in the context of the Information Society.

Keywords: *Librarianship education; library; Information Society*

Anca Sîrghie
**Library Science education at
Sibiu at 15 years old**

In the framework of the University citadel of Sibiu, the specialization of Library Science has come to light as a post revolutionary innovation. This article submits to our attention the history and the perspectives that the Library Science Department of Sibiu went through and proposes to comply with. There are also presented the

professors', graduates' and trainees' experiences and accomplishments, as well as their difficulties. The battle for promoting the Library Science Education of Sibiu and for materializing the efforts and the aspirations of the persons involved in it is also fought through different activities performed and books issued.

The present article is a convincing plead for and at the same time a concrete proof as regards the Library Science education of Sibiu.

Keywords: *librarian; Information Science; Library Science; university education*

Agnes Erich
**Evolution of the profession of
librarian-documentarist in the
context of the Information
Society**

The present article tries to show what's can achieve in a specifically way in the area of the libraries and documentation because the Information Society opens a new view which report to the formation, doing feasibly the auto formation, facilitating the access to different documentary and educative resources, modifying the contacts between individuals and groups to knowledge. The documentary structures and especially the libraries, will have a much more active role in the spreading of the knowledge becoming centers of education or pedagogic resources.

Keywords: *librarian; reference librarian; Information Science*

Claudia Pop
**Evolution of Library and
Information Science education at
the University of Oradea - 1996-
2006**

The Library and Information Science education at the University of Oradea was set up in 1996, within the Faculty of Letters, as an

objective necessity of the library-framed community in the county, offering the opportunity of a specialized training. The curriculum, adapted to the new requirements of training specialists and teaching staff assures a level of flexible training that enhances the development of professional competencies according to the requirements of the Information Society.

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Octavia-Luciana Porumbeanu
**Education of the specialists in
the infodocumentary structures
in the field of Knowledge
Management**

The article approaches the Knowledge Management in libraries and information services and highlights aspects concerning the education in this field offered by the library and information science schools. It presents topics covered by the KM courses and also the requirements on the work market.

Keywords: *Knowledge Management; libraries; information professionals; education*