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**„RECONFIGURING EDUCATIONAL
PARADIGMS IN AN INTERNATIONAL
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RECONFIGURAREA PARADIGMEI
EDUCAȚIONALE ÎN CONTEXT
INTERNAȚIONAL/

РЕКОНФИГУРИРАНЕ НА
ОБРАЗОВАТЕЛНИТЕ ПАРАДИГМИ В
МЕЖДУНАРОДЕН КОНТЕКСТ”

INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM/

SIMPOZION INTERNAȚIONAL/
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**Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/
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OFFICIAL REGULATION

I. PURPOSE OF THE SYMPOSIUM

The International Symposium „**Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст**” aims to facilitate the international exchange of ideas, best practices, and innovative models regarding the reconfiguration of educational paradigms, in the context of current societal transformations, as well as to promote a modern education focused on competencies, adaptability, and international collaboration.

II. OBJECTIVES OF THE SYMPOSIUM

1. **To promote excellence and the reconfiguration of educational paradigms** through the dissemination of innovative teaching practices and pedagogical research outcomes at an international level;
2. **To develop and to certify teachers' professional competencies** through engagement in scientific activities, exchange of experience, and the use of modern, digital, and interdisciplinary methods;
3. **To enhance the scientific contribution of participants** through the publication of papers in the symposium volume (with ISSN), thereby increasing academic visibility and enriching professional portfolios;
4. **To initiate and strengthen international educational partnerships** in order to develop joint projects and facilitate the transfer of best practices;
5. **To encourage teachers' participation in continuous professional development and educational research**, in accordance with the current requirements of European education systems.

III. THEME

The reconfiguration of educational paradigms through pedagogical innovation, digitalization, and international collaboration aims to analyze and promote modern educational models adapted to current global transformations — innovative teaching approaches, the effective integration of digital technologies, and the development of international educational partnerships, in order to foster competencies relevant to contemporary society and the challenges of the future.

IV. ELIGIBLE PARTICIPANTS

- **Teaching staff** from pre-university and university education (early childhood educators, primary teachers, secondary teachers, lecturers, assistant professors, university professors).
- **Educational and administrative personnel** (educational counsellors, school inspectors, school principals, academic managers) involved in the development, implementation, and evaluation of educational strategies at national and international level.



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V. STRUCTURE OF THE SYMPOSIUM

The symposium is structured into a single section dedicated to the dissemination of academic research and educational reflection in an international context:

Scientific Papers and Educational Essays — Articles and essays analyzing educational models, public policies, teaching strategies, and interdisciplinary research, with a focus on pedagogical innovation, digitalization, international collaboration, and the adaptation of education to the challenges of the 21st century.

- Teaching projects, supplementary materials, worksheets, questionnaires, presentations, and other educational tools will not be accepted.
- Papers must be submitted exclusively in **.doc/.docx** (Microsoft Word) or **.pdf** format. Other formats (e.g., .ppt/.pptx, images, etc.) will not be accepted.
- Paper length: **5 pages maximum**.

VI. REQUIREMENTS FOR SUBMITTED PAPERS

Papers submitted for publication must fall within one of the established sections of the Symposium.

Formatting Requirements:

- **Font:** Times New Roman, 12 pt
- **Spacing:** 1.5 lines
- **Length:** maximum 5 pages
- Papers must be submitted exclusively in **.doc/.docx** (Microsoft Word) or **.pdf** format. Other formats (e.g., .ppt/.pptx, images, etc.) will not be accepted

Mandatory Structure of the Paper:

- **Title of the paper** – written entirely in uppercase letters and centered.
- **Author's/Authors' name(s) and institutional affiliation** – placed immediately below the title, right-aligned.
- **Complete bibliography**, drafted according to academic standards (author, title, publisher, city, year).

Important Notes:

- The responsibility for the content and originality of the papers lies exclusively with the authors.
- Papers with a maximum of **two authors** are accepted; in this case, each participant must pay the registration fee and will receive all documents included in the “Teacher’s Package.”
- Papers must be submitted **online**, through the participant’s account on the website www.edumanagement.institute.



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VII. PACKAGES OFFERED TO PARTICIPANTS

To meet both the professional needs of participating teachers and the official requirements established by current legislation regarding continuous professional development, merit-based career advancement, and teacher mobility (Law No. 198/2023, Law No. 199/2023, Order No. 3251/2023 regarding merit grading, Order No. 3803/2023 regarding continuous training, and Regulation No. 15/2019 of Bulgaria), each participant will receive a personalized package of documents.

These documents are issued in **trilingual format** (Romanian, English, Bulgarian) and are recognized as supporting evidence for the professional portfolio.

1. Participant Package (Basic)

This package is designed for all participating teaching staff. It includes the essential documents required for the professional portfolio and for annual performance evaluation:

- **International Scientific Certificate of Participation** in the International Symposium *“Excellence in Modern Education through Pedagogical Innovation / Excelența în Educația Modernă prin Inovație Pedagogică / Превъзходство в съвременното образование чрез педагогически иновации”* issued in three languages;
- **Trilingual Certificate of Participation in the exchange of Good Practices** with other educational institutions, within the framework of the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”*;
- **Trilingual Certificate attesting to the Promotion of the Educational Institution’s Image** within the activities of the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”*.

2. Collaborator Package (Standard)

- Includes all documents from the **Participant Package**, plus additional documents essential for merit-based career advancement and professional mobility:
- **Trilingual Certificate of Pedagogical Innovation** for educational projects and good practices presented within the activities of the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”*;
- **Trilingual Certificate of Article Publication** in the Proceedings volume of the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor*



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- **Symposium Proceedings volume in PDF format (online):** *Papers of the International Symposium “Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст” (with ISSN);*

- **Trilingual Certificate of Scientific Presentation / Academic Communication** delivered within the symposium activities;

- **Trilingual Collaborator Certificate** for involvement in the international activities of the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”.*

3. Partner Package (Premium)

The most comprehensive package, dedicated to the symposium’s active partners.

- Includes all documents from the previous packages and is issued both **online** and **in printed format** (delivered by post). It contains documents of maximum relevance for merit grading, professional mobility, tenure exams, teacher certification, and annual evaluations:

- **Trilingual Volunteer Certificate** for engagement in educational projects with community impact, within the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”;*

- **Trilingual Diploma of Excellence and Academic Recognition** for outstanding contributions to educational development;

- **Trilingual International Educational Partnership Agreement** for the implementation of curricular reform and educational development initiatives;

- **Trilingual Certificate of Participation in the International Workshop**, organized within the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст” — 16 hours of continuous professional training;*

- **Trilingual Editorial Certificate**, confirming membership in the editorial committee of the international journal;



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- **Trilingual Certificate of Contribution to the Development of the International E-Learning Platform** www.edumanagement.institute for the academic year 2025–2026;
- **Trilingual Certificate of Involvement in Mentorship and Academic Support Activities** within the International Symposium *“Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”*;
- **Symposium Proceedings volume in PDF format, on CD: Papers of the International Symposium “Reconfiguring Educational Paradigms in an International Context/ Reconfigurarea Paradigmelor Educaționale în Context Internațional/ Реконфигуриране на образователните парадигми в международен контекст”** (with ISSN).

Important Notes

All documents are issued in **trilingual format (EN/RO/BG)** and comply with current legal provisions.

European Union

- **Directive 2005/36/EC on the recognition of professional qualifications** – ensures that professional qualifications obtained in one Member State are recognized across the EU.
- **Regulations and programmes on academic mobility and Erasmus+** – establish standards for recognition, credits, and cooperation between educational institutions across the European Union.
- **Regulation (EU) 2016/679 (GDPR)** on the protection of personal data – applicable to the collection, processing, and storage of participants’ personal information.
- **Directive (EU) 2019/790 on copyright and related rights in the Digital Single Market** – relevant for the publication and dissemination of scientific papers in the symposium proceedings.

Romania

- **Law No. 198/2023** on pre-university education, with subsequent amendments and completions (**Government Emergency Ordinance no. 95/2024**).
- **Law No. 199/2023** on higher education, updated.
- **Order of the Ministry of Education No. 3803/2023** – Methodology regarding the continuous professional development of teaching staff and the accreditation of training providers.
- **Order of the Ministry of Education No. 3251/2023** – Methodology for granting the merit grade;
- **Law No. 132/1999** on adult vocational training, republished and updated.

Bulgaria

- **Pre-school and School Education Act (PSEA)** – in force since 2016, with the latest amendments.
- **Vocational Education and Training Act (VETA)** – with latest amendments and supplements, 2024.
- **Ordinance No. 15/22.07.2019** on the status and professional development of teachers, school principals, and other pedagogical specialists.



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- **Ordinance No. 8/11.08.2016** on information and documentation within the pre-school and school education system.

VIII. REGISTRATION FOR THE SYMPOSIUM

Registration is completed directly on the website www.edumanagement.institute by filling in the online form and uploading the required materials.

Teaching staff may choose from the following three packages:

✓ **BASIC Package (Participant) – 19.95 EUR**

- Digital documents delivered exclusively online in the participant's account.

✓ **STANDARD Package (Collaborator) – 29.90 EUR**

- Includes all benefits of the Basic Package.
- All documents are provided exclusively online, in the participant's account.

✓ **PREMIUM Package (Partner) – 44.95 EUR**

- Includes all documents and benefits of the Basic and Standard Packages.
- Documents are delivered both online and in printed format, via Post.

Deadlines

- **Final deadline for registration and submission of materials:** 29 April 2026.
- **Issuance of digital documents:** from 1 May 2026 (available in the participant's account).
- **Dispatch of printed documents (Premium Package):** from 13 May 2026.
- **Symposium Journal (digital format, with ISSN):** available online from 13 May 2026.
- **Additional Important Notes**
- The registration fee covers: participation with **one submitted paper**, publication in the Symposium Journal (ISSN), issuance of all documents, and postal delivery (for the printed version – Premium Package only).
- All digital documents are uploaded directly into the participant's account on the website.