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WORK EXPERIENCE

April 2011 - present

Scientific Researcher II

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Research and Development Sector

The work carried out within the Department of Renewable Sources and Energy Efficiency focuses on the use of renewable energy sources, research, development and design of innovative products for energy harvesting from renewable energy sources.

Coordination of activities as project manager for projects with topics related to the area of competence. Participation in the implementation of research projects and activities elaborated within the department, for the assimilation and implementation of the obtained results. Equipment and system testing, interpretation and dissemination of results, performing energy efficiency analysis. Elaboration and dissemination of scientific papers, writing project proposals for different competitions financed by the State Budget or by European Structural and Investment Funds.

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

October 2012 – December 2015

PhD in Civil Engineering

RQF level 8

Technical University of Civil Engineering Bucharest , Faculty of Hydrotechnical Engineering, Doctoral School in the field of Hydrotechnical engineering

Thesis title: *Innovative solutions used for developing small hydropower plants with reduced environmental impact*

Principal subjects covered: Water intakes for Small Hydropower Plants, water turbines, small scale experimentation and validation, design and testing of new and innovative solution for hydro technical arrangements.

October 2009 – February 2011

Masters degree in Hydropower Engineering

RQF level 7

Politehnica University of Bucharest , Power Engineering Faculty, Bucharest, ROMANIA

Principal subjects covered: Technical hydraulics and power engineering, hydraulics and pneumatics of turbomachines, pumps and water turbines.

October 2005 – July 2009

Bachelor of Science Degree - Engineer

RQF level 6

Politehnica University of Bucharest, Power Engineering Faculty, Bucharest, ROMANIA

Engineer diploma in the field of Hydropower Systems

Principal subjects covered: General and specific engineering knowledge and skills in the hydropower engineering field.

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue

Romanian

Other languages

	Romanian				
	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	C1 Proficient user				
Replace with name of language certificate. Enter level if known.					
French	B2 Independent user				

Communication and organisational skills

Relevant experience in the proposed project field

Good communication skills gained through my experience as project manager and responsible of certain research projects carried out within the department of energy, team spirit, sociable and communicative person.

Project responsible for 5 projects, from which:

- in the field of environment protection: "*Analysis of the climatic factors regarding the renewable energy recovery for Dambovita and Ialomița river basins*" carried out in 2012 for Dambovita County Council;

- in the field of harnessing renewable energy sources: Scientific research contract no. 14N / 2016, PN 16 11 01 05/2016 "Innovative constructive solutions for designing and realization of hydrokinetic hydraulic turbines" and 46N/2019, PN19310201 - Increasing the efficiency of renewable energy production equipment by using new methods for characterizing the flow of working fluids – "Desing and on-site testing of a hydrokinetic turbine experimental model".

Participation in the elaboration of the Common Strategy for Terrestrial And River Transport For Development Of The Călărași - Siliștra Cross-Border Area within the CLEEA project - Clean Access In The Călărași-Siliștra Cross-Border Area" MIS-ETC code 118.

Digital skills

SELF-ASSESSMENT

Information processing	Communication	Content creation	Safety	Problem solving
Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user	Proficient user

Levels: Basic user - Independent user - Proficient user, [Digital competences - Self-assessment grid](#)

Elaboration and editing of documents, spreadsheet operation and presentations using the Office package (Word, Excel, Power Point);

Computer Aided Design: AutoCAD for general design and CorelDRAW for graphics, Eagle and Circuit Maker for schematics and printed circuit design;

Dedicated airfoil simulation/optimization software: Qblade and water intakes: Coanda-Effect Screen Analysis Software.

Other skills

Telecom Technician Certified,

ANNEXES

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- A3 – Patent list

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A1 - Representative list of papers

1. **Rareş - Andrei CHIHAIA**, Corneliu MĂLĂNCIOIU, Nicolae TĂNASE, Andreea MITULEȚ, Lucian MÂNDREA, „Imbunătățirea condițiilor de curgere în cadrul captărilor secundare”, The 4th European & International Conference eRENEWABLIA, eHYDROGENIA, eEFFICIENCIA, September 20-21, 2011, Bucharest, ROMANIA, Academia Română, AULA MAGNA, ISBN-10: 973-1704-17-5, ISBN-13: 978-973-1704-17-3.
2. Mihai Gheorghe MIHĂIESCU, Dorian MARIN, Victor STOICA, Sergiu NICOLAE, **Rareş-Andrei CHIHAIA**, "Synchronous machine with dual excitation", The 4th European & International Conference eRENEWABLIA, eHYDROGENIA, eEFFICIENCIA, September 20-21, 2011, Bucharest, ROMANIA, Academia Română, AULA MAGNA, Calea Victoriei, 125 ISBN-10: 973-1704-17-5, ISBN-13: 978-973-1704-17-3.
3. Lucian MÂNDREA, **Rareş - Andrei CHIHAIA**, Florentina BUNEA, Gabriela OPRINA, Gheorghe VOICU, Constantin IVAN, "Modernizarea captărilor secundare Draxin și Cascoe", Editura Politehnica Press, Buletinul Științific seria D, Vol. 74, 2012, pag. 273-280.
4. Mihail POPESCU, Gabriela OPRINA, Sergiu NICOLAE, Lucia - Andreea MITULEȚ, **Rareş - Andrei CHIHAIA**, „ICPE-CA (ECCE), Realizări și direcții de dezvoltare în domeniul conversiei energiei” - Achievements and directions of development in the field of energy conversion, Simpozionul de Mașini electrice SME'12, 23 Noiembrie 2012 București, poziția 11 pe CD, ISSN 1843-5912.
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6. Mihail POPESCU, Gabriela Oprina, Lucia - Andreea MITULEȚ, Sergiu NICOLAE, **Rareş - Andrei CHIHAIA**, s.a., "Aspects Regarding the Application of Electric Generators to Wind Energy Conversion Using Counter Rotating Turbines", The 8th International Symposium on ADVANCED TOPICS IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING, May 23-25, 2013, Bucharest, ISSN: 2068-7966, ISBN: 978-1-4673-5978-8, IEEE Catalog Number CFP1314P-CDR.
7. Mândrea L., Bunea F., **Chihaiia R.**, „The calculus of the depression in swirling flow”, 6th International Conference on Energy and Environment CIEM2013, Section 6 – Fluid Mechanics and Application, Bucharest, Romania, 7-8 November 2013, pozitia pe CD S6_3, Ed. Politehnica Press, ISSN 2067-0893.
8. Andreea Mituleț, Mihail Popescu, Sergiu Nicolaie, Gabriela Oprina, **Rareş-Andrei Chihaiia**, „Studiu privind implementarea unor metode de eficientizare a instalațiilor eoliene”, The 12th WEC CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE REGIONAL ENERGY FORUM - FOREN 2014, USB ISSN 2284-9505, 22-26 Iunie 2014, București, România.
9. Lucian MÂNDREA, Corneliu MĂLĂNCIOIU, **Rareş Andrei CHIHAIA**, Nicolae TĂNASE „Creșterea siguranței în exploatare a barajului Izvoru Muntelui prin modernizarea echipamentelor hidromecanice ale golirilor de fund”, a XIV-a Conferință internațională multidisciplinară ”Profesorul Dorin PAVEL - fondatorul hidroenergeticii românești” Sebeș - Alba, 6-7 iunie 2014, articol publicat în revista Știință și Inginerie vol.25 /2014, pg. 221-230, ISSN: 2067-7138;
10. Mihail POPESCU, Tiberiu TUDORACHE, Daniel ILINA, **Rareş Andrei CHIHAIA**, “Sistem de propulsie electrică pentru vehicule ușoare”, Simpozionul de mașini electrice SME'14 – 3 octombrie 2014, pozitia 11 pe CD, ISSN:1843-5912 ;
11. Mihail POPESCU, Sergiu NICOLAE, Gabriela OPRINA, Radu CÎRNARU, Andreea MITULEȚ, **Rares CHIHAIA**, Radu MIREA, „Improving the Energy Conversion Efficiency of Counter Rotating Wind Turbines by Using Innovative Generators”, Proceedings of 21st edition of International Conference of Hydraulics, Pneumatics, Tools, Sealing elements, fine mechanics, specific electronic equipment & mechatronics – HERVEX 2014, 5-7 noiembrie, Călimănești – Căciulata, ISSN 1454-8003, pp. 249-254.
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15. Lucian Pîslaru-Dănescu, Mihail Popescu, **Rareş – Andrei Chihaiia**, Sergiu Nicolaie, „Aționarea motoarelor asincrone de mare turăție de uz general cu utilizarea convertizoarelor de frecvență”, Revista Automatizări și Instrumentație nr.2 / 2015, ISSN 1582-3334;
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A2 - Representative Scientific Activities and Responsibilities

No.	Position	Title	Financing	Year
1.	Project Responsible	"The flow improvement within the secondary intakes Draxin and Cascoe (Clabucet Hydroelectric Plant)"	Hidroelectrica S.A	2011
2.	Project Responsible	" Wind energy conversion system with an output of 1.5 kW "	UEFISCDI and ROFEP SA Urziceni	2012
3.	Project Responsible	"Analysis of the climatic factors regarding the renewable energy recovery for Dambovita and Ialomita river basins"	Dambovita County Council	2012
4.	Project Responsible	"Innovative constructive solutions for designing and realization of kinetic hydraulic turbines".	UEFISCDI	2016/2017
5	Project Responsible	46N/2019, PN19310201 - Increasing the efficiency of renewable energy production equipment by using new methods for characterizing the flow of working fluids – "Desing and on-site testing of a hydrokinetic turbine experimental model".	UEFISCDI	2021/2022

A3 – Patent List

A 3.1. Patent application

1. OSIM A/00478 /27.06.2012:- Jaw Valve, Inventors: Corneliu MĂLĂNCIOIU, **Rareş - Andrei CHIHAIA**, Nicolae TĂNASE, Ionel CHIRIȚĂ, Sergiu NICOLAE ;
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4. OSIM A/00201/18.03.2015: "Water intake embedded in a sluice gate", Inventors: **CHIHAIA Rareş – Andrei**, Lucian Mândrea, Gabriela Oprina, Andreea Mituleț, Nicolae Tănase;
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