

# Josan Carina-Maria, Research Assistant in Philology, Literary Critic, Editor, Proofreader, Literary Secretary, Content Writer

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Date of birth	16/04/1998	Nationality	Romanian
Place of birth	Deva		

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## PROFILE

Graduated from West University of Timișoara with a BA in philology, department of Russian-English Literature and Language and a MA in literature and culture and comparative studies. Passionate about literature, philosophy, art history, aesthetics and literary theory. Hard-working, resilient, attentive to details and open to new ideas. As a future plan, I am willing to pursue a career in the higher education field, specifically in Literary research. Experienced in writing academically acclaimed studies and undergoing acute contextual/cultural interpretations in the present field or the neighboring ones. Reliable in participating at the construction of cultural events with impact for a cognizant/initiated public (but not exclusively). Reliable in participating in any form of cultural projects that may occur that, intrinsically, solicit the presence/perspective of a philologist or a cultural theoretician.

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## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

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Aug 2022 — Present	<b>Customer Service Agent, Computer Generated Solutions (C.G.S.)</b>	Remote
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Assisted customers with concerns regarding telecommunications and network.

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## EDUCATION

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Oct 2017 — Jun 2020	<b>Bachelor degree, West University of Timișoara</b>	Timișoara
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Language and Literature, Russian-English

- elementary level of Russian language, but with high prospects of (auto) improvement;
- a chronological/diachronic knowledge of Russian literature and cultural phenomena;
- proficient level of English language;
- a chronological/diachronic knowledge of English literature and cultural phenomena;
- ability to write properly in both languages, having different levels of linguistic knowledge.

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Oct 2020 — Jul 2022	<b>Master's degree, West University of Timișoara</b>	Timișoara
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Literature and culture - Romanian contexts, European contexts

- the ability to operate with theoretical and practical instruments of actuality (specific to local or foreign literature);
- the ability to utilize the comparative methods between different cultural backgrounds;
- the ability to operate within the current sociocultural paradigm;
- the ability to properly utilize fundamental concepts and advanced notions in regard to new approaches in the literary studies;
- research and analysis abilities regarding the Romanian and European literary/cultural contexts;
- the capacity to independently and authentically research Romanian or European cultural/literary phenomena;
- the capacity to valorize the results of the research through the participation in scientific manifestations;
- the capacity to elaborate authentic and acutely analytical dissertation papers, academically validated and with publication potential;
- the capacity to participate in the construction of consistent cultural projects.

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Oct 2017 — Jun 2020	<b>Level 1 (gymnasium level), Department of Teaching Staff Training</b>	Timișoara
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Oct 2020 — Jul 2022	<b>Level 2 (lyceum level), Department of Teaching Staff Training</b>	Timișoara
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Sep 2022 — Present	<b>PhD studies, West University of Timișoara</b>	Timișoara
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Currently working on a thesis on Interwar Romanian literature.

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<b>SKILLS</b>	Fast Learner	Experienced	Interdisciplinary study	Expert
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Communication Skills	Experienced	Cultural Awareness	Expert
Field Investigation Skills	Experienced	Cultural/Literary Theoretization	Expert
Creative Problem Solving	Expert	Organizational Skills	Experienced
Critical Thinking	Expert	Art Direction	Beginner
Analytical Thinking Skills	Skillful	Teaching (Humanities)	Skillful

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**HOBBIES** reading, writing, research, interdisciplinary interests, art enthusiast

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**LANGUAGES** Romanian Native speaker Russian A2  
English Highly proficient

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**COURSES**

Oct 2018 — Jun 2019 Complementary Discipline with Transversal Competence -  
"Introduction to Philosophy", West University of Timișoara

Oct 2018 — Jun 2019 Complementary Discipline with Transversal Competence -  
"Philosophers Who Changed the World", West University of  
Timișoara

Oct 2019 — Jun 2020 Complementary Discipline with Transversal Competence -  
"Philosophy of Mind", West University of Timișoara

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**EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES** Self-taught scholar in different fields of knowledge related to Humanities or Arts,  
but with expanding aspirations, also, towards the sciences.