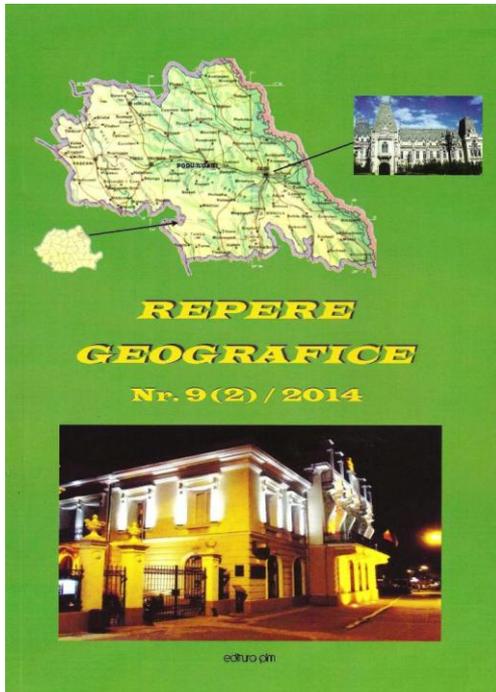


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The first issue of the revue appeared in 2003 and since then it is regarded as the mirror of the geography teaching activity in pre-university education. There were years (2004-2007) when, for various reasons, the magazine was not published. A new management was implemented in 2013, when the eighth issue of the review was edited with a generous 210 page table of contents, the scientific and editorial committee was reorganized and the collaborations with academia have become permanent. Since 2014, the magazine has been published in two issues per year, respectively 9 (1) and 9 (2), with two modern parts, the written part in cover containing only summaries in at least two languages Romanian-English/French/German and the electronic, environmental part, on

DVD, attached to the cover. At the team's proposal, in 2014, Professor Emeritus Ph. D. Ioan Donișă has become the honorary president of this review.

The review covers the following seven permanent categories:

- I Anniversaries, evocation, homage – a box for regional, national and international geographical personalities
- II Studies and Scientific Research
- III Teaching Geography. Pedagogical Research
- IV Analysis, Events and Geographical events (programs, projects, workshops, internships, etc.)
- V Students' Geography
- VI Geography in the pupils' eyes
- VII Reviews

The most substantial columns are the *Studies and Scientific Research* as well as the *Teaching Geography*. The most important column is the *Teaching Geography*, which includes didactic and pedagogic research, important results of the educated group management, teaching experiments, and examples of good practice. This section is supervised by

the Scientific Committee of the publication including Prof. Ph.D. Constantin Cucoş - director of the Teacher Training Department at the Faculty of Psychology and Educational Sciences, "Al. I. Cuza" University in Iaşi and mentor teacher Ph.D. Viorel Paraschiv. Papers of teaching activity have specific topics such as new teaching designs in all activities involving geography: teaching, learning, skills development, extracurricular and nonacademic activities, project management, new teaching technologies, etc. In the two issues of the 2010 review, 20 scientific articles, signed by teachers and researchers with diverse, temporal, professional, home and abroad experiences, were published. We note the weight of the subjects addressed in some papers by the following teachers: Marcel Bălăban, from a London college, Ana Maria Ciobotaru from Bucharest, Mariana Epuraş from Brăila, Kiss Dolores from Lugoj - dealing with aspects of Geography teaching in the primary school, Mirela Chipăilă from Focşani, Monica Vântu and Mihai Cezar from Iaşi, etc. The scientific activity of all authors is a proof of their continuous improvement and a guarantee that the publication is useful. The latest two numbers in 2014 have had a total of about 200 pages each. We have an international scientific team, thus adding to the review a definite regional and international importance. The magazine is also promoted by a FB page - "SGR-Iaşi Subsidiary" as well as by other local, national and international online information groups. In July 2014, the publication was also appreciated by the European Association of Geography (EuroGeo) in the person of dr. Kurt Donart.

The terms on which the review receives scientific papers are February 1<sup>st</sup> and August 1<sup>st</sup>; and the mailing address is: [sgriasi@yahoo.ro](mailto:sgriasi@yahoo.ro) or the Facebook page, *SGR Iaşi-Filiala Iaşi*.

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