

## IN MEMORIAM CORNELIA SCUTARU-UNGUREANU

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This issue of the *Romanian Journal of Economic Forecasting (RJEF)* is dedicated to Cornelia Scutaru-Ungureanu, editor-in-chief and co-founder of this journal who died in September 2015.

Having finished her academic study in mathematics and the doctoral studies in economics, she dedicated her activity to macroeconomic modelling writing more than 200 papers, 9 books and 100 research studies on various subfields of economic science, most notably she contributed to economics of transition, input-output analysis and the study of inflation.

In 2000 she received the “Virgil Madgearu” Prize of Romanian Academy for her contribution to the volume “Analysis of competitiveness of the Romanian economy, Horizon 2000-2005-2010. Alternative policy solutions” (in Romanian), published in 1998 by the Academy Publishing House.

Owing to her outstanding reputation, she became member of the Academy of the Romanian Scientists, the Mathematics section.

Besides her research career, Cornelia Scutaru was involved in mentoring young researchers and in promoting Romania's economic research by increasing its visibility in the national and international economic community.

Two outstanding results had an important impact on the Romanian economic community and on the visibility of the Institute for Economic Forecasting. The first one is the *Macroeconomic Modelling Seminar* founded in 1990 and coordinated by Academician Emilian Dobrescu and by Cornelia Scutaru as the scientific secretary.

The second accomplishment is the *Romanian Journal of Economic Forecasting*, which is edited by the Institute for Economic Forecasting, where Cornelia Scutaru was editor-



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in-chief since its start in 2000. Her dedicated work is one of the reasons why RJEF is now one of the most important economic journals from Romania.

We, the editors of RJEF and her colleagues from the *Institute for Economic Forecasting* and the *Centre for Macroeconomic Modelling*, will remember Cornelia Scutaru as a warm-hearted person and a motivating mentor of youth.

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