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# Employ-Able People



I'm **Paraschiv Elisabeta**, I'm 36 years old,  
and I'm deaf.



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I did the school for the deaf  
(the 8 classes) and then 4 classes at the  
School Center no. 3 (which is now called the  
Special Technological High School no. 3) with  
the specialization of Light Industry.


After high school I attended the Faculty of  
Theology in Pitesti with the specialization of  
Social Work.



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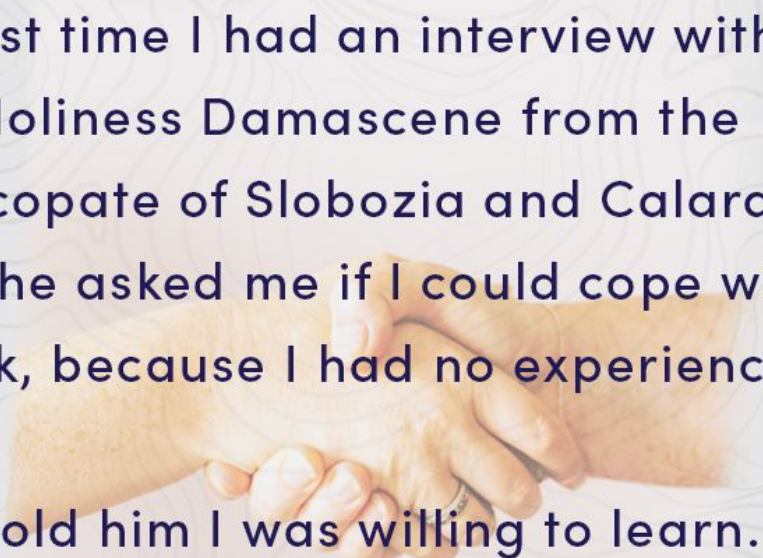


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A hand-drawn illustration of two yellow flowers with black outlines and stems. The top flower is larger and has a dark base, while the bottom flower is smaller and also has a dark base. A small leaf is visible on the stem of the bottom flower. Dotted lines connect the two flowers, suggesting a path or relationship.

After graduating from college, I had no work experience, even though I followed the internship during college during the summer, I did almost nothing.

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The first time I had an interview with His Holiness Damascene from the Episcopate of Slobozia and Calarasi, and he asked me if I could cope with work, because I had no experience; I told him I was willing to learn.

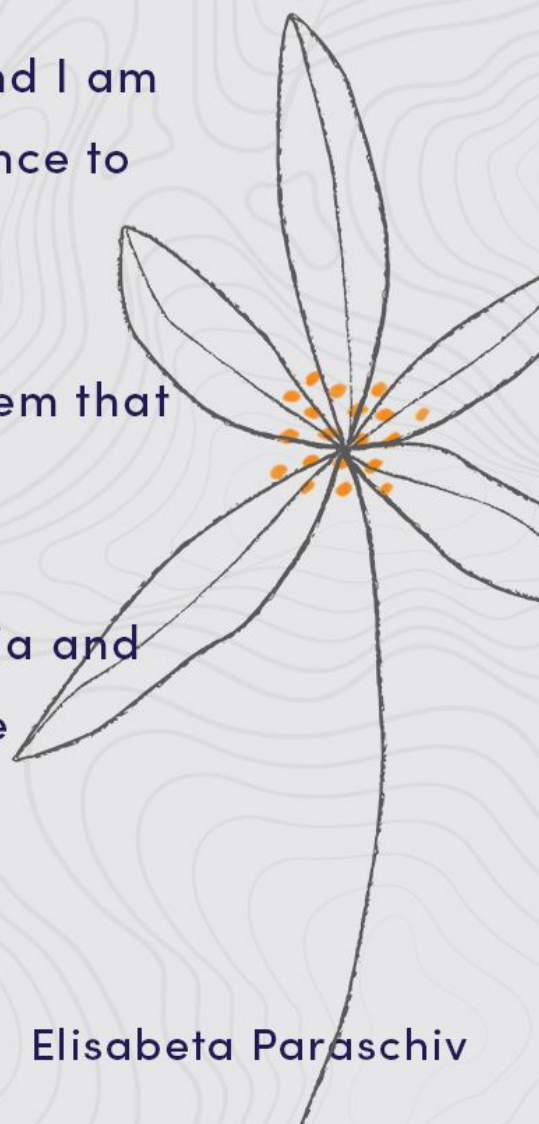
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He hired me as a social worker and I am grateful that he gave me the chance to work even if I had no experience.

I wanted to learn and prove to them that I can work like a normal person. I currently work for the National Association of the Deaf in Romania and I am also the vice president of the Association.



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My dream is to show others that  
I succeeded too, even if at the  
beginning it was difficult and  
with barriers.



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It will always be like this, they will encounter difficulties and obstacles and barriers until they find someone to give them a CHANCE

It is true that at first it seems difficult and over time we know what to do, as it is said:  
"From birth to death every day we learn".

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