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NBCC Foundation Awards GCDF Scholarship to Alina Chiracu

Bucharest, Romania—The NBCC Foundation, an affiliate of the National Board for Certified Counselors, Inc. (NBCC), recently awarded one of the 2016 NBCC Foundation [Global Career Development Facilitator](#) (GCDF) scholarships to Alina Chiracu, of Bucharest, Romania. The goal of the GCDF scholarship program is to increase the number of available counselors providing quality career guidance and facilitation. In doing so, the GCDF scholarship program plays an important role in the Foundation's mission to leverage the power of counseling by strategically focusing resources for positive change. Chiracu will receive \$5,000 to support her counseling education and recognize her commitment to providing career counseling and guidance.



Chiracu is both a student and graduate of the University of Bucharest, in Romania, where she is currently pursuing a master's in psychological assessment and intervention in education. Upon graduation, she intends to work with high school students trying to help them identify their vocational interests and their expectations regarding a successful career, supporting them as they establish tangible and long term objectives for their professional life and synchronize their interests, skills and values with the choice for a specific university or a specific activity field. Earning this scholarship will allow Chiracu to help teachers, parents and pupils to establish a connection between students' competencies and the proper universities or the appropriate jobs.

For more information or to make a donation, visit www.nbccf.org. CCE, a platinum sponsor of the Foundation, provided the grant funding for this award. More information about the GCDF and other CCE credentials is available at www.cce-global.org.

About the NBCC Foundation

The NBCC Foundation is the nonprofit affiliate of the National Board for Certified Counselors (NBCC), based in Greensboro, North Carolina. NBCC is the nation's premier professional certification board devoted to credentialing counselors who meet standards for the general and specialty practices of professional counseling. Currently, there are more than 60,000 National Certified Counselors (NCCs) in the United States and more than 50 countries. The Foundation's mission is to leverage the power of counseling by strategically focusing resources for positive change.

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