

**IACINT MANOLIU K-NOTE LECTURE
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IACINT'S FAMILY



Parents and sisters:
Alexandra and Ioan Manoliu
Iacint, Arina and Lia Manoliu
He was married and had a
son, a daughter and two
grandchildren

The parents of Iacint, Alexandra and Ioan Manoliu, were teachers at two of the most prestigious high schools in Bucharest. Iacint started playing sports early, together with his older sister Lia. At the beginning ping-pong on the dining table, then tennis at the Romanian Tennis Club in Bucharest. In 1948 he became the national tennis champion for the children's category (under 15). Prior to becoming an engineer and professor, Iacint Manoliu was for 12 years, between 1947 and 1959, sports journalist, editor of "Sportul Popular"

ACADEMIC CAREER

Iacint Manoliu obtained his Engineering (MSc) degree (1957) and PhD in Civil Engineering (1974) from the Technical University of Civil Engineering in Bucharest (UTCB).

He started his academic career as a Teaching Assistant (1959–1966), then Assistant Professor (1966–1975), Associate Professor (1975–1982) and Full Professor, always at UTCB.

He further served UTCB from the positions of Associate Dean (1972–1976) and Dean (1976–1984), Faculty of Civil, Industrial and Agricultural Buildings, Vice-Rector for Academic and International Affairs (1990–1996), Vice-Rector for International Affairs (1996–2000), and President of the Council for Cooperation and International Relations (2000–2011).

MOST IMPORTANT SCIENTIFIC INTEREST

- SOIL MECHANICS AND FOUNDATION ENGINEERING
- EDUCATION IN CE
- CO-PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR IN A JOINT RESEARCH WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT AUSTIN ON PILE FOUNDATIONS FOR OFFSHORE STRUCTURES

OTHER IMPORTANT ROLES

- Correspondent Member of the Romanian Academy of Technical Sciences (2005–2018)
- President of the Romanian Society for Soil Mechanics and Geotechnical Engineering (1996–2012), and Vice-President of the Union of Associations of Civil Engineers of Romania (UAICR, 1996–2018).
- He was member of TC31 (Education in Geotechnical Engineering, 1993–2005) and TC 306 (Geo-engineering Education, 2009–2018), and Chairman of ETC 16 (European Technical Committee on Education & Training, 2007–2011).
- In addition, he served the European Society for Engineering Education (SEFI) as member of the Administrative Council (1998–2006), the European Association of Civil Engineering Faculties (AECEF) as member of the Executive Board (1998–2006), the European Council of Civil Engineers (ECCE) as Vice-president (1999–2005) and Chairman of the Standing Committee on Education & Training (2003–2016), and the European Civil Engineering Education and Training (EUCEET) Association as Secretary General (2008-2018).

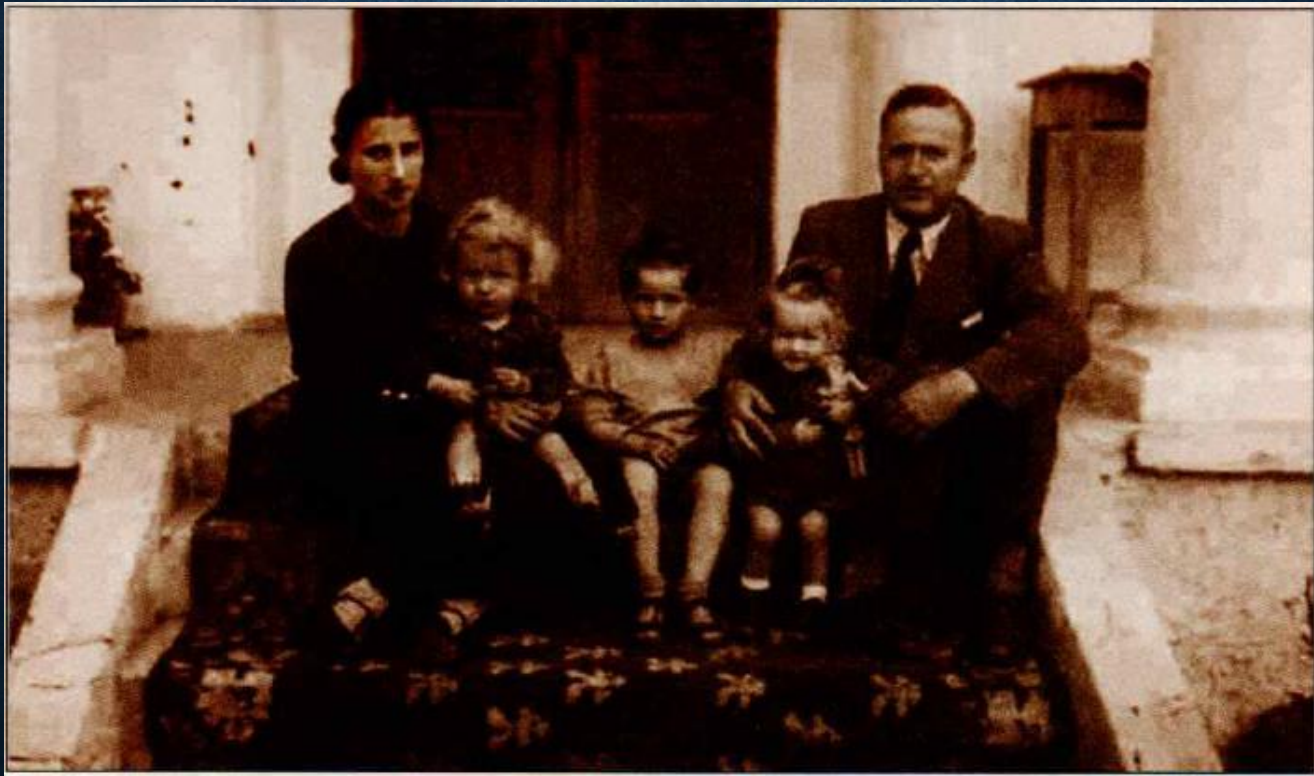
AS CHAIRMAN

- He chaired four international conferences:
- Danube-European Conference on Soil Mechanics and Foundation Engineering, Constantza, 1995;
- First International Conference on Geotechnical Engineering Education and Training, Sinaia, 2000;
- Second International Young Geotechnical Engineers' Conference, Constantza, 2003;
- First International Conference on Education and Training in Geoenvironmental Sciences: Soil Mechanics, Geotechnical Engineering, Engineering Geology and Rock Mechanics, Constantza, 2008.

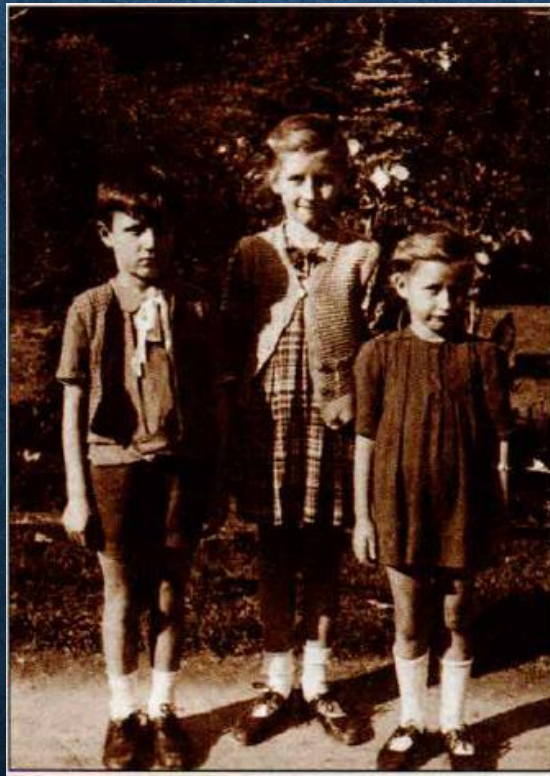
RETURN TO SPORT JOURNALISM

- While he never abandoned international cooperation efforts, in later years he found time to return to journalism, this time writing about his sister Lia Manoliu (1932–1998), the first track and field athlete to compete at six Olympics (1952–1972). Lia Manoliu won two bronze medals (1960: Rome, 1964: Tokyo) and one gold (1968: Mexico City) in discus throw. Being in the USA on a scholarship, Iacint managed to travel to Mexico City, to be at the Olympic stadium and celebrate the gold medal with Lia.

MOTHER, FATHER AND THE TWO SISTERS



IACINT WITH LIA AND ARINA (SISTERS)



GA MOSCOW 2013



GA MOSCOW 2013



GA VILNIUS 2014



GA VILNIUS 2014



GA FLORENCE 2015



GA CLUJ NAPOCA 2016



GA EKATERINBURG 2017

