

## **Cătălin PREDOIU**

**Date of birth:** 27 August 1968

**Place of Birth:** Buzău city, Buzău county

### **Education**

PhD in Law „Summa cum Laudae”, University of Bucharest, 2003

Faculty of Law, University of Bucharest, 1987 - 1991

„Bogdan Petriceicu Hașdeu” National College, Buzău, graduation in 1986

### **Military Service**

Completed: M.U. 01847 Paratroops, Buzău, 1986 – 1987, retired second-lieutenant

### **Professional experience**

2016 – 2019, founder associate of „Stoian – Predoiu”, Attorneys at Law

2012 - 2016, lawyer at „Individual Law Office Cătălin Predoiu”

2007 – 2008 founder associate and coordinator of „Zamfirescu Racoți Predoiu”, Attorneys at Law

1995 – 2007 founder associate and coordinator of „Racoți – Predoiu”, Attorneys at Law

1994 - 2007 – lecturer at the Faculty of Law, the University of Bucharest

1994 - training program in commercial law at the Caen Bar in France

### **Public dignities**

Minister of Justice, member of The Supreme Council of National Defence (CSAT) – starting with 05.11.2019

Vicepresident of the Chamber of Deputies, the Parliament of Romania, 2016 – september 2017

Elected Deputy in Călărăsi district, 2016 - present

Prime Minister ad interim, 2012

Minister of Justice, member of The Supreme Council of National Defence (CSAT), 2008 - 2012

Minister of Foreign Affairs ad interim, 2009

### **Political dignities**

First-vicepresident of The National Liberal Party (PNL), 2014 – June 2017

President of The National Liberal Party (PNL) – Bucharest Branch, December 2015 - June 2016

First-vicepresident of the Democrat-Liberal Party (PDL), 2013 – 2014

### **Academic awards, professional accolades, judicial publications**

- "Simion Bărnuțiu" award, granted by the Romanian Academy, 2003
- "I.L.Georgescu" award, granted by the Legal Counselors Union of Romania
- "Rene Cassin" International Contest of Pleading Competition, Robert Schumann University, Strasbourg, France, 1991
- "PLC Cross-border Mergers & Acquisitions Handbook 2008/09" international catalogue, recommended attorney
- "Chambers Global 2008" international catalogue, "Corporate/ M&A, Romania, Leading Individuals" section: 2<sup>nd</sup> in rank
- "Chambers Europe 2008" international catalogue, "Corporate/ M&A and Employment, Romania" section, nominee
- "Chambers Global 2007" international catalogue, "Corporate/ M&A, Romania, Leading Individuals" section: 2<sup>nd</sup> in rank
- Commercial Companies Law – Commented articles, p. 1024, C.H. Beck Publishing House, 2009, Bucharest, co-author;
- "Commercial careers of civil companies", în Romanian Journal of Business Law, Supplement 1/2007, co-author;
- "Considerations regarding the concepts of banking activities and bank loan", Bucharest, 2003;
- "The banks and the anti-criminal legislation. Special legal obligations", Bucharest, 2003;
- "Commercial Companies", first edition, Bucharest, 2001, co-author;
- "Credit operations inside a group of companies", Bucharest, 1996.

### **Publicații politice**

- "The Power of Justice and the Justice of Power", Tritonic Publishing House, Bucharest, 2018
- Opinion articles at [www.predoiu.ro](http://www.predoiu.ro)
- Opinion articles at [www.adevarul.ro/bloguri](http://www.adevarul.ro/bloguri)