General (ret.) Daniel Petrescu - Member, International Leadership Council, Center for European Policy Analysis (CEPA), Romania

General (ret.) Daniel Petrescu is Member of International Leadership Council, Center for European Policy Analysis (CEPA), USA. General (ret.) Daniel Petrescu was the Romanian Chief of Defence Staff between December 2019-November 2023. Between August 2017 and August 2019 he assumed the command of the Headquarters Multinational Division South-East and from August to December 2019 was Deputy Chief of Defence Staff. His professional experience includes prior appointments at tactical, operational and strategic level within the Romanian Armed Forces, NATO Headquarters, and in different theatres of operations. At the tactical level he commanded the 2nd Infantry Battalion Călugăreni in Bucharest, between January 2004 and October 2008. He commanded 2nd Infantry Brigade Rovine from August 15, 2016 until April 30, 2017, and later Multinational Brigade SouthEast. At the operational level he was Chief of Staff of the Operational Command Centre (2010 - 2013), the ROU HQ in charge with directing all ROU Forces participation in NATO and coalition operations. His experience at strategic level includes appointments in the ROU General Staff - Strategic Planning Directorate (Head, Force Planning Office for Missions Abroad, 2008 - 2010), and Operations Directorate (Head, Current Operations, 2010). From June 2013 to July 2016 he represented ROU CHOD as a National Liaison Representative to the HQ Supreme Allied Command Transformation, in Norfolk, Virginia, USA.