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Vintilă Mihăilescu “on the field”, summer 2006, Copșa Mare (Sibiu), Romania. Courtesy of Dumitru Budrala.

## Vintilă Mihăilescu: Main publications

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*We publish here the bibliography of Vintilă Mihăilescu’s leading publications. For the preparation, we mainly resorted to the list of publications that the author reported in his curriculum vitae. As far as possible – in a period when access to libraries was limited due to the Covid-19 health emergency – we checked the accuracy of the bibliographic data, introducing changes and additions where necessary. We choose chronological order to provide a useful tool also to follow the path taken by the author, from his publications in the early 1980s to the most recent writings appearing after his death. For the contributions published in Romanian, we provide the English translation in square brackets after the original title. Having no claims for completeness, this bibliography should be considered as a first draft requiring further additions and revisions. Nevertheless, we are pleased to make it available to Anuac readers, first of all, as an invitation to pay homage to Vintilă Mihăilescu by sharing his writings.*

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