

The *Community of practice* or the *Experts Community* is formed with totally of registered users, with declared fields of expertise connected with EE Directive themes, which give their accord to be listed as expert and ready to act as guide for user to find solutions at those need do not match with registered tools on this Platform.

In order to ask solution from experts the user **has to be registered user**.

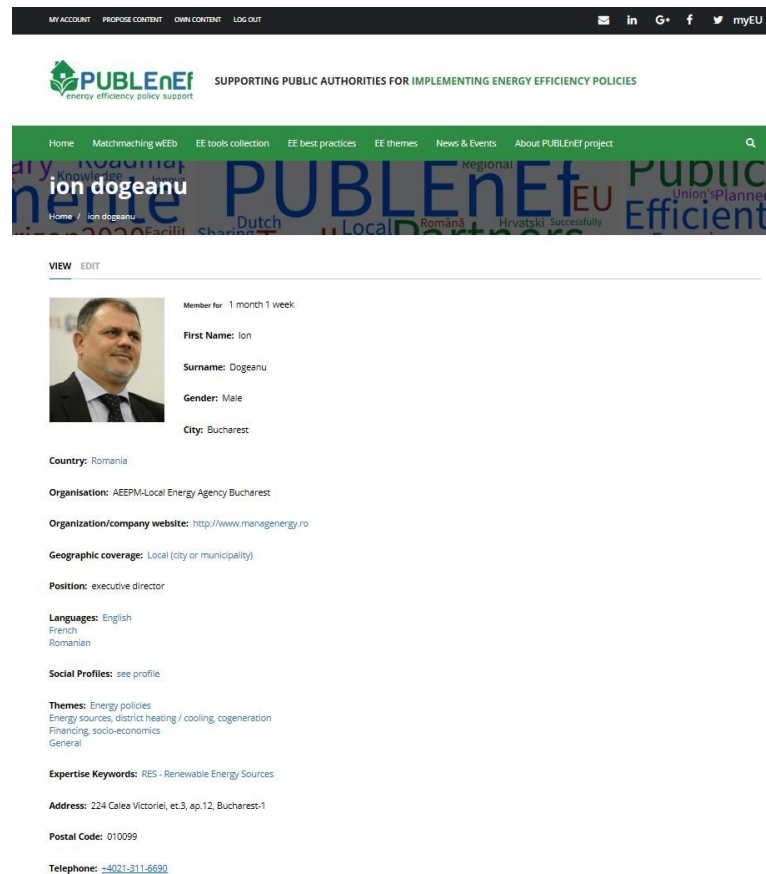


Figure 1. Example of Ask Expert resource entry gate page

First step is to create a **user account**:

Figure 2. Entry in to EE Community of practice

All registered users **have option** to be part of the **PUBLEnEf** Community of practice and can upload tools; raise questions or give answers for all members and users.



The screenshot shows the PUBLEnEf website interface. At the top, there is a dark navigation bar with links: MY ACCOUNT, PROPOSE CONTENT, OWN CONTENT, LOG OUT, and social media icons (in, G+, f, myEU). Below this is the PUBLEnEf logo and the tagline 'SUPPORTING PUBLIC AUTHORITIES FOR IMPLEMENTING ENERGY EFFICIENCY POLICIES'. A green navigation bar contains links: Home, Matchmaking wEEb, EE tools collection, EE best practices, EE themes, News & Events, and About PUBLEnEf project. The main content area displays a user profile for 'ion dogeanu'. The profile includes a photo, a 'VIEW' and 'EDIT' toggle, and various fields: Member for (1 month 1 week), First Name (Ion), Surname (Dogeanu), Gender (Male), City (Bucharest), Country (Romania), Organisation (AEEPm-Local Energy Agency Bucharest), Organization/company website (http://www.managenergy.ro), Geographic coverage (Local (city or municipality)), Position (executive director), Languages (English, French, Romanian), Social Profiles (see profile), Themes (Energy policies, Energy sources, district heating / cooling, cogeneration, Financing, socio-economics, General), Expertise Keywords (RES - Renewable Energy Sources), Address (224 Calea Victoriei, et.3, ap.12, Bucharest-1), Postal Code (010099), and Telephone (+4021-311-6690).

Figure 3. Edit your user profile

Every registered user has to provide a minimum of information on the user profile.

*To become part of the Community of practices do not forget to give permission to be listed as Energy Efficiency **PUBLEnEf** expert.*

Note: user account is pending the webmaster formal approval.