The Probation Service in Romania: An Overview

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Summary: The institution of probation is relatively new in Romania, with a structure and system that is still in a process of development. This paper provides an overview and discusses the development of the Romanian probation system, how it is organised and functions, the main activities of the service, and the counselling programmes delivered in Brașov Probation Service.

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