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She graduated the University of Bucharest with a degree in Foreign Languages and Literatures in 1985 and obtained a PhD from the same University in 1998. She has been teaching French and English at all levels of education. Since 1998 she has been involved in teacher education at the University of Ploiesti, Romania as well as in many in-service teacher training programs both in her native country and in South East Europe.

The virtual participation in the 6th ICT and Language Learning Conference, 2013, documents such a teacher training program that is initiated by a research into the Romanian students' results at PIRLS.

Ligia Sarivan has published many articles and chapters in books on a variety of educational topics - multiple intelligences, curriculum development, blended learning, innovative methodology. She is also the author of several resources and online materials for student teachers.