

Teză de doctorat

Scepticismul științific. Agentitate temporală și religioasă în controversele privind vaccinarea și schimbările climatice

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Neîncrederea în știința oficială și în cunoașterea bazată pe dovezi științifice, conceptualizată ca *scepticism față de știință*, este un fenomen integrat în postmodernitate. Ezitarea față de vaccinare și scepticismul față de schimbările climatice sunt două forme de respingere a expertizei oficiale și de căutare a unor ansambluri de cunoaștere alternativă. În această cercetare sociologică am studiat construcția socială (Berger și Luckmann, 1966) a discursurilor sceptice față de vaccinare și schimbări climatice. Folosind o abordare metodologică mixtă, am oferit mai întâi o perspectivă cantitativă asupra atitudinilor sceptice față de vaccinare și schimbări climatice la nivelul Uniunii Europene, apoi am pus accentul pe societatea românească și am identificat resursele culturale utilizate în construcția socială a discursurilor sceptice.

Unul dintre principalele rezultate ale cercetării mele este înțelegerea faptului că ezitarea față de vaccinare și scepticismul față de schimbările climatice nu susțin importanța pluralității tipurilor de cunoaștere, care este un aspect valorizat în postmodernitate, deși alte caracteristici sociale postmoderne, precum neoliberalismul, democratizarea informației și reflexivitatea facilitează și consolidează diferite forme de scepticism. Scepticii vaccinării și ai schimbărilor climatice nu contestă avantajele epistemice ale științei, ci resping știința oficială și autoritățile publice. În schimb, actorii sceptici susțin experți care sunt marginali în cadrul comunității științifice și promovează *adevăruri alternative* (Vulpe, 2020b; Vulpe, 2022; Vulpe și Vasile, 2023). Atât ezitarea față de vaccinare, cât și scepticismul față de schimbările climatice înglobează atitudini eterogene care sunt influențate de poziția pe care un anumit individ o are în ierarhia socială, de constrângeri structurale și inegalități economice (Vulpe, 2020a). Discursurile despre vaccinare și schimbări climatice care prezintă scepticism față de știința oficială sunt construite social folosind trei tipuri de resurse: încrederea selectivă,

agentitatea temporală (Flaherty, 2003) și agentitatea religioasă (Leming, 2009). Aceasta este o similaritate importantă care contribuie la dezvoltarea cunoașterii pe tema construcției sociale a scepticismului și a strategiilor specifice folosite pentru a respinge știința oficială. Încrederea selectivă este un concept pe care l-am introdus pentru a arăta că actorii sceptici față de vaccinare și schimbări climatice nu au încredere în experții oficiali, autoritățile politice, marile companii și în majoritatea reprezentanților mass media, dar în același timp ei au încredere în experți alternativi și anumiți reprezentanți ai mass media care promovează scepticismul și contestă autoritățile publice. Agentitatea temporală (Flaherty, 2003) este utilizată adesea în discursurile sceptice în diferite forme, ca argumente temporale (Ciocănel et al., 2021), *timescapes* (Adam, 1998), continuitate și discontinuitate istorică (Zerubavel, 2003). Agentitatea religioasă (Leming, 2009) este folosită de actori creștin-ortodocși și penticostali pentru a construi o perspectivă religioasă asupra lumii care valorizează protecția pe care Dumnezeu o oferă împotriva bolii și a dezastrelor climatice, asociază vaccinul împotriva COVID-19 cu Semnul Fiarei și interpretează restricțiile pandemice ca evenimente apocaliptice.

O altă similaritate este aceea că atât scepticii vaccinării, cât și cei ai schimbărilor climatice își structurează discursul în jurul unor teme ancorate în probleme sistemice care creează riscuri și vulnerabilități în societate, în general, și pentru anumite categorii sociale, în particular. O serie de probleme și vulnerabilități au apărut în timpul pandemiei de COVID-19 în ceea ce privește măsurile de sănătate publică și perturbările economice, ceea ce a consolidat ezitarea față de vaccinare și scepticismul față de o tranziție verde echitabilă. În ceea ce privește deosebirile între cele două discursuri, scepticismul față de schimbările climatice este slab dezvoltat în România în comparație cu ezitarea față de vaccinare. Acest lucru este legat de neglijarea acestui subiect de către autoritățile române și reprezentanții mass media, ceea ce contrastează cu propunerile de politici publice și dezbaterile ample pe tema vaccinării. Cercetarea mea contribuie la depășirea limitărilor caracteristice modelului deficitului de cunoaștere (Suldovsky, 2017), demonstrând că scepticismul față de știința oficială nu este o problemă individuală cauzată de deficiențe cognitive, ci este un fenomen construit social care câștigă legitimitate pe fondul unor probleme societale și unor disfuncționalități sistemice. Pentru a diminua popularitatea în creștere a discursurilor sceptice, autoritățile publice trebuie să redobândească încrederea publicului, aceasta fiind o sarcină dificilă care necesită un timp îndelungat și eforturi consecvente din partea oamenilor de știință, experților și politicienilor.

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