

Event: 2nd European Conference on Sustainable Urban Mobility Plans

Date: 16-17 June 2015

Venue: Rectorate Building and Central Library of Politehnica University, Splaiul Independentei 313, entrance A, Bucharest, Romania

Evening programme

Tuesday 16 June 2015, 18:30 – 21:00

Following the end of the conference agenda at 17:30, 3 parallel evening events will commence. The spaces available for the evening activities are restricted to 50 persons per event. To avoid any disappointment, please pre-register for one of the three events prior to the conference, by visiting:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/F55L37P>

Cycling tour

Starting time: 18:30

Duration: 1 – 1 1/2 hours

Language: English

Max nr. of persons from conference participants: 50

Total nr. of persons: 75

End point: [Restaurant City Grill centrul istoric](#), Lipscani street 12

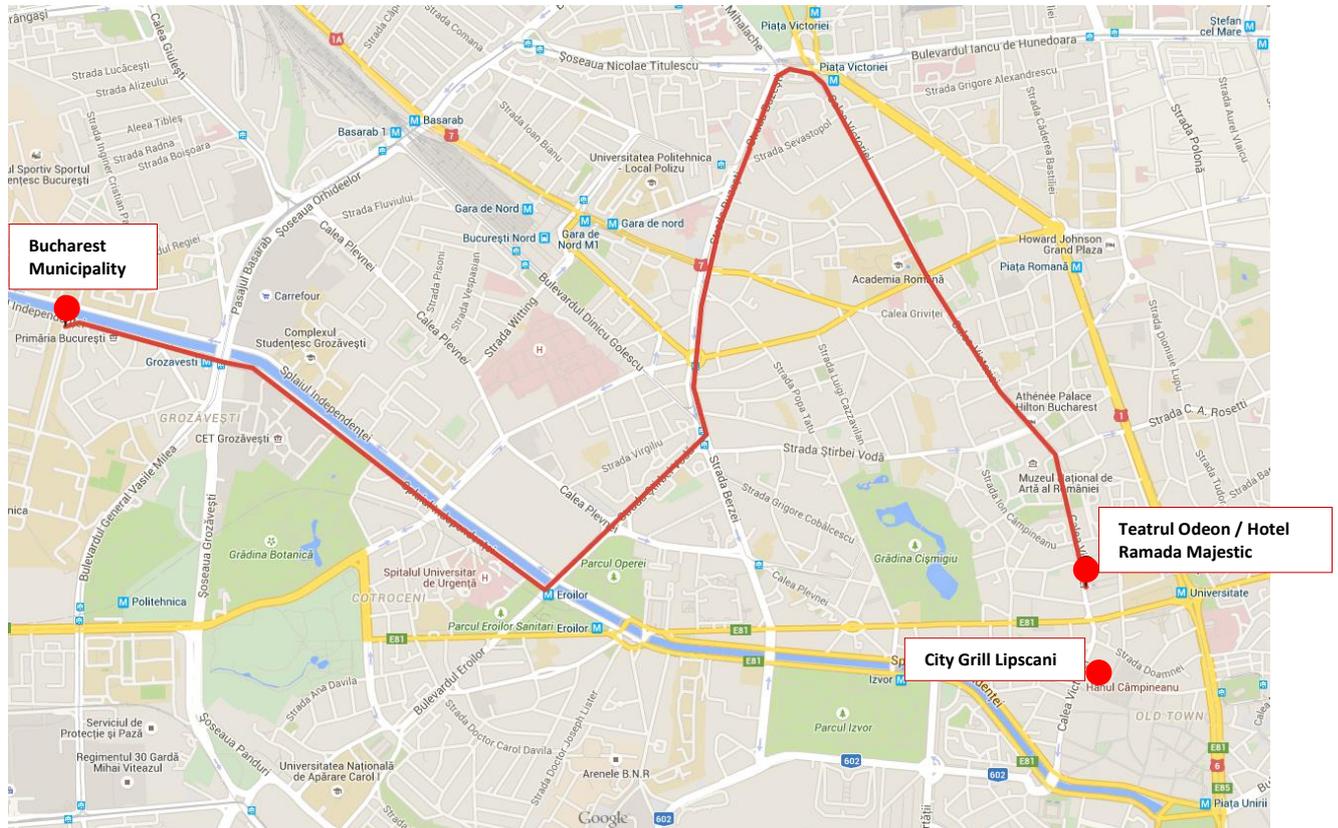
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The cycling tour will start at the Politehnica and it will take 60 minutes (max.) plus preparation time. During the cycling tour, participants of the conference will cycle alongside Romanian journalists and bloggers and discuss the advantages, challenges and measures when implementing SUMP. The tour will be documented and followed by press releases in local and national media. The long range weather forecast is for temperatures over 30 degrees, so a change of clothes for the cycle tour is advisable. A vehicle will be provided to transport your luggage.

The cycling tour will end at the **Ramada Majestic Hotel** restaurant and dinner has been organised for this group at the nearby **City Grill Lipscani** where you can enjoy dinner with your fellow cyclists in Bucharest old town. Please note that there will not be a free conference evening meal. A group reservation has been made for **21:00h** and a preselected menu has been agreed upon in advance with the restaurant (110Lei/25 € for non-vegetarians; or 90lei/20€ for vegetarians – to be paid in Romanian Lei. Prices include two-course meal, drinks package and service charge).

Route of the cycling tour



Walking guided tour

Starting time: 19:00 from in front of Hotel Ramada Majestic

Duration: 1 – 1 1/2 hours

Language: English

Max nr. of persons: 40 divided in two groups

End point: [Restaurant Aubergine](#), Smardan street 33

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Take a stroll through more than 500 years of history from the times of Vlad the Impaler aka Dracula to the “golden era” of communism and the '89 Revolution and unravel the stories of old and new Bucharest. Explore the fascinating mixed architecture and hidden attractions while our guides will stimulate you with tips and tricks about living in Bucharest (B&B, entertainment, nightlife, culture). The tour is offered by [Guided Bucharest](#) in collaboration with [Open Doors Travel](#).

Main sights: Revolution Square, the former National Theater, Victory Way (including it's many Palaces), History Museum, CEC Palace, *Caru cu bere*, Vilacrosse Passage, Lipscani street, Franceza street, Stavropoleos Church, St. Anthony Church, Manuc's Inn.

The walking tour will end at **Aubergine** restaurant, where you can enjoy dinner in Bucharest old town. Please note that there will not be a free conference evening meal. A group reservation has been made for **20:30h** though and a preselected menu has been agreed upon in advance with the

restaurant (150Lei/35€ per person, includes vegetarian options – to be paid in Romanian Lei. Prices include two-course meal, drinks package and service charge).

Route of the walking guided tour

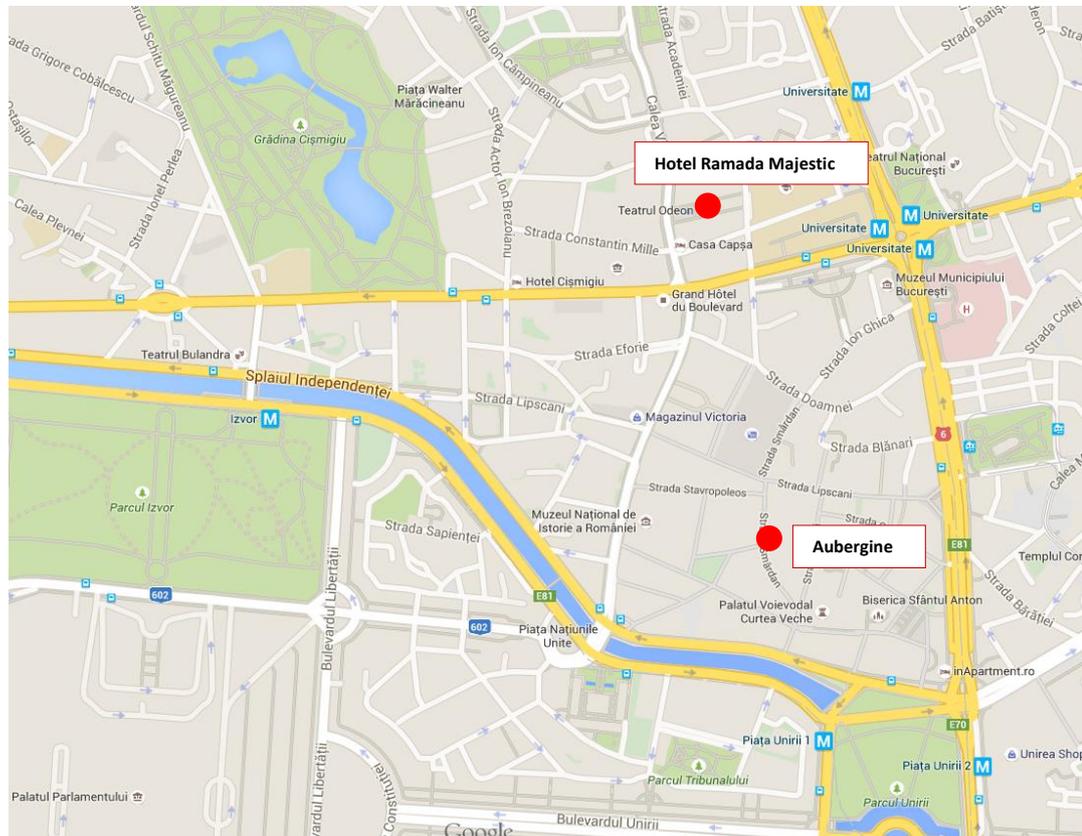


Photo safari (photo walking tour)

Starting time: 19:00 from in front of Hotel Ramada Majestic

Duration: 1 – 1 1/2 hours

Language: English

Max nr. of persons: 40

End point: [Restaurant Caru cu bere](#), Stavropoleos street 5

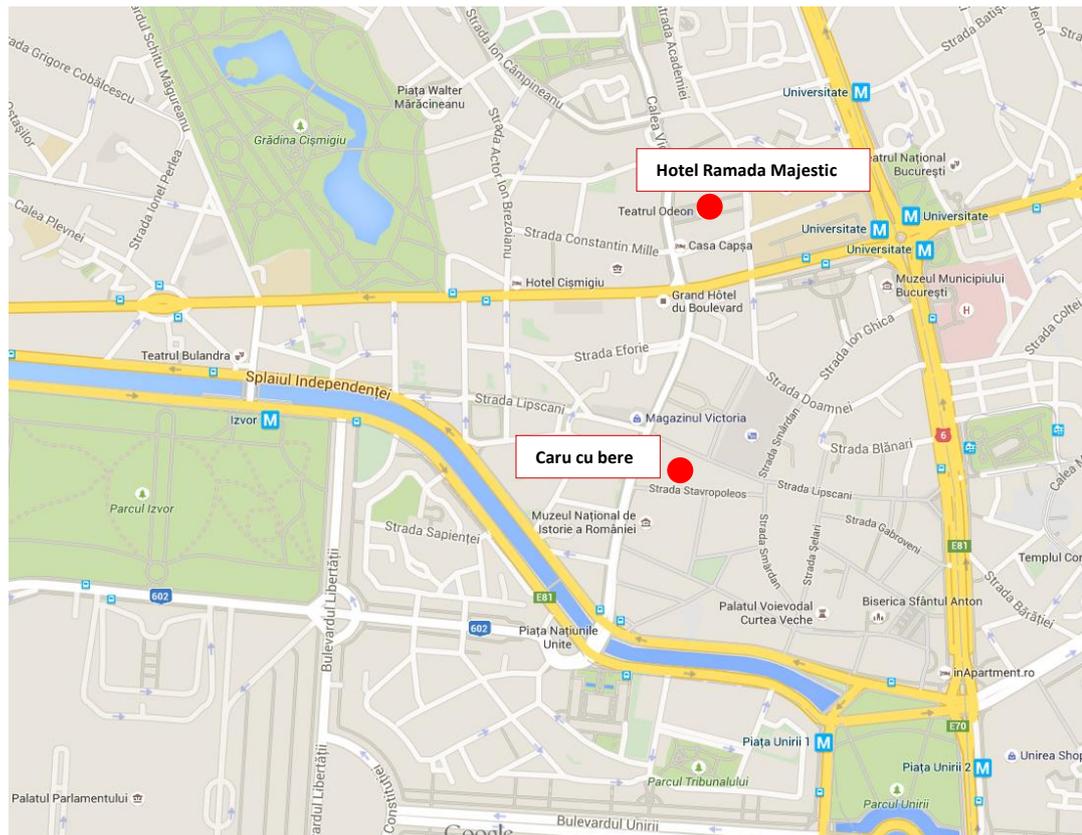
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Explore the architecture, streets and people of Bucharest with this photo walking tour designed to expose you to an impressive blend of history and modernity. The tour will cover the ideal time of the day to take photographs including the Magic Hour (sunset). By the end of this tour you should be able to know about the history of the city: from its Ottoman past to its western present and you will have seen beautiful belle-époque and modernist as well as contemporary buildings and various street art locations. The tour is offered by [ATU](#), Bucharest.

The photo safari tour will end at **Caru cu bere** restaurant, where you can enjoy dinner right in Bucharest old town. Please note that there will not be a free conference evening meal. A group reservation has been made for **20:00h** though and a preselected menu has been agreed upon in advance with the restaurant (maximum of 135Lei/30€ per person, includes vegetarian options – to be paid in Romanian Lei. Prices include two-course meal, drinks package and service charge).

Route of the photo safari to be confirmed



Alternatives

If you would rather explore Bucharest independently with colleagues or alone, you may find the following websites helpful:

What to do in Bucharest's old city center (in English language):

<http://www.bbc.com/travel/story/20130712-bucharests-new-old-city>

<http://romaniatourism.com/bucharest.html#cityhighlights>

<http://unknownbucharest.com/the-old-historical-center/>

What to do in Bucharest's old city center (in Romanian language):

<http://www.pelipscani.ro/>

<http://www.centrulvechi.com/>