



## GENERAL OVERVIEW OF THE 58<sup>TH</sup> PLENARY MEETING OF EPRA

Bucharest, Romania

# 31st of August / Thursday



### Hotel accommodation:

ightarrow 31st of August, deadline for register to the hotel Radisson Blu / Park Inn and to register at the Romanian authority for the extended trip to Peleş Royal Castle, in Sinaia, on Friday, 20th of October.

# Social activities / two proposals:

GROUP A	GROUP B	
participants who leave Bucharest on Friday, 20 <sup>th</sup> of October	participants who leave Bucharest on Saturday, 21 <sup>st</sup> of October	
Friday: visit of the Palace of Parliament, approx 15 minutes travel by bus. Visiting duration: approx. 2 hours	Friday: visit of the Peleş Castle, Sinaia, approx I hour and a half travel by bus. Visiting duration at the Castle: approx. 2 hours Returning to Bucharest: Friday evening at approx. 8:00 PM	

Note 1: Radisson Blue and Park Inn is a hotel complex in the center of Bucharest. Both Radisson and Park Inn are part of the same hotel structure. All the EPRA guests will be able to choose between 4 stars and 5 stars hotel room and to stay in the same compound where the plenary meeting room is situated.

•	4**** Park Inn	single room	115 euro
•	4**** Park Inn	double room	132 euro
•	5**** Radisson Blu	single room	148 euro
•	5**** Radisson Blu	double room	165 euro

- > All delegates will receive a link to book their room direct to the hotel.
- Cancellation policy terms are as follows:
  - 100% after 11<sup>th</sup> of September.

Note 2: Due to the distance (approximately one hour and a half), the trip to Peles Royal Castle is possible only for the delegates who has the option of staying in Bucharest until Saturday, 21st of October. Delegates will leave by limo bus on Friday, the 20th of October, at two o'clock in the afternoon and will return in Bucharest on the same evening.

Note 3: We recommend each delegation to be up to 3 persons.

The check-in in the hotel is from 15:00 and the checkout is until 11:00. There will be a possibility to keep your luggage in a separate room reserved for these purposes.

## 18th of October / Wednesday



→ time indicator 00:00 to 18:00

## Arrival day, Henry Coanda International Airport - Bucharest

- landing airport is Henry Coanda International Airport (OTP)
- the airport is located in Otopeni, 17 km north of Bucharest and serves all international and domestic flights.
- transfer from airport to hotel is arranged by the host and all delegates will be picked up from the section "international arrivals" by a designated driver from the "BlackCab" company car.

- Transfer time from airport to hotel: approx. 1h

NOTE: each delegation have to communicate to the Romanian authority the name and mobile phone number of one member of delegation, in order to have a direct call with the driver, at the airport.

### At the Radisson Blu hotel and Park Inn

- both at Radisson and Park Inn, guests will be welcomed by the Romanian authority staff and will be assisted with the check in.
- upon arrival, the participants will receive the "welcome gifts" and all the printed materials needed: program/agenda, maps, places to visit, etc
- The main sessions will take place in Atlas Hall located on the mezanine floor (there will be information panels in the hotel to guide you).
- A registration desk will be set up with staff available throughout the EPRA Meeting in the Atlas Foyer.





#### → time indicator 19:15 - 19:30

Welcome Dinner

 guests will gather in the main hotel lobby (Radisson Blu) in order to walk together to the **Royal National Museum**, in the main Throne Hall for the Welcome Reception

#### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 19:30 - 22:00

- arrival at the Royal National Museum
- quests are welcomed by the National Military Parade Orchestra
- welcome speeches: Romanian authority

Romanian Minister of Culture

**EPRA** Chairperson

Custodian of The Royal National Museum

- dinner and networking

# 19th of October / Thursday

Foto: Radisson Blu, Atlas conference hall



## → time indicator **09:00** – **09:30**

- plenary session registration (Atlas Conference hall)

### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 09:30 - 13:00

- plenary working session with one coffee break

### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 13:00 - 14:30

- lunch buffet at Radisson Blu main restaurant

## $\rightarrow$ time indicator **14:30 - 17:00** (17:30)

- plenary working session with one coffee break

# $\rightarrow$ time indicator **17:00** (17:30) - **19:00**

- free time

#### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 19:00 - 20:00

Invitation to the Romanian Atheneum for an extraordinary concert



Note: The Romanian Atheneum is at 5 minutes walking distance from the Radisson Blu Hotel. All EPRA delegates will have a designated, separate entrance in the Atheneum.

All delegates will have personalized invitations for the concert and specially concert booklet with all the necessary information, both in English and French. The concert programme includes the most famous Romanian score of the renowned composer George Enescu.

### → time indicator 20:00 - 20:15

- Walk together to the official dinner to The National Military Cercle

Foto: National Military Cercle



Note: The National Military Cercle is at 10-15 minutes walking distance from the Romanian Atheneum

### → time indicator 20:15 - 23:00

Official dinner at The National Military Cercle

## 20<sup>th</sup> of October / Friday

#### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 09:30 - 13:00

- plenary working session with one coffee break and group photo session

### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 13:00 - 14:30

lunch buffet at Radisson Blu main restaurant

Social activities (two proposals, depending on the willingness of the participants to stay an extra day in Romania):



#### $\rightarrow$ time indicator 14:00 - 17:00

**Group A** of delegates (leaving Romania on the same day – 20<sup>th</sup> of October)

- group visit of the Palace of The Parliament
- return to Radisson Blu Hotel for airport transfer
- Airport transfer transfer from hotel to airport is arranged by the organizers with "BlackCab" company car.



→ time indicator 14:00 - evening return

**Group B** of delegates (leaving Romania on the 21st of October)

- trip to Sinaia, at the PELES Royal Castle

Note: the trip to the Peles Castle is about one hour and a half distance. The trip is organized with the limo bus company. All expenses are covered by the Romanian authority.

# 21st of October – only for group B / Saturday

- breakfast at Radisson Blu Hotel
- Airport transfer transfer from hotel to airport is arranged by the organizers with "BlackCab" company car.