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GEOPerspectives

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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Friday, November 13, 2026

08:00 – 09:00 Registration

09:00 – 09:30 Opening Ceremony

09:30 – 10:30 Keynote Lectures

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee break

11:00 – 13:30 Parallel Sessions

13:30 – 15:00 Lunch break

15:00 – 17:00 Parallel Sessions

17:00 – 17:15 Closing Ceremony

Opening Ceremony of the GEOPerspectives Conference

Time interval: 09:00 – 09:30

Room: Amfiteatrul Simion Mehedinți

Vice-Rector of the University of Bucharest, Professor Laura Comănescu

Dean of the Faculty of Geography, Professor Alexandru Nedelea

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, Associate professor Adrian Tișcovschi

Keynote Lectures

Time interval: 09:30 – 10:30

Room: Amfiteatrul Simion Mehedinți

Petre Gâștescu, professor doctor docent, Institute of Geography of the Romanian Academy, "Hyperion" University, Bucharest, Romania: *More Than Half a Century (1960–2025) of Geographical Research in the Danube Delta*

Ana Milanović Pešić, senior researcher at Geographical Institute "Jovan Cvijic" Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts, Belgrade, Serbia, *Facing the Floods: Serbia's Path to Hydrological Resilience*

Viorel Chendeș, scientific director of the National Institute of Hydrology and Water Management, Bucharest, Romania: *Signals of Change in the Quantitative Status of Water Resources and the Hydrological Regime in Romania over the Past 15 Years*

Topic A. Applied Geomorphology

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Amfiteatrul George Vâlsan
Chairs: Răzvan Săcrieru, Florin Achim
Secretary: Sorin Gheorghe Carablaisa

Răzvan Săcrieru: *Geomorphology and Structural Controls of the Salses at Andreiașu de Jos (Vrancea Subcarpathians): Tectonic Constraints on Methane Seepage*

Dorin-Cornel Mandache: *Analysis of the Areal Erosion Potential in the Mud Volcanoes Area*

Marius-Andrei Nedelcu: *Spatiotemporal Channel Dynamics of the Putna River (Vidra–Bolotești Sector, 1980–2025)*

Eduard-Mihai Răduț, Andreea Andra-Topârceanu, Mirela-Cristina Bucur, Andra-Gabriela Popa: *Geographical Factors Shaping Landslide Hazards in Historical Heritage Areas of the Buzău Subcarpathians*

Eduard-Cristian Popescu: *Geomorphological Constraints on Transport Infrastructure Development in a Mountainous Corridor: The Rucăr-Bran Corridor, Romania*

Mihai Corvin Olarescu: *Slope Dynamics in the Dâmbovița Subcarpathians. Case Study: The Merișoru – Viforâta Area, Dâmbovița County*

Laura Comănescu, Alexandru Nedelea, Cosmin Păunescu, Daniela Guju: *Designing Geotrails in the Bucegi Massif: A New Way for Geotourism Development* (poster)

Florin Achim: *Aspects of Fluvial Landform Dynamics in the Southern Bărăgan Plain* (poster)

Andreea-Maria Lupșan, Alexandru Nedelea: *Hydro-geomorphic Dynamics and Landslides Hazard Assessment in the Slănic-Buzău Catchment* (poster)

Kamel Hachemi, Florina Grecu, Amane El Ouarradi, Bernard Lacaze: *Annual and Decadal Analysis of the Movile Netuș Landslide (Sibiu Region) using SAR Images from Various Dates (2015–2025)* (poster)

Sorin Gheorghe Carablaisa, Chaouki Benabbas, Florina Grecu, Manel Yakhlefoune, Mădălina Teodor, Abdeldjalil Belkendil: *Vulnerability of Human Settlements to Natural Hazards Driven by Climate Change: A Comparative Case Study of Orșova (Romania) and Constantine (Algeria)* (poster)

Topic A. Applied Geomorphology

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Sala 406
Chairs: Laura Tîrlă, Daniela Strat
Secretary: Răzvan Popescu

Răzvan Popescu, Sebastian Pisică, Mirela Vasile, Alfred Vespremeanu-Stroe: *Permafrost Changes at Detunata Cold Scree after 2020*

Răzvan Popescu, Constantin Nistor, Mihaela Marica, Sebastian Pisică, Sebastian Buțu, Mihaela Stancu, Andrei Nedelcu, Alexandra Bold, Cristian Grosu, David Lăduncă: *Gully Erosion and Debris Flow Dynamics in Baiului Mountains*

Daniela Strat, Laurențiu Țuțuianu, Luminița Preoteasa, Alfred Vespremeanu-Stroe: *Diatom Response to Abrupt Climate Changes Preceding the Holocene: Evidence from Glacial Lake Bezbog. Preliminary Results*

Maria-Laura Tîrlă, Ionuț-Cornel Mirea, Alexandru Petculescu, Marius Robu, Daniel Veres, Laurențiu Țuțuianu, Gabriela Călin, Enoh Constantinescu, Silviu Constantin: *Karst Morphodynamics and the Preservation of Palaeoenvironmental Archives: Insights from Bisericuța Cave (Apuseni Mountains, Romania)*

Ionuț-Cornel Mirea, Marius Robu, Alexandru Petculescu, Maria-Laura Tîrlă, Marius Kenesz, Mihai Caminschi, Luchiana Faur, Enoh Constantinescu, Răzvan Arghir, Silviu Constantin: *Bone Damage and Late Pleistocene Palaeofloods: Spatial Taphonomy of Cave Bear Long Bones from Muierilor and Urşilor Caves, Romania*

Enoh Constantinescu, Gabriela Călin, Ionuț-Cornel Mirea, Maria-Laura Tîrlă: *Morphometric and Spatial Distribution Analysis of Dolines in the Ciumerna Massif (Trascău Mountains, NW Romania): Implications for the Evolution of Carpathian Uvalas in the Context of Quaternary Climate Variability*

Mihai Adrian Cîrjan, Alfred Vespremeanu-Stroe, Luminița Preoteasa, Laurențiu Țuțuianu, Mihaela Dobre, Mihaela Verga, George Grosu, Natalia Piotrowska, Florin Tătui: *Holocene Evolution of the Voidokilia Barrier - Gialova Lagoon System (SW Peloponnese, Greece): Geomorphological Development and Evidence of Extreme Marine Inundation*

Topic B. GIS, Remote Sensing and Geotechnology

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Amfiteatrul Simion Mehedinți
Chairs: Bogdan Andrei Mihai, Ionuț Șandric
Secretary: Mihaela-Ionela Stancu

Ionuț Șandric, Viorel Ilinca, Radu Irimia, Victor Jeleapov, Nicolas Alexandru, Igor Nicoara: *Geomorphologically Informed Deep Learning for Regional Landslide Inventory Mapping from Airborne LiDAR*

Ionuț Șandric, Radu-Daniel Pintilii, Ana-Maria Ciobotaru, Radu Petru Irimia, Marian Marin: *Multi-Temporal Sentinel-2 Imagery for Burned Area Delineation: Evidence from South-Western Romania*

Angela Cantir, Ioana Chiriac, Olga Crivova, Stela Curcubat, Ghennadi Sirodoev, George-Marius Cracu, Gabriela Nicoara, Mirela Paraschiv, Andrei Schvab, George Secareanu, Natasa Vaidianu, Igor Sîrodoev: *Integrating Landslide Inventory, Land Use and Terrain Morphometry for Landslide Susceptibility Mapping in Anenii Noi District, Republic of Moldova*

Mihaela-Ionela Stancu, Alexandru Nedelea, Andreea-Florentina Marin: *Land Susceptibility to Anthropic Pressure in the Izvorul Dorului River Basin (Bucegi Mountains)*

Valentin Julea, Bogdan Andrei Mihai, Marian Puie, Constantin Nistor, Alexandru Nedelea: *Integrated Earth Observations Applications in Modelling Recent Extreme Geomorphic Hazards in Valea Albă and Valea Cerbului (Bucegi Mountains)*

Daniel-Vasile Rădulescu, Carmen-Gabriela Bizdadea, Răzvan Muntean, Bogdan-Andrei Mihai: *The Deforestation of the Western Carpathian Region of Romania: The Case Study of Apuseni Mountains*

Teona Daia-Creinicean, Viorel Ilinca, Victor Jeleapov, Radu Irimia, Igor Nicoara, Ionuț Șandric: *Identifying Landslide Occurrence and Reactivation Using Sentinel-1 SAR Time Series for Multi-Temporal Inventory Development*

Ioana-Elena Ipate: *Towards a Landsat Land Surface Temperature (LST) Time-Series Framework for Monitoring District Heating Losses in the Bucharest Municipality*

Gabriel-Valentin Dimisiano, Mihai-Bogdan Harapu, Nicole-Alessandra Piantini, Bogdan-Alexandru Enache, Andrei Cristian Jescu, Felicia-Maria Isar, David-Sebastian Mușat: *Landslide Susceptibility Modelling using Q-Rung Orthopair Fuzzy Weighted Averaging*

Carmen-Florentina Dobre, *Analysis of Shoreline Dynamics Using Spectral Indices in Google Earth Engine, Reproducible Python Workflows in Miniconda, and DSAS. Case Study: Glyfada and Amitis Beaches (Naxos Island, Greece) and Espiguette Beach (France) (1990–2025)*

Topic C. Monitoring the Weather and Climate to Reduce their Impacts and Effects

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Sala 4A
Chairs: Nicoleta Ionac, Dana Maria (Oprea) Constantin
Secretary: Miruna Amalia Nica

Ionel Haidu, Zsolt Magyari-Sáska, Nicoleta Ionac, Adrian Irașoc: *Atlas of Romania's Main Climatic Parameters. Recent Changes, 1961–2020, and Projections for 2021–2050*

Hristo Popov, Dana Maria (Oprea) Constantin, Daiana Giorgiana Lüftner, Konstantia Tolika, Christina Anagnostopoulo, Jelena Svetozarevic: *Beyond Long-Term Climate Averages: Assessing Interannual Climate Variability in the Balkan Peninsula Using the Köppen Climate Classification and Annual Climate Types*

Remus Prăvălie, Mihai Niculiță, Marina Vîrghileanu, Adrian Tișcovschi, Georgeta Bandoc: *Bridging Land Degradation and Solar Energy across Multiple Scales for a More Sustainable Planet*

Dana Maria (Oprea) Constantin, Nicoleta Ionac, Elena Grigore, Raul Gabriel Ilea: *Tropical Days in Bucharest (Romania): Risk Perception and Public Health*

Raul-Gabriel Ilea, Dana Maria (Oprea) Constantin, Adrian Amadeus Tișcovschi, Gabriela Ioana-Toroimac, Florinela Georgescu: *Heavy Precipitation in Southeastern Romania and the Synoptic Contexts of its Occurrence – Case Studies of August 2024 and October 2025*

Crina Radu, Ionuț Lita, Georgeta Bandoc, Adrian Dobre: *Impact of Sea-Breeze Regimes on Wind Power Production at the Pecineaga Wind Farm (Romania)*

Crina Radu, Ionuț Lita, Adrian Dobre: *A Study of Uncertainty and Wind Speed Reconstruction in Short-Duration Wind Speed Monitoring Campaigns*

Maria-Gabriela Radu, Georgeta Bandoc, Dana Maria (Oprea) Constantin, Daniel Alexandru: *Impact of Soil Drought on Winter Wheat Yield Variability. Study Case: Dobrogea, Romania*

Andreea Bărcănescu, Dana Maria (Oprea) Constantin, Raul-Gabriel Ilea, Mihai Daniel Timu; Florinela Georgescu: *Extreme Weather Events in Bucharest: from Extreme Heat to Rain Showers (30 June–1 July 2026)*

Theodora – Flaviana Păun, Elena – Diana Văduva: *Desertification – A Direct Consequence of Global or Regional Climate Change?*

Nicolae Alexandru: *Is the 2017 Alunu Landslide Area Prone to Rill Erosion? A climatic (1995–2026) and Geomorphometric Approach* (poster)

Topic D. Water – Society – Environment

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Amfiteatrul Constantin Brătescu
Chairs: Liliana Zaharia, Ionuț Minea
Secretary: Mihnea-Ștefan Costache

Liliana Zaharia, Gabriela Ioana-Toroimac, Gabriela Adina Moroșanu-Mitoșeriu, Elena Țuchiu, Simion Nacu: *Low-Flow Variability along the Lower Danube River: The 2026 Hydrological Conditions in a Historical Context*

Ștefan Dorondel, Stelu Șerban: *State, Climate and the Technological Imaginary of Unbuilt Infrastructure of the Lower Danube*

Florin Tătui, Florin Zăinescu, Edward Anthony: *Who Owns the Sand? Dredged Sediment as a Shared Resource on the Danube Delta Coast*

Alexandru Berbecariu, Florin Zăinescu, Florin Tătui, Alfred Vespremeanu-Stroe, Edward Anthony: *Asynchronous Growth and Recent Acceleration of Global Deltas*

Ionuț Minea, Daniel Boicu, Marina Iosub: *Direct Predictors and Modifiers in Aquifer Recharge Systems in North-Eastern Romania*

Florentina-Iuliana Mincu, Gianina Neculau, Viorel Chendeș, Alexandru Preda: *Temporal Variability of Evaporation and Its Future Projections in the Context of Climate Change in Romania*

Valentina-Mariana Mănoiu: *Danube River Water Quality Trends: A Qualitative review based on the Open Access Web of Science Database*

Petre Bretcan, Danut Tanislav: *Occurrence of Contaminants in Shallow Groundwater and the Associated Risk Assessment* (poster)

Alexandra Ion, Ștefan Dorondel: *Ada Kaleh – An Island Between Worlds and a Failed Relocation Project by the Socialist Authorities* (poster)

Gabriela Ioana-Toroimac, Philippe Valette, Laurent Carozza: *The Ice Cover of the Lower Danube River: A Geohistorical Approach*

Topic D. Water – Society – Environment

Time interval: 15:00 – 17:00
Room: Amfiteatrul Constantin Brătescu
Chairs: Petre Brețcan, Gabriela Ioana-Toroimac
Secretary: Florin Bîlbîe

Gabriela Adina Moroșanu-Mitoșeriu, Liliana Zaharia, Gabriela Ioana-Toroimac, Mihaela Sima, Alexandru Bănescu: *Flood-Related Fatalities in Romania (2000 - 2025): Filling the Gaps of Global Databases and Official Statistics*

Florin Bîlbîe: *Analysis of Bias Corrections for the GEOGloWS River Forecast System across 18 Hydrometric Stations in Romania*

Cristina-Georgiana Zanfir, Liliana Zaharia, Gabriela Adina Moroșanu-Mitoșeriu, Oana Mititelu-Ionuș: *Hydroclimatic Trends in the Western Oltenia Plain (Romania): Evidence from Three Decades of Observations*

Ana-Maria Roangheș-Mureanu, Mihaela Amalia Oglindoiu: *Assessment of Ecological Risks Associated with the Intensive Exploitation of Balneological Resources. Case Study: the Balneal Resorts of Oltenia*

Andreea Denisa Enăștescu, Liliana Zaharia, Gabriela Adina Moroșanu-Mitoșeriu: *Hydro-sedimentary Dynamics of the Jilț River Basin under the Influence of Coal Mining Activities*

Teodora-Patricia Pătru, Mihnea-Ștefan Costache, Daniel-Constantin Diaconu: *Water Resources and Spa Tourism in Ocnele Mari-Ocnița (Vâlcea Subcarpathians): Visitors' Perception*

Simona-Elena Paraschiva, Mihnea-Ștefan Costache, Alexandru-Ionuț Bănescu, Maria Chiosea, Ana Chiosea, Sofia-Adriana Știrbu, *Updated Methodology for Assessing Waterfalls as Tourist Attractions in the Upper Basin of Ialomița River, North of Fieni*

Ioana-Larisa Guriță: *Reconstructing Context within Changing Landscapes: Spatial-Temporal Analysis of Danube Delta Fisheries*

Sorina Crucian, Gabriela Ioana-Toroimac: *Hydrological Changes and River Channel Evolution: Implications for Navigation on the Danube at Galați* (poster)

Topic E. Challenges of Environment and Human Dimension

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Amfiteatrul Vintilă Mihăilescu
Chairs: Ioan-Cristian Iojă, Mihăiță-Iulian Niculae
Secretary: Ana-Maria Todoran

Ioan-Cristian Iojă, Rafaella Lenoir-Improta, Diana-Andreea Onose, Noémie Maughan, Marius Oesterheld, Nikos Arsanoglou, Nadia Bates, Leticia Martinez Garcia: *Scaling Citizen Science Is Not a Linear Journey: Progress, Barriers and Lessons from Five ScienceUs Initiatives*

Ioan-Cristian Iojă, Maria Alexandra Calota, Mihai Răzvan Niță, Mihaela Damian: *Older People - from Vulnerability to Agency in Climate Adaptation in the Carmine Living Lab Brasov*

Ana-Maria Todoran, Diana Andreea Onose, Ioan-Cristian Iojă: *The role of NGOs in Enhancing Social Equity in Urban Planning: A methodological Approach to Mapping Civil Society in Bucharest, Romania*

Săndica Cincă: *Ecological Challenges and the Human Dimension: Adaptation, Resilience and Governance in the Anthropocene*

Ioan-Cristian Iojă: *Beyond Restoration: Understanding the Emergence, Futures and Governance of Novel Ecosystems in Bucharest*

Ioan-Cristian Iojă, Diana Andreea Onose, Ana-Maria Popa, Daniela Selea: *From a Research Interest to a Citizen Science Project: Mapping Dried Trees in Bucharest*

Mihăiță-Iulian Niculae, Andra Claudia Neagu, Laurențiu Rozylowicz, Steluța Manolache, Mihai Răzvan Niță, Andreea Niță, Ioan-Cristian Iojă, Dan Viorel Popescu: *Can Habitat Connectivity Influence Human–Wildlife Conflicts? An Analysis of Romania's Alpine Biogeographical Region*

Mihăiță-Iulian Niculae, Laurențiu Rozylowicz, Steluța Manolache, Lavinia Corina Pîndaru, Andreea Nita, Andra Claudia Neagu, Cristina Preda: *Between Domestic Conflicts and European Commitments: Shaping Romania's Environmental Legislative Agenda*

Daniel Constantin Diaconu, Andrei Rafael Gruia, Andreea Karina Gruia, Alexandra Grecu, Cristian Constantin Drăghici, Daniel Peptenatu: *Employment Dynamics in the Agricultural Economy: Evidence from the Bucharest-Ilfov Development Region*

Lea-Sofia Neagu Drăghicenoiu, Anda-Teodora Ghiță, Myriam Vittinghoff: *Statistical Analysis of Extreme Temperature Events in Bucharest (RO) and Bio-Meteorological Perception in Cities of Europe*

Topic E. Challenges of Environment and Human Dimension

Time interval: 15:00 – 17:00
Room: Amfiteatrul Vintilă Mihăilescu
Chairs: Mihai Răzvan Niță, Ana-Maria Popa
Secretary: Alexandru Ovedenie

Mihai Răzvan Niță, Lavinia Corina Pîndaru, George Bouroș; *Knowledge Weaving through Relational Values of Nature Conservation and Alternative Socio-Economic Models*

Mihai Răzvan Niță, Alexandru Ovedenie, Ana-Maria Popa, Constantina Alina Hossu, Ioan-Cristian Iojă: *Towards an Evidence-based Assessment of Unsealing: a Systematic Review of Benefits*

Athanasios-Alexandru Gavrilidis, Mihai-Răzvan Niță, Petru-Emanuel Călin, Ana-Maria Popa, Diana-Andreea Onose: *Understanding the Paths towards Resilient Urban Residential Areas*

Nicu Alexandru Gîlea, Ileana Pătru-Stupariu, Mioara Clius, Athanasios Gavrilidis, Simona Gradinaru: *From Spatial Modelling to Ground-Truthing: Assessing Landscape Permeability in Transylvania Using the Continuum Suitability Index*

Teona Daia-Creinicean, Ioan-Cristian Iojă, Ionuț Șandric: *Assessing the Impact of Land Use Changes on Ecosystem Services: a Case Study of Brasov City, Romania*

Mihaela-Denisa Marica: *Green Islands in an Agricultural Landscape: An Analysis of Forest Fragmentation in Codrii Deleormanului across Different Time Periods*

Mirela Cristina Bucur, Andra-Topârceanu Andreea, Gabriela Popa Andra, Eduard Mihai Răduț: *Răchitova – Fire, Stone, Time: Geomorphological Heritage and Sustainable Geotourism in Hațeg Country UNESCO Global Geopark*

Alexandru-Ionuț Bănescu, Mirela-Cristina Bucur, Simona-Elena Paraschiva, Andra Gabriela Popa, Andreea Andra-Topârceanu: *From Karst Gorges to the Alpine Plateau: Linking Geodiversity and Tourism on Four Hiking Routes in the Bucegi Mountains* (poster)

Topic F. Recent Dynamics and Challenges of Territorial, Economic and Social Processes

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Sala Conea
Chairs: Aurel Gheorghilaș, Andreea-Loreta Cercleux
Secretary: Alexandra Cioclu

Andreea-Loreta Cercleux, Radu Săgeată, Elena Bogan: *Urban Landscapes and Semiotic Analysis: Bucharest's City Center as a Case Study*

Mihaela Preda, Iuliana Vijulie, Gabriel Vânău: *The Afterlife of Garden-City Urbanism in Post-Socialist Bucharest*

Gabriel Simion, Florin Zaharia: *Voices of Transformation: Actors' Perspectives on Brownfield Regeneration in Vienna and Bucharest*

Florentina-Cristina Merciu, George-Laurențiu Merciu, Daria Surpețeanu, Marian-Andrei Vintilă: *The Cultural Infrastructure Built during the Communist Period in Romania: between Ideological Instrument and Heritage Resource*

Oana Alexandra Simion: *Between Control and Protection: The European Union's Migration and Asylum Policies*

Aurel Gheorghilaș, Elena Dinicuțu, Ana Irina Lequeux-Dincă, Camelia Teodorescu, Bogdan Petre: *Analysis of Tourism Offer and Accessibility of Museums in the Municipality of Bucharest*

Violeta Dumitrașcu, Mihaela Preda: *Inclusive Museum Experiences in Bucharest: Accessibility for Children with Disabilities and Families with Young Children*

Liliana Popescu, Cristiana Vîlcea, Oana Mititelu-Ionuș, Daniel Simulescu, Cristina Șoșea: *Spatial Accessibility of Primary and Secondary Schools under Dispersed Urban Development in a Post-Socialist City*

Alexandra Cioclu, Liliana Dumitrache, Alina Mareci, Mariana Nae: *Addressing Cardiovascular Care in Romania: Expanding Access to Care in Underserved Areas*

Amalia Mihaela Oglindoiu, Ana-Maria Roangheș-Mureanu: *Tourist Flows and the Capitalization of Tourism Potential in Drobeta-Turnu Severin: Dynamics, Resources, and Prospects for Integration into the Danube Gorge Tourism Circuit*

Topic F. Recent Dynamics and Challenges of Territorial, Economic and Social Processes

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Sala ST
Chairs: Iuliana Vijulie, Ana-Irina Lequeux-Dincă
Secretary: Ioan Baciu

Andreea Cătălina Popa, Teodora Ungureanu: *Reimagining the Existing City: Integrated Strategies for Climate-Resilient Neighborhoods in Bucharest* (poster)

Ala Donica, Valeriu Brașoveanu, Corina Certan: *The Ecological Passport of Urban Green Space: Context, Structure, and Values* (poster)

Camelia Teodorescu, Stefania Elena Calinoiu, Diana Ionescu – Anculete: *Brâncuși for the Digital Generation. Forms without Borders: Brâncuși's Artistic Universe in the Virtual Environment* (poster)

Iuliana Vijulie, Mihaela Preda; Gabriel Vânău, Ana-Maria Taloș (Zaharia): *Biocultural Heritage as a Driver of Ecotourism Development and Biodiversity Conservation: The Case of the Steppe Grey Cattle in Cobor Village, Transylvania, Romania* (poster)

Ana-Irina Lequeux-Dincă, Delia Bran, Aurel Gheorghilaș, Ioana Drăgulin, Paula Cumpănașu: *Storytelling Elements as Interpretive Influencers in Bucharest Museums* (poster)

Alexandra-Lucia Zaharia, Mihaela Preda, Iuliana Vijulie: *Tourism Development and Urban Sustainability: Residents' Perceptions of the Craiova Christmas Market* (poster)

Carmen Ileana Dobrescu, Camelia Teodorescu, Ana Irina Lequeux Dincă: *Between the Legal Framework and Practice: A Comparative Analysis of Spatial Accessibility for People with Disabilities in Romania from a European and International Perspective* (poster)

Florian-Valentin Cucu: *Built Musical Heritage in Bucharest: Typologies and Spatial Distribution*

Sebastian Gaspard: *Green Spaces in the Tineretului District (Bucharest). Historical Evolution, Typologies, and Pressures Generated by Urban Development* (poster)

Marian-Alexandru Perianu: *Factors Shaping the Territorial Dynamics of Ilfov County* (poster)

Topic F. Recent Dynamics and Challenges of Territorial, Economic and Social Processes

Time interval: 15:00 – 17:00
Room: Sala Conea
Chairs: Mariana Nae, Alina Mareci
Secretary: Angelo-Andi Petre

Aikaterini Kouveli, Maria Alexandra Grigoriadou: *The Architecture of Tobacco: the EOK Warehouse in Kavala*

Mariana Nae, Liliana Dumitrache: *'Shopping with an App': Food Environment of Online Grocery in Urban Romania*

Ana-Irina Lequeux-Dincă, Eugen Grama, Camelia Teodorescu, Aurel Gheorghilaș: *Interpreting Old Maps as a Counterpart to Dissonant Narratives and as a Powerful Tool for Shaping the Museum Visitor's Lens*

Alina Mareci, Bogdan Suditu, Alexandra Cioclu: *Rethinking Service Proximity beyond Urban Density - the Pillars of the PROWD Project*

Angelo-Andi Petre: *Access without Choice: Rethinking Rural Accessibility to Upper Secondary Education in Romania*

Andrei-Rafael Gruia, Daniel Peptenatu: *Urban–Rural Territorial Change and the Pressure of Accelerated Urbanization on Agricultural Land in the Bucharest-Ilfov Region*

Maria-Alexandra Pricop, Cristian-Constantin Drăghici: *Governing Cultural Heritage Across Scales: Policy Models, Territorial Gaps and Urban Tourism*

Topic G. Teaching Geography between Tradition and Modernity

Time interval: 15:00 – 17:00
Room: Amfiteatrul George Vâlsan
Chairs: Octavian Mândruț, Marian Ene
Secretary: Florentina-Cristina Merciu

Marian Ene: *Mihai Ielenicz (1941–2017) – A Life Dedicated to Geography*

Octavian Mândruț: *Theoretical Geography and Educational Geography Between Aspirations and Possibilities*

Florentina Toma, Mioara Clius, Daniel Constantin Diaconu, Alexandru Nedelea, Dana Maria Constantin: *From Pandemic Digitalization to Generative AI: Changing Patterns of Technology Use in Geography Education*

Valentina-Mariana Mănoiu: *Flowers and Computers: How AI Makes GIS Analysis Accessible to Environmental Scientists*

Mihaela Verga, Alfred Vespremeanu-Stroe, Florin Tătui, Răzvan Popescu: *From the Field to the Classroom: Geomorphological Perspectives on Climate Change in the TRACE Project*

Elena Dinicuțu, Aurel Gheorghilaș, Bogdan Petre, Ana Irina Lequeux-Dincă, Corina Gheorghilaș: *The Museum as an Educational Resource in Geography Teaching*

Florentina-Cristina Merciu, Andreea Elena Barbu, Diana Stancu: *The „De-a Arhitectura" Program: an Interdisciplinary Educational Model Integrating Architecture, Urban Planning, Geography, and Ecology*

Topic H. PhD and Master Students Scientific Session

Time interval: 11:00 – 13:30
Room: Sala LH
Chairs: Daniel Peptenatu, Cristian Drăghici
Secretary: Carmen Ileana Dobrescu

Bogdan-Laurențiu Petric, Laura Comănescu: *From Traffic Congestion to Improved Traffic Flow: A Prospective Analysis of the Proposed Baia Mare Bypass*

Mihai-Alexandru Colțan, Carmen-Gabriela Bizdadea, Ioana-Larisa Guriță, Andrei-Vasile Mălurel, Ana-Maria Borcan, Alexandru-Silviu Vișan, Marina Vîrghileanu, Bogdan-Andrei Mihai: *Tracing Centuries of Landscape Transformation in a Salt-Mining Town: A Geohistorical Analysis of Slănic, Romania*

Alexandru-Vlăduț Toader, Cristian Constantin Drăghici: *Best Practices in the Tourist Reconversion of Romanian Salt Mines: Perspectives on Regional Development* (poster)

Paula Cumpănașu, Ana-Irina Lequeux-Dincă, Anca Tudoricu: *Dark Tourism Narratives as Promotional Elements of Major Cultural Heritage Attractions*

Carmen Ileana Dobrescu, Georgiana Mihaela Olteanu, Kleist Janina, Heiler Clarissa: *Unheard Voices in Urban Settings: Barriers and Enabling Factors for Access to Healthcare for People with Physical Disabilities and Roma Communities in Romania*

Gabriel Virgil Pavel: *Painting the City: the Role of Street Art and Graffiti in Bucharest's Urban Transformation*

Maria-Teodora Balaș: *Shaping Urban Geographies: The Evolution of Socialist Residential Planning in Romanian Cities and its Influence on Everyday Life*

Marin Viorel Alin: *Assessing the Accessibility of Monastic Heritage in Prahova County*

Mihai-Bogdan Harapu, David-Sebastian Mușat, Bogdan-Alexandru Enache: *Geomorphological Analysis Based on GIS Technologies: A Case Study of the Câlnău River Basin*

David-Sebastian Mușat, Mihai-Bogdan Harapu, Bogdan-Alexandru Enache: *Spatio-Temporal Dynamics of the Motru River Channel in its Lower Sector*

Topic H. PhD and Master Students Scientific Session

Time interval: 15:00 – 17:00
Room: Sala LH
Chairs: Daniel Constantin Diaconu, Daniel Peptenatu
Secretary: Petru Emanuel Călin

Mihnea-Ștefan Costache, Liliana Zaharia, Hany Farhat Abd-Elhamid, Martina Zeleňáková, Tatiana Soľáková: *Dynamics of Multi-scalar Drought Indices at Alexandria Gauging Station, Vedea River Basin (1962-2023)*

Miruna-Amalia Nica, Remus Prăvălie: *Towards an Integrated Assessment of Air Pollution Patterns and Trends in România*

Cristina Toma-Ungureanu, Sorin Marin, Cristian-Constantin Drăghici: *Geopark Communication and the Online Public Interest: Relation between the Social Media Announcements and Google Searches in Buzău Land UNESCO Global Geopark*

Marian-Andrei Vintilă, Cristian-Constantin Drăghici: From Pixels to Places: *Exploring the Evolution and Future of Video Game-Induced Tourism*

Petru Emanuel Călin, Diana Andreea Onose, Mihai Răzvan Niță, Athanasios Alexandru Gavrilidis, Gabriel Ovidiu Vânău: *Civic Initiative Groups: A National Perspective on Local Civic Action*

Andrei Ducman, Aurel Băloi, Rafael Andrei Gruia, Fabian Manuel Gruia, Daniel Peptenatu: *The Digitalization of the Education System: A Spatial Perspective on the Bucharest–Ilfov Development Region, Romania*

Oana Daniela Stănculeț, Aurel Băloi, Andrei Rafael Gruia, Teodor Cosma, Manuel Fabian Gruia, Daniel Peptenatu: *Spatial Assessment of Public Investment in Digital Education: Patterns of Territorial Concentration in the South-West Oltenia Region*

Bogdan-Alexandru Enache, Davis-Sebastian Mușat, Mihai-Bogdan Harapu: *Hydroclimatic Risk Management and Agricultural Adaptation in the Găvanu-Burdea Plain*

Andreea Bianca Florea: *Mapping and Spatial Analysis of Civil Protection Shelters in the Municipality of Bucharest*

Closing Ceremony of the GEOPerspectives Conference

Time interval: 17:00 – 17:15
Room: Amfiteatrul Simion Mehedinți

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, Associate professor Adrian Tișcovschi