

BEYOND

3 days in the beautiful city of Brasov

Day 1 - Friday, 10th June 2016

- After the end of the congress at Marriott at 6pm you will be transferred to [Brasov](#) (185 km, 3 hrs).
- Arrive in Brasov where we will spend two nights. Brasov is one of the most visited places in Romania, a vibrant city resplendent with Gothic, Baroque and Renaissance architecture.
- Have dinner at [Sergiana Restaurant](#) to experience some traditional Romanian cuisine and wine in the very heart of the Old Town. After dinner go for drinks in one of the many cafes, bars and pubs in the city center.
- Spend the night at [Belvedere Hotel](#), a 4 * hotel, located outside the Old Town's walls, offering a panoramic view of the area and the mountains.

Day 2 – Saturday, 11th of June 2016

- Have breakfast at the hotel.
- Leave the hotel at 10.00 AM and drive to Bran (29 km, 30 min) to visit [Dracula's Castle](#). Bram Stoker had chosen the Castle as Dracula's house for his novel. Truth is that the real "Dracula", Vlad the Impaler, was unlikely to have spent too much time of his life here. Nevertheless, it is an astonishing place to visit with a fully equipped chamber of tortures and a beautiful view of the internal courtyard and of the outside valley.
- Drive to [Sinaia](#) (40 km, 1 hr) and have lunch at one of the local restaurants serving traditional or international dishes.
- Visit [Peles Castle](#) (summer residence of the Romanian Royal family built at the end of the 19th century) and consider taking the cable car to get a view of the peaks of the Carpathians.
- After visiting Peles, return to Brasov (40 km, 1hr) and spend the afternoon relaxing in town, shopping or resting at the hotel. Kronwell has one of the best spas in the countries, book a treatment or massage if you want to relax.
- For those who want to enjoy more of the Romanian countryside, during the afternoon we can organize a visit to the medieval fortified churches in the Saxon villages around Brasov. You will visit the fortified church in [Prejmer](#) (17 km, 21 min) which dates back to the XIIIth century and is now a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and the fortified church in [Harman](#) (9 km, 10 min), another lovely Saxon village nearby.
- Have dinner in Brasov and enjoy a meal in one of its centrally located restaurants. We recommend the [Prato Restaurant](#) in city centre where you can enjoy some fine Italian food or choose another location for a group dinner.

- Spend the night in Brasov

Day 3 – Sunday, 12th of June 2016

- Have breakfast at the hotel
- Go for a tour of the medieval center of Brasov to see the Rope Street (111-135cm wide), the [Black Church](#) (the main Gothic style building in Romania and the largest of its kind in Eastern Europe). Just strolling around the nice streets is also great, one can get a coffee at one of the bars and just relax.
- Leave Brasov at 12.30pm and drive to Busteni (40 km, 1 hr) to have lunch at [Canta Cuisine](#), the restaurant located in the newly renovated [Cantacuzino Castle](#). On the terrace enjoy a sweeping view of the valley while inside the brick barreled ceilings and soft light provide an elegant and intimate setting for fine dining.
- Continue driving to Bucharest (145 km, 2 hrs) and check in at Marriott Hotel or get ready to catch your flight.

*In case you plan to stay until Monday, suggestions for activities in Bucharest will be given to you as well as a list of recommended restaurants.

SUMMARY OF THE TOUR:

DAY 1: 185 km, 3 hrs

DAY 2: 109 km, 2 hrs (with stops in between)

DAY 3: 185 km, 3 hrs (with stops in between)

ACCOMMODATION:

2 nights in Brasov.

ESTIMATED PRICE

590 EUR per person, all taxes included (calculated for a group of 15 people)

THE PRICE INCLUDES

- Transportation from Marriott Hotel and back to the hotel or directly to the airport;
- Accommodation at Kronwell Hotel, in double rooms for single use, breakfast included;
- A professional guide in English for all times during the trip;
- Another team member available remote for all times during the trip;
- Entrances for all the sites mentioned in the itinerary;

- Water in the car for all times during the trip;
- A welcome pack for each person, containing 2 post cards with images captured by Razvan Voiculescu, envelopes and blank papers, a map containing the routes in the itinerary and a bag of homemade goodies.

THE PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Other meals than breakfast. The organizers can help with reservations, where needed. For the group meals, we suggest setting in advance a fixed menu, in order to shorten the waiting time.
- Personal expenses and other items than mentioned in the section above.