

# **Discover 3 unique Romanian cities**

4 days / 3 nights

This journey is a large discovery of 3 Romanian attractions, with different architecture, cultural heritage, and atmospheres. You will cross two historical regions, where the past had provided a different and rich patrimony. In Transylvania, it is the Saxon and Hungarian heritage that will overwhelm us by the presence of the fortified churches and citadels. In Walachia, it is the modernity and the mix of western and eastern civilizations that left their mark on both architecture and lifestyle.

# YOUR PROGRAM

# Day 1 - Cluj-Sighisoara

Today you leave Cluj-Napoca to explore new regions in Romania. You head for Sighisoara. This 12th-century medieval citadel, known as one of the best preserved in Europe, will give you the feeling of traveling back in time while walking through the narrow cobbled streets. Tailor's tower is a real wonder of the medieval architecture. 3\* charming hotel in the center of Sighisoara.



# Day 2 - Sighisoara - Brasov

Today you'll visit Brasov: one of the seven cities founded by the Saxons in Transylvania in the 12th century when they were invited to Transylvania to guard the mountain passes. The city has a rich Saxon, Hungarian and Romanian heritage, manifested in a lot of sights worth visiting: The White and the Black Towers, the Black Church, the Council place with the Council House, St. Nicholas Church, the first Romanian school, narrow streets and colored houses, all very well preserved within the old city walls and towers. 3\* charming hotel in the center of Brasov.

## Day 3 - Brasov - Bucarest

Today we'll leave Brasov for a transfer to Bucharest. Known between the 2 world wars as "the Eastern Paris", today is a very eclectic city, where we can see the influences of The Medieval period with its Ottoman occupation, of the modern period with the influence of neoclassical French architecture and of the communist period. Extra-night possible in Bucharest. 4\* hotel in the center of Bucharest.





Day 4 - End of trip

Breakfast at your hotel. End of trip

# Additional information

## **TARIFFS**

280 euros per person.

Single traveler departure: 140 euros per person.

Single supplement: 90 euros per person.

Airport transfer (for up to 3 people): 30 euros per person.

Extra night Brasov, 3\* central, single room: 71 euros per person.

Extra night Brasov, 3\* central, double/ twin room: 82 euros per person. Extra night in Bucharest, 3\* hotel - single room : 66 euros per person. Extra night in Bucharest, 3\* hotel - double room : 78 euros per person.

# **INCLUDED**

Travel by train for the duration of the circuit.

Day 1: Train Cluj-Napoca - Sighisoara, 4h

Day 2: Train Sighisoara - Brasov, 2:45

Day 3: Brasov train - Bucharest, 2:45

3 breakfasts

accommodation

Roadbook

Maps

Local assistance 24/7

## **NOT INCLUDED**

Meals as indicated, drinks, items of personal nature, entry fees into monuments, the insurances and tips, transfers between

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train stations and hotels.

#### **LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY**

Self - guided Cultural tour - 4 days / 3 nights

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Double occupancy with private facilities.

Sighisoara:  $3^*$  charming hotel, inside the citadel

Brasov: 3\* charming hotel, in the old town

Bucharest: 3\* hotel, central

#### SIZE OF GROUP

Minimum of 2 people.

#### STARTING POINT

The tour starts at the train station in Cluj-Napoca.

#### **END OF THE TRIP**

The tour ends in Bucharest, at the hotel.

# **HOW TO GET THERE**

Cluj-Napoca International Airport Strada Traian Vuia 149-151, Cluj-Napoca 400397

- 1) On foot, about 3 min, 210 m
- Exit the airport, turn right, walk for 30 m.
- When you arrive at the intersection, take the first left exit, towards the parking space.
- walk for 75 meters, you will be on the main road (E576) turn right and walk for 70 m and the bus station will be there (do not cross, the station is on the airport coast)
- 2) Take bus number 5 for 14 stops (about 31 min)
- Traian Vuia Nord
- Planoarelor
- Vlad Tepes
- Camin Someseni
- Branului
- Transilvania EXPO
- A. Vlaicu
- Arte Plastice
- Crinului
- Some? UI II

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- Constanta
- Statia Sora
- Closca
- P-ta Garii Sos

#### 3) Go down

- Cross the Dedeman Store Coast
- Turn right, the first big orange building is the station.

Cluj Napoca Railway Station Strada C? li Ferate, Cluj-Napoca 400000

#### **EQUIPMENT TO TAKE**

Practical information for Romania

#### Weather / climate

Located in the south-east of Europe, Romania has a dynamic climate that differs from one country to another. In September, climatic conditions in Bulgaria make it a good travel destination. In September, the temperatures vary from 10 to 25 ° C, but the maximum temperatures can exceed 30 ° C.

#### connectivity

All hotels offer wireless internet connectivity.

#### Electricity

Electricity in Romania is 220 volts - two plugs are used.

# Romanian currency

Romanian LEU (lei) is the official currency of Romania and the currency code is (RON). The lei come in 1 - 5 - 10 - 50 - 100 - 200 - 500 banknotes and coins of 1, 5, 10, 50 bani (50 bani x 2 = 1 leu)

#### Exchange rate

The leu has a fixed rate with the euro at 1 euro = 4.65 lei Romanian

#### Money problems

Lei are the only accepted currency. ATMs are widespread throughout the country and foreign exchange bureaus in Romania operate without commission. Major credit cards are commonly accepted in major cities and towns in Romania, but still provide money for rural villages and small towns. In addition, we advise you not to exchange money as there will be a commission, but to use the ATM to withdraw lei.

Along the way you can use an ATM or currency exchange in Bucharest, Sibiu, Sighisoara and Brasov.

Tax Information of Romania

Romania applies a general rate of Value Added Tax (VAT) of 19%. VAT is included in the indicated price of items.

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# Equipment

- Casual clothing for travel and city clothes
- Casual shoes for travel and leisure
- Day pack (15-25L)
- Jacket
- Insecticide
- sun block
- Sun hat
- Sun glasses
- Toiletries
- Bottle of water

# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

If you wish, you can also take the trip the other way, from Bucharest to Cluj.