

FEMS General Assembly

Bucharest, 6-9 October 2016



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ROMANIA

- **Official Name:** Romania
- **Location:** (Southeastern) Central Europe
- **Time Zone:** Seven hours ahead of U.S. Eastern Standard Time (GMT + 2)
- **Area:** 91,725 sq. miles (237,502 sq. km)
- **Flag of Romania:** Three vertical stripes: red, yellow and blue.
- **Population:** 19,350,000 (2012)
- **Ethnic Groups:** Romanian 89%, Hungarian 6.5%, Gipsy 3.2%, Ukrainian, German, Other 1.3%
- **Religions:** Christian Orthodox 78%, Greek-Catholic 10%, Roman Catholic 5%, Protestant 5%, Jewish, Unitarian
- **Official Language:** Romanian
- **Currency:** Romanian *Leu* (RON) (plural *Lei*)
- **Climate:** Temperate, four distinct seasons, similar to northeastern USA
- **Capital:** Bucharest (*București*)



BUCHAREST

- Known for its wide, tree-lined boulevards, glorious Belle Époque buildings and a reputation for the high life (which in the 1900s earned its nickname of "Little Paris"), Bucharest, Romania's largest city and capital, is today a bustling metropolis.
- Come and see the agitated life and history of a city almost 6 centuries old, a history marked by invasions, devastating natural disasters, incessant wars and communist dictatorship.
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ARRIVAL

- 6 OCTOBER 2016, Thursday
- **Henri Coandă International Airport**



■ TAXI

- From the Airport, we advise you to take a taxi to the accommodation (e.g. Novotel Hotel – 18 km)
- On-demand taxi services are available at Bucharest Henri Coandă International Airport. You may order a taxi car by using the touch screen devices in the public area of the Arrivals Terminal. The passengers get on the taxi-cabs right outside the terminal, on the first floor, by showing the ticket issued by the automatic touch screen. The charges vary between 1, 39 lei/km (0.31 eur/km)– 3, 50 lei/km (0.78 eur/km).



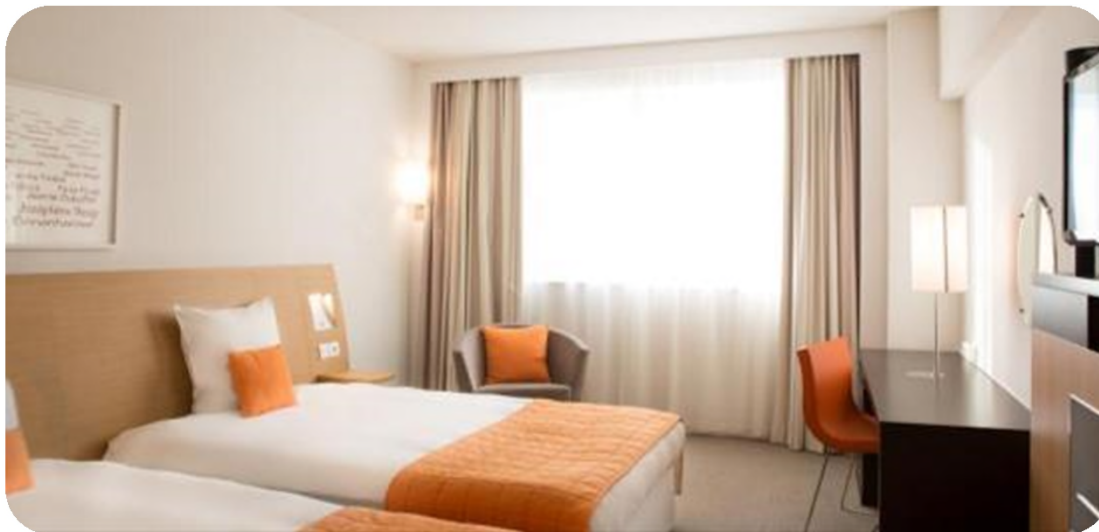


ACCOMMODATION

- Option 1 – NOVOTEL 4*
- Option 2 – CAPITOL 3*
- Period 6-9 October 2016

Option 1 – NOVOTEL 4*

- Enjoy contemporary 4-star comfort a few minutes' walk from the Old Town at **Novotel Bucharest City Centre** hotel.
- Start your day brightly with a tasty buffet breakfast in the sunlit restaurant, and savour drinks with a view on the terrace at Novotel.
- The hotel features air-conditioned rooms with laptop-size safes, LCD-screen TV sets, minibars and tea and coffee makers.



Option 2 – CAPITOL 3*

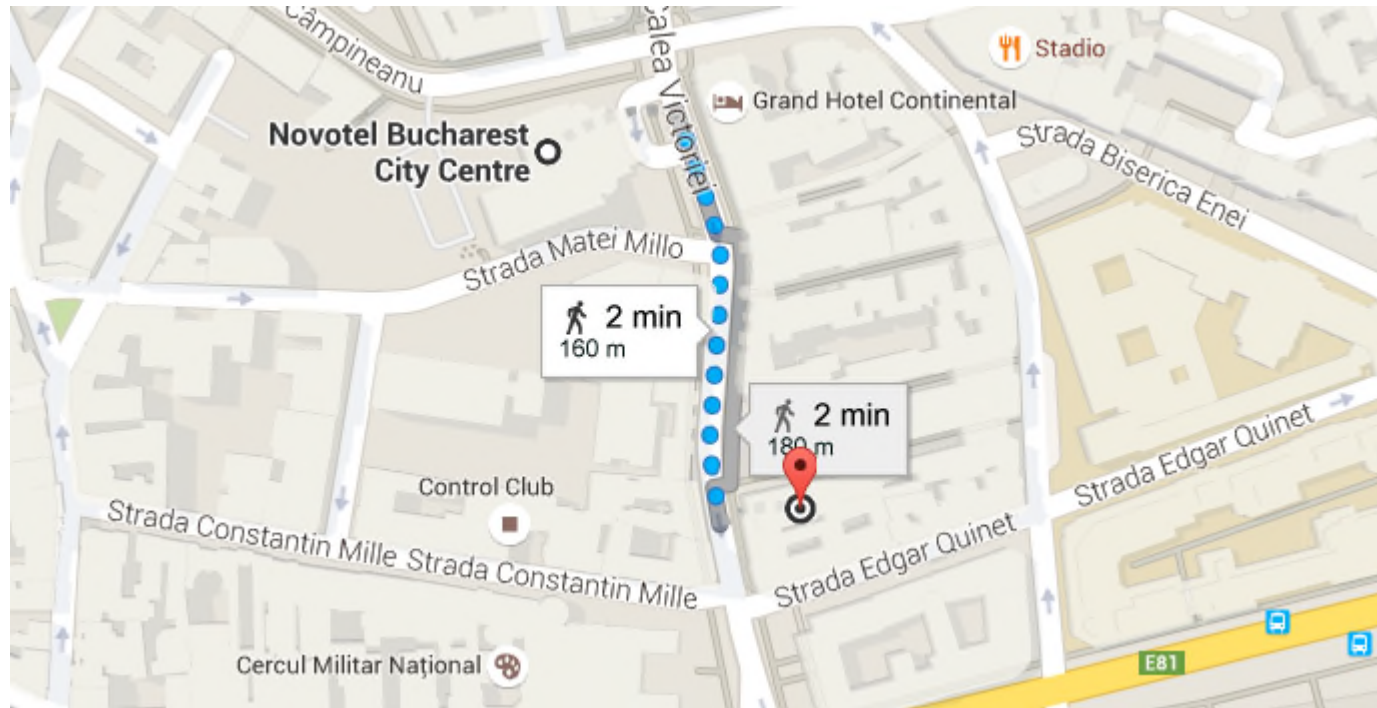
- **Hotel Capitol** is located close to the University of Bucharest and Cismigiu Gardens in a lively and central area of the city, and features an on-site restaurant.
- The property was built in 1901 and kept the original décor after various renovations. Close to the hotel there are diverse dining, shopping and entertainment opportunities.
- The spacious and elegantly equipped rooms are air-conditioned and feature cable TV, free WiFi, a minibar, and a bathroom.



CONFERENCE LOCATION

- Ramada Majestic Hotel -

- The conference will take place at Ramada Majestic Hotel (160 m away from Novotel Hotel)





“I.L. CARAGIALE” BALLROOM 1ST FLOOR





SCHEDULE

■ 6 OCTOBER 2016, Thursday

TIMING	EVENT	LOCATION
14:00-18:00	FEMS Board Meeting	Ramada Majestic Hotel
19:00-21:00	Welcome Cocktail	Novotel Hotel, Foayer

■ 7 OCTOBER 2016, Friday

TIMING	EVENT	LOCATION
09:00-17:00 10:30-11:00 13:00-14:00 15:30-16:00	FEMS General Assembly Coffee break Lunch Coffee break	Ramada Majestic Hotel - "I.L. Caragiale" BallRoom
08:00-18:00	Social program for accompanying persons Departure to Sinaia, Prahova Valley. Visit the Peles Castle Lunch at Cantacuzino Palace, Busteni. Continue to Bran. Visit Dracula's Castle Return to Bucharest.	Novotel Hotel, Reception Desk
17:30-23:00 19:30-23:00 23:00	Social program for delegates and accompanying persons. Gala Dinner at "Cercul Militar" – The Byzantine Hall	Novotel Hotel, Reception Desk

Gala Dinner – Cercul Militar National



The Palace of the **National Military Circle** was inaugurated in 1923. Designed by Dimitrie Maimarolu, it is one of the most beautiful buildings in **Bucharest**. The **Byzantine Hall** received its name thanks to the design in Byzantine style, adding specific elements of Romanian traditional art.

The dominant component of the Byzantine hall is a row of arches that support the ceiling box, arches which rests on a series of columns that present strips of gilded stucco. Along with the last renovation of the building there were added mural paintings representing images of leaders of the independent Romania and some milestones in the history of the Romanian people.

The Rich Prahova Valley



Peles Castle is considered the most important historical architectural ensemble in Romania, having a unique character, historical and artistic value.

Bran Castle -we invite you to experience the history, the myth, the intrigue and the magic of this wonderful place.

■ 8 OCTOBER 2016, Saturday

TIMING	EVENT	LOCATION
09:00-13:00 10:30-11:00 13:00-14:00	FEMS General Assembly Coffee break Lunch	Ramada Majestic Hotel - "I.L. Caragiale" BallRoom
09:00-13:00	Social program for accompanying persons No social program. The chance for rest or shopping.	
14:30-23:00 14:30-18:30 18:30-19:30 19:30-23:00 23:00	Social program for delegates and accompanying persons Visit the Palace of Parliament + city bus tour Return to the hotel by bus. Informal Dinner at the Caru cu Bere Restaurant, with traditional shows (music and dance)	Novotel Hotel, Reception Desk

Informal Dinner – Caru cu Bere Restaurant



The Beer Cart is a place full of tradition where every object has its own story. It is one of the few sites in Bucharest where nothing seems to have changed, the architecture reminding everyone why Bucharest was once considered the Little Paris.

Bucharest City Tour

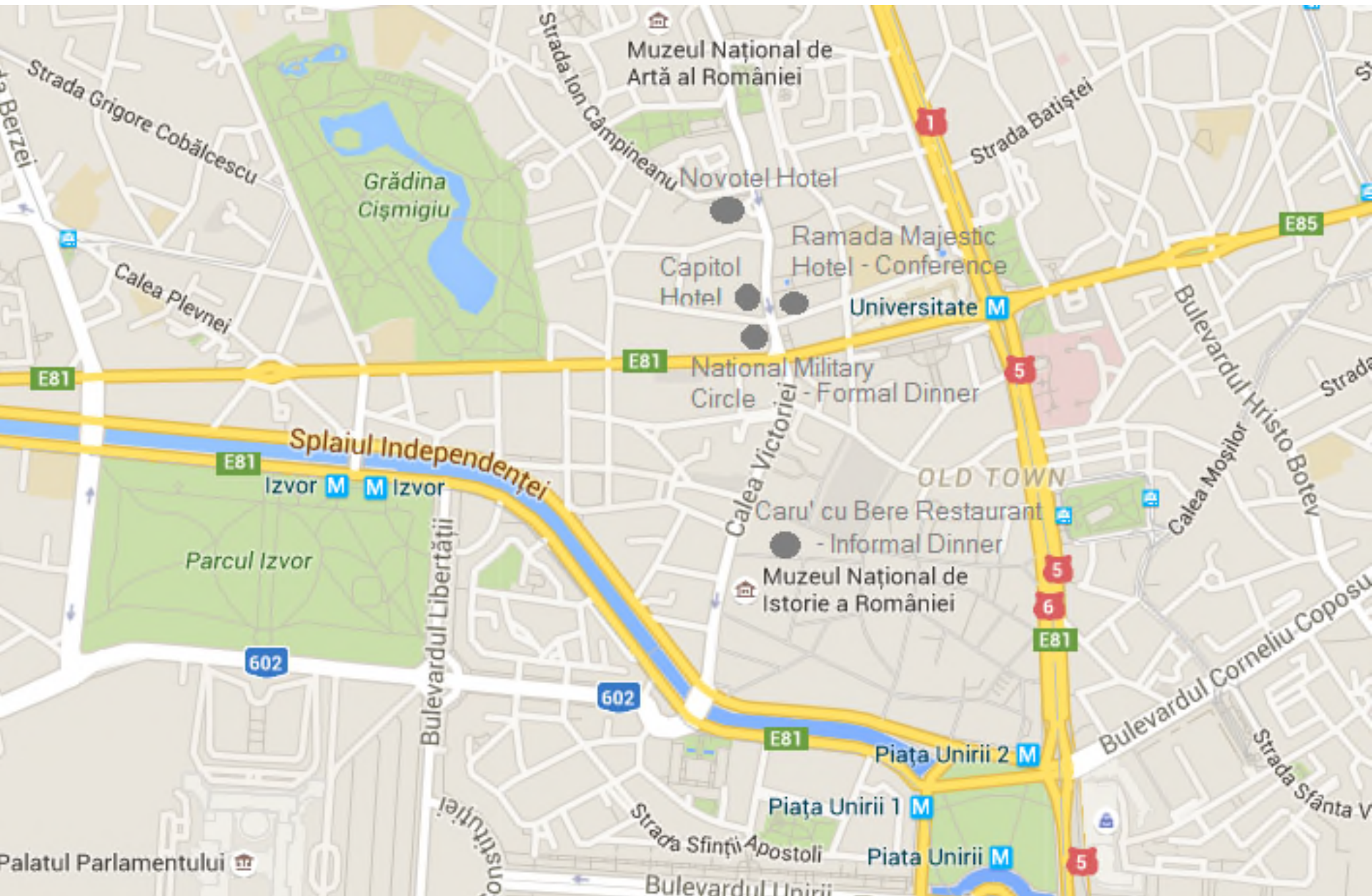


The tourist bus line (during spring-autumn) is comprised of 4 special sightseeing busses (with open rooftop), each with a capacity of 77 seats, which run on the following route: Piața Presei, Muzeul Satului, Arcul de Triumf, Piața Victoriei, Calea Victoriei, Palatul Parlamentului, Piața Unirii, Universitate, Piața Romană, Piața Victoriei, Piața Charles de Gaulle, Șos. Kiseleff și Piața Presei (14 STOPS).

Palace of Parliament



Parliament Palace - the second largest building in the world after the US Pentagon. The palace boasts 12 stories, 1,100 rooms, a 328-ft-long lobby and four underground levels, including an enormous nuclear bunker. The interior is a luxurious display of crystal chandeliers, mosaics, oak paneling, marble, gold leaf, stained-glass windows and floors covered in rich carpets.





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