



Club Ulm-Donaustadt, Germany  
Club Brasov, Romania

The second Conference of SI DANUBE  
in BRASOV, ROMANIA  
23<sup>rd</sup> -25<sup>th</sup> April 2020 (with optional stay till 26<sup>th</sup> of April 2020)

## “Cooperation of Soroptimists by networking to foster solidarity between women along the Danube”

**Venue:** County Library Brasov, Bulevardul Eroilor, nr.33-35, Brasov  
**Accommodation:** Capitol Hotel in Brasov, Bulevardul Eroilor, nr. 19, Brasov  
**Language:** The conference language will be English

### Programme (Changes possible)

#### **Thursday, 23th of April 2020**

Participants arrival in Brasov  
19.00 Welcome Dinner (Casa Racovița Brasov)

#### **Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> of April 2020**

09:00 –09:20	Welcome by hosts: President of the SI Union of Romania – Laura Chitu; President of the SI Club Brasov - Ana Covaci; Chairperson SI Danube - Annette E. Schmidt, Honorary Chairperson SI Danube - Carmen Stadelhofer, President of SI Ulm – Donaustadt Germany - Anita Schlesak
09:20 – 09:25	EU Strategy for the Danube Region: challenges and opportunities – written message of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the EUSDR coordinator in Romania
09:25 –09:30	SIE Federation - written message of Anna WSZELACZYNSKA SIE President
09:30 –10:30	a) Social life and wellbeing in the Danube region of Romania Ancuța VAMESU – Solidarity Lab founder and President – Bucharest b) Entrepreneurship study case – Marcela COSNEAN – the Country Hotel, Harman
10:30 – 11:00	Networking time with coffee and tea
11:00 – 13:00	Reports of SI Danube “Danubius”- project by participating SI Clubs: discussion, selection of winning logo/logos, exchange of activity-plans for Danube Day 26 <sup>th</sup> of June 2020.
13.00	Press conference
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch – ARO PALACE Hotel, Bulevardul Eroilor, nr. 27 Brasov
14.45 - 15:15	Short presentation of the ORANGE DAY’S activities by the Austrian sisters and other clubs; discussion
15.15 - 17.15	Proposals for cooperation and structures in regard to SI Danube: Session 1, presentation of follower SI Danube project ideas,

- discussion
- 17:15 – 19:15 Cultural traditions and modernity: “Brasov’s days” - a trip into town.  
The guided tour & organ mini concert at the Black Church – optional
- 19:30 Dinner – Restaurant POSTAVARUL, Brasov

### **Saturday, 25<sup>th</sup> of April 2020**

- 09:00 Departure to Harman, Brasov county
- 09:30 – 10:00 Girls and women empowerment: Actions by the Union of SI in Romania. Zooming on the rivers – Laura Chitu, President of the SI Union of Romania & Madlen SERBAN, Advocacy Coordinator of the SI Union of Romania, Associated Professor, University of Bucharest
- 10:00 - 10:45 Proposals for cooperation and structures within SI Danube: Session 2: decisions concerning structure, project, milestones, next conference
- 10:45 – 12:00 DANUBIUS Network: “Danube and its friend, the OLT river – the water near us”; Elementary School Harman and High School “Johannes Honterus” Brasov - a project of SI Club Brasov , facilitating children to learn about the water around us – the OLT river, from its spring to its confluence into the DANUBE.
- 12.00 – 12:30 Coffee break - Country Hotel, Harman
- 12:30 – 13:30 Visit at the Fortified Evangelical Church Harman, including a mini concert – surprise! - optional
- 13:45 – 15:00 Lunch - Kastel Transylvania Harman
- 15:00 Departure to Brasov
- 16:00 - 18:00 Capitol Hotel Brasov  
Working groups of SI Danube  
Bilateral meeting of SI Union of Romania: mentoring project activities
- 19:00 Farewell dinner – ARO PALACE Hotel, Brasov

### **Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> of April 2020**

- 09:00 Optional:  
Participation to the “Young Boy Parade” - “Defilarea junilor”, in the historical “stronghold” of Brasov  
Visit to Poiana Brasov

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