

Landscape Forum Bucharest 2015

SPEAKERS

Romania and the European Landscape Convention

Maguelone Déjant-Pons represents the Democratic Governance Directorate (Spatial Planning and Landscape) of the Council of Europe. This unit coordinates the [European Landscape Convention](#).

Anca Gînavar, Romanian architect, regional planner and member of the ministry for regional development, will report on the Romanian status quo in relation to the European Landscape Convention.

The Urban Landscape of Bucharest

Gheorghe Pătraşcu, chief architect of the city of Bucharest, will report on the city's landscape qualities, approaches towards enhancing those and challenges the city is facing in this context.

Heritage and Identities

Ana Maria Zahariade is Professor at the Department for Architecture History & Theory and Heritage Conservation, University of Architecture and Urbanism "Ion Mincu" Bucharest. She was involved in the modernisation of the Romanian architectural education post-1989. She pursues theoretical researches concerning the East European modernism and Romanian architecture under and after Communism.

Urban growth and peri-urban sprawl

Milica Bajic-Brkovic, current president of [ISOCARP](#) and professor for urban planning at the University of Belgrade, will share perspectives on the challenges of post-socialist cities.

Tourism and Recreation

Liisa Tyrväinen, the [Finnish forest research institute](#), has done extensive work on the role of forests for recreation and well-being. Her talk will show perspectives on how to enhance peri-urban woodlands for fulfilling multiple benefits.

Rural Fringe

Giovanni Scudo, Politecnico di Milano, specialised in energy and local food supply. In the Bio-regio research project in Lombardy, Italy, he developed approaches and tools to give shape to sustainable local food systems.