

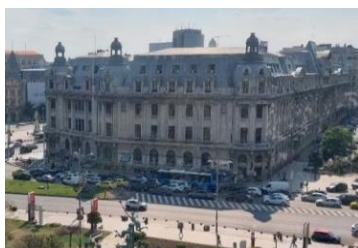


***Climate, water and society:
Changes and challenges***
3 – 7 July 2023
Bucharest, Romania

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International Association of Climatology



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THEME AND TOPICS

The 36th Conference of the International Association of Climatology, with the general theme “***Climate, water and society: changes and challenges***”, creates a new opportunity to disseminate the results of current research in the field of climatology, hydrology and other related sciences. This scientific event is a good opportunity to bring together academics, researchers, professionals, managers from different institutions and countries, thus favouring the development of interdisciplinary, inter-institutional and international cooperation.

Several major topics have been defined in the framework of the present conference, as follows:

Topics

1. ***Climate change, impacts, actions and adaptation***
2. ***Climatic and hydrological hazards: managing the associated risks***
3. ***Data acquisition, geomatics and modelling in climatology***
4. ***Climate and air quality in urban areas***
5. ***Climate, health and human well-being***
6. ***Climatic resources, agroclimatology and topoclimatology***
7. ***Water resources: current issues and challenges***
8. ***Climate and environmental changes on a regional scale***

GENERAL PROGRAMME

3 – 5 July 2023: scientific debates

6 – 7 July 2023: post-conference scientific and tourist field trip in the
Romanian Carpathians

The final program will be posted about a week before the start of the conference on its website.

CONFERENCE LOCATION

The symposium will take place in the Palace of the University of Bucharest, mainly in the spaces of the Faculty of Geography (3rd floor). Details on the the venue are provided on the conference website.

STATE OF THE ART OF REGISTRATIONS

The Organizing Committee would like to warmly thank all the authors who submitted extended abstracts and registered for the 36th AIC Conference in Bucharest.

In total there are almost 80 participants registered for the conference, from 17 countries.

The conference schedule proposes nearly 40 oral communications, classified according to eight sub-themes, and 6 plenary lectures. About 40 scientific posters in **electronic** format will also be presented.

The registration fees allow access to the conference and include: the attendees' briefcases, the conference proceedings on a USB key, the coffee breaks, three lunches and access to social events except the gala dinner and the post-conference field-trip).

The participants will receive badges which will allow them to access the conference areas, lunches and the welcome cocktail.

FORMS OF PARTICIPATION AND LANGUAGES

The symposium will take place face-to-face only.

The oral or poster scientific presentations will be **in French or English**.

For oral communications (in ppt. or pdf. format only), a maximum of 20 minutes is allowed per speaker (15 minutes presentation + 5 minutes discussion). The digital presentations must be delivered no later than the start of the half-day of interventions to the technicians in charge of recovering them.

The posters will be prepared only in digital format. The recommended format is A0 in Landscape mode, saved as an image (JPEG or PNG), with a minimum resolution of 300 dpi. The posters will be posted on the web during the conference at a link that will be provided to attendees. A maximum of 5 minutes is allocated in a dedicated session for the brief presentation of the posters by the authors attending the conference, in order to create the preamble for potential subsequent discussions and exchanges.

For logistical reasons, authors are requested to send their posters to the organizers no later than July 1 at the conference email address.

After the symposium, by default, oral presentations (in pdf format) and posters (in image format) will be posted on the conference website, with free access. If you do not wish this, please inform the organizers explicitly by email.

PUBLICATION OF EXTENDED ABSTRACTS

The extended abstracts validated by the scientific committee will be published in the conference proceedings which will be distributed in digital format to all participants (on a USB key, with the conference briefcase) and on paper to participants who have expressed the wish in the registration form and who have paid the related fees. The conference proceedings will also be available on the conference website and on the AIC website.

ACCOMMODATION

A list of possible accommodations in Bucharest (in particular those near the place of the conference) are available for consultation on the conference website.

The AIC allowance beneficiaries will be accommodated in the university residence.

SOCIAL EVENTS

❖ Welcome cocktail:

The cocktail will be offered free of charge to those registered for the conference. It will take place on Monday, July 3, from 7 p.m. at Bucharest City Hall (an invitation card to be presented at the entrance will be placed in the conference participants' briefcase).

❖ Gala dinner (for those who have paid the supplement of €50/person)

The dinner will take place on Tuesday, July 4, from 7:30 p.m. at the restaurant "Hanu' lui Manuc", a historic inn in the heart of the city (<https://www.hanumanucrestaraurant.ro/en>).

❖ Post-conference scientific and tourist field-trip in the Romanian Carpathians (for those who have paid the supplement of €200/person).

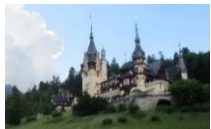
This scientific field-trip will take place on Thursday and Friday, July 6 – 7, having as general itinerary: București – Voinești - Câmpulung Muscel - Bran - Brașov – Sinaia – București.

The fees paid by the participants cover: transportation (by bus), accommodation (one night), meals during the excursion (one dinner, one breakfast, two lunches) entrance and tickets to visit different places of interest.



Accommodation will be in the village of Bran, very close to the famous Bran Castle, in the Club Vila Bran tourist complex (<https://vilabran.ro/en/>; <https://vilabran.ro/en/recreation-entertainment>) which offers several leisure possibilities, including swimming pools (for those who are interested, a swimsuit will be useful).

The excursion program will include visits to scientific and tourist places: sites for hydro-meteorological measurements, cities of Braşov and Sinaia, Bran Castle and Peleş Castle in Sinaia.



All participants to the field-trip are advised to bring appropriate clothing and shoes suitable for walking both on the ground (not too steep!) and in the city. Generally, in this period, it is hot (20 - 22°C the average air temperature of July, but the maximum values can exceed 35°C) and sunny, but rains could occur.

The return to Bucharest is scheduled around 8 p.m. (in the city center), but without being able to ensure this time with certainty. The return route passes through the airport and those interested can get off there (around 7:15 p.m.).

SCIENTIFIC AND ORGANISATION COMMITTEES

The members of the scientific and organisation committees are mentioned on the conference website.

CONTACT DATA OF THE ORGANIZERS

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For more details on the location of the Faculty of Geography and access to the conference venue, see its website.

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➤ Research Institute of the University of Bucharest



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➤ “Valahia” University of Târgovişte



➤ IGU Commission for Water Sustainability



➤ Institute of Geography - Romanian Academy



➤ Romanian Association of Limnogeography



➤ Research Centre “Management of Water Resources and Hydrological Risks”



➤ Bucharest City Hall



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All practical information is available on the conference website. For any questions, do not hesitate to contact us at the following address: aic2023bucarest@gmail.com.

We're looking forward to meeting you in Romania and thank you for your scientific contributions to the 36th annual AIC Conference!

See you very soon!

The Organizing Committee