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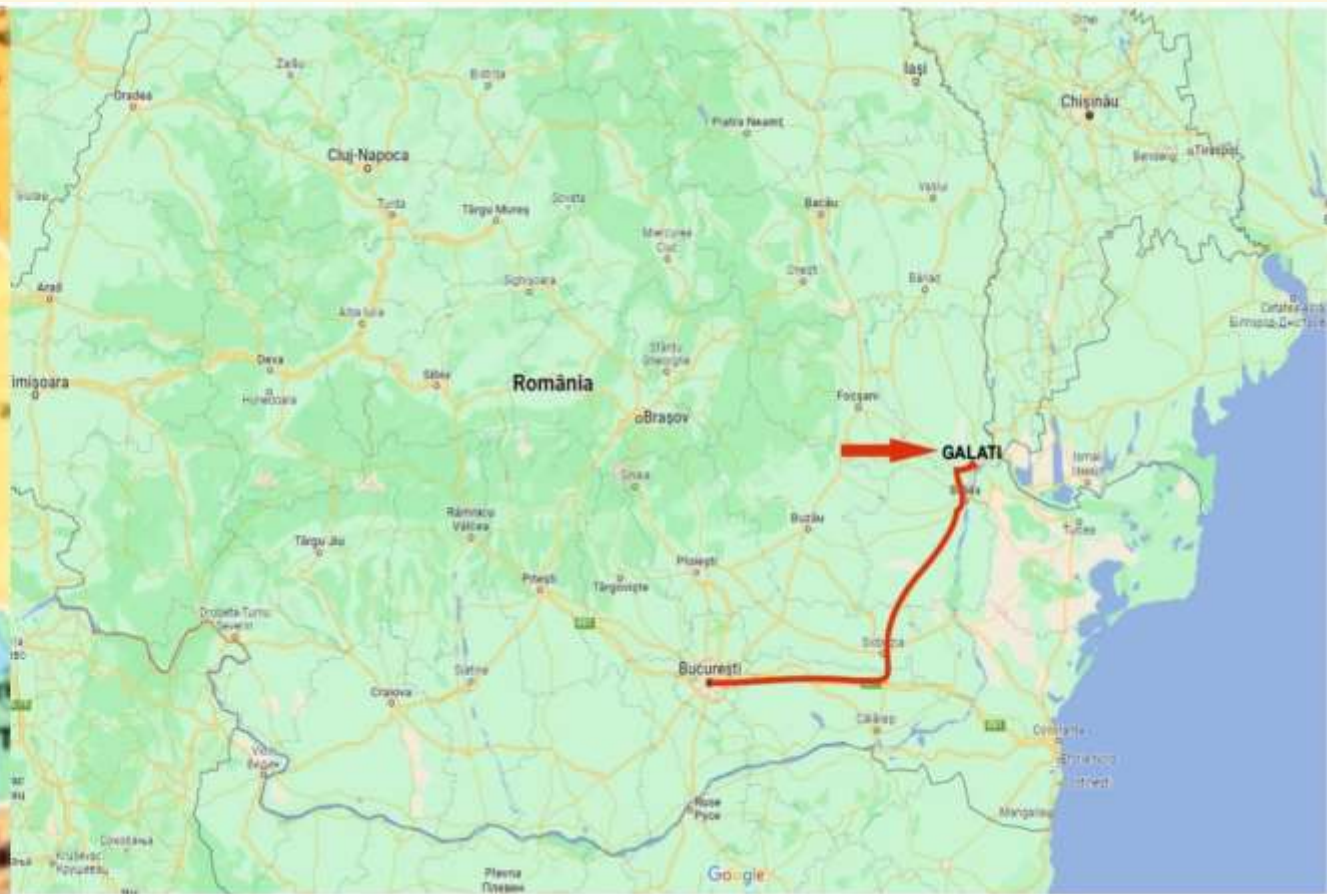


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Where are ROMANIA and GALATI?





ROMANIA

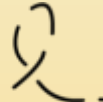


THE GARDEN OF VIRGIN MARY



- BUCHAREST – capital & largest city
- ROMANIAN – official language
- POPULATION – 19 mil.
- CURRENCY - Romanian leu (RON)
- NATO member since 2004
- EU member since 2007
- Dominant religion – Christianity
- In full development
- Safe country – ranks 34 according to [wisevoter.com](https://www.wisevoter.com)



  *Let's Go!*

The city between the rivers and
the gate to the sea

GALAȚI



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one of the largest economic centers in Romania due to its metallurgic, naval and construction industries (iron and steel plant and shipyard)



located at the Romanian and EU eastern border; neighbouring countries - the Republic of Moldova and Ukraine



situated at the confluence of three rivers, the Danube, the Siret and the Prut



in Bram Stoker's novel *Dracula*, Galati is the port at which Count Dracula disembarked on his way back to Transylvania

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- established in **1948**;
- the most important state institution of higher education in south-east Romania and a science and technology pole;
- accredited by **ARACIS** (*Romanian Agency for Quality Assurance in Higher Education*)



14 faculties
92 Bachelor programmes
73 Master programmes



4 doctoral schools
19 doctoral domains



over 22 000 students
3 000 full-time
international students



820 academics



38 research centres



400 partnership agreements
signed with universities from
more than 60 countries



3 student campuses
11 dorms



accommodation for
over 3,000 students



4 cafeterias
(with low prices)



1 brand new central library
(fully equipped and digitalized)



1 student chapel



1 medical office



2 gyms (including a physio-kinesiotherapy and
medical recovery center), 1 stadium

Physio-Kinesiotherapy and Medical Recovery Center



- involved in the research and development activities in the physiotherapy and medical recovery sector, at national and international level;
- initiates and consolidates the knowledge and practical skills of the students from the Faculty of Physical Education and Sports, as well as the implementation of modern methods of education in physiotherapy and medical recovery through the provision of services;
- implements innovative technologies, observations and therapeutic results developed within the Center.



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“Sf. Gheorghe” University Research Station



- research and development center for sturgeons, aquatic habitats and biodiversity
- protection and restoration of sturgeon stocks
- international station for the conservation of sturgeon biodiversity and the research of migratory fish species from the Danube and the Black Sea

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REXDAN - Integrated System for Complex Environmental Research and Monitoring in the Danube River Area



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- covers a vast geographical area (2,000 km on the navigable part of the Danube from Sulina to Passau-Germany);
- mobile campus that will bring together young researchers from DJUG and other university centres;
- research related to: water, sediments, soil, air, biodiversity, bathymetry, hydromorphology, chemistry, biology, physics, etc.
- the infrastructure also includes a REXDAN Research Center with 9 laboratories

Faculties

- Faculty of Engineering
- Faculty of Naval Architecture
- Faculty of Food Science and Engineering
- Faculty of Automatics, Computer Sciences, Electrical Engineering and Electronics
- Faculty of Physical Education and Sports
- Faculty of Letters
- Faculty of Science and Environment
- Faculty of History, Philosophy and Theology
- Faculty of Engineering and Agronomy in Braila

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- Faculty of Economics and Business Administration
- Faculty of Law and Administrative Sciences
- Faculty of Medicine and Pharmacy
- Faculty of Arts





International Campuses

The first and only Romanian university with branches in two other countries:



Cross-Border Faculty

(with locations in Cahul and Chisinau, Republic of Moldova)



Extension of the Faculty of Medicine and Pharmacy in Enna, Italy

Internationalization

- main strategic principle of our institution - to increase professional, social and intercultural skills of both students and staff and employability of the former
- the Erasmus+ Programme - the exchange of students and staff within mobility schemes and participation in other international projects
- expansion of foreign partner institution network, with a focus on quality, with even distribution of roles.

Research, development, innovation

- the university promotes the development of a competitive research and innovation environment.
- every year, the university carries out national and international projects whose cumulative value exceeds 35 million euros.



Innovative entrepreneurship for students

- “Dunarea de Jos” University of Galati implemented many projects aiming to develop **specific entrepreneurial skills** for students or other interested persons, in the field of **start-up creation**;
- the university also created the **Students Entrepreneurship Society (SAS – UGAL)**, an institutional structure that encourages and supports students to consider entrepreneurship as a carrier opportunity;
- 14 start-up companies created and funded (from €40,000 to €100,000 for each start-up) in different fields of activity that brought **65 newly created jobs**;





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