FACTS ABOUT IAȘI

- 1. A city of 400.000 inhabitants and 50.000 students
- 2. The Easternmost university city in the European Union
- 3. Birthplace of Romania (place of the Union of Moldavia and Wallachia Principalities in 1859)
- 4. Vibrant IT hub, one of the worlds fastest internet speed and an excellent destination for digital nomads;
- 5. City of the first modern University in Romania (UAIC, 1860)
- 6. Home to one of the world top 7 theatre buildings (BBC) and to one of the most majestic libraries of the world (BoredPanda.com)
- 7. Top Christian Orthodox pilgrimage site (over 400.000 pilgrims/year)
- 8. Known for its cozy specialty café s, large green parks, monumental buildings, eclectic architectures and perfume of an old capital city
- 9. A City of Seven Hills, surrounded by beer factories, vineyards and winemakers, monasteries and bicycle paths

10. An international fast-growing airport connected by direct flights with over 25 destinations in Europe (see map)







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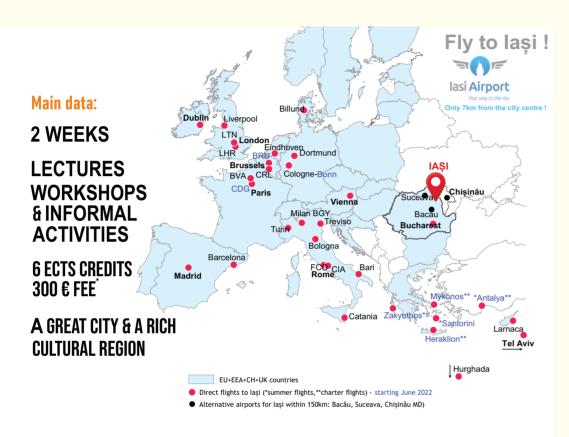
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EASTERN EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVES



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Objectives

- exploring and learning about the cultural heritage of Romania and Europe
- debating on the new social challenges in the global/local society
- percieving Eastern Europe by acting and sensing

JASSY Summer School puts a strong emphasis on transversal competencies, through the interdisciplinarity of its courses and through its extracurricular activities.

CURRICULUM CHART

Lectures:

- Territorial Disputes in Eastern Europe in the First Half of the 20th Century
- Romanian, a Romance Language at the Gates of the Orient
- Current Challenges of the European Union
- Challenges of Democracies in Eastern Europe. Political Behaviors, Institutions and Culture
- Building Institutions for Economic Development in Post-Communism
- Demographical Trends in Eastern European Countries
- Romanian Folklore Explained: Traditional Beliefs, Music, Dress and Food
- Romanian Literature /vs/ European Literature: Roots, Interferences and History

Workshops & field activities

- The Great Chalcolithic Civilizations of the South-Eastern "Old Europe": Settlements, Discoveries and Social Complexity
- Identity and Legacy in a Digital World
- Iasi: Pilgrimage, Interpretation of Orthodox Rituals, Architecture and Iconography

Informal Activities:

- Guided tour of the University Palace
- Guided tour of the city of lasi
- Visit of heritage buildings
- Introduction to kayaking
- · Wine tasting techniques
- Guided visit of the Palace of Culture
- Outdoor active tour
- Birdwatching, visit of lasi Botanical Garden
- Trip to the cultural region surrounding lasi

APPLICATION & INFO

Steps:

1. Send your CV & Motivation letter to jassy@uaic.ro

JASSY assesses the submitted files on a first-come, first-served basis (so send the required documents as early as possible, no later than 1 June 2022). JASSY confirms the acceptance by email within three working days.

- 2. Fill in the Registration Form received by e-mail.
- 3. Pay the participation fee as indicated in the e-mail notification. ! Applications received after 1 June 2022 will not be taken into consideration!

Other info:

- Certificate of attendance for all attendees:
- 6 ECTS credits upon successfully passing the final evaluation;
- A limited number of scholarships will be available for students from partner universities.

UAIC Facts:

- Founded in 1860
- Top 3 Romanian Universities
- 600+ partner universities
- Top 2^½ in Europe in student exchange
- 15 Faculties (Schools)
- 238 Degrees in the 3 cycles (B/M/D)
- 25.500 students
- 1500 full-time staff



