

Greeting Message on the occasion of the 2nd International Conference on Rural Space and Regional Development

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Maramureş County is a space that, from the point of view of opening unto new perspectives, has always had people fully aware of the importance of Evolution. The action-taking place today meets the current needs of the county. The scientific nature of the manifestation combined with the practical side of the applications at the local level of the measures presented during the seminars will make Maramureş a pilot centre, as it has happened before on other fields of activity.

The collaboration of two famous universities, the "Babeş-Bolyai" University from Cluj-Napoca and the Western University "Vasile Goldiş" Arad, Baia Mare Branch, led to the involvement of a great number of specialists from Romania and from abroad, whose presence in Maramureş is a great honor for us. Included as a part of the "Chestnut Festival", the works of the 2nd International Conference on rural Space and Regional Development are given the special support of the local and regional authorities.

As the prefect of the Maramureş County, I welcome all the guests and I assure you that the institution I represent will take all the necessary steps for the works of the Conference to meet their expected success. I also want to congratulate the organizers for this manifestation for making Maramureş a real scientific centre through the housing of this event.

Thank you.