

BUCHAREST,  
ROMANIA 2008



**6. European Forum  
Global Parliamentarians on Habitat  
Bucharest, 23-24 April 2008**

*23 - 24 April 2008  
Romanian Chamber of Deputies  
Palace of Parliament, "Sala Rosetti"  
Bucharest, Romania*

**PROGRAMME**

**Tuesday, 22 April 2008**

***Arrival of participants***

**Wednesday, 23 April 2008**

- 8:30 - 10:00      *Transfer from the hotels to the Parliament*
- 9:00                *Registration of participants*
- 10:00              *Opening ceremony of the Sixth European Forum of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat*
- *Welcoming address by Traian Constantin Igas, Vice President of the Commission for Public Administration Territorial Planning and Ecological Balance of the Romanian Chamber of Deputies, Vice President of the Regional Council for Europe of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat*

- *Statement and Report by Peter Götz, Germany, President of the Regional Council for Europe of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat*
- *Welcoming address by Bogdan Olteanu, Chairman of the Romanian Chamber of Deputies*
- *Statement and Report by Senator Eloy Cantu Segovia, Mexico, Alternate President of the Board of Directors of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat*
- *Statement by Ioan Tundrea, Member of the Commission for Public Administration Territorial Planning and Ecological Balance of the Romanian Chamber of Deputies, Counsellor of the Regional Council for Europe of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat*

11:00 *Coffee break*

11:20 *Speech by Dr. Anna Tibaijuka, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director of United Nations Human Settlements Programme, UN-Habitat, Kenya*

*Report on Habitat follow-up activities*

- *Report by Laszlo Borbeli, Romanian Minister of Development, Public Works and Housing*
- *Reports by Presidents of Parliaments and Senates*

12:15 *Visit to the Palace of Parliament*

13:00 *Lunch*

14:30 *"Good Laws for a better life in cities"*  
*Speech by Petru Lificiu, Former Romanian Minister of Environment and Sustainable Development*

15:00-17.00 *Three parallel Workshops with the representatives on Government, Experts, Scholars*

**A: "Climate Change and its impact on cities"**

**B: "Clean energy in cities"**

**C: "Implementing objectives worked out in the Habitat Agenda in national legislation"**

- 17.00            *Transfer to the hotels*
- 18.30            *Transfer from the hotels to the restaurant*
- 19:00            *Dinner*

**Thursday, 24 April 2008**

- 8:00 – 9:30        *Transfer from the hotels to the Parliament*
- 8:30              *Registration of participants*
- 9:30              *Presentation of the results from the three workshops*
- 10:15             *Presentation of Reports of the participants and discussion*
- 11:15             *Coffee break*
- 11:30             *Proposals and election of the European President and European Board of Directors of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat*
- 12:00             *Presentation of the Draft "Declaration of Bucharest"  
by Traian Constantin Igas*
- General Debate*
- 13:00             *Adoption of the "Declaration of Bucharest"*
- 13:15             *Family Photo*
- 13:30             *Press-conference*
- 14:00             *Lunch-buffet*
- 15.00             *Tour of Bucharest*
- 17.00             *Transfer to the hotels*
- Individual departure*

**Address of the conference**

*Palace of Parliament  
2-4, Izvor Street  
RO - 5 Bucharest, Romania*

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**1. Reception and Information**

The reception and information service is on 23 and 24 April in front of the "Sala Rosetti", Palace of Parliament.

**2. Documents**

Conference documents will be available at the reception and information service.

**3. Identification**

Participants are asked to wear their conference ID badges at all meetings and events. You should have your personal ID cards/passports with you at all times in case of security checks. If you lose your conference ID badge please report this immediately to the reception and information service. Access to the conference rooms as well as to any of the events scheduled in the evenings can only be granted on showing the conference ID badge.

There will be no accompanying persons programme. For security reasons only participants of the conference will be allowed to enter the Palace of Parliament.

**4. Meeting Rooms**

The meetings will be carried out mainly at the "Sala Rosetti".

**5. Press**

Journalists are asked to register at the reception and information service.

**6. Social Functions**

Admission to receptions is limited to officially invited guests. Participants are asked to wear their conference ID badges, since otherwise they cannot be admitted.

**7. Transport**

A free shuttle service will be provided between the hotels and the Palace of Parliament. A shuttle service will be also available for the City-Tour and to the Dinner in the restaurant.

Participants are asked to wear their conference ID badges visibly when using the shuttle services and throughout the conference programme.

**8. Hotels**

Participants are requested to book the hotel rooms on their own. With the following hotels "special rates" with the code "GPH 2008" are arranged:

**Hotel JW Marriott Bucharest Grand \*\*\*\*\***

90, Calea 13 Septembrie, Bucharest, Romania

No. Tel. 021-403-0000

Fax: 021-403-0001

[www.marriott.com/buhro](http://www.marriott.com/buhro)[www.jwmarriottromania.com](http://www.jwmarriottromania.com)[marriott.bucharest@marriotthotels.com](mailto:marriott.bucharest@marriotthotels.com)**Hotel Howard Johnson Grand Plaza \*\*\*\*\***

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106, Izvor Street, Bucharest, Romania

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**PETER GÖTZ**

DEPUTY OF THE  
FEDERAL REPUBLIC  
OF GERMANY

PRESIDENT  
OF THE REGIONAL COUNCIL  
FOR THE  
EUROPEAN CONTINENT  
OF THE  
GLOBAL PARLIAMENTARIANS  
ON HABITAT

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**„Good Laws for a better life in cities“**

**Invitation**

Dear Mr Pedersen

we are pleased to inform you that the Sixth European Forum of the Global Parliamentarians on Habitat will take place on the premises of the Romanian Parliament in Bucharest from 23 to 24 April 2008. We cordially invite you to this event and kindly ask you to forward this invitation to your colleagues who might be interested in the topic.

The Global Parliamentarians on Habitat is an international organisation of parliamentarians cooperating closely with the United Nations (UN-Habitat) in the area of sustainable urban development, housing and local structures.

At the conference in Bucharest, we are going to deal with the issues of energy supply, the climate change and its impacts on cities; the resulting legislative changes made since the adoption of the Habitat Agenda in 1996 in Istanbul, Turkey will be another subject of our conference. Another issue to be discussed at the conference is the upcoming re-election of the European Board of Directors. Enclosed please find more details and a draft programme.

The official languages of the conference will be English, French and Romanian, the workshops will be held in English and Romanian.

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The participation fee is **200,00 Euro per person**. Please pay the fee by Bank Transfer: account holder: HABITAT, Account: 29.30.13.071, IBAN: NL79FRBK0293013071, BIC: FRBKNL2L, reason for payment: "Fee Habitat conference Bucharest".

Due to organisational reasons we kindly ask you to fill out and submit the registration form by 4 April 2008 at the latest.

You are kindly requested to pay the hotel accommodation directly to the hotel. Please give the code "GPH 2008".

Hotel offers are enclosed. We recommend you to make your bookings as soon as possible.

A bus shuttle service from the hotels to the parliament will be provided. If you need a pick-up from the airport to the hotel, please note this on the registration form.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Bucharest!

Yours sincerely



**Peter Götz MP**  
President of Global  
Parliamentarians on Habitat  
in Europe



**Traian C. Igaş MP**  
Vice-President of Global  
Parliamentarians on Habitat  
in Europe





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**Habitat**  
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## REGISTRATION FORM

Please fill in one registration form for each participant and return it at your earliest convenience, by 4 April 2008 at the latest.

Name of Parliament or Institute:.....  
Address:.....  
Postal code and City:.....  
Country:.....  
Contact person:.....  
Phone:..... E-mail:.....

**Delegation member:**

Surname:..... First name:.....  
Function:.....  
Phone:..... E-mail:.....

- I need a pick-up from the airport to the hotel and I arrive in Bucharest by flight No..... from..... at..... o'clock.
- I stay in the following hotel:.....  
(Only necessary to organise bus shuttle service to the parliament)
- I would like to attend the following workshops:  
(Please give your preference 1 (highest) – 3 (lowest):  
[..] A Climate Change and its impact on Cities  
[..] B Clean energy in cities  
[..] C Implementing objectives worked out in the Habitat Agenda in national legislation
- I would like to participate in the following  
[..] Lunch, Wednesday 23, April  
[..] Dinner, Wednesday 23, April  
[..] Lunch, Thursday 24 April  
[..] City-Tour, Thursday 24 April, 3 pm

Date:..... Signature:.....

Please return this registration form to

Palace of Parliament  
2-4, Izvor Street, 5 Bucharest,  
Romania

email: [cbogzianu@cdep.ro](mailto:cbogzianu@cdep.ro); [daniela.georgian@cdep.ro](mailto:daniela.georgian@cdep.ro)  
fax : + 4021 4141954 ; + 4021 4141877



RESERVATION FORM

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO FAX NO. +40 21 2011888 OR reservations@hojoplaza.ro

GPH2008/HABITAT

22-25 of April 2008

Bucharest

ARRIVAL / GUEST DETAILS

LAST NAME: FIRST NAME: TITLE:

ARRIVAL DATE: ARRIVAL TIME: FLIGHT:

PHONE NO: FAX NO:

DEPARTURE DATE: DEPARTURE TIME:

ACCOMMODATION DETAILS

Please check the type of room:

- Single deluxe room 689 RON
Double (2 persons) deluxe room 790 RON
Double (2 persons) twin room 790 RON
Suite 1137 RON

Rates Include Full Breakfast Buffet, 3% City Tax and 9% VAT. Rates above are quoted per day per room.

Special requests:

NOTE

The reservation should be made latest until 15.03.2008. After that date rooms and rates will be confirmed upon availability.

GUARANTEE / PAYMENT

Reservation must be guaranteed or paid in advance latest until 15.03.2008. Reservations not guaranteed or not paid in advance until 15.03.2008 will be released.

CANCELLATION

Cancellation after 15.03.2008 (6 p.m. local time) or no-show will be charged to the guest/cardholder (depending on the guarantee method) for the first night of stay.

- CREDIT CARD DEPOSIT

CREDIT CARD TYPE: NUMBER: EXP:

Cardholders Name Signature:

If you would like to send a deposit please send one (1) night applicable room charge plus taxes .Due to currency restrictions deposits must be sent via bank transfer .

Date: Name: Signature:



JW MARRIOTT®  
BUCHAREST GRAND HOTEL

**RESERVATION FORM**

**GPH 2008**  
**22-24.04.2008.**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Surname:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please book on my behalf 1 room for the period of \_\_\_\_\_ number of nights**  
**\_\_\_\_\_.**

*I would like to book:*

**King Deluxe Room, single occupancy** *At the special rate of 575 RON/room/night*

**Double Double Deluxe Room, double occupancy** *At the special rate of 645 RON/room/night*

*Room rates include Full American Breakfast Buffet served in Cupola Restaurant (for 2 persons in the Double Room), access to the World Class Health Academy and exclude local taxes (VAT, 9% and City Tax 3%)  
Kindly note that taxes are subject to Governmental change, without any further notice.*

**Method of guarantee and advance Payment**

**Credit Card, type:** \_\_\_\_\_ **No.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exp. Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Or**

**Deposit in Advanced in Account Number:** RO43INGB0001000141200725, ING Bank Bucuresti;  
**(please send by fax the Bank Transfer Statement);**

*The above mentioned rates are valid only for this group during 22.04.2008- 24.04.2008. Please note that rooms will be blocked by the date 03.04.2008. After that date, reservations will be accepted on a space and rate availability basis, although the Hotel will do its utmost to accommodate reservations received after the cut-off date, even. All reservations will be held on a guaranteed arrival basis.*

*For any individual cancellation the following penalties will apply:*

- *between 03.04.2008. and 06.04.2008. – the penalty fee is the value of first night of accommodation.*
- *Starting with 07.04.2008. – the penalty fee is 100% for the entire length of stay.*

*Any guest room reservations confirmed and guaranteed through the Reservation Form, but not claimed on the day of arrival (no show), will be cancelled and the credit card will be charged with 100% penalty for the entire length of stay.*

**Thank you for booking with us!**  
**Tel.: 004 021 4032000, Fax: 004 021 403 2001**

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**HOTEL MARSHAL**



**RESERVATION FORM**

**for the event of 23 - 24 April 2008, GPH**

|             |                    |
|-------------|--------------------|
| SINGLE ROOM | 100 EUR/room/night |
| DOUBLE ROOM | 120 EUR/room/night |
| APARTMENT   | 160 EUR/room/night |

Room rates include VAT, city tax and breakfast.

|                         |                    |              |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------|
| <b>COUNTRY</b>          |                    |              |
| Organisation or Company |                    |              |
| Surname:                | First name:        | Mr./Mrs./Ms. |
| Date of arrival:        | Date of departure: |              |
| Position:               |                    |              |
| Number of rooms:        |                    |              |
| City:                   | Country:           |              |
| Telephone:              | Fax:               |              |
| E-mail:                 |                    |              |
| Will be accompanied by: |                    |              |
| Surname:                | First name:        | Mr./Mrs./Ms. |

- For clients arriving with cars, Hotel Marshal has free private parking.
- Free Internet connection .
- Room reservation may be made until the 18<sup>th</sup> of April 2008, at the following coordinates:  
[office@hotelmarshal.ro](mailto:office@hotelmarshal.ro) or fax: 0040 21 314 08 88

**Method of guarantee and payment:**

Payment must be made at check-in by cash or credit card. Clients must guarantee reservation with a credit card when made. Confirmation will be sent for reservations made via email or fax.

Credit card: American Express                      Visa                      Mastercard

Name of the credit card holder \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_, Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature that gives the accord to Marshal Hotel to charge the money from the credit card if the client is No Show in the night of the reservation \_\_\_\_\_.

**Cancellation or charges to bookings must be made with 48 hours prior to arrival date. In case of No Show, the payment for one night/room and its corresponding tax will be charged according to the method of payment and the reservation will be entirely cancelled.**

Thank you for booking with us!

Hotel Marshal, 2, Dr.Emanoil Bacaloglu Street, district 2, Bucharest



**RESERVATION FORM**

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*I would like to book:*

- SINGLE ROOM
- DOUBLE ROOM

**98 Euro/room/night (Monday - Thursday)**  
**107 Euro/room/night (Monday - Thursday)**

Room rates include VAT and city tax and breakfast.

|   |
|---|
| <b>COUNTRY:</b>                                     |
| Organisation or Company:                            |
| Surname: _____ First name: _____ Mr./Mrs./Ms. _____ |
| Date of arrival: _____ Date of departure: _____     |
| Position:   |
| Postal address:                                     |
| City: _____ Country: _____                          |
| Telephone: _____ Fax: _____                         |
| E-mail:   |
| <i>Will be accompanied by:</i>                      |
| Surname: _____ First name: _____ Mr./Mrs./Ms. _____ |

For clients arriving with private cars, IBIS Palatul Parlamentului and IBIS Gara de Nord hotel has **private parking** with following tariffs: **48 RON / day, or 2 RON / hour.**

Room reservation may be made until the 20<sup>th</sup> of March 2008, at the following coordinates: [reservations@ibisaccor.ro](mailto:reservations@ibisaccor.ro) or Fax: 004 021 401.10.11 Tel: 004 021 401.10.10.

**Method of guarantee and payment**

Payment must be made at check-in by cash or credit card. Clients must guarantee reservation with a credit card when made. Confirmations will be sent for reservations made via email or fax.

**Credit Card:** *American Express*  *Diners Club*  *Visa*  *Mastercard*

**Name of the credit card holder** \_\_\_\_\_

**No.** \_\_\_\_\_ **Exp. Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** that gives the accord to Ibis Hotel Palatul Parlamentului or IBIS Gara de Nord to charge the money from the credit card if the client is no show in the night of the reservation \_\_\_\_\_

**Cancellation or changes to bookings must be made 72 hours prior to arrival date. In case of guest no show, the payment for one night/room and its corresponding tax will be charged according to the method of payment and the reservation will be entirely cancelled.**

*Thank you for booking with us!*

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