

Romania - the Southern Carpathians (M-ID: 2287)

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from €1,559.00

Dates and duration (days)

On request

8 days

06/15/2024 - 06/22/2024 8 days

07/27/2024 - 08/03/2024 8 days

08/31/2024 - 09/07/2024 8 days

Guided tour for all motorcycle brands and models!

TRAVEL IS FATAL...FOR PREJUDICE!

Mark Twain's proverb especially fits Romania, a country with friendly people, huge potential, but far too little known and burdened with far too many prejudices.

We invite you to join us in discovering the seemingly endless primeval forests of the Carpathians, the well-built pass roads, the mysterious monasteries, medieval fortified churches, picturesque villages and towns in eight days on a motorcycle. Count Dracula, bears, wolves, quaint fairytale villages and breathtaking landscapes, hospitable people and delicious food. In one word: Carpathian country!

This tour is specially designed for motorcyclists who also like to make one or two cultural stops and city walks.

Itinerary:

Day 1: Vienna - Oradea

500 km

Meeting at the agreed starting point near Vienna. First we have to master the connecting stage to Romania. Mainly on the highway we will ride through the Hungarian Puszta, past Budapest to Oradea/Grossvardein. Hotel check-in and dinner in one of the most beautiful Art Nouveau centers in Europe.

Day 2: Coltesti - Rimetea

250 km

On the first day of riding in Romania we cross the Western Carpathians. Although they are not the highest mountains in Romania, they are famous for the many spectacular formations with caves and gorges. We will cross again a newly asphalted pass and then, towards evening, we will arrive to a typical village, model of conservation and world heritage: Rimetea. In a small family hotel we will be spoiled with cold beer and delicious Transylvanian specialties.

Day 3: Rimetea - Brasov

270 km

We say goodbye to the Western Carpathians and ride along the "fortified church road" to the south-east. The area is famous for its many vineyards, which were already mentioned in documents in Roman times. We will see many quaint villages with centuries-old fortified churches and reach the Kockel Valley at noon and with it the famous fortified church road. In the evening we will go to one of the most beautiful cities in Romania, Braşov/Kronstadt. Dinner and hotel check-in are planned in the city center.

Day 4: Brasov - Curtea de Arges

185 km

After breakfast we will explore Brasov with its over 800 years old history. Among others we will visit the Black Church - the biggest church between Vienna and Istanbul. Afterwards we will pass Bran (famous as Dracula Castle) and enter Bucegi Mountains. The area used to be famous for its many flocks of sheep and some of the former shepherds' roads have been asphalted in recent years. One of these newly asphalted roads is on our program today. We will spend the evening in Curtea de Arges, one of the oldest settlements in the area.

Day 5: Curtea de Arges - Sibiu

160 km

The next highlight is waiting for us. The dream of every Romanian motorcyclist is to ride over the Transfagarasan High Alpine Road. It is Romania's most famous and spectacular road and was called the most beautiful road in the world by the heroes of the British car show "Top Gear". On the other side of the Carpathians, a little pearl awaits us: Sibiu/Hermannstadt. During our guided tour of the old castle we will learn more about the history of the Transylvanian Saxons, visit the old market places, as well

as enjoy delicious specialties at dinner.

Day 6: Sibiu - Eselnita

315 km

The highest pass road in the country awaits us: the Transalpina. At about 2,300 m above sea level, it is not only the highest road in Romania, it is also considered one of the most beautiful motorcycle routes in the world and has only been paved throughout since 2012. In the afternoon we will reach the Iron Gates, our hotel is located directly on the Danube. After a short refreshment break we will board small motorboats and ride through the narrowest parts of the Danube, passing breathtaking views. Dinner with fish specialties in the pension is also a highlight of the day.

Day 7: Eselnita - Timisoara

300 km

Already in the morning we experience another of Romania's newest and spectacular pass roads. We ride through a scenically extremely impressive region, the Danube breakthrough into the Carpathian Mountains, partly directly along the border to Serbia. There can't be a better ending. In the afternoon we will reach Timișoara/Temeswar and discover this beautiful city, European Capital of Culture 2023, during a guided tour.

Day 8: Timisoara - Vienna

500 km

After breakfast we go home and it is time to say goodbye to our newly won Romanian friends. With a lot of nice memories we start our way back home, either on our own or together with other tour participants in the group. End of the tour.

Countries	Austria
	Romania
	Hungary
Category	Motorcycle Tour
Terrain	Onroad
Vehicle	your own motorcycle
	motorcycle rent optional
Tourguide / Coach	yes (guided)
Accommodation	Hotel / B&B or similar
	4 star hotel
Flight to / from	no, not incl.
Ferry	no, not incl.
Support vehicle (luggage/service)	no
Level of difficulty	medium
Customer payment protection	yes
* PRICING	Minimal without optional extras, see pricing

Pricing

Prices for the dates: 27.07. - 03.08.2024 | 31.08. - 07.09.2024:

per rider in shared twin/double room with own motorcycle (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €1,559.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F 750 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €2,774.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F 800 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €2,774.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R 1250 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €3,224.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R 1300 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €3,224.00

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per pillion passenger in shared twin/double room (pillion passengers can only book along with an accompanying rider) €1,559.00

per person single room (surcharge, only available with an additional selection of the basic price "per rider in shared twin/double room") €349.00

1/2 double room available on request subject to availability.

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Prices for the date: 15.06. - 22.06.2024 (seasonal surcharge):

per rider in shared twin/double room with own motorcycle (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €1,619.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F 750 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €2,834.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW F 800 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €2,834.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R 1250 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €3,284.00

per rider in shared twin/double room incl. rental motorcycle BMW R 1300 GS (Only available for a booking of two persons. Single travelers need to choose the single room surcharge.) €3,284.00

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per pillion passenger in shared twin/double room (pillion passengers can only book along with an accompanying rider) €1,619.00

per person single room (surcharge, only available with an additional selection of the basic price "per rider in shared twin/double room") €439.00

1/2 double room available on request subject to availability.

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If you wish to arrive a day earlier:

Additional nights on arrival or return e.g. in Vienna, on request!

Included

Local German speaking tour guide on motorbike

Joint departure at the tour start from Vienna, escort to the Romanian-Hungarian border at the end of the tour

Morning tour briefing before departure

7 nights in double rooms in good guesthouses, middle class and 4-star hotels (shower, WC)

Half board with 3 course menu or buffet

City walks with local German speaking guide in Timisoara, Sibiu and Brasov

Boat trip on the Danube at the iron gates

Insolvency protection in accordance with the Austrian Travel Agency Security Ordinance

Rental motorcycles (optionally bookable) incl. - liability and fully comprehensive insurance, free mileage and - takeover in the afternoon before the start of the tour

Not included

Luggage transport

Meals except breakfast and dinner

Gasoline and oil

Rental motorbike

Tolls

Personal expenses

Admissions

Tips

Deductible (= deposit € 2.000) for rental motorcycle - optionally bookable

Furthermore, all services that are not expressly listed as included.

Also not included, but strongly recommended: Travel insurance with cancellation protection

More details

If you want to arrive a day early:

Additional nights on arrival upon return e.g. to Vienna are possible on request!

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Tour information:

From Vienna approx. 2,550 km, medium difficulty, including motorway stages, city crossings and village roads with possible inadequacies, or generally roads of different quality levels, sometimes also with potholes, short sections without asphalt are possible. Mountain crossings with numerous curves and serpentine.

Minimum number of participants - 8 people:

If the minimum number of participants is not reached, we reserve the right to cancel the trip up to 3 weeks before the tour start.

A frank word among bikers:

On guided motorcycle tours by your own motorcycle, riders and pillion passengers from different countries of origin and with different motorcycles meet for a joint trip. As different as the participants are, as different will usually be the motorcycles, which makes for a fun and interesting trip. As with all group activities, these trips require a certain team spirit and a certain adaptation of the individual to the group, so that everyone can enjoy the trip and their motorcycle holiday.