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Romania virtual conference, August 2021

Dear friends and colleagues,

The Covid-19 pandemic is far from over and an increasing number of people are suffering. It also slows down many activities. Although restrictions have been lifted or relaxed in some places, they are maintained or even reinforced in others – the future is unpredictable.

We have been reflecting on our commission conference in Cluj-Napoca (Romania) that has been shifted from August 2020 to this year. The local organizing committee and the Commission steering committee have jointly decided to hold our conference as a virtual event on Zoom. The decision by the Istanbul organizers to hold the IGC online has made this decision easy.

Please note the following details, which can also be found on the conference website:

| Conference Date | August 9 and 10, 2021 |
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| Deadline to submit abstract or panel proposals | 25 May 2021 |
| Proposal notification (acceptance/rejection) | 1 June 2021 |
| Payment for conference fee upon acceptance | |
| Registration fee deadline | 15 June 2021 |
| Full conference programme | 1 July 2021 |

The **registration fee** has been fixed at **20€ (20 Euros)**, to be paid once your paper has been accepted.

More information can be obtained on the website <https://georeg.conference.ubbcluj.ro>.

It is a pity that we cannot meet in person and be able to discover an exciting region. The organizers had prepared field trips, but the current situation prevents us from making this experience.

Kind regards

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