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### 1. 12TH DRC SUMMER SCHOOL ON REGIONAL CO-OPERATION

Apply now:

For the next DRC Summer School in Vienna July 05-12 2015. The DRC Summer School promotes regional co-operation among young scholars to establish a network of young scholars who deal with the issue of regional co-operation.

The 12th edition of the Summer School has the main topic: "Recent political changes and their implications in the Danube Region"

Applications for participation may be handed in by e-mail or fax until June 7, 2015 and should include the application form, the CV of the applicant and an abstract max. 2 pages of the paper that shall be presented in the framework of the Summer School.

The registration fee of the Summer School is EUR 200.-, the contribution to the expenses for board and accommodation is EUR 230.-

Please note that it is possible to apply for a scholarship on board and accommodation as well as on a partial travel reimbursement (limited to EUR 100.-).

There is a possibility to register as an 'Early bird', if the paper and application form is submitted before April 5, 2015, the registration fee is reduced to EUR 100.-.

The participants are selected by a jury taking into account the guidance of the presidency of the Danube Rectors' Conference (DRC).

The successful participation of the DRC Summer School will be granted with 10 ECTS points by the University of Pécs, Faculty of Humanities.

Applications to:

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## 2. CASEE NEWSLETTER

Please find below the link to the current newsletter of our partner network CASEE. CASEE was founded in 2010 upon the initiative of the University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna, and involves Life Science Universities in Albania, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Croatia, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Slovenia, Slovakia, Serbia, Ukraine and Austria. It aims to support the development of the EU Strategy for the Danube Region to strengthen research, education and University Development in this region and to develop joint research, educational and other projects. To open the newsletter, click here: [http://www.ica-ls.com/casee/images/stories/CASEE\\_pdfs/Newsletter/2015-02\\_CASEE\\_February\\_Newsletter.pdf](http://www.ica-ls.com/casee/images/stories/CASEE_pdfs/Newsletter/2015-02_CASEE_February_Newsletter.pdf)

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## 3. BLACK SEA-DANUBE SOCIAL-ECONOMIC INNOVATION FORUM

Bucharest-Romania, 28-29 May 2015

Inspired by the slogan of the 2015 European Maritime Day: “Ports and Coasts, gateways to maritime growth”, under the aegis of the European Commission - DG MARE, the fifth edition of the “Black Sea - Danube Social & Economic Innovation Forum” is organised at the Palace of the Parliament and at the head-quarters of the Romanian Academy, on 28-29 May 2015.

More information will be available soon at [www.HouseofEurope.ro](http://www.HouseofEurope.ro) and [www.cldr.ro](http://www.cldr.ro)

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## 4. REMINDER: DANUBIUS YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD 2015 - CALL

For the second time the "Danubius Young Scientist Award" will complement the Danubius Award. The award seeks to encourage young scientists to engage in the scientific examination of issues and questions specifically related to the Danube, and to stimulate the scientific community in the Danube region.

**DEADLINE FOR NOMINATION IS MARCH 20TH!**

For more information please click here:

<http://www.drc-danube.org/2015/01/07/danubius-young-scientist-award-2015/>

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## 5. PRESENTATION OF DRC MEMBER UNIVERSITIES - UASVM Bucharest

The UASVM-Bucharest is a Life Science University, established in 1852 as The Agricultural Institute of Pantelimon. Only two years later, The School for Veterinary Education was

founded. In 1867, after including forestry subject matters in the curriculum, agronomic education develops under the name of The Central Agricultural and Forestry School. Within it, the first didactic and experimental farm in the country was established and in 1868 the first agricultural research institution in Romania was created, known as the Bucharest Agronomic Station. In time, the School passed through many changes and in 1948 became the Bucharest Agronomic Institute, with four faculties (Agriculture, Horticulture, Animal Sciences and Veterinary Medicine). Since then, three new faculties were founded: Faculty of Land Reclamation and Environmental Engineering (1970), Faculty of Biotechnologies (1994) and Faculty of Management, Economic Engineering in Agriculture and Rural Development (2000). In 1995, the institute became the University of Agronomic Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of Bucharest, being the oldest and largest agricultural institution of higher education in Romania. From 2000, the University is a member of the Romanian Consortia of Life Science Universities alongside its sister universities from Cluj, Iasi and Timisoara.

Total number of students: 11977;  
BSc 9829,  
MSc: 1901,  
PhD: 247,  
foreign students 92 (all levels);  
Total Staff: 945 (teaching staff 407 and staff 538);  
Faculties: 7  
Departments: 15 Educational  
Land Surface: 911 ha  
Total campus land surface: 44 ha

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