

Press release of Romania Pavilion

Happy to announce 1.500.000 visitors in Romania Pavilion

3rd of September – Romania Pavilion at the World EXPO 2005 Aichi Japan is happy to announce the achievement of 1.500.000 visitors. Since the beginning of the World Exposition, we tried to offer to the Japanese public the best of our culture, traditions – by the 12 hours the day live events – history and geography – through the touch-screens from the Pavilion displaying all day long relevant information about our country – as well as gastronomy – in the traditional restaurant from the Pavilion.

Thanks to the EXPO, at the end of the six months of the Exposition, Romania will be better known in Japan. It can be the beginning of a deeper friendship! In addition, the World Exposition represents a valuable framework for Romania to offer a lot of information to the Japanese investors, mainly in the perspective of our 2007 EU full-membership.

One of the most important moments of Romania's participation at the World Exposition was our National Day at the EXPO – celebrated the 1st of June. On that occasion a significant delegation from Romania came to the EXPO, headed by the president of the country, Mr. Traian Basescu. We held then a ceremonial show in the EXPO Dome – attended by around 200 artists – as well as an Economic Forum “Romania-the Future Destination of your Business”.

Romania's participation at the World EXPO is coordinated by the Romanian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. The daily activities of our Pavilion are available – in English and Romanian – on our website: www.expo2005romania.ro.