



TRANSYLVANIA

THE FUTURE OF SAXON FORTIFIED CHURCHES

activity **ARCHITECTURAL CONVERSION:
THE FUTURE OF SAXON FORTIFIED CHURCHES OF TRANSYLVANIA**

about The south-eastern Transylvania region in Romania currently has one of the highest numbers of existing fortified churches from the 13th to 16th centuries. It has more than 150 well preserved fortified churches of a great variety of architectural styles (out of an original 300 fortified churches).

The Workshop aims to search architectural resilient solutions for the future of the Saxon fortified churches, that remained without the traditional communities who created and maintained them during centuries. The participants will work in teams of about 4-5 students, guided by the invited professors and specialists, debating the case of Dealu Frumos or of other fortified church among the visited examples. The study will consist in:

I. Territorial analysis, site plan, historical analysis of the elected fortified church and the community in belonged to

II. Analysis of the present situation: functioning, physical state, historic architectural phases, materials, interventions

III. Proposals for the future: regeneration strategy, new community, new function, architectural solution, restoration phases

participating universities

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University of Architecture
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dates **September 4-10, 2023**

location **Dealu Frumos, Transylvania, Romania**

participation fee & observations 250 euros (1250 lei) per participant
This fee includes: trip costs from Bucharest to Dealu Frumos & acomodation and 3 meals a day during the workshop. (trip costs from Barcelona to Bucharest and further accomodation in Bucharest are to be covered by the participant).

places **10 places for ETSAB students : GARq (3rd-4th-5th year) + MArq**

academic award 2 elective ECTS

application deadline: **June 22, 2023**
send email to: relint.etsab@upc.edu
subject: **taller TRANSYLVANIA_nom cognom**
with: name | DNI/NIE | e-mail | current studies
include links to CV + PDF portfolio (10 pages max). Do not send any attached files

Selected candidates must confirm their participation by paying the corresponding fee before July 7, 2023

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