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Best of Transylvania Motorcycle Tour

Cluj-Napoca - Transylvania departure

Highlights

Transfagarasan – the most crooked and challenging of Europe's roads for motorcyclists

Transalpina – one of the most spectacular roads of the Carpathian Mountains (2 145m above sea level)

Transbucegi Road – the newest mountain road in Romania (1925m above sea level)

Bran Castle – also known as Dracula's Castle, a legendary Transylvanian fortress dating back to 1377.

Rasnov Peasant Citadel – the largest peasant fortification ever built in Eastern Europe

Peles Palace – one of the most beautiful royal residences in Europe, home to most of Romania's monarchs

Brasov City tour – explore the Medieval Saxon city of Brasov with its outstanding medieval atmosphere, one of the best preserved medieval cities in Europe

Sighisoara Medieval Citadel one of Europe's most beautiful and inhabited fortified cities with a UNESCO World Heritage status.



Day by day itinerary:

DAY 1 Cluj – Turda

About 60 km/37 miles – 1h riding

Welcome to Romania! Our English speaking guide, a motorcycle enthusiast and a 100% Transylvanian, collects you from Cluj Napoca Airport. From Cluj transfer to Turda, a small town with an intimate atmosphere foundedby the Romans under the name Potaissa. Prepare to descend to the heart of one of the biggest saltminesinthe country – Turda *Salt Mines*, with impressive halls named after kings and queens. A ride to the Sunset mountains will make you an apetite for more. Accommodate in a 4* hotel.



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DAY 2 Turda – Aiud – Cetatea de Balta – Medias – Biertan– Sighisoara

About 210 km – 5 h riding

Ride the natural reservation of Aiudului Gorges and cross the wine region of Jidvei to reach the charming Medias. Enjoy a relaxing walk in the medieval town of Medias and continue riding to Biertan, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, one of the finest Saxon fortified churches in Transylvania. Next stop is the medieval citadel of Sighisoara. Founded by Saxons during the 12th century, Sighisoara still stands as one of Europe's most beautiful and still inhabited fortified cities with UNESCO European heritage site status. Sighisoara is also the place where Vlad the Impaler, known as Dracula, was born. Accommodate in a 3* hotel located in the heart of the medieval citadel.



DAY 3 Sighisoara – Bran – Rasnov – Brasov

About 195 km - 3.45 h riding

Continue your journey riding Bogatii Forest to reach Transylvania's symbol, Bran Castle. Unrightfully called Dracula's Castle, Bran owes its fame both to its unique charm and to the myth Bram Stoker created around Dracula. A former fortress guarding a commercial road, Bran dates back to 1377. In 1920, Queen Mary, the niece of Queen Victoria of Great Britain, turned the castle into a beautiful summer residence. Explore today Brasov, a city with an outstanding medieval atmosphere which has played a vital role in Romania's history, both old and new. Three quarters of the city is surrounded by mountains, and it is one of the best preserved medieval cities in Europe.

Optional: For a unique experience you're invited to enjoy a helicopter ride over Bran Castle.



DAY 4 Brasov – Sinaia – Transbucegi Road – Brasov

About 220 km - 5.20 h riding

Start the day riding Prahova Valey and visit Peles Palace, one of the most beautiful royal residences in Europe, home to most of Romania's monarchs. Get on the motorbikes and continue riding Transbucegi Road – the newest mountain road in Romania offering amazing

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views. Also known as Babele Road, Transbucegi is a narrow mountain road, filled with hairpin curves taking you up to 1925 m above sea level. Accommodation in Brasov in a 3* Hotel.

DAY 5 Brasov – Zarnesti – Transfagarasan – Capatanenii Pamantului

About 196 km – 5 h riding

An incredible ride for you today – *Transfagarasan Highway* – the most crooked and challenging of Europe's roads for motorcyclists. Built between 1970 and 1974 as a military route, by communist dictator Ceausescu (after the Soviet invasion of Czechoslovakia in 1968) it snakes up into the Carpathians offering great rides and enormous satisfaction.

Accommodation in a Country In on Transfagarasan Road.



DAY 6 Capatanenii Pamantului – Curtea de Arges – Transalpina – Ranca

About 170 km - 5.10 h riding

Curtea de Arges is your next destination with its beautifull Monastery built in Byzantine style, with Moorish arabesques. Find out the legend of the monastery and continue your journey riding up the mountains. Transalpina Road, one of the most spectacular roads of the Carpathian Mountains and the highest mountain road in Romania is next on your agenda. Accommodation in a Country Inn on Transalpina Road.



DAY 7 Ranca – Transalpina – Turda

About 214 km/124 miles – 5 h riding

Continue exploring Transalpina Road. With its highest point at Urdele Pass -2,145m above sea level, the road is also called *The King's Road* by the locals, the road was built under the rule of *King Carol II of Romania* and rebuilt during *World War II* by German troops. Reach the town of Alba Iulia Citadel, a fortress with seven bulwarks, a star shaped citadel, common to Vauban fortresses. Your journey will end in Turda, with a smile on your face and road bends to last you for a lifetime.

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Price:

Services	Price/person
	Sharing a double room
Rider with BMW G650GS	EURO 1472/ person
Rider with BMW F800GS	EURO 1838/person
Rider with BMW R1200GS	EURO 1838/person
Rider with BMW R200GS LC	EURO 1962/person
Passenger	EURO 989/person
Single room supplement	EURO 169/person

Price includes:

Accommodation: 1 night in a 4* hotel, 3 nights in 3* hotels and 2 nights in guest houses

Meals: 6 breakfasts

Motorcyclist English speaking guide, general map, daily route briefing.

Transportation: bring your own bike or rent a motorcycle, third party liability insurance

Not included:

Gas, road taxes, parking, entry fees to the mentioned tourist attractions, lunches and dinners, beverages, individual activities, plane ticket, airport fees, photo, video tax and other not mentioned.

OPTIONAL:

Comprehensive insurance against damages and Theft EURO 140/7 days. The insurance will limit your responsibility to EURO 750 in case of accident.

Special notes & info

Duration of the tour: 7 days

Riding days: 7 days

Total distance: Approximately 1375 km/852 miles

Skill level: intermediate

Lodging type: good quality Hotels

Rides: on paved roads as well as on sections of gravel roads

What to bring: Complete motorcycle gear with integral or flip up helmet

In the last day of the tour we will reach Cluj Napoca at about 06:00 PM. Please book flights or

additional nights accordingly.