

THE “CENTENARY” PROGRAMME OF THE ACADEMY OF ROMANIAN SCIENTISTS IN 2018, A CENTURY AFTER THE END OF THE FIRST WORLD WAR AND THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE GREAT UNION

I. Scientific events, debates, international conferences

- Conference: “The 14 Points of the American President Woodrow Wilson, Emblematic Document for the 20th Century. Impact in Its Age and Significance in Our Contemporaneity”, delivered by Professor PhD Ambassador Constantin Vlad, January 8, 2018;
- Cultural symposium entitled: “Eminescu, forerunner of the Great Union in terms of identity”, Academy of Romanian Scientists and the Spiritual Foundation Mihai Eminescu, January 12, 2018;
- Annual symposium “Mihai Eminescu”, 25th Edition, 2018; Part I: “National Identity in Eminescu’s View and Current Tendencies of Denationalization through Post-cultural Globalism”, January 13, 2018; Part II: “Homage to Eminescu: Culture and Creation”, January 14, 2018; Academy of Romanian Scientists, USA Branch, New York, in partnership with the Romanian Orthodox Archdiocese of the Two Americas, the Romanian Institute of Orthodox Theology and Spirituality of New York and the Christian Romanian Society “Dorul” of New York;
- Symposium dedicated to the Union of Romanian Principalities, 25th Edition, 2018, January 21, 2018, Academy of Romanian Scientists, USA Branch, New York, in partnership with the Romanian Orthodox Archdiocese of the Two Americas, the Romanian Institute of Orthodox Theology and Spirituality of New York and the Christian Romanian Society “Dorul” of New York;
- Conference “The Centennial of the Unification of the Romanian Nation”, Iasi, March 1, 2017, in collaboration with the Romanian Academy, the Academy of Sciences of Moldova and Apollonia University of Iasi;
- Symposium on the topic: The Internal and External Context of the fulfilment of the National Ideal, Râmnicu Vâlcea, with the support of the Archdiocese of Râmnic, 6-7.03.2018;

- International conference “Union of Bessarabia within the Boundaries of the Country” – Kishinev, 22-23 March 2018, in collaboration with the State University of Kishinev;
- Symposium on the topic: “The great Union – Symbolism of the Centenary”, organised by the Academy of Romanian Scientists in partnership with Andrei Șaguna University of Constanța, 23 March 2018, Constanța;
- Debate organised by AOSR – “Union of Bessarabia with Romania - Act of Historical Justice, Fundamental Step towards the Achievement of the Great Union”, Palace of the Parliament, 30 March 2018;
- International symposium and exhibition of documents and books “Centenary of the Great Union of Romania”, Brussels, European Commission, 24-25 April 2018;
- Debate “Role of the Romanian Army in Achieving the Great Union” – organised in collaboration with Carol I National Defence University, May, Hall of the Senate University;
- Symposium on the topic: “People, Events, Traditions in the Plain of Banat, 13rd Edition – organised by Timișoara Branch of the Academy of Romanian Scientists in partnership with Timiș County Inspectorate, Teaching Staff House of Timiș County, Gymnasium School of Variaș, Variaș City Hall, Village Museum in Timișoara, “Concordia” Cultural Association Cenad, 9 May 2018;
- International symposium and exhibition of documents and books “Centenary of the Great Union of Romania”, New York, in collaboration with the New York Branch of AOSR New York the Christian Romanian Society “Dorul” of New York, June 2018;
- Regional debate, Timișoara – “Banat at the Centenary of the Great Union” - organised by the Academy of Romanian Scientists in partnership with Timișoara Branch, June 2018;
- Debate Râmnicu Vâlcea - Mănăstirea dintr-un lemn, “The Church and the Army – Traditions of Cooperation, Râmnicu Vâlcea, 8-9 June 2018;
- National Congress of Romanian Historians – organised by the Academy of Romanian Scientists in partnership with Alexandru Ioan Cuza University of Iași, 30 August-2 September 2018, Iași;

- Regional debate, Piatra-Neamț-Maia: “Heroes of the War of Reunification of the Nation”, 7-8 September 2018;
- Regional debate, Focșani: “Role of the Elites in WWI”, 21- 22 September 2018, Focșani;
- Autumn Conference of AOSR, Târgoviște, September 2018;
- Regional debate, Constanța: “Centenary of the Great Union and 140 Years since Dobroja Returned to the Motherland”, event organised by Constanța Branch of AOSR, September 2018;
- Regional debate, Craiova: “Premises and Legal Consequences of the Great Union of 1918”, event organised by the Faculty of Law of the University of Craiova under the aegis of AOSR between 5-7 October;
- International Conference “Contribution of Elites in Achieving the Great Union”, Palace of the Parliament, 18 October 2018;
- Regional debate, Cluj-Napoca: “Union of Transylvania with Romania – the Completion of the Process of Achieving the Great Union and Greater Romania”; organised by Cluj-Napoca Branch of AOSR, November 2018;
- Regional debate, Cluj-Napoca: “The Elites of Cluj and the Great Union” – Centennial Symposium organised by Cluj-Napoca Branch of AOSR;
- Photo exhibition: “Transylvania in Images” – organised by Cluj-Napoca Branch of AOSR;
- Debate: “The Role of Banks in Achieving the Great Union”, 5-7 October, Oradea;
- Symposium: “Union of Bukovina with Romania”, Suceava, 28 November 2018;
- National debate entitled: “The Great Union – Fulfilment of the National Ideal of All Romanians”, Bucharest, 29 November 2018;

II. Book publishing, volumes of proceedings, digital works

- One Hundred Years in One Hundred Books - editorial project coordinated by Prof. PhD Ioan Scurtu;

- Personalities of the Great Union of 1918 – editorial project coordinated by Prof. PhD Ioan Scurtu;
- One Hundred Years of Romanian Diplomacy, coordinator Ambassador Prof. PhD. Ion M. Anghel;
- 100 Achievements in Romanian Science and Technology, in English (proposal made by each section);
- “Contribution of Elites in Achieving the Great Union”, volume containing the papers presented in the conference;
- Virtual Dictionary of the Great Union – digital platform;
- Militaries of Romania and Bessarabia in the Service of the Great Union (1917-1920), Anatol Munteanu;
- The Treaty of TRIANON and the TREATY of PARIS – the documents attesting to the consecration of the achievement of Greater Romania, Prof. PhD. Ion M. Anghel
- Duty, Honour, and Joy of Being Romanian at the Centenary of the Great Union, Prof. PhD. Ioan Bogdan;
- Monuments Dedicated to the Heroes of the National Reunification War, Florian Tucă, Eugen Siteanu.

III. Projects

- „Dialogue of Generations” – Series of meetings of AOSR representatives and students of prominent high schools of Bucharest; April, June; October; November 2017; the discussions will focus on topics related to the Centenary: a century since the end of the First World War and the achievement of the Great Union.

IV. Programmes, projects, events in which AOSR is partner

- Debate “The Great Union”, Braşov, of AOSR, 9 May 2018, organised in collaboration with the Romanian Academy, Braşov County Council, City Hall of Braşov and Braşov Branch of AOSR;

- 100th Anniversary of the Union of Bessarabia with Romania and Role of the Politician Alexandru Marghiloman, citizen of Buzău; scientific event, Romania – Republic of Moldova; Academy of Romanian Scientists, Academy of Sciences of Moldova, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, 22 – 23 March 2018;
- Volume of the international session of scientific communications “Centenary of the Great Union of Bessarabia with Romania and Alexandru Marghiloman”; Academy of Romanian Scientists, Academy of Sciences of Moldova, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, 22 March 2018;
- Heroes of the Nation during the Unification War, international scientific event, attended by professors, historians, researchers, journalists coming from the countries that have heroes buried in the Heroes’ Cemetery of the Buzău, from both camps participating in the Unification War; Academy of Romanian Scientists, Academy of Sciences of Moldova, Historians of belligerent countries: France; USA; Great Britain; Italy; Russia; Germany; Austria; Hungary; Turkey; Bulgaria, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, 10 – 11 May 2018;
- Volume of the international session of scientific communications “Heroes of the Nation during the Unification War”; Academy of Romanian Scientists, Academy of Sciences of Moldova, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, 10 May 2018;
- Conference PRODUCTICA 2018 – 1918-2018: Romanian Contributions in the Field of Engineering, organised by the Section of Engineering Sciences of the Academy of Romanian Scientists in collaboration Local Council of the City of Mioveni, 25-26 May 2018;
- 100 since the Union of Bukovina with Romania, international scientific event, Romania-Ukraine-Republic of Moldova, Academy of Romanian Scientists, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, 15 – 16 November 2018;
- The volume of the international scientific session entitled “Centenary of the Union of Bukovina with Romania”, Academy of Romanian Scientists, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, November 14, 2018;
- Centenary of the Great Union 1918-2018, symposia, sessions of communications, conferences, meetings with historians, veterans of war, personalities of history/ culture/ politics; laying flowers

/ flower wreaths / crowns in cemeteries and monuments dedicated to the heroes; military and religious ceremonies; cemetery and historical monument care activities; restorations of monuments and churches; erecting crucifixes, Academy of Romanian Scientists, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, 1.12. 2017-01.12.2018;

- The volume of the international scientific session entitled “Citizens of Buzău at the Centenary of the Great Union”, Academy of Romanian Scientists, City Hall of Buzău, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, December 2018;

- 10 celebrities for the Centenary of the Great Union, a cycle of television and radio broadcasts occasioned by the “Centenary Union Project” - presenting personalities who worked for the strengthening of Romania; Academy of Romanian Scientists, the “Forum Art” Association of Buzău, Grup Media TV Sat.