

**“Integrated Biodiversity Management and Ecological Connectivity in the  
Carpathians”  
BioREGIO Carpathians Project  
Final Conference**

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**Day 1: Thursday 12.06.2014**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Activity</b>	
<b>9:00 – 9:30</b>	Participants registration & arrival	
<b>9:30 – 9:45</b>	Welcoming speech by Bioregio Lead Partner	Mircea Verghelet Moderation: Sissi Samec
<b>9:45- 10:45</b>	Presentation of Bioregio results	Bioregio project partners
<b>10:45 - 11:15</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
<b>11:15 – 11:45</b>	Green Mountain Project Presentation	Mr. Dragos Mihai
<b>11:45 - 12:15</b>	UNDP-GEF Project Presentation: Improving the financial sustainability of the Carpathian System of Protected Areas.	Mr. Dragos Mihai and Ms. Monica Moldovan
<b>12:15 – 12:30</b>	Presentation of the South Eastern Europe Program	Ms. Alexandra Pala (tbc)
<b>12:30 – 14: 00</b>	<i>LUNCH</i>	<b><u>PARALLEL BioREGIO PRESS CONFERENCE</u></b>
<b>14:00 – 16:00</b>	Workshop 1 by WWF DCP (RDO) Workshop 4 by EURAC	
<b>16:00 – 16: 15</b>	<i>Coffee Break</i>	

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<b>16:15 – 18:15</b>	Workshop 2 by WWF DCP (CIMM) Workshop 3 by UNDP GEF	<b><u>PARALLEL Carpathian Network for Protected Areas Steering Committee MEETING</u></b>
<b>18:15 – 18:30</b>	Closure of the Conference	
<b>20:00</b>	<i>Common Dinner</i>	<i>Restaurant Sura Dacilor</i>

**Day 2: Excursion in the Piatra Craiului National Park (2 options)**

- 1) half day excursion: canyon walk, visit of traditional village
- 2) full day excursion, hike up to 2000m

**Workshops:**

<p><b>Workshop 1</b> – by WWF DCP</p> <p>Training workshop on RDO's - Regional development opportunities</p>	<p>Duration: 2h</p> <p>Moderation: Ms. Hildegard Meyer</p>
<p><b>Workshop 2</b> – by WWF DCP</p> <p>Training workshop on CIMM - Common integrated management measures for natural assets and protected areas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- forests and grasslands</li> <li>- Common integrated management measures for large mammals and wetlands</li> </ul>	<p>Duration: 2h</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Christian-Remus Papp, Mr. Costel Bucur</p>
<p><b>Workshop 3</b> – UNDP-GEF Project</p> <p><i>Workshop on sustainable financing for PA</i> – the link between financial analysis, business plans, eLearning course, strategic implementation of management plans and partnerships at the level of Carpathian Convention towards joint cooperation and common vision for the future.</p>	<p>Duration: 2h</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Sebastian Catanoiu (Director at Vanatori Neamt Nature Park, also pilot park in GEF Project) and Alin Birda (economist at Maramures Nature Park, pilot park in GEF Project)</p>
<p><b>Workshop 4</b> – by EURAC – European Academy of Bolzano</p> <p>“Ecological Connectivity in the Carpathians – what after the BioREGIO project?”</p> <p>The workshop aims at discussing the results of the ecological connectivity analysis done in BioREGIO and to develop ideas and strategies for follow-up projects.</p>	<p>Duration: 2h</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Christian Hoffmann and Mr. Filippo Favilli</p>