

Bucharest-Ilfov REGIO situation and lessons learned

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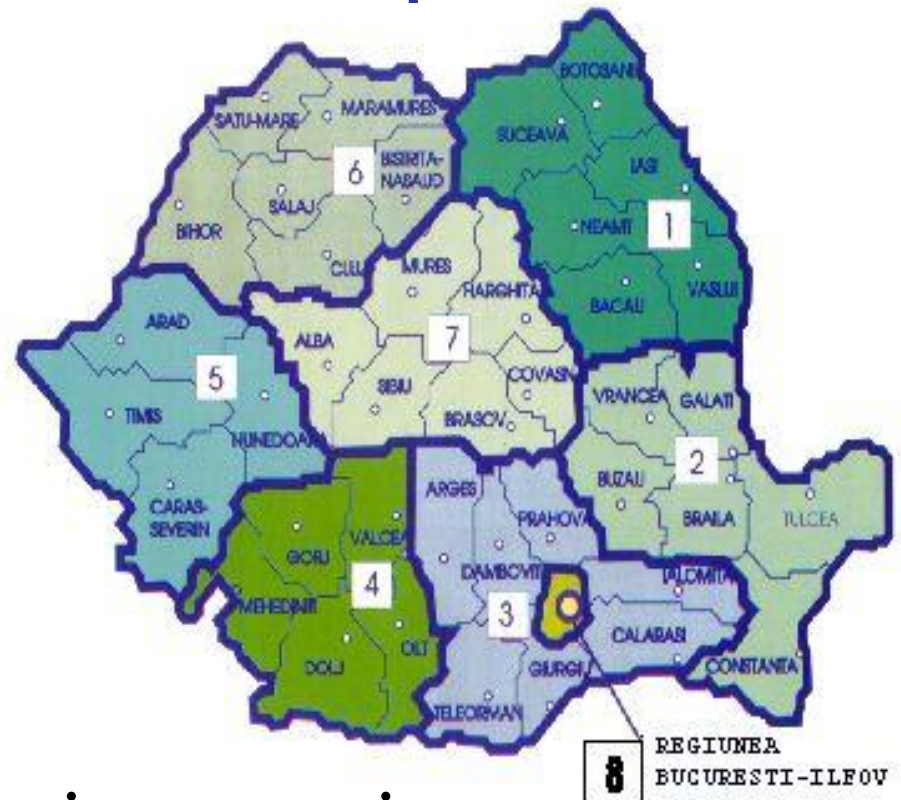
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Regional development concept



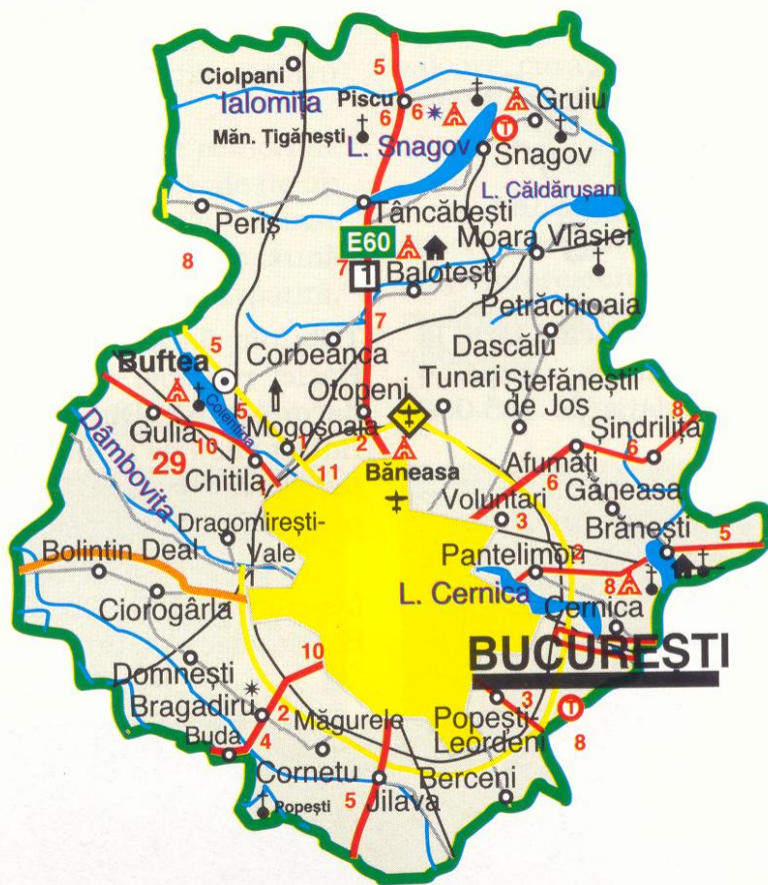
ROMANIA - 8 regions for socio-economic development Law nr.315 / 2004

Following the principles of EU regional development and cohesion policy

BI Region opportunities for you!

Regional Institutions

- BI Regional Development Agency
 - NGO for public utility
- BI Regional Development Council
 - the decision-making body



Bucharest Ilfov Regional Development Agency BIRDA

- Started its activity in the field of regional development on 1st of July 1999
- Implementing decisions of BI RDC (Bucharest-Ilfov Regional Development Council)



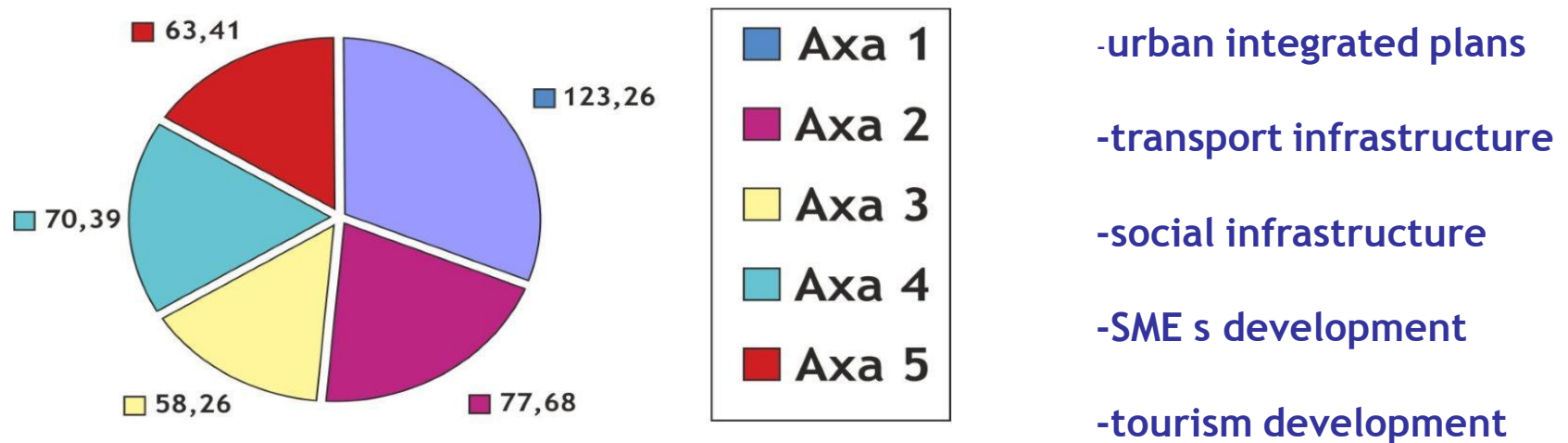
163, Mihai Eminescu, 2nd district, Bucharest

BIRDA is in charge of:

- **Elaboration of the Regional Development Strategy (RDP) 2014-2020**
- **Implementation of the Programmes for Regional Development: the EU Programmes for Assistance and Pre-Accession (PHARE), the Romanian Governmental Programmes for Development of the Region**
- **Implementation of Regio 2007-2013 as Intermediary Body for**
- **Promotion of the investment opportunities in order to support the sustained development of the region**

Intermediary Body for Regional Operational Program 2007-2013

Regio- a national program with regional implementation that focuses on the social and economic development, by improving the infrastructure and business environment



Financial allocation for Bucharest-Ilfov Region

BIRDA Intermediary Body for Regio (1)

1. The information and promotion activities of Regio:

- implementation of Regional Communication Plan
- the regional information office www.regioadrbi.ro/suport/
- the web page Regio www.regioadrbi.ro
- newsletter www.regioadrbi.ro/publicatii/newsletter
- relations with media
- the Regio communicators network

Regional Promotion and Investments Departament



BIRDA Intermediary Body for Regio (2)

2. Support for the development of projects

The Programming, Monitoring and Projects Portfolio Department

3. Project evaluation, selection and contracting

The Evaluation, Selection and Contracting Office

4. Projects monitoring

The Projects Monitoring Department



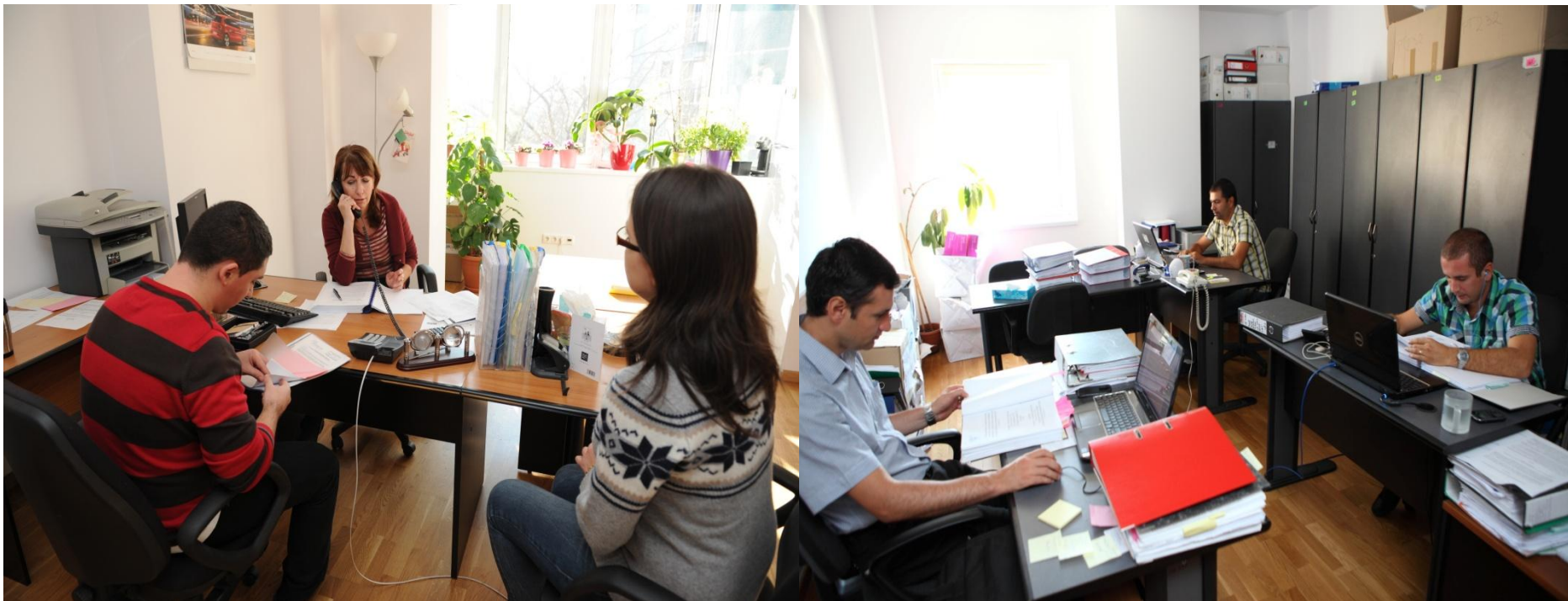
BIRDA Intermediary Body for Regio (3)

5. Projects verification

The Projects Verification Departament

6. Technical Assistance

The Technical Assistance Department



1.1 URBAN DEVELOPMENT INTEGRATED PLANS

Urban Centers

Allocation 507,3 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant(lei)
	66	874,8 millions
Contracted	33	403.746.811,35
Ilfov County	14	213.208.315,69
Bucharest	19	190.538.495,66
On going	29	388.235.726,29
Finished	4	15.511.085,06



1.1 URBAN DEVELOPMENT INTEGRATED PLANS

Examples (1)



Rehabilitation of the Ion Creanga Park from
Bucharest

1.1 URBAN DEVELOPMENT INTEGRATED PLANS

Examples (2)



Modernisation of Youth Park from Chitila, Ilfov county

2.1 IMPROUVMENT OF TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE

Allocation 319,7 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	40	978,3 millions
Contracted	18	429.242.561,58
Ilfov County	17	423.385.965,85
Bucarest	1	96.442.727,19
On going	6	207.728.319,55
Finished	12	221,514,242.03



2.1 IMPROUVMENT OF TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE

Examples (1)



Modernization of the County Road Buftea
from Ilfov County

2.1 IMPROUVMENT OF TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURE

Examples (2)



Modernization of the urban road from
Chitila. Ilfov Countv

3.1 REABILITATION, MODERNISATION OF HEALTHY INFRASTRUCTURE

Allocation 70,6 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	3	93,5 millions
Contracted	2	77.735.702,35
Ilfov County	1	68.925.359
Bucharest	1	8.810.343,35
On going	2	77.735.702,35



3.1 REABILITATION, MODERNISATION OF HEALTHY INFRASTRUCTURE - Example



Modernization of Ilfov County Hospital



3.2 REABILITATION, MODERNISATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES INFRASTRUCTURE

Allocation 36,3 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	34	90,7 millions
Contracted	14	36.931.014,19
Ilfov County	8	22.821.583
Bucharest	6	14.770.723
On going	12	28.248.385,05
Finished	2	5.604.366,10

3.2 REABILITATION, MODERNISATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES INFRASTRUCTURE

Example



Social centre for seniors from 2nd District, Bucharest

3.3. IMPROVING THE OPERATING BASES FOR EMERGENCY SITUATIONS

Allocation 6,3 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	2	49,9 milioane
Contracted	2	49.956.421,19
On going	1	14.308.607,60
Finished	1	35.647.813,59



3.3. IMPROVING THE OPERATING BASES FOR EMERGENCY SITUATIONS - EXAMPLES



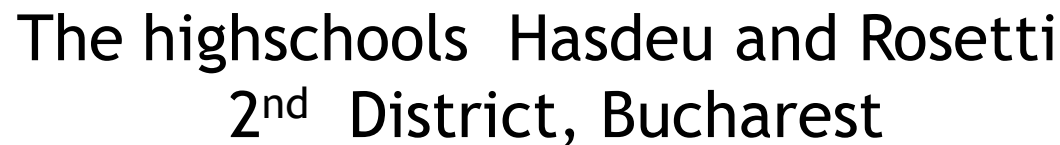
Development of profesional services for emergy situations in Bucharest-Ilfov region

3.4. REABILITATION, MODERNIZATION OF EDUCATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE

Allocation 103,9 mil lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	37	669,4 millions
Contracted	8	121.129.001,67
Ilfov County	6	72.485.217
Bucharest	2	48.643.784,67
On going	8	121.129.001,67

A wide-angle photograph of a busy street in Bucharest, Romania. The central focus is a large, ornate, light-colored building with a prominent tower and a red-tiled roof. The building has multiple stories with arched windows and a decorative facade. To the right, a modern, multi-story apartment building is visible in the background. The street is filled with cars, and a yellow car is parked on the right side. The sky is blue with scattered white clouds. Power lines are visible across the scene.



4.1. DEVELOPMENT OF BUSINESS INFRASTRUCTURE

Allocation 127,6 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	34	492,8 millions
Contracted	8	149.001.318,10
Ilfov County	2	17.495.757,34
Bucharest	5	87.655.353,81
On going	7	110.868.860,15
Canceled	1	38.132.458,50

4.1. DEVELOPMENT OF BUSINESS INFRASTRUCTURE - EXAMPLE



Center for business support WEST GATE BUSINESS CENTER

4.3. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR SMALL ENTERPRISES

Allocation 83,2 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	487	276,3 milioane
Contracted	188	140.052.850,38
Ilfov County	8	6.218.953
Bucharest	157	48.643.784,67
On going	55	48.394.569,74
Finished	110	79.673.548,96
Canceled	23	11.984.731,68



4.3. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR SMALL ENTERPRISES

EXAMPLES (1)



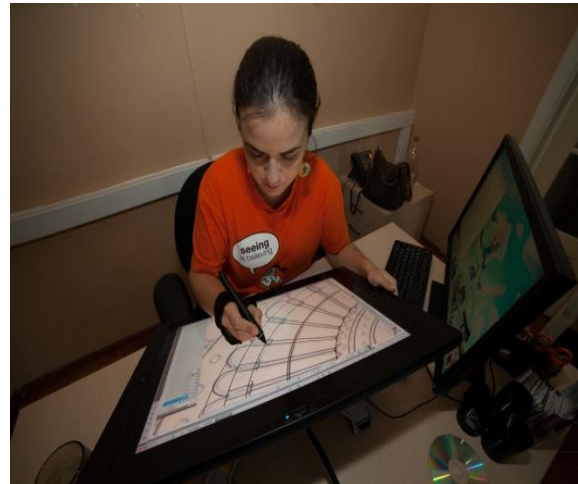
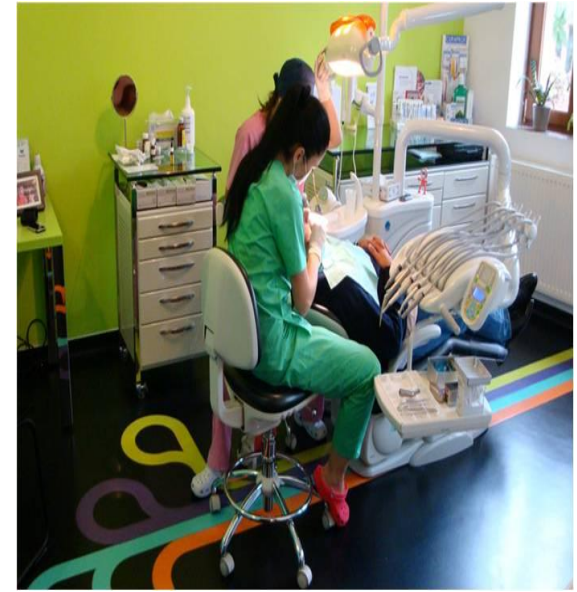
Fitness Center West Lige
from Bucharest



Development of the company
After Hours Cinema from
Bucharest

4.3. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR SMALL ENTERPRISES

EXAMPLES (2)



5.1. SUSTAINABLE RESTORATION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE INFRASTRUCTURE

Alocation 80,8 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant(lei)
	11	187 millions
Contracted	6	120.240.745,03
Ilfov County	-	-
Bucharest	6	120.240.745,03
On going	6	120.240.745,03



5.1. SUSTAINABLE RESTORATION OF CULTURAL HERITAGE INFRASTRUCTURE - EXAMPLES



Sofia Church from
Bucharest



Astronomic Observatory Vasile
Urseanu



5.2.DEVELOPING THE TOURISTIC POTENTIAL INFRASTRUCTURE

Allocation 137,4 millions lei

Projects	Projects number	Grant (lei)
	9	186,7 millions
Contracted	4	165.376.426,79
Ilfov County	-	-
Bucharest	4	165.376.426,79
On going	4	165.376.426,79

5.2. DEVELOPING THE TOURISTIC POTENTIAL INFRASTRUCTURE - EXAMPLE



Criss Hotel from Bucharest

Lessons learned through REGIO



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Contextual constraints:

- Economic crisis
- Cash issues
- Low FDI
- Increasing the rate exchange



Lessons learned through REGIO

Frequent mistakes:



- Missing or /and expired documents
- Insufficient or incorrect technical proposal / project
- Dissonance at the project management level: objectives- activities- agenda's activities & budget
- Implementation of public procurement procedures

Lessons learned through REGIO

- **Delays:** Time for reimbursement of money
- Financial corrections
- Human resource



Lessons learned through REGIO

Conclusions:

- Financial support
- European competencies for project management
- New negotiation skills
- Courage and trust in the European public policies



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