## **ROMANIAN LIGHTING CONVENTION 2011**

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Since 2001 till 2009, every two years the Lighting Engineering Center from Technical University of Cluj-Napoca has organized the ILUMINAT conferences. To continue this idea and in order to enhance the importance of lighting among architects, designers, city councils, decision makers and so on, we have decided to make a larger event – Romanian Lighting Convention 2011.

This event benefits from the support of International Commission Illumination (CIE), Romanian National Lighting Committee but also, for the first time, Professional Lighting Designers' (PLDA). Association Architects' Chamber of Romania and Romania Green Building Council (RoGBC). The sinergy from putting together all this organizations will create an exceptional occasion to promote and understand lighting and to meet people interested in this topic.

Lighting companies, architects. engineers, lighting designers, lighting representatives from local authorities and building contractors are expected to attend RLC 2011 on May 18-20, 2011, in Bucharest, at JW Marriott Bucharest Grand Hotel. They all will approach the main topic which concerns "Light and community" under various aspects: lighting and architecture; public lighting: LED technology; lighting objects design; sustainable lighting; the Lighting Designer.

The Convention will also include an exhibition with state-of-the-art products, a XX Century Lighting Design Icons gallery held at the Architecture University and a lighting application contest.

In order to encourage both young and experienced professionals in creating original, efficient and quality lighting works, the organizers decided to give them a boost by developing a series of contests. These are either based on previous projects that contestants made or, as the LED Design section, on original lighting designs. Details at www.rlc.org.ro

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