

TIMISOARA

TOUR

BANAT & TRANSYLVANIA GUIDE



CLAUDIU PEDA HISTORIAN & TOUR GUIDE

Dear Traveller,

My name is Claudiu Preda, I was born in Timisoara, and by the time the Revolution happened in '89 I was almost 15 years old.

I graduated in History from Babes-Bolyai University, and one of my very very distant relatives was the Mayor of this city in 1929.

I am an authorised Tour Guide for Romania and I provide Tour Guide services as an independent registered business. I offer sightseeing tours in Timisoara and tailored made excursions around the regions of Banat and Transylvania. My tours and excursions focus on History, Culture, Architecture, Romanian World Heritage sites, and the changes which have occurred in Romania and Banat since the fall of Communism.

**Best regards,
Claudiu Preda.**



INFO ABOUT THE GUIDED TOURS ON OFFER

Dear Traveller,

Most of the tourists and business people visiting Timisoara know almost nothing about city rich history. You will probably wonder why this city is a truly first timer in so many areas. How the city was founded, and how it become the Capital of Kingdom of Hungary. Why Timisoara was so disputed over the centuries between Hungary, Austria and Ottoman Empire, what about the Romanian Revolution? How and why Timisoara is today a multicultural pot where you can find so many nationalities living together. Timisoara's history speaks about revolutions, wars, progress, industrial and cultural premieres, first public services, and bright ideas. Timisoara's architecture resemble the old Austrian Kaiser Era, Hungarian Art Nouveau and so many other western and oriental influences. You can simply find answers to all these by taking a guided tour that fits your needs, interests and free time.

2 Hours Tour consists in visiting the main 3 squares in the very centre of the old city: Victory Square, Liberty Square and Unity Square. The main attractions are the Orthodox Cathedral, The Hunyadi's Castle, Opera House, The Catholic Church, The Serbian Church and Palace, The Baroque Palace, the Synagogue and all the important historic buildings along the route.

4 Hours Tour of the city starts from Maria Square passing Doja Square, Victory, Liberty and Unity Square and goes as far as Traian Square ending near the Beer Brewery. This tour is a easy walk and talk about Timisoara's history, including a presentation of main architectural and historic landmarks of the old and new town.

All Day Out Tour is a fully 6 hours assistance and guiding tour in Timisoara, Banat and Transylvania.

Leisure & Sport The forests, rivers and lakes surrounding Timisoara are a good opportunity for leisure and recreation. Tourists who have more than two days stop here, can enjoy the beautiful natural surroundings. I can be your guide for leisure activities like cycling, running or kayaking, activities not to miss or ignore.

Prices

Groups	2 Hours Tour	4 Hours Tour	6 Hours Tour
1 to 5 Tourists	29 € / Group	50 € / Group	70 € / Group
6 to 10 Tourists	39 € / Group	70 € / Group	80 € / Group
11 to 20 Tourists	59 € / Group	80 € / Group	90 € / Group

* all these prices listed above include tour guide services in Romanian and English language and do not include taxi or rent-a-car services, meals or museum tickets.



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