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The goal of the ROMANIA *AUSTRIAN ECONOMICS* SUMMER SCHOOL is to educate the public in understanding economic phenomena and the importance of institutions that encourage development and prosperity; to promote the ideas of liberty, to help people learn a fundamental way of thinking about a free society which can be applied to every aspect of decision making for professional and private life.

Participants will have the opportunity to appreciate how the economy works using the principles discovered and refined for generations by the members of the Austrian School of Economics. They will acquire a solid foundation for explaining human action, interpreting and anticipating the effects of policy measures.

The school will be a great academic experience for a further reason. The participants will have the opportunity to meet, study and discuss with prestigious free market thinkers and great pedagogical talents. Among them, Ken Schoolland, the author of the famous book popularizing economic insights, *The Adventures of Jonathan Gullible: A Free Market Odyssey* (“Aventurile lui Jonathan Gullible”), a worldwide bestseller, published in 46 languages.

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TOPICS	
Privatization and Education	Philosophy of Liberty & The Folly of Income Redistribution
Spontaneous Order and Institutions	Public Goods and the Market
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Savings: the Driving Force of the Economy	The Financial Crisis: How We Got In, How to Get Out
Redistribution in times of an aging society	The market provision of public goods
How bad policy causes depressions	Free-market money
Privatization of Healthcare	Entrepreneurship for Students 101
Elements of Austrian-school economics	Why the pure free market is ethical
5 Flags for Freedom	Decentralized democracy
The "Big Society"	Could roads be privatised?

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