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**42<sup>nd</sup> Conference of  
Rectors and  
Presidents of  
European Universities of Technology**

**The university's role  
to improve the global health and well-being**

**September 20 – 21, 2024**

**2024 Conference host:  
Rector Mihnea Costoiu  
National University of Science and  
Technology Politehnica Bucharest**

# Crp 2024 main topics

- Universities' research strategies for health improvement treatments and the enhancement of wellbeing of the society,
- Universities' innovation in healthcare covering microelectronics, sensors, system integration and healthcare technology assessment.
- All forms of digital health, data and image analytics, optimizing algorithm, artificial intelligence.
- New ways in development of active pharmaceutical ingredients and in production of drugs.
- The new curriculum focused on multi-disciplinary courses related to health and general approaches for health innovation.
- Institutional strategies to promote a culture of health and wellbeing among students and employees,
- Advanced universities' contributions across electrical and biomedical engineering as well as emerging technologies which are influencing healthcare today: communication systems, computer science, sensing technology, etc.
- Contribution of universities to healthcare engineering education & training as well as for healthcare intervention: technologies for disease prevention, diagnosis, treatment and management, technologies for patient care, technologies for allied health specialties and engineering for dental and medical specialties, engineering for pharmacy.





# National University of Science and Technology POLITEHNICA Bucharest

accelerating industrial revolutions





Hello!

# Romania

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- ⦿ 12th largest country in Europe by size
- ⦿ 6th largest country in the EU by population (19.3 mil.)
- ⦿ Official language Romanian – romance language
- ⦿ 4th in EU by the average number of languages learned in upper secondary schools
- ⦿ English and French – dominant foreign languages spoken in the country
- ⦿ Fastest growing industry: IT, while Romania has one of the fastest internet infrastructures in the world







Hello!

# Bucharest

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- ⦿ Political, economic and cultural center of Romania
- ⦿ Largest city in Romania, with 1.8 mil inhabitants
- ⦿ 4th largest city in EU
- ⦿ It holds the second largest administrative building in the world – The Parliament Palace and many other impressive historical landmarks



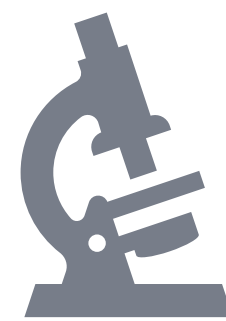


# WHO WE ARE



## Tradition

The most prestigious technical university in Romania, with over 200 years of history



## Research

The most important research center in the region, with outputs towards the private sector



## Partner

An international partner to some of the most prestigious and innovative universities in the world



# Quality teaching and learning

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30,000 students enrolled in BSc, MSc, and PhD studies

**2,785** total staff; **1,334** academic staff,  
**370** PhD coordinators

**15** faculties, **47** study programs in **English**, **German** and **French**

## Bachelor

**21** major fields  
**95** distinct specializations  
**4** years duration

## Master

**176** specializations  
**2** years duration

## PhD

**16** fields of Engineering  
Sciences

A background image of a laboratory setting. In the foreground, a person wearing a white lab coat and safety goggles is looking down, possibly at a piece of equipment. In the background, another person is visible, and there are various laboratory glassware and equipment, including a large round-bottom flask and a pipette.

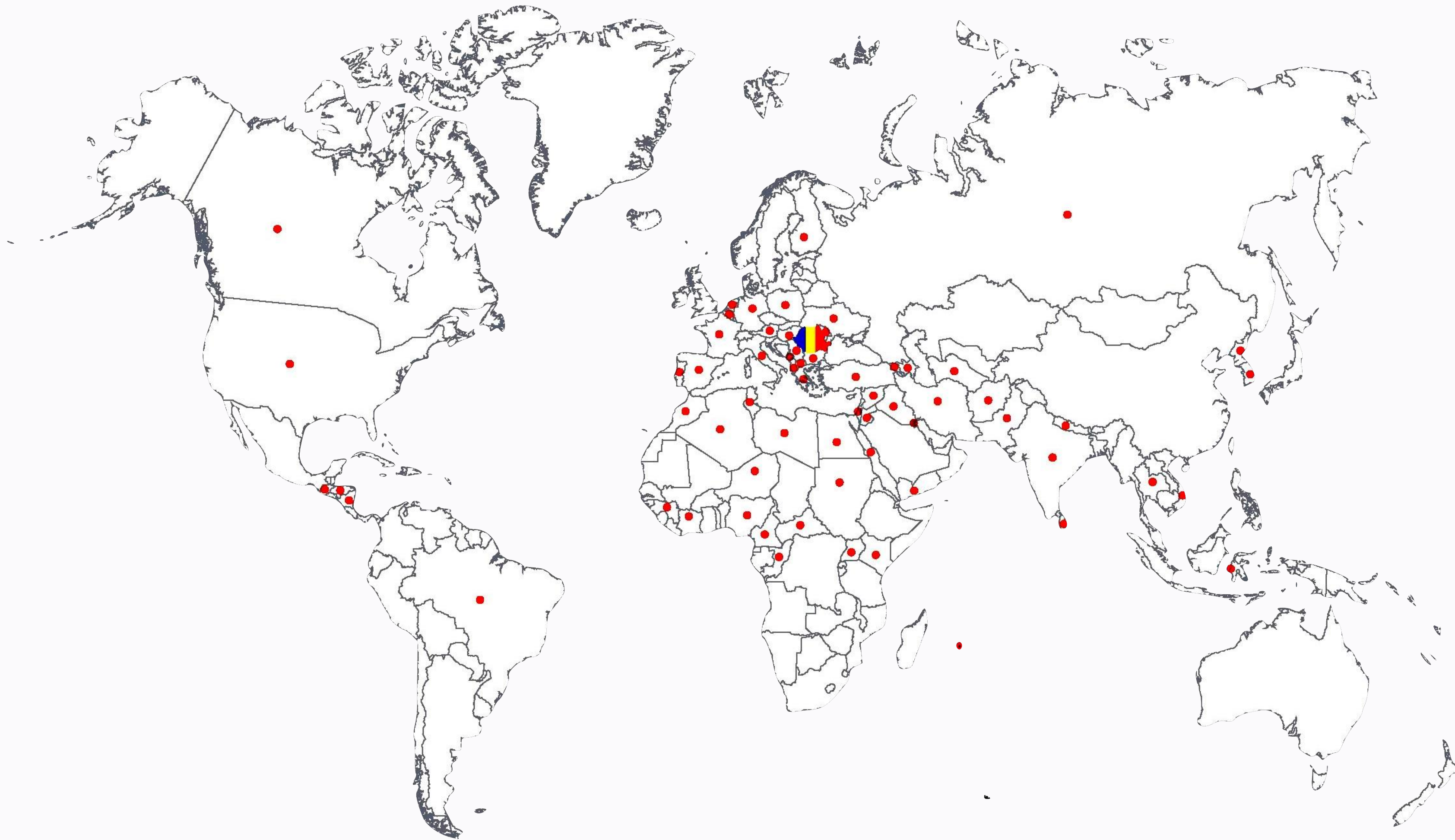
# Faculties

- ◉ *Faculty of Electrical Engineering*
- ◉ *Faculty of Power Engineering*
- ◉ *Faculty of Automatics and Computer Science*
- ◉ *Faculty of Electronics, Telecommunications and Information Technology*
- ◉ *Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Mechatronics*
- ◉ *Faculty of Industrial Engineering and Robotics*
- ◉ *Faculty of Material Science and Engineering*
- ◉ *Faculty of Biotechnical Systems Engineering*
- ◉ *Faculty of Transports*
- ◉ *Faculty of Aerospace Engineering*
- ◉ *Faculty of Chemical Engineering and Biotechnologies*
- ◉ *Faculty of Engineering in Foreign Languages*
- ◉ *Faculty of Applied Sciences*
- ◉ *Faculty of Medical Engineering*
- ◉ *Faculty of Entrepreneurship, Business Engineering and Management*



# Grown locally, spread internationally

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collaborating with universities from over 100 countries



A background image of a laboratory setting. In the foreground, a woman with long dark hair, wearing a white lab coat and clear safety goggles, is looking down. In the background, another person is visible, looking through a microscope. Various laboratory equipment, including a large round-bottom flask with green liquid and a pipette, are visible on the right side.

# Research at a large scale

- ◉ Over 500 implemented research projects in the last 3 years
- ◉ 3 UPB grants funded by European Research Council
- ◉ Projects funded from European Funds: almost 40% of the total university project funds;
- ◉ GEX and GNaC grants from UPB own programmes - 225 research projects for young post-doctoral researchers;
- ◉ UPB received the 'HR Excellence in research' in 2020 for implementing the Human Resources Strategy for Researchers (HRS4R)



# Research at a large scale

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## Infrastructure

- ◉ 51 research centres
- ◉ 34,000 m<sup>2</sup> dedicated to research
- ◉ 70 new state-of-the-art laboratories
- ◉ 115 pending patents
- ◉ Over 1,000 WOS publications yearly





# Two new research facilities (CAMPUS & PRECIS)



- ◉ 16.300.000 EUR invested
- ◉ 41 state of the art research labs
- ◉ Oriented towards private sector services and international cooperation



- ◉ 10.937.586 EUR invested
- ◉ 28 research labs
- ◉ 11 international projects in which PRECIS infrastructure will be involved



# Over 1000 partner companies

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**Adobe**

**Google**

**Continental**

**THALES**  
Building a future we can all trust

**OMV**



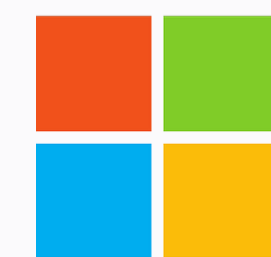
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**ENGIE**

**SAINT-GOBAIN**

**ORACLE**

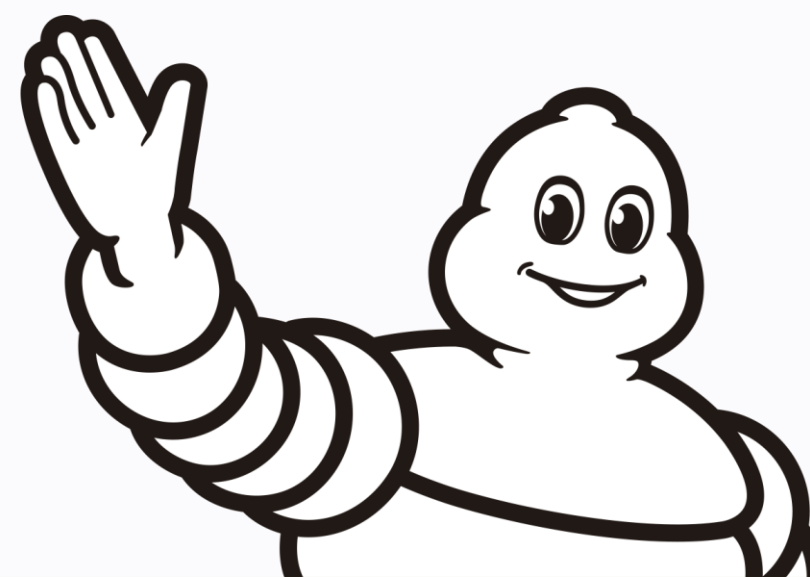
**IBM**



**Microsoft**

**orange**<sup>TM</sup>

**Honeywell**



**MICHELIN**

**VEOLIA**



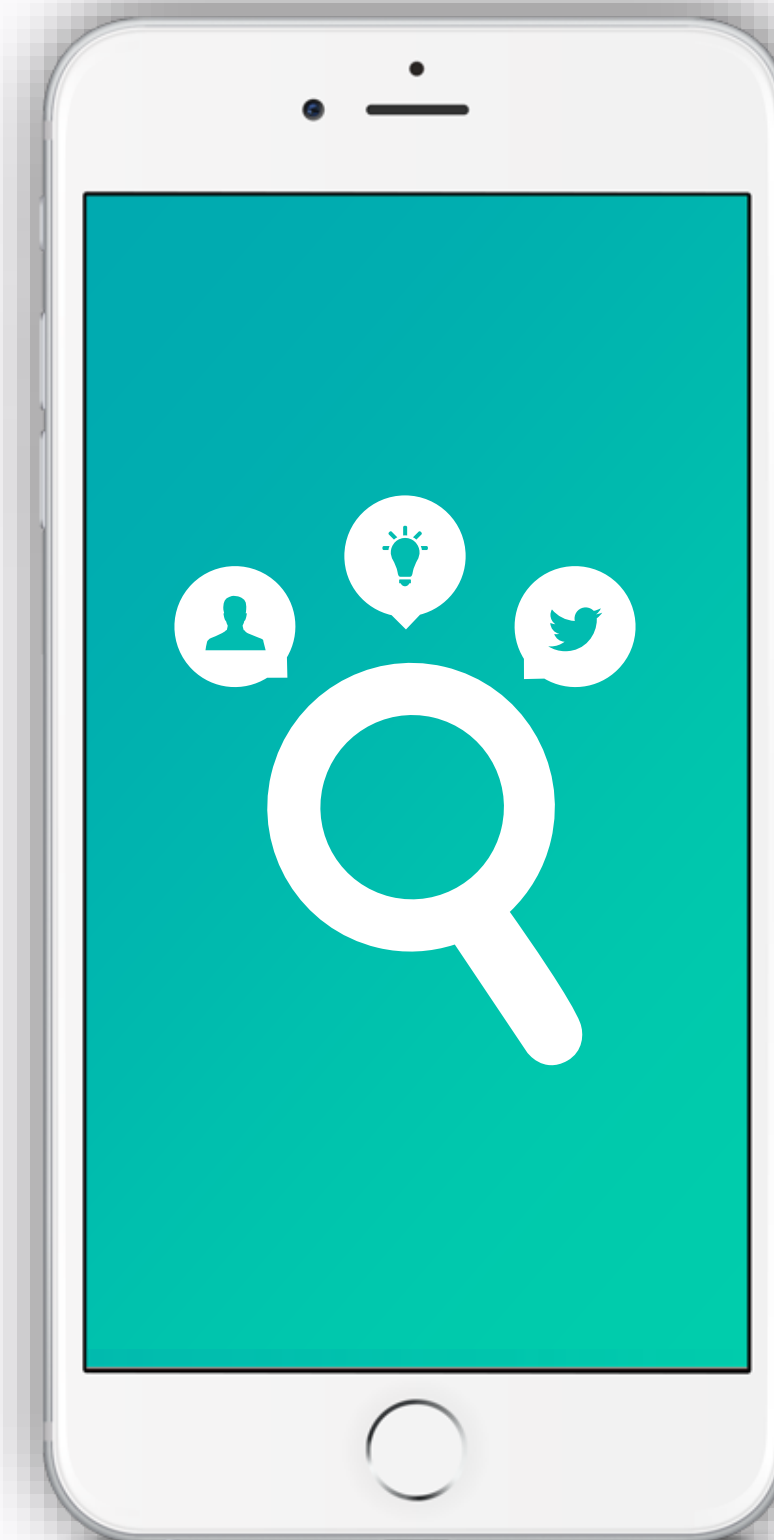
# A voice that cannot be ignored

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UPB is renowned at the national and regional level. We do more than reach all media outlets. We are a media outlet.

Starting this year, UPB is launching **EURONEWS ROMANIA** - a voice for the European education. Stay tuned!

Important events within UPB will benefit from not just national, but international coverage.



TV channels



Social media



Press





# International Associations Membership

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# EELISA European University

UPB is a member of EELISA (European Engineering Learning Innovation and Science Alliance) - the first alliance of Higher Education Institutions from different countries in Europe meant to define and implement a common model of European engineer rooted in society.

9 European partners and one Associated partner – ENAEE (European Network for Accreditation of Engineering Education)



**EELISA**  
European University

<https://eelisa.eu/>



# The UPB Event Hub

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Aula Magna Conference Center – 1200 places



# The UPB Event Hub

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## The Central Library



# The UPB Event Hub

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Central Library events halls / conference center



# The UPB Event Hub / Conference Center

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Amphitheater



Event halls



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Thank you!