

## Second Local Forum in Romania

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Western University "Vasile Goldis" Arad together with the Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture Arad and Economic College Arad organized on November, 26<sup>th</sup> 2009 at Expo Arad International the Second Local Forum on Energy. The forum was attended by students, teachers, parents, members of school board, local authorities, Electricians` Association, Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture, Environmental Agency, SME`s.

The event started with a summary of the first Forum, a presentation about the efficiency of solar panels and one about "Alternative energy, a future for our lives". The participants were divided in three working groups, discussing about three main issues:

1. Energy and Education
2. Energy and cooperation with economic entities
3. Energy and construction of schools

The Forum ended by presenting the results coming out in thematic working groups and final discussion.

The event was widely popularized by mass media: newspapers and the local television network.