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Letter from
the President

There are years when the personal stories we discover through the activity of the Foundation touch us deeply and teach us memorable lessons.

But then there are these other years, just like the last one, when we felt that the gaps between us narrowed for the first time in a very long while and we were suddenly and unescapably all just as vulnerable as each other in the hands of fate. We were dazed, scared and destabilized down to the v ery core of our everyday life. It affected our most subconscious social reflexes. All of a sudden, the differences between us faded away in the face of the need for understanding and support.

Fortunately, the good people who stand by you in the good times will be there when the great needs strikes, as it is just the natural place to be. We were able to see that in the good natured way with which our partners replied to the collaboration proposals we sent out.

Once again, we felt how important the connection we have managed to build over these past 10 years is – we always knew we could rely on each other to help others further down the line.

Paradoxically enough, the 10th yearly Gala of the Kronospan Foundation was the least festive one so far and the tenth year of projects was heavy-going and unpredictable, because of the ever changing conditions. Even a little planting initiative – something as simple as that – turned out to be a major challenge because of the restrictions.

Though undeniably challenging, this 10th year has brought out the altruism in people, despite the social distancing. We could somehow see even more joy in the eyes of the recipients of school stationery and laptops, all convinced that there is still kindness out there. And it made us work harder than ever, which can only be good news for the near future. We can't wait to meet up again, to shake hands and be able to see each other's smiles. We want to celebrate together the joy of having overcome what could be the hardest time in our collective journeym, readier than ever to help those who are still struggling and in need of our support.



Dr. Oana Bodea,
President of the Kronospan Foundation

Education

Kronospan Scholarship
Meet Our Scholars & Graduates

The Kronospan Scholarship has succeeded in providing the best educational opportunities for younger generations by partnering up with Babson College, one of the most prestigious educational institutions schools in the United States of America. The scholarship offered by the Kronospan Foundation has given 8 valued young people the opportunity to study at one of the U.S. Top 20 Business Programs and the best school for entrepreneurship and has covered all the costs related to course attendance. What's more, the beneficiaries of the scholarships had the chance to participate in internships at Kronospan throughout their years of study, positioning them to take on leading employment positions within the company in the future.

The Kronospan Foundation's initiative to be an active supporter of education was motivated by understanding and believing that younger generations are the leaders of the future. The scholarship granted access to a top-flight business education at Babson College in Massachusetts, U.S.A. This meant not only a high-level education, but also the opportunity to travel and live overseas while racking up enriching international experience. Their time at Babson College changed not only their life prospects, it also contributed to improving their local communities by setting an example for other companies and inspiring young people to focus more on education.

01. **Claudia Ogrezeanu**
Romania, Class of 2016

02. **Kamil Altintaşoğlu**
Romania, Class of 2017

03. **Lizaveta Litvinava**
Belarus, Class of 2018

04. **Hai Péter Pham**
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Generating new opportunities

The Kronospan Foundation will continue to generate new opportunities to support the young people's education because the belief that motivates us to go further and make an impact is that "a community with a high degree of education and awareness of its identity and traditions secures the essential premises for future progress.", as Dr. Oana Bodea, the President of the Kronospan Foundation, said.

The overall amount invested by the Kronospan Foundation in this project is $2,105,000, plus the costs for each scholar's bi-yearly internships.

The scholarship offered by the Kronospan Foundation covered all course attendance-related costs for four years, including the tuition fee, the meal and accommodation expenses, books and medical insurance, as well as the costs of the two-way travel between the country of origin and the U.S.A. After the first year of studies, the recipients of the scholarship were also given the opportunity to take on internships within Kronsopan, both during the summer and the winter holidays, all expenses paid. For eight years, young people from 29 countries applied for this scholarship programme, the winners being always selected by the representatives of Babson College.

The project continued in 2020 with the support granted to the 3 scholarship holders who are still studying at Babson College as Kronospan Scholarship recipients – Anna, Martina, Ariana.

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Claudia Ogrezeanu

Romania, Class of 2016

was the first Kronospan Scholar to graduate from Babson College in 2016.

Her life changed the moment she was accepted. Before she found out about this opportunity, she wanted to pursue a degree in Statistics in her home country, Romania. We cannot help but wonder where she would be now if the Kronospan Scholarship did not exist or if she had not chosen to take advantage of all the opportunities offered by Babson College and Kronospan. She currently works at Microsoft in Brussels and her experience at Babson College, the internships in numerous countries and the skills she learned made her suitable for any position in Business. The scholarship the Kronospan Foundation offers granted her access to a top-flight education in the Business Field while encouraging her to connect with people from all over the world because, as she says herself, “the Babson community is very global, with more than 33% of students being from abroad”.

Claudia was aware of the differences between Babson College‘s high level of education and the educational system in her own country. “The resources we had access to as Babson students are countless, ranging from a Career Development Center to a Math Resource Center to Academic Planning”. The structure of the Babson’s curriculum was created with regard to the academic information and the hands-on learning, in order to train the future leaders and entrepreneurs, who could make a change. “The experience was like a rollercoaster for me because no two days were alike and there was always something I could learn from. I also did a semester away in San Francisco and a few courses abroad in Peru and Malaysia, fact that really helped me broaden my horizons in terms of career culture and the spectrum of jobs I could be good at”, Claudia said.

The internships offered by Babson College and Kronospan in different countries not only offered the opportunity to gain academic and professional experience, they also contributed to enriching and fulfilling her personal life.

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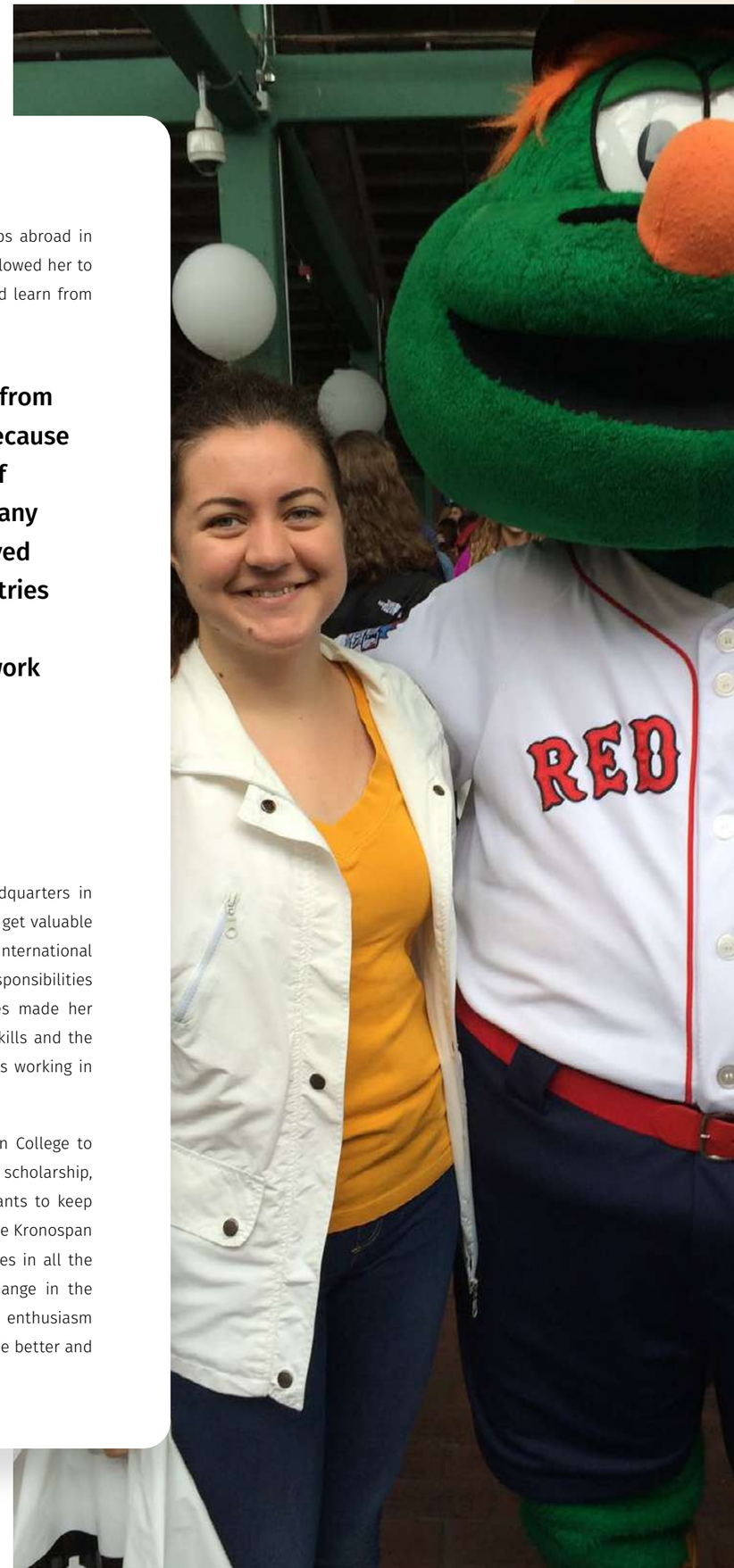
Claudia mentions that her internships abroad in San Francisco, Singapore and Peru allowed her to explore numerous career options and learn from experts.

“I learnt something new from every professor I had, because of the broad spectrum of experiences they had, many of them being still involved in their respective industries and providing us with studies directly from a work environment”.

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The internships at Kronospan’s headquarters in different countries helped Claudia to get valuable insight into the workflow of an international company and understand the responsibilities of every position. These experiences made her gain international experience, new skills and the chance to network with professionals working in various parts of the world.

Claudia, the first graduate of Babson College to receive the Kronospan Foundation’s scholarship, is open to new perspectives and wants to keep learning something new every day. The Kronospan Foundation carries on these initiatives in all the projects designed to generate a change in the society by embracing new ideas with enthusiasm and generosity and learning how to be better and do better.







“... being surrounded by people who share a similar passion and determination made Kamil appreciate the importance of creating connections and learning from the success of others...”

said Kamil

Kamil Altintaşoğlu

Romania, Class of 2017

is the Kronospan Scholar who graduated from Babson College in 2017. Since then, he has worked for Deutsche Bank in New York, Equity International in Chicago and a private equity fund focused on Emerging Markets.

A fellow Global Scholar introduced him to the founder of a startup payments company where he currently works. “We are a very dynamic and young company with big plans, which makes every day quite inspiring”. Kamil said that everything in his career path has been linked to the internships offered by Babson College and to the friendships and relationships he built there.

Kamil wanted to study in the U.S.A. long before he found out about the Kronospan Scholarship. He moved from Romania to embark on the Babson academic track, describing that moment as one of his happiest and also as a turning point that changed his life.

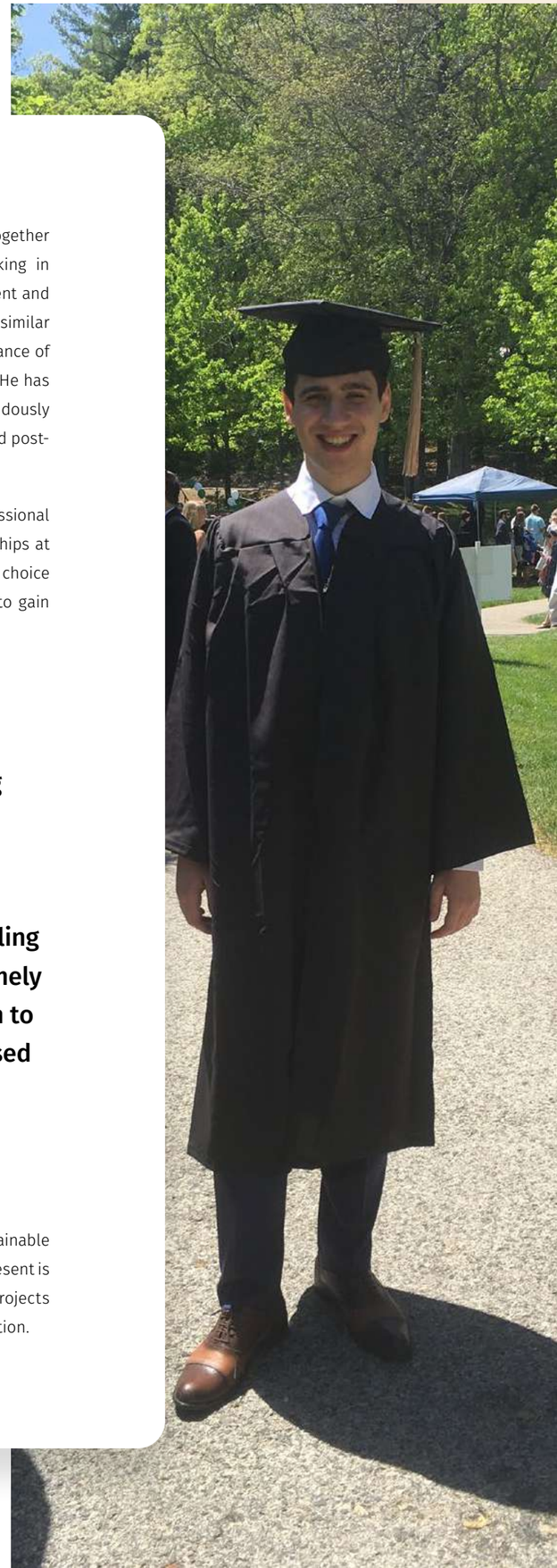
The Kronospan Foundation believes in the tremendous potential of youth, while Babson College has the power to make students understand the global perspectives and come up with ideas that could have a positive impact on the world. Kamil, like all the other brilliant students, achieved academically and gained valuable work experience during his time at Babson. He referred to his experience at this college as “akin to osmosis” because he had the chance to learn and improve simply by being surrounded by talented students and dedicated professors who inspired him and shaped his character. He was on a continuous development journey and was involved in several projects and internships during his 4 years of study, such as a national competition that was held in Utah and where he and his classmates represented Babson against other universities from the U.S. and won first place.

Babson College aims to bring the leaders of tomorrow together because it believes that hands-on experience and networking in business are some of the best resources for career development and professional success. Being surrounded by people who share a similar passion and determination made Kamil appreciate the importance of creating connections and learning from the success of others. He has said that his connections and friendships have been tremendously helpful in his career path as he found numerous internships and post-graduation opportunities.

The Kronospan Foundation has had a direct impact on the professional development of its scholars through the international internships at the company. This was one of the motivating factors for Kamil’s choice to apply for the Kronospan Scholarship, because he wanted to gain practical experience outside the university campus.

"In retrospect, I cannot be happier with the decision given the international and functional experience I gathered working in sales, finance, procurement between the U.K., Serbia, Austria and China and among others. The ability to learn how a professional organization works and dealing with different cultures gave me an extremely strong foundation, even though I went on to sectors very different from the wood-based panel industry."

The Kronospan Foundation’s mission to contribute to the sustainable development of the local communities where the company is present is achievable through the education and culture initiatives and projects and with the help, dedication and vision of the younger generation.



Lizaveta Litvinava

Belarus, Class of 2018

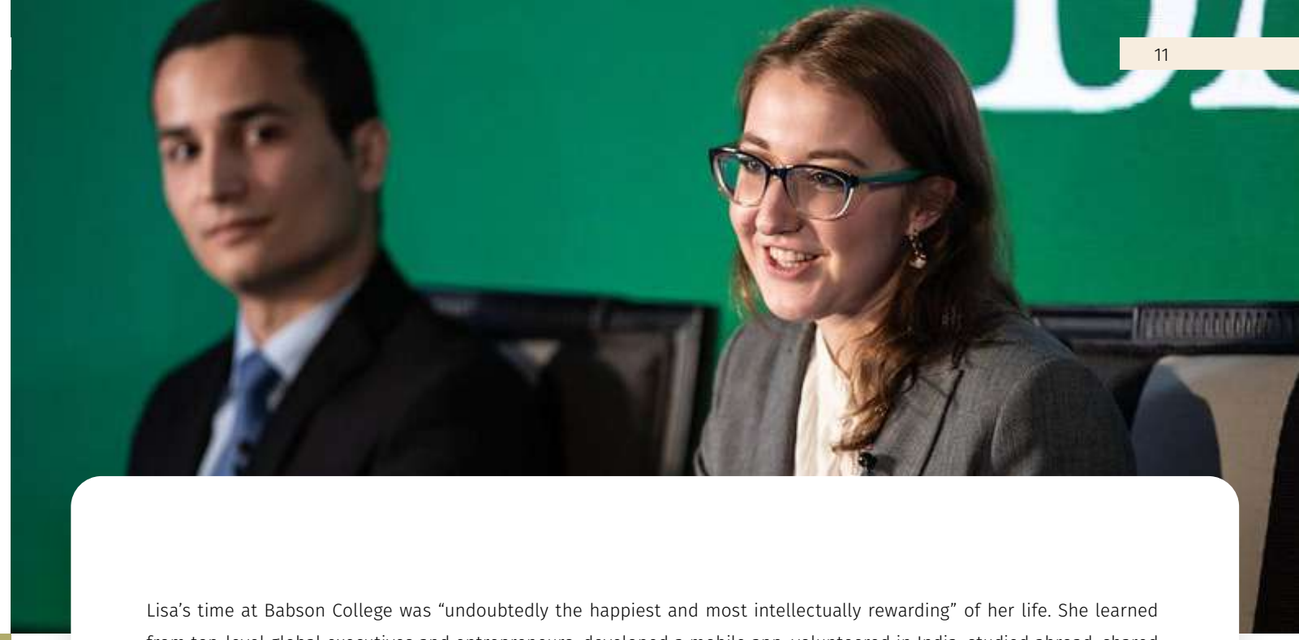
graduated from Babson College in 2018 and chose to pursue a career in Business and Strategy Consulting in Boston. The Kronospan Scholarship paved her career path by granting access to high-quality education and, more importantly, by outing its faith in her. In the future, she wants to inspire women in Belarus and worldwide to pursue their dreams and take on more leadership roles within their communities.



“... at this point, I cannot imagine my life without Babson and the opportunity from Kronospan...” said Lisa

Her 4 years of study were full of unique opportunities, lifelong friendships, strong connections and the chance to keep on learning and fulfilling her potential. Lizaveta moved from Belarus to the U.S.A. and embarked on the Babson journey that took her to 9 different countries and various U.S. states.

Before opening the decision letter from Babson and seeing the word “Congratulations!”, a moment she recalls as one of the happiest of her life, she was thinking of applying to the Belarusian State University and pursuing a career in international relations. She has always been interested in cultural differences and their impact on a country’s business and political environment, but the Kronospan Scholarship at Babson College offered her more than just access to a top-flight business education. It changed her life prospects by giving her access to a worldwide experience in business. “One of my favorite experiences was a BRIC program, a flagship semester-long, globally comparative and academically rigorous study abroad experience in Shanghai, St. Petersburg and New Delhi. Experiences on BRIC program allowed me to a unique opportunity to personally explore the countries, which are still considered the driving forces of the global economy. Additionally, the program helped me understand the importance of intercultural communication and the high influence that culture has on people and on the ways they do business”.



Lisa’s time at Babson College was “undoubtedly the happiest and most intellectually rewarding” of her life. She learned from top-level global executives and entrepreneurs, developed a mobile app, volunteered in India, studied abroad, shared the stage with Tommy Hilfiger and Leila Janah and told her story of coming to Babson from a small country and becoming a recipient of a Babson Global Leadership award. And the accolades keep on coming thanks to the Kronospan Foundation. “With the help of the scholarship, I was able to study subjects I have never thought I would be interested in, visit places I never thought I would visit, meet people I never thought I would meet, and recognize that there is no limit to what I can achieve”.

The Kronospan Foundation has not only given the beneficiaries of the scholarship a chance of higher education with hands-on learning in the global community and a bright future, it has provided internship programs at Kronospan’s headquarters all over the world to prepare them for their future careers. As Lizaveta says, the Kronospan internships have been extremely valuable because she gained experience in communication, negotiation processes, budgeting, sales and project management. “Being able to intern within different departments and geographical regions provided me a valuable clarity about what industry I am interested in and where I can achieve the most success”.

The Foundation is committed to supporting younger generations to contribute to the sustainable development of communities.

“Kronospan Scholarship changed my life. Throughout my 4 years of college, Kronospan provided me with professional opportunities, invaluable guidance, mentorship, and support. The Kronospan Foundation gave me a chance for a bright future. The world is full of leaders who are fortunate to have access to opportunities and resources, which are inaccessible to a lot of bright young people.”

The Kronospan Foundation chose to start an international endeavor through the Kronospan Scholarship because it believes in these brilliant young people from all over the world.



Hai Péter Pham

Hungary, Class of 2019

finished his journey at Babson College in 2019 and currently works at a software development vendor company in Boston as an analyst.

His career started the moment he found out he was the 2015 Kronospan Scholar. “It was a surreal experience, definitely one of the proudest moments of my life so far.”

The scholarship offered by the Kronospan Foundation inspired Peter to keep following the foundation’s initiatives and help people get a step closer to their potential. He is also passionate about making the most of the latest scientific and technology innovations in business and nonprofits organizations.

His Babson College journey was simply life changing. Peter moved from Hungary to another continent and into a very competitive environment, where he found people who share many of his principles and who pushed him to be the best version of himself. “This scholarship changed pretty much everything for me. The internships, mentorship from Kronospan employees, and hands-on learning at Babson have shaped me into a well-rounded problem solver”.

Kronospan Foundation partnered up with Babson College because they shape the leaders of tomorrow – the people who can understand global perspectives and motivate teams with a common purpose. The mission of Babson College reflects the Foundation’s mission, “to educate leaders who create great economic and social value everywhere”.

Peter describes his time at Babson College as “a humbling and at the same time motivating experience” because he was surrounded by incredibly talented students from all around the world and by leaders who have had great successes in their careers. One of the highlights of his time spent at the university is condensed into the lessons he received from his professors. “One of my professors talked in detail about his career in private equity. He helped me understand the importance of people in the organization I’m operating in, that treating them kindly and with respect directly correlated to a professional success.”

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said Péter







As well as the valuable experience he gained at Babson College, Peter also interned at Kronospan offices in different countries where he had the chance to see how a market-leading organization with over 100 years’ experience operates and sustains a successful business. “I sat next to workers in the factory and also next to directors in the boardroom. I saw sales, marketing, finance, operations, accounting in many different countries. I especially enjoyed talking to people all over the organization, who told me about their recipes for their success. Seeing how a ‘winning’ company operates around the world has shown me the standards I aspire to achieve wherever I work.”

The Foundation’s belief is that education is a key pillar in a healthy society. Peter, who as well as being a Babson scholar is also a follower of the Kronospan Foundation’s initiative to make an impact in his community, understands that “private entities play a bigger role than ever in shaping the future of society in the 21st century” and believes that other companies should follow this example.





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Poland Class of 2020

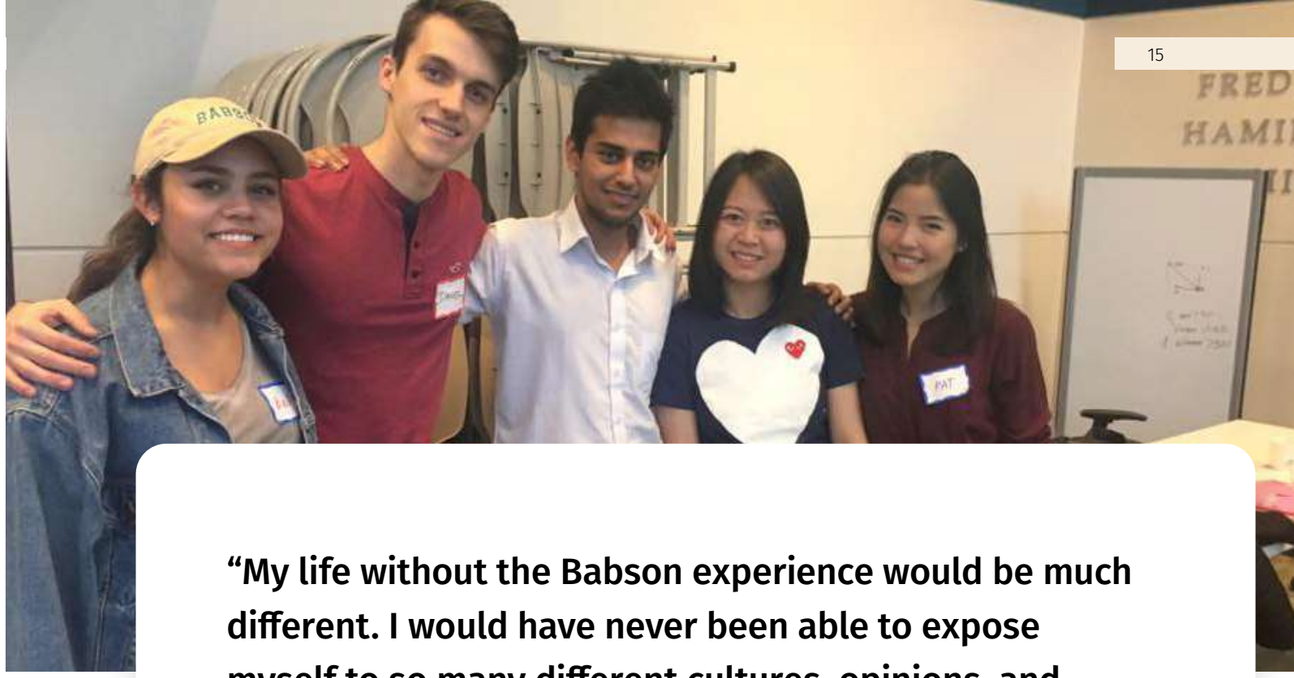
is the Kronospan Scholar who graduated from Babson College in 2020 Summa Cum Laude.

He describes the moment he found out he had received the Kronospan Foundation scholarship as life-changing, mentioning the fact that this opportunity had a tremendous impact on his career and personal development.

Daniel believes that as long as we are flexible and willing to learn, life will be sprinkled with happiness and success. At the moment, he works as an analyst at Wayfair and is eager to learn more about the incredible culture of Singapore and other countries in South-East Asia. “Thanks to Babson, affecting the world around me in a positive way has become not only a hobby of mine, but also a mission”.

The Kronospan Scholarship does more than support students financially. It encourages them to develop their passions and skills while granting access to the necessary resources for them to grow and reach their full potential. Daniel has stated that the scholarship provided him with the means to pursue a degree at a top-notch college and the chance to grow as a professional by completing internships at Kronospan sites all over the world.

His experience at Babson College started with the desire to make an impact, “just like everyone at Babson”. He wanted to grow as a leader and he learned how to stay driven and never give in. “The very first minute you spend at Babson, you can feel the enormous impact the school’s environment has on its students. You feel empowered and motivated to grow as you see everyone around you is working hard to achieve their goals. Babson College is ranked #1 School for Entrepreneurship for a reason. The college’s leadership is always focused on maintaining that culture of collaboration and work ethic.”. His interest, as well as his knowledge, in data analytics has grown by virtue of one of his professors, Devit Khachatryan, who taught him the basics of data science. This turned out to be the foundation of his current career path.



“My life without the Babson experience would be much different. I would have never been able to expose myself to so many different cultures, opinions, and sources of knowledge”.

Daniel also remembers his study abroad programs in Paris and Singapore. The scholarship, the Babson College educational plan and his willingness to broaden his knowledge helped him land an exchange program in Singapore at one of the best universities – Singapore Management University – and the chance to explore Asia and its culture to boot.

The Kronospan Scholarship was created with the aim of helping young people become the leaders of tomorrow and be leaders who are inspired and inspire others to do better. The people at Kronospan chose to actively engage in the professional training of the scholars by offering internships at Kronospan’s sites for them to acquire first-hand business knowledge and experience. Daniel learned numerous aspects of every area of business during his internships, which prepared him for entering the job market with valuable skills and confidence. “I learned how to manage and optimize processes, reduce costs, and network effectively. All that has had an enormous impact on who I am as a person and as a professional today."

The Kronospan Foundation’s mission is an example to be followed because it has a positive impact on society and as Daniel himself said, “Students benefit from the top education and support. Local communities benefit because their members are more educated and bring in more diverse ideas. Companies benefit because they have the opportunity to hire soon-to-be highly skilled professionals”.



Anna Saltykova

Ukraine, Class of 2021

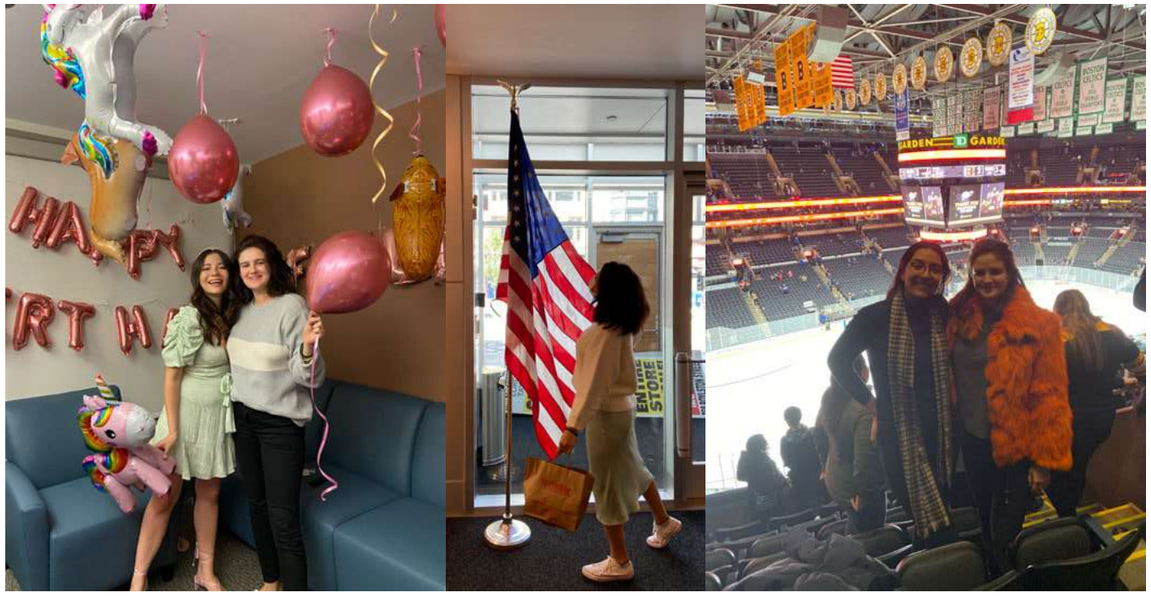
is one of the Babson's class of 2021 and an example to anyone searching for their path in life. When asked what she wants to achieve in the future, she said that happiness and fulfilment are her utmost priorities and that one piece of this puzzle is building an amazing career.

A milestone on this journey was the moment when Anna's dream became reality. Since she was a high school student in Ukraine, she'd dreamt about studying in the U.S. The Kronospan Scholarship provided her access to the world's best education and the opportunity to learn, expand her horizons and to develop her academic, professional and interpersonal skills. Her experience at Babson College was driven by enthusiasm and the mission to pursue her dream. It is well-known that Babson expects its students to be exceptional leaders both in and outside of the classrom and it provides numerous resources to students so that they can develop their leadership skills, encouraging them to take initiative and get involved in the activities offered by this prestigious school.

Anna recognizes that the Kronospan Foundation's main values are also mainstays at Babson College. "Students are held up to a very high standard of academic and professional excellence, which is not measured directly by grades, but by their willingness to try their best and learn from their mistakes. Respect is core when you are working with others, especially with people from different countries, cultures, skin color and professional aspirations. As for integrity, Babson students are abided by the honors code and learn about the importance of ethics in all of the classes".

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said Anna



Anna is part of the Global Scholar cohort, which gave her the chance to see that each scholar has an exceptional story; she says that it has been an honor to learn from them. She has also been part of the Babson Political Association, taken courses and internships offered by the university and completed internships in the many countries where Kronospan operates.

"It was a tremendous learning experience, because I have gained in-depth knowledge about the company's core operations. I also had the chance to develop key functionalities, which would be applicable in any role."

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In the future, Anna would like to explore the career opportunities of Kronospan Austria because she believes that her skills would fit the team's jigsaw puzzle of needs and development plans, but she would also like to try out the entrepreneurial mindset she shaped at Babson by starting her own business.

The Kronospan Foundation's initiatives aim to have a positive impact in local communities and therefore the whole world. Anna Saltykova wonders how many leaders and economic benefits and how much more kindness there would be if other companies started following this example.

Martina Garabedian

Bulgaria, Class of 2022



is the 2018 Kronospan Scholar and believes that the secret to success is to find the job that brings happiness. She is currently in her junior year at Babson College, admitting that in the past 2 years she has developed immensely both personally and professionally. The moment she read “Congratulations!” and found out that she was the beneficiary of the Kronospan Scholarship, she knew that this was the opportunity of a lifetime.

“... it all seemed so unreal, but it was wonderful...” said Martina

Martina said prior to moving from Bulgaria to the U.S.A. to embark on her academic journey at Babson College that would change her life by broadening her professional, academic and personal horizons. Currently, she is on a year abroad at the London School of Economics, focusing more on Finance and Business Analytics and she’s grateful for the opportunities offered by this scholarship. “This is all possible because of the scholarship provided by the Kronospan Foundation. Before coming to Babson, I did not think about studying abroad but I saw London School of Economics as a great addition to my experience. Thus, I am invested in exploring the professional and learning opportunities here in London now.”

The Kronospan Scholarship is the most emblematic and meaningful project of the Foundation as it has changed the lives of many academic achievers from Belarus, Bulgaria, Poland, Ukraine, Romania and Hungary. Martina set sail for Babson she got the chance to be educated by some of the most successful business people of the 21st century, while proving throughout her years of study that Babson College really does shape exceptional leaders both in and outside the classroom. “During the past two years at Babson, I could excel in my studies by achieving cumulative GPA of 3.86/4.00, which put me on the Dean’s List for four consecutive semesters, a very highly esteemed achievement. Outside of the classroom, I am part of the Hearing Board, where our mission is to ensure that everyone feels safe on campus by following Babson’s Community Standards. In addition, I am the Finance Lead for TEDxBabsonCollege”. Martina told us that the three principles of the Kronospan Foundation – Respect, Excellence and Integrity – are always the driving force behind her decisions.









The Babson College curriculum is designed to inspire students who have a passion for creating economic value and care about people and the planet. The Babson students have access to real-world experience in business from their first day on campus, while cocurricular programs include internships, volunteer opportunities and consulting projects. Martina took advantage of all the opportunities offered by Babson College while she also completed internships at Kronospan’s headquarters in Bulgaria, Austria and in the United Kingdom, admitting that “The Kronospan internship program is a great part of the whole experience because it gives us the chance to apply in practice what we have learned”.

The mission of the Foundation is to contribute year after year to the sustainable development of local communities by encouraging younger generations to achieve their goals and make a change for the better. Martina Garabedian admires Kronospan’s decision to be a “caring and responsible employer” that provides training opportunities for students like her and many others who have great potential and she believes that the Kronospan Scholarship should serve as an example “because responsible business is about development and helping the community and the people involved”.

Ariana Bejanaru

Romania, Class of 2023

has always dreamed of studying in the US and the Kronospan Scholarship made her dream come true in 2019. It was a big achievement for her family, as she says herself, and everyone started calling her “the American girl”. When she wanders around the campus, she often finds herself thinking “Wow, I am actually here” and feeling lucky to have gotten the chance to experiment and analyze the world in such a “diverse and vibrant place".

"... Babson has become a very important part of my identity and I cannot imagine my life without it...” said Ariana

Her passion for education and innovation made her aware and very receptive of racial diversity and social-economical discrimination, subjects she learned in depth during her Justice and Inequality course. This motivated her to want to take action and give back to the community. Ariana wants to raise awareness in Romania, her home country, about these issues by innovating the educational system, while being part of a team that aims to dissipate the disparities between social groups.



The Kronospan Scholarship is a meaningful project for the Foundation because it reaffirms one of its strongest beliefs - direct impact in education and culture is the first step towards developing communities. Ariana admits that the opportunity granted by the scholarship to study at one of the most prestigious educational institutions in the U.S.A. has contributed immeasurably to her academic and personal growth and has changed her life. “I think that having the opportunity to study at Babson, be around so many innovative and driven people, and live close to Boston, which is one of the intellectual centers in the U.S., is the best thing that has ever happened to me. Babson has become a very important part of my identity and I cannot imagine my life without it”, Ariana said.





Despite the fact that she has just started her Sophomore year this fall, she was amazed to see what a career in business can offer, especially during these changing times. Ariana was impressed by the hands-on learning approach, which succeeds at keeping the students excited about the curriculum while fostering creativity and action. She remembers an important piece of advice from one of her professors, which was to “Take action!”. At Babson, students are encouraged to take the first step towards a great outcome and keep in mind the purpose. “I have never been in a project that did not have the goal of helping the society or coming up with a better way of doing things”, says Ariana. During her remaining years of study, she wants to take part in the London School of Economics’ program and apply for the MFCE program organized by Babson to get hands-on experience as a business consultant for various companies.

The scholarship offered by the Kronospan Foundation is an important beacon for young people’s education because it opens new doors and encourages students to learn and explore the business world. At her first internship in the U.K., Ariana learned from CEO Mike McKenna that “The way you choose to look at things is more important and sometimes the most educated people can make mistakes because they fail to think creatively”. More importantly, she had the chance to see how an international company like Kronospan functions when she completed her internship at Kronospan’s headquarters in Romania. In the future, Ariana would like to take more internships at Kronospan, especially in Bulgaria, to work with the Marketing team and gain more knowledge in this field.

Ariana believes that the Kronospan Foundation’s flagship initiative in supporting young people should inspire other people and companies to get involved in academic and vocational training in their community in order to generate powerful and positive effects on society.

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Education

Vocational Education in Slovakia

Supporting vocational education is one of the central pillars to the Kronospan Foundation's commitment to local communities.

Vocational education helps shape new generations of specialists in traditional trades so that they can be kept alive. At the same time, vocational education promotes the future development of local communities that can host several of the industrial fields that are highly dependent upon the people who were trained at vociational centers.

Every year, the Kronospan Foundation supports different vocational education units in the local communities where Kronospan operates. One of the already well-established projects supported by the Kronsopan Foundation is the Secondary School of Woodworking in Zvolen, Slovakia.

In 2020, for the fifth year in a row, the Kronospan Foundation supported the students in the Woodworking and Furniture Manufacturing class at the Secondary School of Woodworking in Zvolen. The amount allotted to this project so far is in excess of €250,000.

The Kronospan Foundation coversaccommodation and full board for the students throughout their four years of studies, as well as extensive teaching in English. This also allows any students from other regions of Slovakia who are interested to attend this class. 23% of all the students across the 5 years come from outside the Banska Bystrica Region (where Zvolen lies).

As a reward for attainment, the Kronospan Foundation also grants yearly cash prizes to the students with the best grades. Seniors benefit from regular internships at the local Kronospan s.r.o. Zvolen plant.

Not only do the school and its students benefit from the partnership, but so does the employer who can influence how its future employees are educated and trained. This is something Ing. Pavel Laššák, Principal at the Secondary School of Wood Technology in Zvolen confirmed.

"I perceive with interest and at the same time with pleasure the expansion of wood raw material processing technologies in the conditions of Kronospan s.r.o. in Zvolen. In relation to vocational education and training of the students, but also school teachers, it is certainly an advantage to have a strategic employer in the woodworking industry right "behind the fence" (the seat of the school and Kronospan are located next to each other on Lučenecká cesta in Zvolen). This creates various opportunities to get acquainted with current and modern (Industry 4.0) production processes in wood processing in the form of professional excursions, professional training of students, internships, etc. directly in real production conditions. As we say: It is better to see once than to hear a hundred times. I thank Kronospan for these benefits and the support of our school".







Environment

Think Green for Our Future

Every year, the United Nations celebrates World Environment Day on June 5th, encouraging action and raising awareness around environmental issues. This inspires people around the world to become “agents of change”.

In order to celebrate World Environment Day within the Kronospan community, in 2014 the Kronospan Foundation initiated the environmentally themed contest Think Green for Our Future.

The general objective of the contest is to raise young people’s awareness the environmental impact of unsustainable consumption and its effects on climate changes. The contest also encourages kids and young people to act properly, which should contribute to environmental protection and foster the eco-aware spirit.

Throughout the years, participants have been asked to identify the problems the environment is facing and show in a creative way how grown-ups can take action to protect the Earth for future generations.

2014

In 2014, all Kronospan employees and their families were asked to join the contest we launched for their children. Participants were encouraged to create different art works conveying the message “Think Green for our Future”. Through their painting, sculpture, drawing or collage they were supposed to illustrate the problems the environment faces today and show, in a creative way, how grown-ups can take action to protect the earth for future generations.



2015

We tried to raise awareness among children about the challenges our planet is facing due to the effects of unsustainable consumption while also encouraging them to protect the environment and embrace the message “Think Green for our Future – Recycle & Reuse”.



2015

Four schools from Bulgaria, Poland, Romania and Ukraine were awarded with prizes of €2,000 each to create a project that raised students’ awareness of environmental problems. The projects included a range of activities and actions: planting, creating & printing information about the environment (flyers, brochures etc.), creating a small park in the school yard, a vegetable garden, recycling activities etc.



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Community

Open Your Heart!
Charity Gala

A Look Back on 10 Years

“Social responsibility is one of our core values. In a competitive economy, we believe that our primary obligation is to respond positively to meet the needs of the community where we operate”

Dr. Oana Bodea
CEO of Kronospan Trading and President of the Kronospan Foundation.

The Kronospan Foundation has organized this event every year since 2011. Over that time, the “Open Your Heart!” Charity Gala has raised and received donations of more than RON 1,612,000 (approx. €240,000) to support the development programmes in the two local communities where Kronospan operates in Romania - Brașov and Sebeș.

To date, the beneficiaries of the charity event have been:

	Beneficiary	Year	Funds Raised
1.	“Hospice Casa Sperantei” Foundation	2011	**RON 74,116**
2.	“Braşov Children’s Hospital” Foundation and Sebeş Municipal Hospital, Pediatrics Department	2012	**RON 73,178** **RON 84,557**
3.	The Braşov Philharmonic Orchestra	2013	**RON 76,878**
4.	The “Copiii de Cristal” Association	2014	**RON 69,200**
5.	Sebeș Technological High School	2015	**RON 156,285**
6.	Sebeș Technological High School	2016	**RON 166,158**
7.	“Braşov Children’s Hospital” Foundation	2017	**RON 184,497**
8.	“Hospice Casa Sperantei” Foundation in Brașov and School no. 2 in Sebeș	2018	**RON 100,360** **RON 100,360**
9.	“Amural” Association and the Sebes Local Action Group	2019	**RON 122,325** **RON 122,325**
10.	The education system in Brașov and Sebes (100 laptops and school stationery sets donated to a number of underprivileged students)	2020	**RON 282,00**

In the course of the last 10 years, 12 organisations from Brasov and Sebes have submitted projects with major social impact that have positively transformed the life of the community in their cities. Kronospan Foundation’s commitment to the community fuels the hope that its dreams can actually come true, if people choose to open their hearts.

2011
and
2018

“The sponsorship we received in 2011 helped us offer educational support to our pediatric patients in Brașov and the surrounding area. These are children suffering from various life-threatening or incurable diseases, or with a poor prognosis”

Andreea Tirea, Communications Specialist, Hospice Casa Sperantei

Beneficiary

“Hospice Casa Sperantei” Foundation

“Hospice Casa Sperantei” Foundation’s vision is based on providing appropriate palliative care to all terminally ill patients and promoting this type of treatment at a national and international level through education, counseling and enhancing the legislation in this field. The Foundation’s experts are always striving to enrich educational projects aimed at children and young people using both creative and scientific activities, as well as via drama therapy workshops hosted at the care facilities, making use of virtual and augmented reality tools.

The Hospice in Brasov is internationally recognized as a Center of Excellence for Palliative Care, and the sponsorship of RON 74,116 offered by Kronospan Foundation in 2011 has helped the expert teams provide full and comprehensive support to children and young people diagnosed with incurable diseases. “The sponsorship we received in 2011 helped us offer educational support to our pediatric patients in Brașov and the surrounding area. These are children suffering from various life-threatening or incurable diseases, or with a poor prognosis” (Andreea Tirea, Communications Specialist, Hospice Casa Sperantei).

In 2018, “Hospice Casa Sperantei” Foundation again benefited from sponsorship, this time of RON 100,360, dedicated to the “Children who dream. Development of the pediatric palliative care services in the day care center in Brasov” Project. This turned into support for 30 children, teenagers and young adults who were able to join drama therapy programs and have new experiences using AR and VR technologies.



How did the funding help the beneficiary?



“Augmented reality has helped our younger patients fill in a significant part of their knowledge and skill gaps owing to their illness and scant school attendance. These experiences opened their eyes to the wider world, helped them assimilate information and make important connections and stimulated their thirst for knowledge. VR and AR technologies, as well as the drama and film therapy, have helped HOSPICE Casa Speranței develop these children and young people’s basic needs within a safe environment: control, fundamentally expressing themselves and learning.”

Andreea Tirea, Communications Specialist, Hospice Casa Sperantei

The funding has contributed to developing children’s activities, providing them with the framework to acquire elementary knowledge and skills meant to offer them an increased level of independence. They benefited from specialized assessments, customized intervention plans and the right type of therapy, taking into account each one’s psycho-emotional state and physical condition.



The priority of “Hospice Casa Sperantei” Foundation is to make its patients feel safe and, just like the Kronospan Foundation, they firmly believe in the importance of working together to help those who need it most.

2012
and
2017

“The Kronospan Foundation was always open to our project proposals and the needs of the children resonated with them. Involvement does not only mean money, it also means feelings, sounding things out and action.”

Dr. Oana Falup-Pecurariu,
Brasov Clinical Chidren’s Hospital

Beneficiary

Brasov Children’s Hospital Foundation

For the Brasov Children’s Hospital Foundation, collaborating with the Kronospan Foundation was borne of a desire to help and a “deep human connection” that had built up over time. “The Kronospan Foundation was always open to our project proposals and the needs of the children resonated with them. Involvement does not only mean money, it also means feelings, sounding things out and action.” (Dr. Oana Falup-Pecurariu, Brasov Clinical Chidren’s Hospital)

Brasov Children’s Hospital Foundation was established to promote and safeguard the health of all children, firmly believing that protecting the community and the people who are part of it is key from day one of life. They believe that people should be treated equally, regardless of their background or finances.





How did the funding help the beneficiary?

“It’s just like with a home. If you love it, you fix it up, you do something every year to show that you care. To me, that home is Brasov Clinical Emergency Hospital. It’s a home full of children that serves three counties and it can only stay safe, well looked after and beautiful by us working together.”

Dr Oana Falup-Pecurariu,
Brasov Clinical Children’s Hospital

The importance of medical equipment in examining and diagnosing patients is undeniable, which is why constant investment is required. The RON 73,178 raised with the help of the Kronospan Foundation's partners helped purchase a new cardiac ultrasound system. This device is critical in detecting heart conditions and in order to operate properly it must be replaced at least every 10 years. After the 2017 Gala, Brasov Children’s Hospital Foundation received RON 184,497 to revamp Brasov Children’s Hospital sterilization department.

2012

Beneficiary

Sebes Municipal Hospital

How did the funding help the beneficiary?

The representative of the hospital believes that:

“Protecting the entire population from age 0 to 100 is very important, and that can only be achieved through prevention, research and the proper treatment. The Kronospan Foundation was always open to our project proposals and the needs of the children resonated with them.”



For the Sebes Municipal Hospital, collaborating with Kronospan Foundation has always meant full commitment to seeing through our projects, borne of the desire to do good for the community.

Modern medical techniques are constantly evolving and medical devices and equipment need to be replaced for enhanced patient safety.

In 2012, the second beneficiary of the Charity Gala was Sebes Municipal Hospital, receiving sponsorship of RON 84,557, used to buy an ultrasound machine for Pediatrics.

2013

Beneficiary

The Brasov Philharmonic Orchestra

How did the funding help the beneficiary?

The support offered by the Kronospan Foundation was proof of commitment and social responsibility towards culture, which has built and continues to build bridges between the Brasov Philllarmonic Orchestra, the local community and the great pianists of Romania and of the world.



The Brasov Philharmonic Orchestra is one of the cultural ambassadors of the city, and has shaped and educated the community through their art for 150 years. Culture is a “balm for the soul” an instrument that can help communities cope in difficult times and it fosters growth.

At the 2013 Gala, with the help of the Kronospan Foundation’s sponsors and partners, we collected RON 76,878, which was then donated to the Brasov Philharmonic Orchestra for the purchase of a Steinway piano, a flagship instrument in any symphony orchestra. The piano purchased in 2016 has created new artistic collaboration opportunities and has been the source of new forms of artistic expression, bringing important figures to the stage of the Philharmonic Orchestra, such as Bruno Canino, Kristina Miller, Elisabeth Leonskaja, Dan Grigore and many others.

Beneficiary

2014

"Copiii de Cristal" Association



The 2014 "Open Your Heart!" Charity Gala was organized to support "Copiii de Cristal" Association. The members of the association are seeking to improve the living standard of children and young people diagnosed with autism spectrum disorder, by providing them with moral, information, education and social support. Hence, in 2006, they set up the charity in Brasov.

With the help of the Kronospan Foundation, which managed to raise RON 69,200 at the Gala, the dream of the "Copiii de Cristal" Association came true, as they managed to set up a sensory room where therapists hold visual, auditive, olfactive, tactile and proprioceptive stimulation activities. These sensory rooms are a chance for people diagnosed with autism to gain their independence, because such experiences have the potential to boost consciousness and improve the behavior and condition of patients with sensory deficits or neurological disorders.

"A friend in need is a friend indeed"

these were the words Gabriela Plopeanu, the President of the "Copiii de Cristal" Association chose to describe the collaboration with Kronospan Foundation.

Beneficiary

2015 and 2016

Sebes Technological High School

Sebes Technological High School, an important local education institution, is an important pathway towards the practical training of the young people for their professional careers. The professional insertion of students is a priority of the educational policy promoted by the Sebes Technological High School, thus promoting the training of high-performance employees, managers or future entrepreneurs, but also of educated and responsible consumers.

The Kronospan Foundation has chosen to financially support both the works for the rehabilitation of School Workshops, and the purchase of a minibus for the transportation of students, with RON 156,285 in 2015 and with RON 166,158 in 2016, amounts raised with the support of the event participants.

"Through the collaboration with Kronospan Foundation, Sebeș Technological High School has found a reliable partner in the implementation of alternative projects and the enhancement of the teaching-learning-assessment activities. Through the material support received, our education institution, which has the largest number of pre-school children and students in the County of Alba, has enriched its material resources, now enjoys a better equipped IT laboratory, has undertaken rehabilitation works and was able to purchase a new minibus, which we needed for the transportation of children to the practical training sites".

Adina Mixandra Stanciu, Manager



The two sponsorships have generated numerous benefits for the development of students, thus investing in education and contributing to the training of the future workforce.

2018

Beneficiary

No. 2 Grammar School in Sebes





The desire to grow, the thirst for knowledge and education represent the cornerstone of a person's future. Many of the students acquire all these during the first years of school, in the classroom, together with their teachers and school mates.

This is exactly why the 2018 "Open Your Heart!" Charity Gala raised RON 100,360 for the project "Joy for the Soul" of Grammar School no. 2 in Sebes. Through this project, the festive hall was rehabilitated and then made available for various types of activities dedicated to the students.

Kronospan Foundation reasserts its commitment towards the education of children and young people, through investments in education and development centers.

How did the funding help the beneficiary?

"The support we received from the Kronospan Foundation was an opportunity to develop the education in the Romanian school in the city of Sebes. We should all invest in the future, supporting our children, guiding and encouraging them."

2019

Beneficiary

"Amural" Association



The 2019 Gala supported the project put forward by the "Amural" Association to the tune of RON 122,325, dedicated to offsetting up an "Atrium" Academy – a creative hub set up with the state-of-the-art equipment required for graphics, video and sound production. The "Amural" Association was set up in Brasov in 2015 out of the need and desire to integrate urban culture and visual arts in the lives of city dwellers.

"Atrium" Academy is a driver of artistic and cultural development for those who will cross its threshold, but also a place where young people and adults alike will be able to acquire new knowledge and skills under the guidance of Amural team professionals.

"...the opportunity to go ahead and roll out a project that we had been planning for some point in the future".

"This collaboration has allowed us to further refine the educational services offered by the "Amural" Association and has also given us the opportunity to go ahead and roll out a project that we had been planning for some point in the future. Now, the first set of courses at the academy will be available (graphic design, video production and sound production) and we will invite other trainers in the creative industry to join our trainers".

2019



Beneficiary

The Sebes Local Action Group

The Sebes Local Action Group was established for the economic and social development of the city and of the community it is in through long-term actions that are sustainable in terms of funding, human resources and from an institutional point of view. Because Sebes Municipality needed a relaxation and networking area for its citizens, the Sebes Local Action Group set out a project aimed at the revitalizing a square in the old quarter of the city center. This urban area of great historical and community significance will be regenerated to create a meeting and history commemoration place, while improving the quality of pedestrian area according to the sustainable city development principles.

In 2019, the Kronospan Foundation supported the project “Beautiful Sebes–Revitalization of Mihai Viteazu Square” with RON 122,325.

How did the funding help the beneficiary?

“For Sebes Local Action Group Association, the collaboration with the Kronospan Foundation is a significant opportunity of involvement in the urban regeneration process, through the rehabilitation of a public square. Without the financial support of the Foundation, the deployment of the project would not have been possible”.

2020

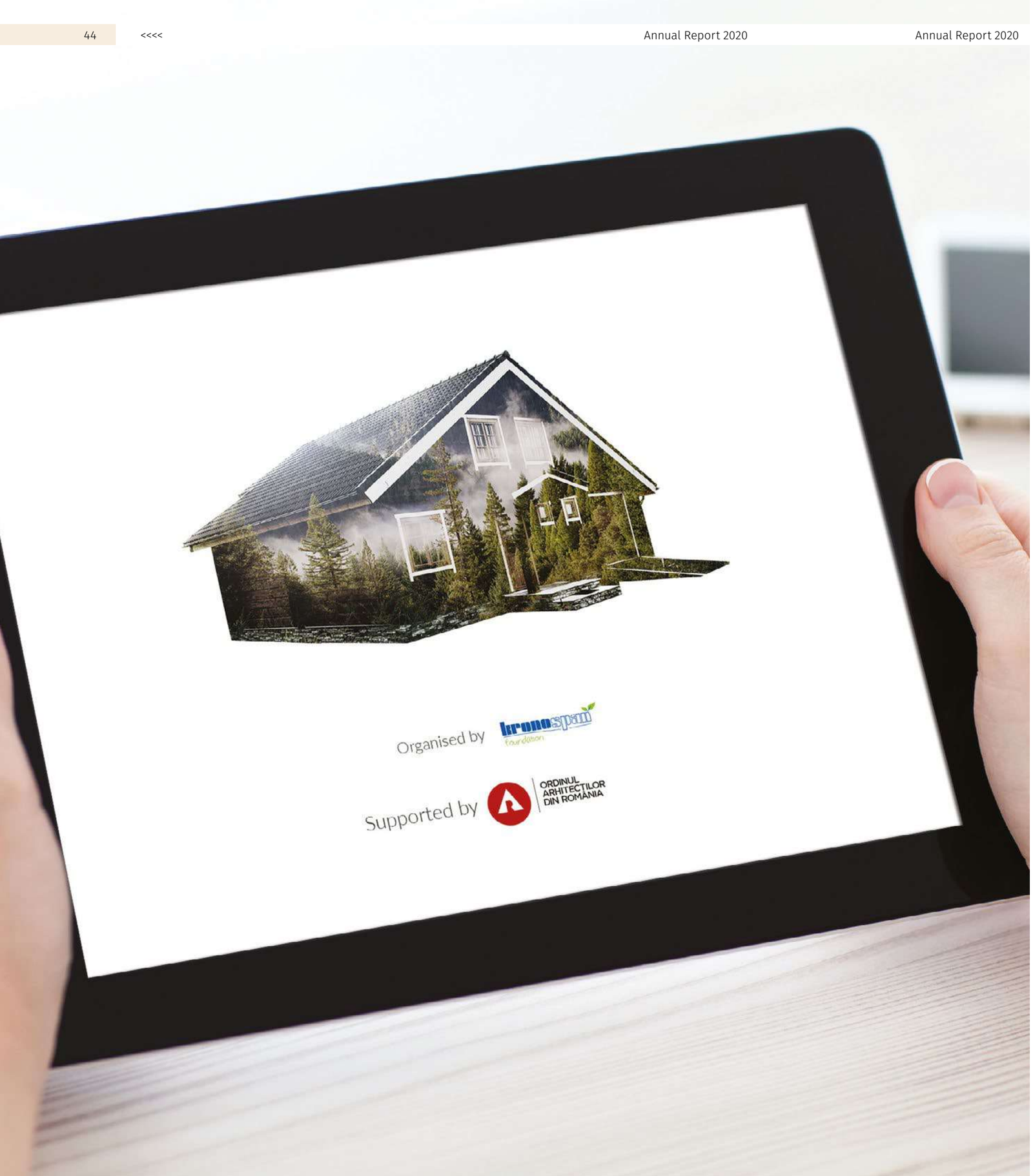
Beneficiary

Students from Brasov and Alba



The 10th edition of the “Open Your Heart!” Charity Gala newly reasserted Kronospan Foundation’s commitment to the communities where it operates. 2020 was a year of uncertainty and challenge when the problems in the education system and the unequal access to education that some of the students face re-surfaced. The Kronospan Foundation wanted to help those who continued to obtain good academic results, despite the fact that they did not have the equipment required for the online courses

In December 2020, more than 200 guests attended the online event and RON 282,000 was raised to support students in continuing their primary, secondary and high school studies. One hundred children and young people from the counties of Brasov and Alba received laptops and school stationery sets, the Foundation is encouraging and being actively involved in young people's education.



Community

Wood reinvented Architecture Competition

The architecture and design competition Wood Reinvented selected its winners at the beginning of November 2017.

The subject of the contest was energy-efficient housing, using wood as main construction material, including identifying innovative solutions so that wood could be used. The purpose was to reintroduce the culture of wood into the architectural creation and to promote quality contemporary architecture.

The contest drummed up broad-based interest from the community of architects. Experts from Bucharest, Cluj-Napoca, Timişoara, Braşov, Ploieşti, Galaţi, Piatra Neamţ, Alba Iulia, Miercurea-Ciuc and Târgu Mureş submitted their projects.

The awarding ceremony in Bucharest was hosted by the international Architecture Conference SHARE.



Project assessment..

The projects were assessed during the first stage by a technical commission made up of: Eng. Horia Petran - INCD URBAN-INCERC, Head of the Centre for the Energy Performance of Buildings; Eng. Andrei Ceclan, Dr. Eng. - scientific researcher within the Technical University of Cluj-Napoca; Arch. Miklós Köllő, Larix Studio, Gheorgheni / Senior Arhitect; Arch. Dragoș Oprea, EXHIBIT Arhitectura / Partner; Dr. Arch. Biborka Bartha - Ambassador of Kronospan Romania).

Final stage.

The authors Marius Voica – Arheco Design, Silviu Aldea – Atelier Mass, Ştefan Bolog – BIA Ştefana Bădescu, Marius Miclăuş – Archaeus and Mara Pachide-Taric – ADA, presented their 5 finalist projects, in front of an international jury.

The jury.

The jury was made up of both esteemed representatives of the Romanian architecture community (such as Arch. Şerban Ţigănaş, chairman of the Order of Architects from Romania, Arch. Mihai Nuță, founder of ZONA and Dr. Arch. Biborka Bartha - Ambassador for Kronospan Romania) and international experts.

There were also two renowned representatives of the European architecture community were part of the contest jury: Arch. Ken Mackay, senior partner, architect and founder of Mackay + Partners, London, United Kingdom (winner of Build Arhitecture Awards & Recognised Leader in New Façade Technology UK 2016 and of International Property Awards – Best Hotel Arhitecture 2015) and Arch. Pako Radovanovic, RADO Engineering Skopje, Macedonia (winner of the Grand Prize for Arhitecture 2016, Macedonia).

All finalists.

€1.000 each

The winner.

€5.000

Prizes.

Each of the 5 finalists received a prize of €1,000 and the winner of the grand prize received €5,000. The awarding ceremony took place during the closing ceremony of the international architecture conference SHARE, on November 7th 2017.



ARCHITECTURE & DESIGN COMPETITION

WOOD REINVENTED

+ The architect Silviu Aldea, representative of Architects Atelier Mass in Cluj-Napoca was selected as winner of the grand prize. The members of the jury chose him for the originality of his project and the various and multiple methods of integrating wood as a leitmotif in the creative process and implicitly in the architecture concept.
"The Wood Reinvented contest has meant a chance to explore what a small house can offer. A chance to offer the client an unexpected surprise in a small format. This cross laminated timber solution requires a technology which is quite new on the Romanian market. It is a good opportunity to become accustomed with and to offer this solution which is very new, but has already been used in a few pilot projects. Wood is a local, accessible and efficient product. It is a natural, organic, environment-friendly material, which provides a lot of benefits especially because it is a living product" said Silviu Aldea.

+ The Wood Reinvented contest was supported by the Romanian Order of Architects.

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Craftsmen Caravan

The cultural project “Craftsmen Caravan”, implemented in 2018, continued to promote and reinforce old or new crafts among the school population in the City of Brașov, using education through culture. The project was co-funded by the Administration of National Cultural Fund, and the Foundation’s Partners were Brașov City Hall and the County School Inspectorate.

The aim of the project was to promote creative arts in Brasov public areas through cultural actions designed to garner a new audience by using culture as a mean of educating various categories of the public. The Kronospan Foundation’s work has brought to life these alternative and non-conventional areas in the neighborhoods of Brașov (parks, green areas, school yards etc.) and has involved in creative activities more than 900 students from the neighborhoods without permanent access to cultural happenings.

The target group were children aged between 8 and 14 and they participated in 52 free workshops (more than 30 hours of creative activities) across 15 different locations, as part of the Craftsmen Caravan. Seven local crafts people initiated the students in the crafts and 15 “apprentices” created handmade items for the Colorful Brașov Festival.



The workshops.

Architect Biborka Bartha (wood painting), Gabriela Bularca (crochet), Lidia Bășa (sewing and embroidery), restorer Georgiana Gămălie (wood carving), Simona Gheorghe (wool felting), artist Ioan Aron Țăroi (pottery) and Cornel Sculean (glass painting) acquainted the youngsters of Brasov with handicrafts and arts and the children created more than 1,200 items during the course of the workshops.

Another high point hosted by the project was the “Colorful Brașov” Festival, held in “Nicolae Titulescu” Park in Brașov on September 22nd 2018, attracting more than 500 participants of all ages. Through this event, the Kronospan Foundation and Brașov City Hall also wanted to showcase creative arts and the items handcrafted by the children who participated in the Craftsmen Caravan. Various cultural activities were held: exhibition of handmade items created by children and the “apprentices” who participated in the project, interactive demonstration workshops for the public, street theatre and treasure hunts. These all allowed the participants to discover items of cultural and historical relevance for Brașov, cultural education workshops through music and theater, cultural theme games.

The focus.

The project mainly focused on promoting creativity and encouraging the various participative artistic practices and new forms of artistic expression; engaging city dwellers and actively involving them in cultural initiatives; developing connections and exchanges among neighborhoods – through children “migrating” to various areas of the city out of a desire to learn trades, share values and creativity among the members of the community and pass on knowledge to the younger generation, in an interactive way, as well as creating bridges between the public and the private sector through the establishment of partnerships.



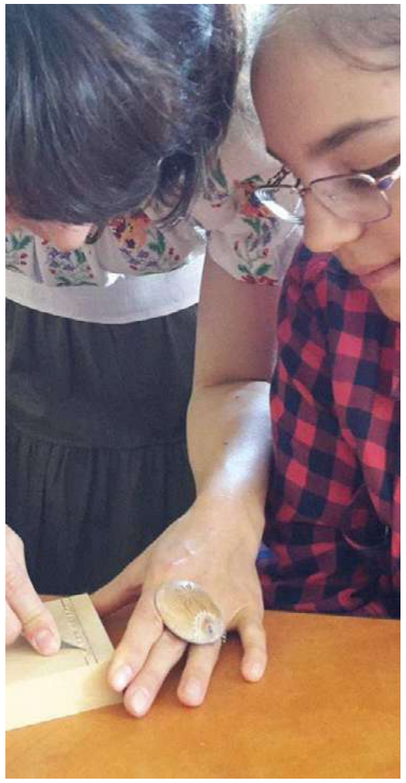












Community

Grandmother’s House, A Passage into the Future

The project “Grandmother’s House, A Passage into the Future” was implemented in Brasov in 2019 and was co-funded by the Administration of National Cultural Fund. The Kronospan Foundation’s partners in rolling out the project were the County Schools Inspectorate and the Traditional and Contemporary Art Creators’ Association.

The project was aimed at reviving a SE Transylvanian grandparents’ houses in the imagination of current and future generations, just as it would once have existed, with elements specific to the Romanian, German and Hungarian population. The rustic interior of these bygone days’ houses was brought to life through this project – like an open window, allowing observers in the present a glimpse into the past.

One of the main activities was the creation camp for Brasov students. Forty-two children aged between 10 and 16 participated in the camp, free of charge. The creative workshops offered in this camp were: wood sculpture, crocheting decorative items, glass painting using the traditional Scheii Brașovului technique, Saxon and Hungarian sewing/embroidery, Saxon wood painting and husk braiding.

As part of the creative camp, the interior of a Transylvanian house was recreated using the furniture and fabrics that women used to equip and decorate their homes. In this way, old crafts in Țara Bârsei were promoted, while encouraging the public to interact with contemporary craftsmen, who pass on the crafts in SE Transylvania.

The children’s work during the camp was presented as part of an exhibition that reconstructed a room in a traditional house in Transylvania and that was hosted, in turn, by Coresi Shopping Resort, Bran Castle and Feldioara Medieval Fortress.


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Education

Explore Your Creativity

Initiated in October 2020, the Explore Your Creativity project was inspired by the desire to offer participants the possibility of spending their time online in a creative way.

Addressing both children and adults, the project consists of organizing online creation workshops. Under the guidance of an artist, the participants were able to bring to life various artistic materials – paintings using various techniques, collages, cards, masks etc.

The first 7 workshops were broadcast free on the Facebook channel of the Kronospan Foundation and the project will continue in 2021 as well.


ART
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EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVITY
with Kronospan Foundation
The Positive Feeling
Monday, 19th of October, 2020 - 17:00 CET


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The city by night

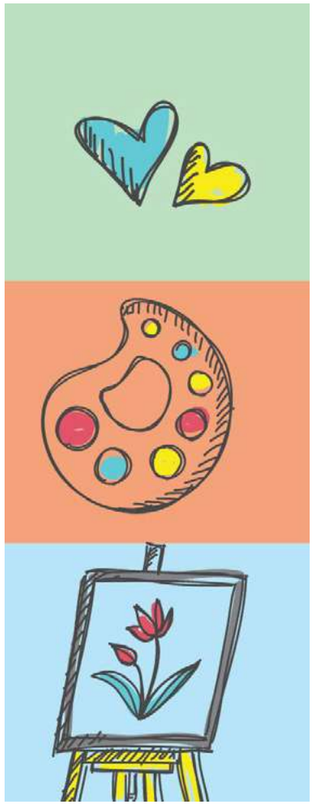
EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVITY
with Kronospan Foundation
MAKE YOUR HALLOWEEN MASK
Monday, 26th of October, 2020 - 17:00 CET


PICASSO'S CUBIST PORTRAIT
Monday
2nd of November 2020
5 PM CET


Grandma's basket
Monday
16th of November 2020
5 PM CET
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EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVITY
with Kronospan Foundation
Christmas cards
Monday
23rd of November 2020
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EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVITY
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Christmas ornaments
Monday
30th of November 2020
5 PM CET
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