**THE BIGGEST LIGHT FESTIVAL IN ROMANIA COMES BACK TO BUCHAREST IN APRIL**

**SPOTLIGHT: 23-26 APRIL**

**Spotlight –The International Light Festival,** organized by Bucharest City Hall and ARCUB, a festival that gathers more than 500.000 spectators on the main streets of the capital every year, will come back to Bucharest between the 23rd and the 26th of April, with new and spectacular artistic light installations.

Spotlight is one of the most popular festivals in the open air. This year, on the occasion of its **6th** edition, it proposes to invite the audience to embark upon a captivating journey based on light technologies which explore the theme “**Parallel Worlds**”. For four days, Romanian and foreign artists will exhibit their most innovative projects that allow spectators to access “parallel worlds” which will make them leave their usual surroundings and open their eyes to new dimensions and perspectives.

The theme of this edition of **Spotlight**, **“Parallel Worlds”**, is meant to create a strong bond between the physical and the virtual world, between the concrete, limited, albeit vulnerable human being, and the virtual one, which can be extremely vast, complex, and sometimes downright incomprehensible.

Between the 23rd and the 24th of April, on the occasion of Spotlight 2020, historical buildings and iconic places in Bucharest will become the main venues of the festival, where spectators will have the opportunity to explore fascinating digital worlds and alternative landscapes, and to undergo sensorial or audiovisual experiences by means of artistic light installations.

**Call for projects for the 6th edition of Spotlight**

This year SPOTLIGHT is extending **an open invitation** to the Romanian artists, designers, and architects in Bucharest and in the country to send project proposals related to the theme of the festival – “**Parallel Worlds**”- until the 25th of February, to [spotlightonbucharest@arcub.ro](mailto:spotlightonbucharest@arcub.ro). The form which includes details about the application can be downloaded here.

More details about the program of the festival will soon be available on [www.spotlightfestival.ro](http://www.spotlightfestival.ro) and [www.arcub.ro](http://www.arcub.ro)