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## Recommendation

As a present pastor of an international local church here in Gothenburg and previously for 15 years also a leader of our regional Team training school I have since approximately 2004 been responsible for preparing and running the annual field trip for our students that have either participated in the Team Training Course or the Bible-school we run. The group size has usually been between 10 and 20 persons between the ages of 19 and 30.

One of the main goals that our school has aimed at is to support these young people regarding future plans and dreams.

In order to do this we have focused on helping them experience new areas of making a difference in society. Helping them to think outside the box and put them in circumstances that they have not previously encountered.

We have had the immense privilege for the past 15 years to be able to connect with Adriana Du Plessis and the amazing Casa Minunata organization. It has been heart-touching and inspiring for our students to see on hand how a dream of making a difference became a reality through the 100% commitment of Adriana and her team.

In preparation for our field trips we always advise our students to investigate the history of Romania and via You tube watch documentaries of what Romania was like at the point of the revolution at the end of the 80's and beginning of the 90's.

Visiting Casa Minunata and experiencing the warmth, love and care is something our students always express as inspiring when we have our evaluation talks with them.

Many students through the years have later commented on just how instrumental these visits was for helping them to step out and follow their dreams to make a difference.

We look forward to continuing our trips to Oradea and personally, despite having visited so many times, I always look forward to the fresh breath of air that Casa Minunata spreads.

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