

România și utopia unificării europene / Romania and the European Unification Utopy

Abstract:

The paper outlines several features (the unreality, fictionality, integrality, communitarianism) which bring the European construction closer to the utopian thinking and practice. As the process of the European extension advances towards the East, it becomes less and less utopian through its accomplishment. The fact that the integration has reached Romania's borders represents a great challenge both for the Union (will it succeed in reaching the Black Sea and wrest the most difficult integration candidate from Russia's influence?), and Romania (will it succeed in finding its own way through history, overcoming the agony of the last 50 years ?). Although it is not sufficiently prepared yet, Romania will get help to fulfill the adhesion conditions because the unification represents the European project Romania cannot afford missing.