

**SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT. CURRENT CHALLENGES  
- CASE OF ROMANIA INTELLIGENT ECONOMIC GROWTH –  
COMPONENT OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT  
WITHIN A SOCIETY FAVOURABLE TO INCLUSION**

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**Abstract:** *This paper analyses in its first part the relationship between economic, technical and social development and the biosphere equilibrium, by using the concept of "sustainable development", and emphasizes the principle of responsibility and solidarity between generations and in time, as defining elements of sustainable development. This paper is also questioning whether the idea of progress, understood so far only under its positive, but not under its perverse side, shouldn't be revisited, and how one can master "the unchained powers of the Devil", represented by an "unchained Prometheus". In its second part, this paper focuses on "Intelligent, Durable and Inclusion Favorable Growth in the EU, and Romania's Sustainable Development Strategy".*

**Keywords:** sustainable development, equilibrium, nature, humanity, responsibility, solidarity, temporality, intelligent growth, inclusion, strategy.

**Part I**

**I.1 The notion of "sustainable development" and the message of the two fundamental principles: Intergenerational and intertemporal accountability and solidarity**

The notion of "sustainable development" french translation, which romaniens have taken over from the English phrase "Sustainable Development", a term which has no equivalent in French as in other languages, this phrase is now entered into the public domain, used more or less by specialized commentators and by all media and the general public.

"Sustainable development" can be literally translated as "sustainable" or "viable" developing, but it is interesting to consider what, in French translation, the accent was placed on "sustainability", and more generally, on temporal dimension. Brundtland Connection, supported by a UN Commission in 1987, which meant the release date of the first definition of the concept of Sustainable Development, is particularly enlightening in what the significance of the concept: it highlights the report, to meet the "needs of the present without

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