

EU STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS TO WHICH ROMANIA IS A MEMBER

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Abstract: *As part of the European Union, Romania is included in a series of strategic partnerships with other states, either in Europe or on other continents. These partnerships are extremely important for all states, regardless of their financial or human resources. Partnerships are the cooperation of the parties to achieve objectives that cover both the area of culture, education and economic development or security and defense.*

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What are strategic partnerships - definition, objectives, necessity

Strategic partnerships are an important part of maintaining relations with other states and are part of the foreign policy of any state. These refer to the opening of a state to cooperation with other states, the creation of deep relations between political actors, lasting relations, bridges, long-term partnerships.

The idea of strategic partnership has existed for a long time in international politics and has some clear characteristics.

1.Sustainability of the strategic partnership

Even if, sometimes, this term was used in the case of close relationships, the strategic partnership does not refer to a short-term relationship, but to long-term relationships. Strategic partnerships must also pursue long-term goals which, in themselves, are a testament to the stability and sustainability of the relationship between the partner states. In essence, these strategic partnerships address the interests and values of each country that signs an agreement. They are involved in solving certain important issues, but also in developing areas without which a country cannot function, such as health, defense, economy, tourism, agriculture, construction, etc.

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