

# Cluj-Napoca: 3-Day Itinerary

## Day 1: City Core & Cultural Intro

**Theme:** History, Architecture, Food

**Morning:**

- Grab coffee and pastries at Meron or Panemar
- Walk around Piața Unirii
- Tour St. Michael's Church
- Snap pics at the Matthias Corvinus statue

**Afternoon:**

- Lunch at Roata for Romanian cuisine
- Visit the National Museum of Transylvanian History
- Relax in Central Park (Simion Bărnuțiu)

**Evening:**

- Sunset at Cetățuia Hill (360° panoramic views)
- Dinner at Samsara Foodhouse (great veg/vegan options)
- Drinks at Joben Bistro – steampunk-themed and super fun!

## **Day 2: Art, Nature & Hidden Gems**

**Theme:** Nature, Design, Alternative Culture

**Morning:**

- Walk to Botanical Garden (~2 hrs to fully enjoy)
- Light brunch at Eggcetera

**Afternoon:**

- Explore the Steampunk Transylvania Museum
- Drop into Fabrica de Pensule for contemporary art
- Coffee & chill at Olivo Coffee Roasters

**Evening:**

- Optional spa break at Salina Turda (20–30 min Uber)
- Dinner back in Cluj at Baracca or Bujole
- Nightcap at Enigma Café – a kinetic art bar

## **Day 3: Day Trip or Forest Escape**

**Theme:** Adventure, Mystery, Nature

### **Option A: Day Trip to Salina Turda & Turda Gorge**

- Leave Cluj by 9 AM
- Explore Salina Turda (2–3 hours)
- Hike Turda Gorge (Cheile Turzii)
- Return by evening

### **Option B: Local Nature Adventure**

- Visit Hoia Baci Forest – spooky + scenic
- Picnic lunch from La Casa
- Chill at Iulius Park by the lake

### **Wrap-Up Dinner:**

- Celebrate with a nice dinner at Casa Boema
- Optional: Catch a film at Cinema Florin Piersic