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On the second day of the event, just before the start of the contest, the atmosphere was filled with emotions and confidence. After they had finally dealt with their difficult tasks, contestants were ready to explore Bucharest. Naturally, some of the participants were still anxious about their results. Some of the teams found the problems much harder than they had expected.



After some time, everyone calmed down and the guides were able to take interviews from some of the students. Here is Pedro Oliveira from Brazil answering Ana Maria Petrache's questions:

Q: What is your overall impression about Bucharest?

A: I like the city, I like the buildings, they are old but they don't seem to be "degrading". I like the weather a lot. This city has a nice atmosphere. The worst thing about it is that too many people smoke but I can see it getting better through the years.

Q: What do you think about this edition of the RMM?

A: It was pretty much the same atmosphere as last year.

The first problem is usually something that we know how to solve, but it has some aspects that make it difficult, like calculus. RMM has interesting but hard problems.

Q: What would be the bad points of your experience here?

A: We don't have Wi-Fi in the buildings where we sleep and this is horrible.

Q: Have you talked to other teams?



A: We sometimes try to talk to them but it never works out very well.

Q: What do you think about the guides?

A: The guides are awesome. They take us everywhere we want and we have had a great time talking to them about different topics like politics, history or the educational system. They have also taught us some words in Romanian, and we have taught them some words in Portuguese.

Around Bucharest

After the lunch every team talked with their guides about what sights they could visit in the afternoon and they decided to explore Bucharest together.



Everyone had an outstanding day. Some teams visited the Palace of the Parliament, others went on trips in Herastrau Park. Everyone was excited and relieved because the first day of the contest had ended.