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The 11th IAG/AIG SediBud (Sediment budgets in Cold Environments) Workshop was held at the Research Station of the Babeş-Bolyai University (UBB), located in Baru, Hunedoara County, Romania. This was my third participation (after Kaunertal/ Austria, 2015 and Bansko/ Bulgaria, 2016) and it was a great pleasure to meet all these colleagues and friends again.

The scientific meeting started on the second day morning. It was a full-day communications (oral and poster presentations) about the effectiveness of geomorphic processes under past and present-day climate conditions, by focusing on the complex interactions between the erosional, sediment transfer and depositional processes and the varying vegetation cover. Every presentation was followed by an interesting and useful discussion. The most valuable for me, as a doctoral student, at such meetings is to find out and learn new methods and techniques of work – how the other colleagues work on field, what are the advantages and disadvantages to use a given technique, what are their results and how to compare mine with them.

The third day was the most exciting one – field trip in the alpine area of Parâng Mountains (Parângul Mic Peak, 2074 ma.s.l.; Cârja Peak, 2405 ma.s.l.), Mija glacial valley and lake (Southern Carpathians). Our Romanian hosts showed us several study sites with past and contemporary geomorphic process activity (rockfalls, rock avalanches, debris flows, snow avalanches, periglacial activity, etc.) and the associated landforms.

I would like to convey my sincere thanks to the IAG committee for supporting me in attending this workshop!

Regards,

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