

PEOPLE . PLACES

BALKAN BOOM TOWNS

5 x 52' (ENG, GER, FRE), 5 x 45' (GER, FRE)

Explore the boom towns of the Balkan region and experience what makes this region so special in comparison of the present to the changeful history.

Many Europeans still associate cities such as Bucharest, Belgrade, Ljubljana, Sofia and Sarajevo with socialist dictatorship and prefabricated dreariness. For most, they are sites for the bloody wars of the 90s. But for young creative minds, these places belong among the coveted lists of "places to be". The cities have endured long difficult pasts. But now they offer an exciting and inspiring present and lots of potential for the future. Reasons enough for a trip to the old and new cities of the Balkan.

Episodes:

1. *Ljubljana*
2. *Sarajevo*
3. *Belgrade*
4. *Sofia*
5. *Bucharest*

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