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The volume was coordinated by Olivia Toderean, a career diplomat with academic interests on theories of international relations and current global developments, Ambassador Sergiu Celac, a career diplomat and Honorary Chairman of New Strategy Center, and George Scutaru, the CEO of New Strategy Center and former presidential adviser for national security. The foreword was written by Ambassador Wolfgang Ischinger, President of the Munich Security Conference, and the afterword by Prof. Ioan Aurel Pop, President of the Romanian Academy.

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PRESENTATION

As the official presentation of the volume stress, in July 2020, the editorial work was finalized and ready for publishing for all of "37 essays signed by 43 Romanian and foreign authors representing various professions and fields of expertise: political scientists, economists, sociologists, psychologists, communication experts, and engineers, all with a solid reputation in their specific domains" (See more on https://www.curteaveche.ro/p/lumea-de-maine-ce-urmeaza-dupa-pandemie).

The authors are representatives of the academic and think-tank community from the USA, United Kingdom, Germany, Italy, Norway, Ukraine, Turkey, and Republic of Moldova. Some of the Romanians contributors are Sergiu Celac, Lazăr Comănescu, Cristian Diaconescu, Mihnea Motoc, Sorin Ducaru, Daniel Dăianu, Alina Bârgăoanu, and Vasile Dâncu.

Romanians and foreigners, from essential fields such as geopolitics, economics, diplomacy, security and defense were invited to contribute to the volume, proposing different approaches "on the most acute questions about the present and the biggest issues of the future after COVID-19". As Wolfgang Ischinger notes in the preface "the initiative is all the more valuable as it offers decision-makers different angles of approach, early warning and recommendations for political actions" (See more on https://www.newstrategycenter.ro/new-strategy-center-book-the-world-of-tomorrow-what-next-after-the-pandemic/).