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PRESS RELEASE**University Merit with Gold Medal “Nicolae D. Xenopol” Diploma awarded to ROMGAZ for supporting the Economic University Education**

The Bucharest University of Economic Studies (Academia de Studii Economice București) celebrates a historical moment, i.e. its 110th founding anniversary. With this opportunity, the university community members have awarded to SNGN Romgaz S.A. (ROMGAZ) a high appreciation for its proactive positioning and beneficial contribution to the higher education quality enhancement by promoting a structured partnership with the University of Economic Studies, offering both financial and logistic support for different professional and scientific large-scale events and facilitating the development of internship programs by the University students. The University Merit with Gold Medal “Nicolae D. Xenopol” Diploma, the highest distinction given to companies, was awarded to ROMGAZ, as a representative actor of the economic and social media, for supporting the economic university education.

ROMGAZ CEO Mr. Răzvan POPESCU stated: *“In this historical moment, my thoughts are with and my congratulations go to the university community members (scholars and students) of the Bucharest University of Economic Studies. Over time, the University of Economic Studies has become a pillar of higher education in our country, and generations were trained as specialists in economy and business. The graduates of the University have distinguished themselves in several fields, both at home and abroad, by demonstrating not only sound knowledge and practical skills but also a high professional ethics. The University of Economic Studies had also a significant impact on Romania’s economic development. The professors and researchers of the University have contributed to the development of coherent economic policies and implementation of important structural reforms in several fields. It is a special occasion for our company, and we hereby take the opportunity to thank you for the distinction and appreciation, and please rest assured of our unconditional support.”*

SNGN Romgaz SA is developing in partnership with the Bucharest University of Economic Studies numerous actions for the benefit of students, by involving teachers and researchers in common activities, and promoting a continuous dialogue between the representatives of the academic media and the company’s practitioners.

“I would like to emphasize that the 110th founding anniversary of the Bucharest University of Economic Studies represents not only an occasion to celebrate the history and the achievements of the University but also an encouragement to continue with building performance and excellency within a sustainable partnership by promoting good practices, professionalism and moral values, and setting a good example to young people, who will be trained for a carrier and life”, concluded Mr. Răzvan Popescu.

The award ceremony of the honorific titles “The University Merit with Gold Medal *Nicolae D. Xenopol*” was attended by ROMGAZ spokesperson Mrs. Andreea Negru.

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About ROMGAZ

S.N.G.N. ROMGAZ S.A. is the largest natural gas producer and the main supplier in Romania. The company is listed on Bucharest Stock Exchange and GDRs are traded on London Stock Exchange. The majority shareholder is the Romanian State owning a 70% stake. The company has a vast experience in the field of gas exploration and production, with a history that began in 1909 and spans more than 100 years. ROMGAZ undertakes geological exploration with the aim of discovering new gas reserves, produces methane by exploiting the reservoirs included in the company's portfolio and stores natural gas in underground storages; it performs well interventions, workover and special operations, and ensures technological transportation professional services. In 2013, ROMGAZ extended its scope of work by taking over Iernut thermoelectric power plant, becoming electricity producer and supplier