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The volume Political Culture and Cultural Politics in Modern Romania was conceived as an interdisciplinary synthesis of researches regarding the Romanian political culture. The editors - Alexandru Zub, academician, chief of the historical section of the Romanian Academy and director of "A. D. Xenopol" Institute of History - Iasi, and Adrian Cioflânca, researcher of the same institute - convoked for the volume (written in English, French or Romanian, belonging to a series occasioned by the International Congresses of Historical Sciences) well known specialists in different fields from Romania and above and also young researchers.

Besides the editors, one can find in the volume the thoughts of specialists in Romanian studies from the United States like Keith Hitchins, Paul E. Michelson, Vladimir Tismaneanu, Maria Bucur, autochthonous historians as Alexandru-Florin Platon, Iacob Mârza, Florin Cântec, political and social scientists like Alina Mungiu-Pippidi, Dragos Paul Aligica, Daniel Barbu, Mihaela Czobor-Lupp, specialists in Jewish Studies as Leon Volovici, Andrei Oisteanu and Felicia Waldaman. The group of young researchers consists of students who graduated Central European University from Budapest (Dragos and Cristina Petrescu, Mihai Chioveanu, Steliu Lambru, Razvan Pârâianu) and of young researchers from Iasi (Andi Mihalache, Gabriel Leanca, Mihai Chiper, Bogdan Mosneagu, Daniel Sandru).

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