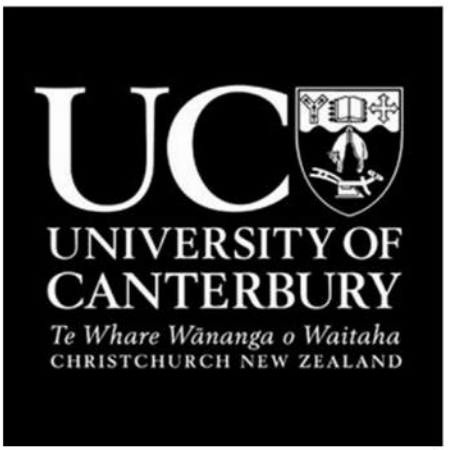


# ROMANIAN POLAR RESEARCH MUSEUM

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Emil Racovita, the first biologist in the world who studied life in Antarctica within the BELGICA expedition 1897-1899

Emil Racovita and Roald Amundsen

## THE FUTURE ROMANIAN POLAR RESEARCH MUSEUM

holds a unique collection of photographs, videos, journals, clothing equipments, devices, books, maps, models, minerals, old soils, vegetals, and other materials illustrating polar exploration, history of the polar expeditions organized in the last twenty years by the scientist and explorer Teodor Gheorghe Negoita (the first romanian who touched the North Pole, Leader of the romanian polar recherche station – "Law-Racovita" – from Larsemann Hills (Est Antarctica).

## THE PURPOSE OF THE ROMANIAN POLAR RESEARCH INSTITUTE AND ROMANIAN ANTARCTIC FOUNDATION

is to open this museum for pupils, students, master and doctoral students as well as for members of the public.

## THE EXHIBITION OF THE MUSEUM

represents an incursion in time through which the visitor is invited to follow eighteen Romanian polar expeditions, in the Greenland, Spitsbergen, Siberian North, extreme North of Canada, Siberian North, North Pole, East and West Antarctica.

## EVERY EXPEDITION

organized by  
Dr Teodor Gh. Negoita  
will be represented through:

- logistics – organization and leadership;
- research licences in polar zones;
- participants, research program;
- activities in the study area;
- preliminary results obtained on terrain;
- contacts with international expeditions;
- covered research routes;
- events;
- food ;
- equipments;
- vegetation, soils and rocks samples;
- scientific results published at the expedition's end;
- national and international conferences on the expedition subject.

## OUR AIM

is to enhance the role of the first Romanian Polar Research Museum into the national conservation system of the Romanian scientific and historical values . Arctic and Antarctic are both important for the history of their exploration and also for the research potential. Romania it is renowned and continuing the tradition with results to date.