



## Data journalism and storytelling boot camp. With Rob Gebeloff of The New York Times, Ruxandra Hurezean, and Crina Boroș

Open call for applications to attend an exceptional data reporting and storytelling skills training boot camp with The New York Times's Rob Gebeloff, Crina Boroş, and Ruxandra Hurezean.

## The boot camp takes place in Bucharest, on January 25-27, 2024.

As part of "Squared Democracy: United for Change", Freedom House România and Expert Forum are sponsoring the participation of 15 applicants.

The boot camp offers training in top digital skills for news reporting, and grabbing storytelling techniques, for turning data into a story that will appeal to readers/viewers.

The skills are taught over 2 days, at a slow pace, and in a supportive manner.

## About the trainers:

**Rob Gebeloff** is a senior The New York Times Data reporter, lecturer at Columbia University, and Pulitzer Prize finalist.

**Crina Boroș** is an award-winning freelance reporter, published by Reuters, the BBC, Unearthed (Greenpeace), a JournalismFund Mentor, and an international data journalism trainer.

**Ruxandra Hurezean** is a multi-award-winning journalist and author of seven non-fiction books.

The boot camp is open to everyone and would serve the best journalists, including early career reporters.

The course will be followed by a 2 day online seminar with Crina Boroş and Ruxandra Hurezean, with work on articles, so participants will gain practical skills to include up-to-date information about relevant social events, based on public data, in stories that will build audiences. To be considered for a fellowship, please send a CV and 2 proposals of subjects to be approached in articles, to <u>office@freedomhouse.ro</u>

## Deadline for applications: 10.12.2023.

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