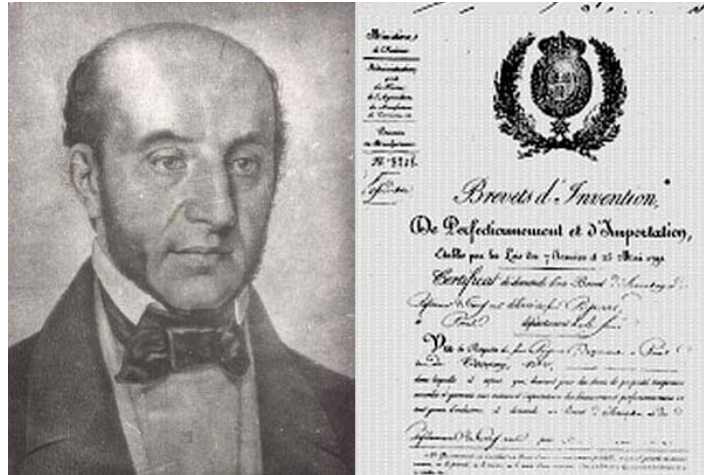


## First Romanian Inventor with Brevet de invention

### Petrache Poenaru



While a student in Paris, Petrache Poenaru invented the world's first fountain pen, an invention for which the French Government issued a patent on 25 May 1827.

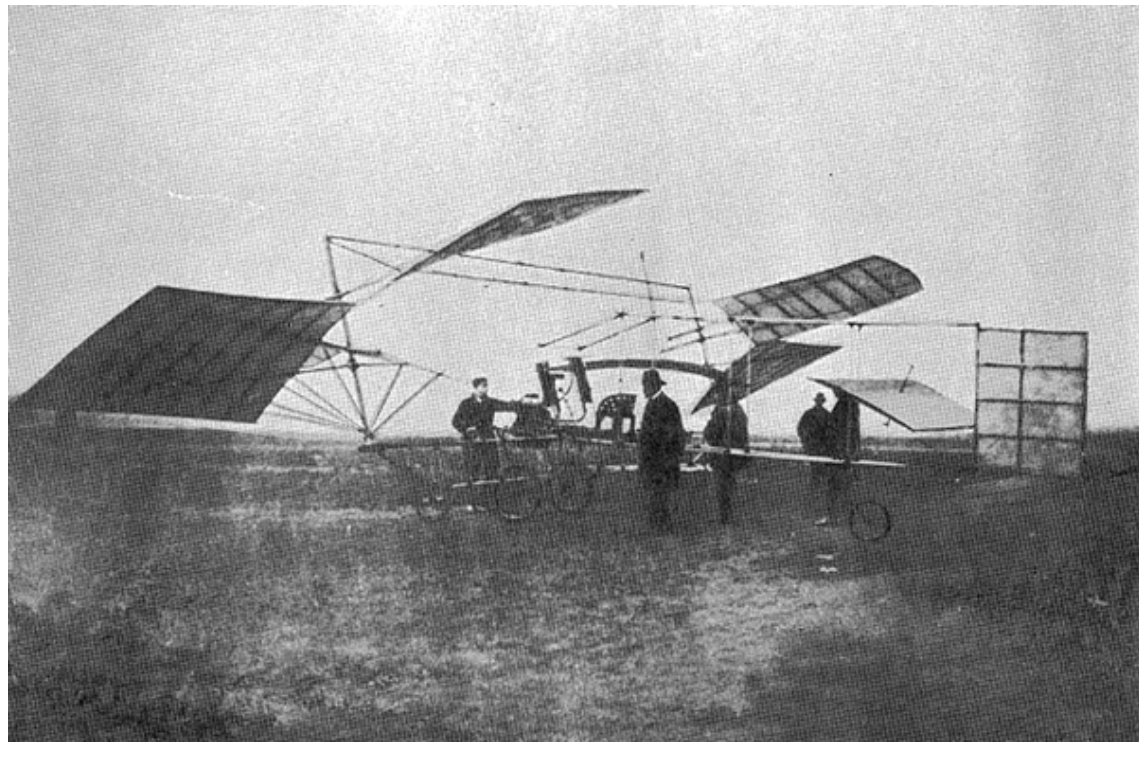


## 20th Century – Great Romanian Inventors

### Traian Vuia



Romanian inventor and aviation pioneer who designed, built and tested a tractor configuration monoplane. Later, Vuia also designed helicopters.



### Ana Aslan



Ana Aslan (1 January 1897 – 20 May 1988) was a Romanian biologist and physician who discovered the anti-aging effects of procaine, based on which she developed the drugs Gerovital H3 and Aslavit.

Many international personalities were treated with Gerovital: Tito, Charles de Gaulle, Hrusciov, J.F. Kennedy, Indira Gandhi, Imelda Marcos, Marlene Dietrich, Konrad Adenauer, Charlie Chaplin, Kirk Douglas, Salvador Dali.



### Henri Coanda



Romanian inventor, aerodynamics pioneer and builder of an experimental aircraft, the Coandă-1910 described by Coandă in the mid-1950s as the world's first jet.

He invented a great number of devices, designed a "flying saucer" and discovered the Coandă effect of fluid dynamics.



## 21st Century – Great Romanian Inventors

### Radu Silaghi-Dumitrescu



Creating blood in the country of Dracula could be a cliché.