

SACMAT 2015

Venue Information

01-03 June 2015

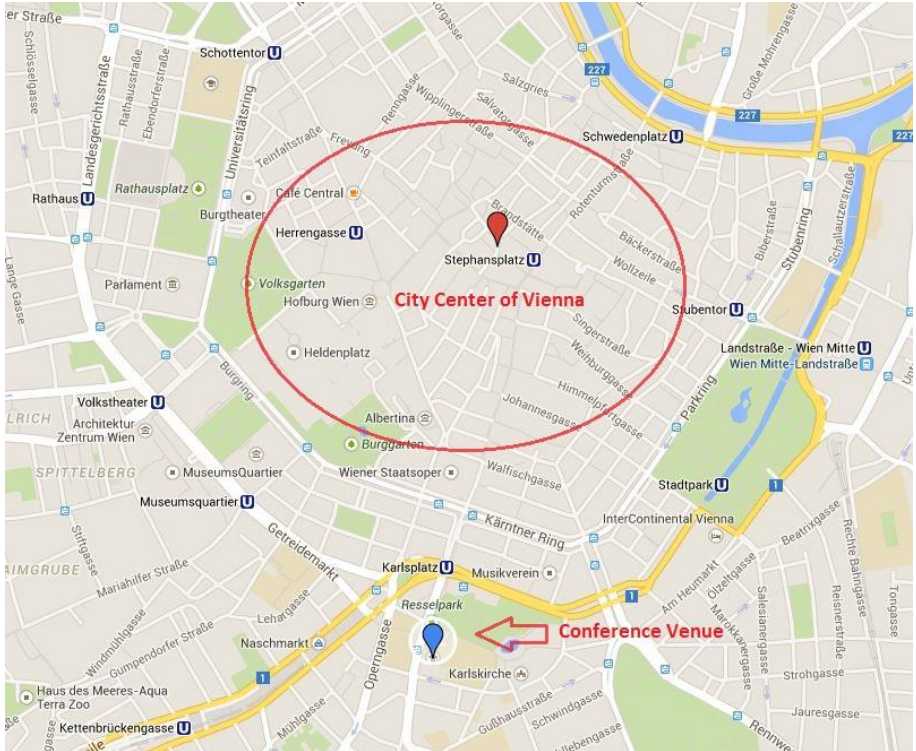
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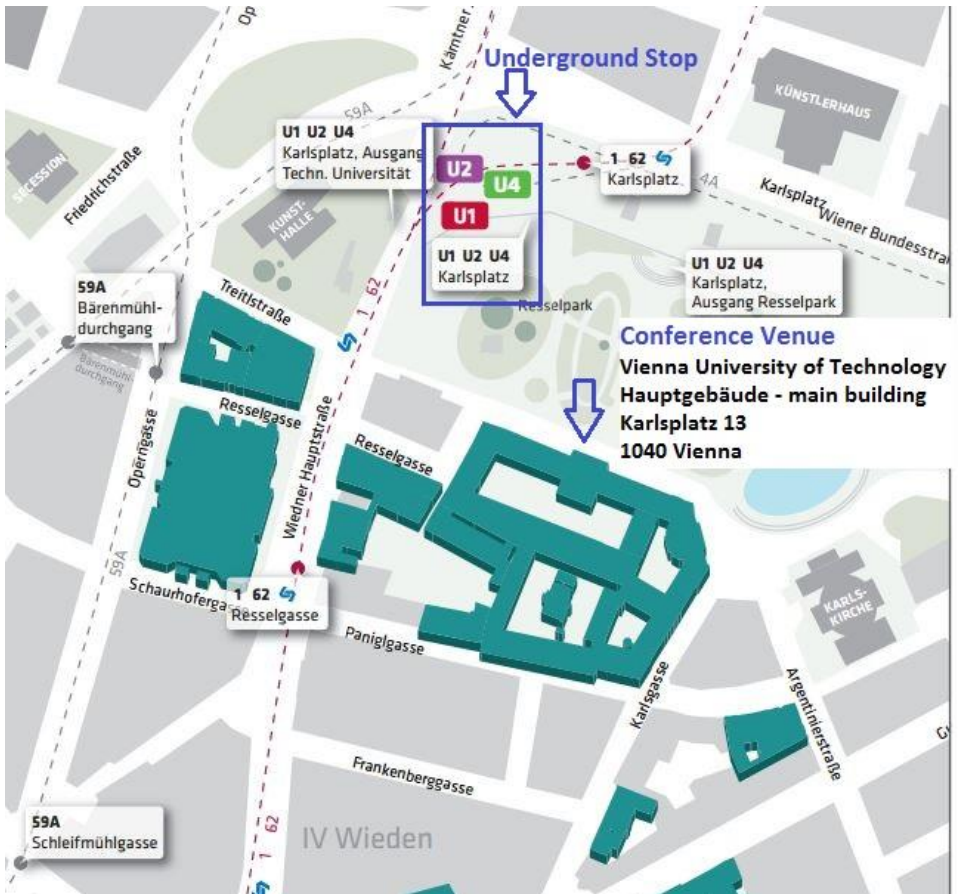
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Venue Overview



Conference Venue



Directions

How to get from the airport to the city center

From and to the airport

The Vienna International Airport (VIE) in Schwechat is about 20 km away in the southeast of Vienna. Train lines S7 and S2 (suburban railway “S-Bahn”) as well as the City Airport Train (CAT) connect the city center with the airport.

You can also take a taxi for your convenience, a taxi fare is at about 30 Euro.

1. City Airport Train / CAT

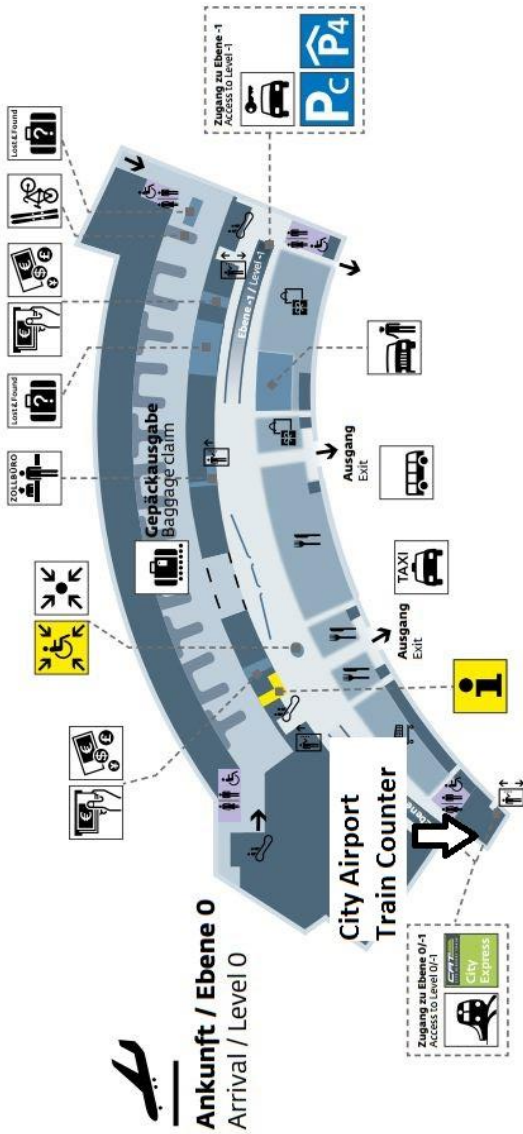
The CAT takes just 16 minutes nonstop to get from central Vienna to the airport and vice versa. The City Airport Train operates daily from 05.36 a.m. to 23.36 p.m. The City Air Terminal is just 10 minutes from St. Stephan’s Cathedral at “Landstraße - Wien Mitte” station, which can be reached easily by tram, underground, bus or taxi.

The price for a single fair is €11.00, the exact timetable and more information can be found here: <http://www.cityairporttrain.com/>

Overview departure time CAT

Departure	Arrival	First train (departure)	Last train (departure)	Duration
Wien Mitte	Vienna Airport	05:36 (then 06 & 36 min. past the hour)	23.06	16 min
Vienna Airport	Wien Mitte	06:06 (then 06 & 36 min. past the hour)	23.36	16 min

Vienna Airport Map



2. S-Bahn / suburban railway

The Schnellbahn (S-Bahn) is a low-priced way of getting from Vienna to the airport and back. Price: from € 4.40 (including travel on Vienna public transport). Ticket machines are on the platforms at the airport and at Wien Mitte.

The following table gives a summary of the S-Bahn timetable between “Landstraße - Wien Mitte” and Vienna Airport. To get to the city center you need to take the S-Bahn line “S7” in direction “Floridsdorf”.

Departure	Arrival	First suburban railway (departure)	Last suburban railway (departure)	Duration
Wien Mitte	Vienna Airport	04:30 (then appr. Every 30 min)	23:45	25 min
Vienna Airport	Wien Mitte	04:56 (then appr. Every 30 min))	00:17	25 min

How to get from the airport directly to the Conference Venue

Address of the Conference Venue:

Vienna University of Technology
Hauptgebäude - main building
Karlsplatz 13
1040 Vienna
Austria

Choose a connection from before, either the CAT or the S-Bahn (see information before) to get from the airport to the city center. The closest underground stop is “Karlsplatz” (U1/U4/U2).

If you decide to take the CAT to get to the Conference Venue:

The last stop is “Landstraße - Wien Mitte” (1). Get out there and take the green undergroundline (U4) in direction “Hütteldorf”. Get out at “Karlsplatz” (2) then follow the signs to the exit “Technische Universität”. See map 1 on page 7.

If you decide to take the S-Bahn to get to the Conference Venue:

Get out at the stop “Praterstern” (1) and take the red undergroundline (U1) in direction “Karlsplatz”. Get out at “Karlsplatz” (2) then follow the signs to the exit “Technische Universität”. See map 2 on page 8.

Underground Maps



Map 1 CAT: Airport - Conference Venue

- 1 Get out at “Landstraße - Wien Mitte” and change to U4 (“Hütteldorf”)
- 2 Get out at “Karlsplatz”

Underground Maps



Map 2 S-Bahn: Airport-Conference Venue

- 1 Get out at “Praterstern” and change to U1 (“Karlsplatz”)
- 2 Get out at “Karlsplatz”

Public Transport



Map 3: Public Transport Vienna

The underground trains (U-Bahn) run from about 5.00 am in the morning to about midnight. The underground trains run around the clock on Friday and Saturday and on the eve of public holidays!

Welcome to Vienna!

Useful Information



Tourist Information

1st district, city centre Albertinaplatz,
corner of Maysedergasse
Daily from 9.00 am to 7.00 pm

Vienna International Airport, Schwechat
Arrival hall
Daily from 7.00 am to 10.00 pm

Emergency Numbers

Fire service	122
Police	133
Ambulance/ rescue	144
Emergency doctor	141
European emergency	112

Opening hours shops in Vienna

Shops are usually open Mon - Fri from 9.00 am - 6.30 pm, Sat until 5.00 pm or 6.00 pm; some shopping centres are open until 8.00 pm or 9.00 from Mon-Fri. Shopping is available on Sundays and holidays at the large railway stations, at the airport and in the museum shops.

Drugstores are open from Monday to Friday from 8.00 am - 6.00 pm, usually without a lunch break, and on Saturday from 8.00 am - 12.00 noon. Outside of these times, a 24-hour drugstore standby service is available throughout the city. Details of the nearest open drugstore are posted at every drugstore. For telephone information, call the number 1455.

Public Transport Tickets

24-, 48- & 72-hour-ticket



24-hour-ticket € 7.60

48-hour-ticket € 13.30

72-hour-ticket € 16.50

About

- ticket is valid for 24, 48 or 72 hours from validation
- valid on all public transport services in Vienna

Single Trip



Single Trip € 2.20

About

- can be used to travel once in one direction and are valid from the time they are punched in a validating machine
- you may change between tram, bus and underground as often as you like, but without interrupting travel

Tickets are available

- at the Vienna transport Authority's ticket offices
- ticket machines
- tobacconists
- online: <https://shop.wienerlinien.at/>

About Vienna

Vienna is old, Vienna is new – and so diverse: from the magnificent Baroque buildings to “golden” Art Nouveau or the latest architecture. Vienna is packed with imperial history; at the same time it has exciting contemporary museums, lively eating and a vibrating nightlife, but also many quiet corners to explore.

Few cities can boast the imperial grandeur of Vienna, once the centre of the powerful Habsburg monarchy. Lipizzaner stallions performing elegant equine ballet, the angelic tones of the Vienna Boys' Choir drifting across a courtyard and, outrageously opulent palaces.

Walk in the footsteps of the Habsburgs, visit the splendid baroque Schönbrunn or Belvedere Palaces, or stroll along the magnificent Ring Boulevard to take a look at the heart of the former vast Habsburg empire, the Imperial Palace. Get a sense of the luster and glory of the old empire by visiting St. Stephen's Cathedral, the Spanish Riding School, the Giant Ferris Wheel at the Prater, as well as the sarcophagi in the Imperial Vault.



Schloss Schönbrunn

Visit Empress Sisi's former summer residence. This baroque complex contains an enchanting park, the Palm House, the Gloriette and a zoo. Spend an entire day at Schönbrunn: visit the show rooms with a "Grand Tour with Audio Guide," admire the splendid Bergl Rooms, and stroll through the "Labyrinth." Schönbrunn Zoo in Vienna is the oldest existing zoo in the world and has been named Europe's best on three occasions. Each year more than two million visitors come to see the panda baby, newborn elephants and many other rare animals.

Beautiful and celebrated Empress Elisabeth has long since become a cult figure. The Sisi Museum in the Imperial Apartments of the Imperial Palace compares the myth and the facts. Among the highlights are numerous personal objects once owned by Elisabeth as well as the most famous portraits of the beautiful empress. The Spanish Riding School is only a few steps away from the Sisi Museum and will be celebrating the 450th anniversary of its first written mention with gala performances on Heldenplatz in 2015.



Vienna State Opera

Emperor Franz Joseph officially opened Vienna's Ringstrasse on May 1, 1865. Vienna is celebrating its 150th birthday in 2015 with numerous events and exhibitions. The most beautiful boulevard in the world not only rich in sights, it also has large parks, important monuments, and much more. About 800 buildings line the boulevard today. Additional sights on the Ringstrasse, aside from the many opulent buildings, include the black-gold lattice fence in front of the Hofburg, the world's longest fence from the age of Historicism, the 5.5-meter-tall Pallas Athene statue in front of the Parliament, and the "Rathausmann", a statue of a man on the tower of City Hall.

The University of Vienna is the second oldest German-speaking University in the world. The building on the Ring was erected in the style of the Italian High Renaissance. The first university in Vienna had already be founded in 1365, but elsewhere in the city. That's why the 650th birthday of the most important educational institution in the country will be celebrated in 2015.

Vienna is one the most musical cities in the world. This is partly due to the vast number of great composers and musicians who were born here or lived and worked here. Visiting Austria's capital therefore means experiencing the works of Mozart, Haydn, Schubert, Beethoven, Johann Strauss and many others in venues like the Staatsoper and Musikverein. The music of Bach and Händel continues to be performed in Vienna's historic churches today, and Vienna's Collection of Ancient Musical Instruments, paired with a visit to the Haus der Musik, takes you deeper into the texture of music and how it is created. Venues for classical music are augmented by some great clubs and live rock and jazz places.



Volksgarten

The Mercer Study has chosen Vienna as the world's number one most livable city for the sixth time in a row in 2015. More than half of the metropolitan area is made up of green spaces. 280 imperial parks and gardens enrich the cityscape. In spring, 400 species of rose bloom in the Volksgarten alone. The nearby recreation areas of Prater, Vienna Woods and Lobau invite visitors to go on walks, day trips, hikes and bicycle tours. Vienna has a total of 2,000 parks.

St. Stephen's Cathedral is the symbol of Vienna. Construction commenced in the 12th century. Today, it is one of the most important Gothic structures in Austria. Stephen's Cathedral is located directly in the city centre, at the religious and geographical heart of Vienna. It's giant Pummerin bell features on television as it rings in the New Year.

It's hard to imagine a more livable city than Vienna. This is a metropolis where regulars sit in cosy coffee houses and offer credible solutions to the world's chaos over the noble bean; where Beisln (bistro pubs) serve delicious brews, wines and traditional food; where talented chefs are taking the capital in new culinary directions; and where an efficient transport system will ferry you across town

from a restaurant to a post-dinner drink in no time at all. It's safe, it has lots of bicycle tracks and it even has its own droll sense of humour.

Vienna is a city where postmodernist and contemporary architectural designs contrast and fuse with the monumental and historic. The MuseumsQuartier is a perfect example, with modern museum architecture integrated into a public space created around former stables for the Habsburgs' horses.



Museumsquartier

Twentieth-century designs are little short of inspiring, while contemporary Vienna is constantly being given new and exciting infrastructural designs such as the new Twin City Liners boat landing and the enormous Hauptbahnhof.

Vienna also hosts several international events such as the famous opera ball that takes place every year in February, which is taking place in the Vienna State Opera. The Life Ball, one of the biggest AIDS charity events worldwide also takes place in Vienna and is held in front of the city hall. Each Life Ball is attended by stars, designers and politicians from all over the world such as Bill Clinton, Katy Perry and Charlize Theron and Jean Paul Gaultier. In 2015 Vienna is celebrating not only one but three anniversaries; 150 years Ringstrasse, 450 years of the Spanish Riding School and 650 years University Vienna. Furthermore Vienna is honoured to host the 60th Eurovision Song Contest in May 2015.



Eurovision Song Contest
2015

Sources: Vienna Info, Lonely Planet

Cultural Program

taking place from June 1 – 3, 2015

Here you can find concerts, exhibitions and sightseeing trips taking place during your stay in Vienna.

Tourism Information Vienna:

Here are some websites that provide further information and suggestions for you stay in Vienna:

<http://www.wien.info/en>

<http://www.lonelyplanet.com/austria/vienna>

<https://www.viennasightseeing.at/en/>

http://www.viennaticketoffice.com/home_en.php

If you need any assistance concerning the booking of sightseeing tours, concerts or exhibitions please do not hesitate to contact the conference office.

Cafe Concerts, Heurigen & Dinner Shows

1st Viennese Heurigen Show

A successful blend of Viennese Waltz and Operetta with traditional Viennese Heurigen Culture is presented by the first Wiener Heurigen Show at the famous "Wine Tavern Wolff". The rustic ambient of this genuine wine tavern (in family possession since 1602), provides an ideal setting for an authentic experience of Viennese music, cuisine and wine culture. Dressed in colourful costumes, the talented musicians of the 1st Wiener Heurigen Show, supported by 2 singers and 2 charming dancers, entertain their audience with a selection of famous waltz melodies, polkas and romantic arias & duets from operettas.

Date: Wed. 3rd June 2015, 8:15 p.m.

Venue: Wolff Wine Tavern,
Rathstrasse 44-46
1190 Vienna

Price: 25-48€

Contact information: +43 1 524 74 78
tickets@heuriger.com
www.heuriger.com



Piano Music at the Café Central

The charm of this legendary literary café – frequented for example by poet Peter Altenberg around 1900 – makes a visit to the café a unique experience. A cozy atmosphere, Viennese cuisine, homemade pastries and piano music are all good reasons to stop by.

Venue: Café Central
Herrngasse/Strauchgasse
1010 Wien

Contact information: +43 1 533 37 63-24
cafe.central@palaisevents.at
www.cafecentral-wien.at



Austrian Dinner Show

A musical and culinary journey through Austria.

A musical journey from the mountains of Tirol, the charming lakes of the Salzkammergut, and from the romantic Danube Valley to imperial Vienna awaits the visitors of the "Austrian Dinner Show". Traditional folklore tunes and colorful dances, a spirited "Landler" from the Alps, romantic arias from Salzburg and famous Waltzes and Operettas from Vienna, the highly talented musicians of the ensemble, excellent vocal soloists and spirited dancers will enchant with their performance of the musical treasures of Austria. Between each dinner course, the visitors experience an exciting program divided into 3 entertaining show scenes. During dinner, typical Viennese music will be played live. (Source: Press release)

Date: Mon. 1st June 2015, 8 p.m. Wed. 3rd June 2015, 8 p.m.

Venue: Wiener Rathauskeller
Rathausplatz 1
1010 Wien

Price: 58€

Contact +43-1-274 90 46

information: office@dinnershow.at

www.austriandinnershow.at



Exhibitions

Monet to Picasso. The Batliner Collection

Under the title “Monet to Picasso”, the Albertina exhibits its vast holdings of paintings from the period of Modernism, which are primarily made up of works from the Batliner Collection. The epochs covered by this reinstallation of the museum’s permanent collection range from Impressionism and Fauvism to German Expressionism, the Bauhaus, and the Russian avant-garde; the presentation concludes with works by Picasso.

Lee Miller

Lee Miller (1907-1977) is considered one of the most fascinating artists of the 20th century. In over five decades, she produced a body of photographic work of a range that remains unparalleled, and that unites the most divergent genres. Miller’s oeuvre extends from surrealistic images to photography in the fields of fashion, travelling, portraiture and even war correspondence; the Albertina presents a survey of the work in its breadth and depth, with the aid of 90 selected pieces.

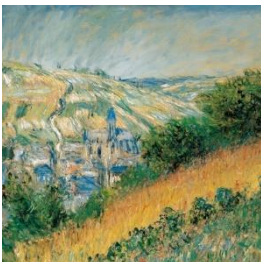
Date: daily, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Venue: Albertina
Albertinaplatz 1
1010 Wien

Contact information: +43 1 534 83 0
info@albertina.at
www.albertina.at



Lee Miller in Hitler’s Bathtub,
Munich, Germany, 1945



Claude Monet
View of Vétheuil, 1881



Claude Monet
The water lily pond, around 1917-1919

Sightseeing

Vienna Ring Tram

You can get to know Vienna's wonderful boulevard, the Ringstrasse around the Old City, in comfort from the Vienna Ring Tram – all year round, daily from 10.00 am to 5.30 pm.

Inside the wagons (31 seats), LCD screens inform you about the highlights along the route, supplemented with information in several languages over the headphones. Duration: 25 minutes; tickets can be purchased on board the tram and at the advance sales outlets of Wiener Linien Boarding and alighting point on Schwedenplatz



Date: daily from 10.00 am to 5.30 pm on the hour and half hour

Venue: Schwedenplatz
1010 Wien

Contact information: <http://www.wienerlinien.at>

Ticket price: 8€

Vienna at First Glance - Guided Walk

Comprehensive introduction to the most important sights of Vienna's historical center.

Meeting point: Tourist-Info, 1., Albertinaplatz / Ecke Maysedergasse

As of 3 people, irrespective of weather conditions, duration: 1 1/2-2 h, excluding admission fees, no booking required.

Date: daily, 2 p.m.

Contact information: +43 1 489 96 74
d.office@wienguide.at
www.wienguide.at

Ticket price: 15€

Guided Tours Spanish Horse Riding School

including Stables

A unique tour of the Spanish Riding School takes you to the different “stations” which account for the special charm of this institution. The Winter Riding School, a gem of baroque architecture; the Summer Riding School, one of Vienna’s quietest and unexpected spots; the Stallburg, Vienna’s most significant Renaissance building with the stables of the Lipizzaners.



- Date:** Monday – Sunday at 2, 3 and 4 p.m.
- Venue:** Spanish Riding School (Spanische Hofreitschule)
Michaelerplatz 1 (Besucherzentrum)
1010 Wien
- Contact information:** +43-1-533 90 32
www.srs.at
office@srs.at
- Ticket price:** 16€

DDSG-Blue Danube Boat Trips

Grand Danube River Cruise

Discover Vienna from the river Danube! Relax on board and enjoy the Viennese landscape and sights: Danube Tower, Millennium Tower, Vienna Ring Tower, Thermal Waste Treatment Plant Spittelau, the Urania Observatory and many more! (DDSG)



- Date:** Daily at 10.30 a.m.; 11.30 a.m.; 2 p.m.;
3 p.m.: 4 p.m.
- Venue:** DDSG Blue Danube Vienna City landing stage
Schwedenplatz, Marienbrücke
1010 Wien Musikvereinsplatz 1
1010 Wien
- Contact information:** +43 1 58 880 0
<http://www.ddsg-blue-danube.at/>
- Ticketprice:** 19,90 € - 26 €

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