**General Assembly, Policy Conference, EXCO, EUSIG, Capacity Building Working Group Meeting in Vienna**

Practical information for the meeting 26. bis 29. September 2018

**Public transport in Vienna:**

We have to ride by bus, tram, or underground from the different hotels to the different meeting venues, two times each day, on Thursday evening we will have dinner together in a social enterprise called “Kantine in der Ankerbrotfabrik” and on Friday in a typical Vienna Pub called “Grüspan”, to go to these places we have to use the public transport system. So please buy yourself a weekly pass at the airport for the city of Vienna and a single ticket from the airport to city boundary (depending from your departure) > see instructions below.

Information about Tickets for the public transport:
https://shop.wienerlinien.at/index.php/tickets

Map of Underground and City-Train:
http://homepage.univie.ac.at/horst.prillinger/ubahn/m/largemap-s-wien.html

To search your best way you can also use:
http://www.wienerlinien.at/eportal2/ep/channelView.do/pageTypeId/66533/channelId/-48703
or download the WienMobil app:
https://www.wienerlinien.at/eportal3/ep/channelView.do/pageTypeId/66533/channelId/-3600061

**ARRIVING ON THE AIRPORT**

For minimal costs use City-Train 7 (“S7”) (direction “Laa/Thaya” or ”Wolkersdorf”), every 30 Minutes always 12 minutes, or 42 minutes after the full hour, or the Austrian Railroad to the Central Station, or station Meidling, about the full hour and 30 minutes after the full hour > You can buy tickets at the red machines in the train station > Please see the information about Tickets below.

**The really high prizes alternatives, if you have too much money.**

The City Airport Train (green) for one way single Tickel 12.00€

The Bus single Ticket 8,00€

**Tickets from the Airport:**

Please buy yourself one weekly pass (17,10 €), – if you arrive on Wednesday, and you will stay till Saturday, or Saturday. In every way a weekly pass in combination with the short track ticket to the Vienna boundary is the cheapest way to be mobil in Vienna. The weekly pass costs 17,10€ (you need to get Euro at the Airport to buy the ticket or you can pay with creditcard – not always works!). The short track from the airport to the boundary costs 1,80€.

Just in front of departure to the train in the main arrival hall there in a red ticket shop from the railways with helpful employees.

Do not forget to by such a short track ticket from the city limits to the Airport when you are leaving.
Detailed instruction to buy the ticket at the Airport:

Red ticket-machine

**Step1:** You can select English language (at the left)

**Step2:** Select “Vor-Einzelkarte mit Zielwahl”
Step3: Select “Airport Vienna to from the city limits”
Step4: Select “1 ticket, Full price”
and “OK, I buy the ticket”
and “further products”
Step 4: Select “weekly pass / Wochenkarte”
Step 5: “Pay!”

COMING WITH TRAIN OR BUS

Coming with train:
Trains mainly arrive at Wien Hauptbahnhof (Vienna Main Station) > There you go with Tram 18 (leaving downstairs / underground) direction “Burggasse / Stadthalle” to station “Gumpendorferstraße”. Then change to Bus 57A Direction Burgring and get off at “Stiegengasse”.

Coming with bus:
Busses mostly stop at “Wien Erdberg” > There you take Underground 3 (orange line) direction “Ottakring” and go to “Westbahnhof”. There you change to Underground 6 (brown line) direction “Siebenhirten” or “Alterlaa” and go one station to “Gumpendorferstraße”. (see train)
If your accommodation is in the Hotel Kolping:

Go to “Wien Mitte” (Vienna Center) by the S7, there you change to Underground 4 (green line) direction “Hütteldorf” and go to station “Kettenbrückengasse”. From there you can walk (see map below) up to the hotel (Kolping central), Gumpendorferstraße 39, 1060 Wien.

HOTEL:
Kolpinghaus Wien-Zentral
Gumpendorfer Straße 39
1060 Wien
T +43 1 5875631-0
F +43 1 5863630
office@kolping-wien-zentral.at
https://www.kolping-wien-zentral.at

Next underground-stations: Underground 4 "Kettenbrückengasse"
If your accommodation is in the Altwienerhof:

Take the train to Hauptbahnhof, the next station will be Meidling. Go to the Underground U6, direction Floridsdorf. Get off at the Station Gumpendorferstraße. From there you can walk (see map below) up to the hotel

Or take the Schnellbahn S7 direction Floridsdorf to Vienna Bio Center St. Mary, then take the tramway 6 to the Station Gumpendorferstraße

HOTEL:
Altwienerhof
Herklotzgasse 6
1150 Wien
T +43 1 8926000
office@altwienerhof.at
https://www.altwienerhof.at/

If your accommodation is in the Hotel Donauwalzer:

Take the train to Hauptbahnhof, the next station will be Meidling. Go to the Underground U6, direction Floridsdorf. Get off at the Station Alserstraße. From there you can walk (see map below) up to the hotel

HOTEL:
Boutique Hotel Donauwalzer
Hernalser Gürtel 27
1170 Wien
T +43 1 405 76 45
office@altwienerhof.at
https://www.donauwalzer.at/
If your accommodation is in the Pension Mariahilf:
Go to “Wien Mitte” (Vienna Center) by the S7, Schnellbahn, there you change to Underground 3 (green line) direction “Ottakring” and go to station “Neubaugasse”. From there you can walk back the Mariahilferstraße, just 5 minutes to the Pension Mariahilf.

HOTEL:
Mariahilf Pension
Mariahilferstraße 49, 1060 Wien, T +43 1 586 17 81, info@mariahilf-hotel.at
https://www.mariahilf-hotel.at/
If your accomodation is in the Hotel am Brillantengrund:
Go to "Wien Mitte" (Vienna Center) by the S7, Schnellbahn, there you change to Underground 3 (green line) direction "Ottakring" and go to station "Zieglergasse". From there you can walk, Zieglergasse, Seidengasse, Bandgasse, just 5 minutes to the Hotel Brillantengrund.

HOTEL:
Hotel am Brillantengrund
Bandgasse 4, 1070 Wien, T +43 1 523 36 62, hotel@brillantengrund.com
https://www.brillantengrund.com
Venue for the EXCO Meeting, Policy Conference, General Assembly

Place of meeting: VHS Rudolfsheim, Schwengergasse 41

Example: Hotel Donauwalzer to EXCO, Policy Conference, General Assembly
Venue for the EUSIG Meeting
Place of meeting: Hotel Kolping, Gumpendorferstr. 39

Example: Hotel Altwienerhof to the Hotel Kolping
VENUE for the meeting: Thursday, 27. Sept. 2018, Capacity Building
Place of meeting: Luisensaal
Krankenhaus der Barmherzigen Schwestern Wien
Stumpergasse 13, 1060 Wien

Getting from Hotel Kolping to venue: You take Bus 57A direction Rudolfsheim / Anschützgasse and get off the bus at Brückengasse
From Altwienerhof, Pension Mariahilf, Hotel Brillantengrund you can walk easy, between 5 and 14 Minutes. (see the picture)
From Donauwalzer, take the Undergound U6 form Alserstraße to Westbahnhof, then walk down the Stumpergasse. Station U6 Gumpendorferstrasse is closed for renovation in this direction.

[Map showing directions]
Location for the dinner / thursday 7.30 pm.
Kantine in der Brotfabrik
Absberggasse 27, Stiege 3 im EG, 1100 Wien
Tel: +43 (1) 600 57 72 21
http://www.kantine-brotfabrik.at
Absberggasse 27, Stiege 3 im EG, 1100 Wien
Location for the dinner / friday 7.30 pm.
Restaurant Grünspan
Ottakringer Str. 266, 1060 Wien
https://www.gruenspan.at/

Example: Way from the hotel Kolping to the venue,

Example: Way from the Hotel Brillantengrund to the Restaurant Grünspan
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