

# ACM CCS 2016

## Venue Guide

Hofburg Imperial Palace, Vienna, Austria  
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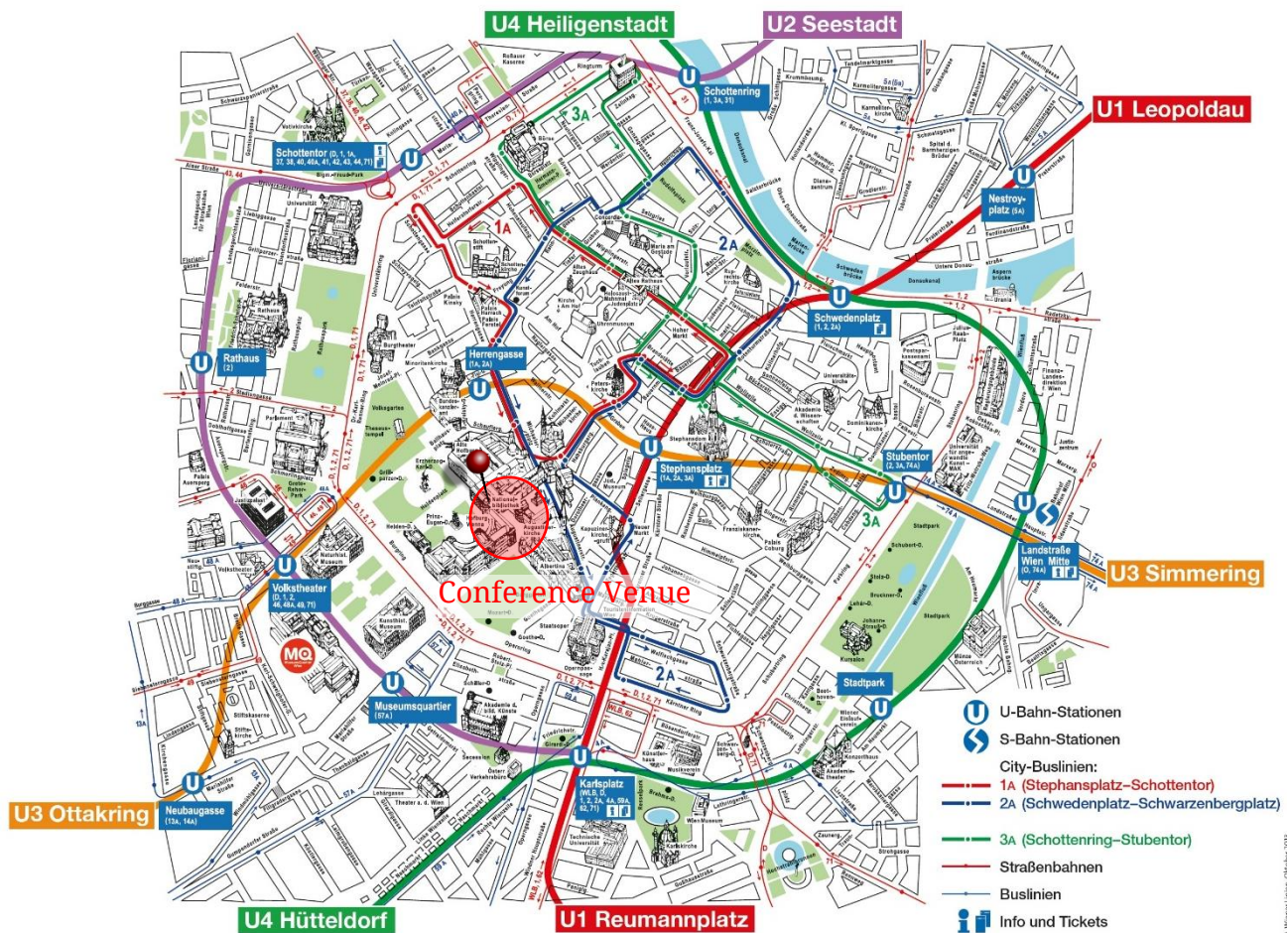
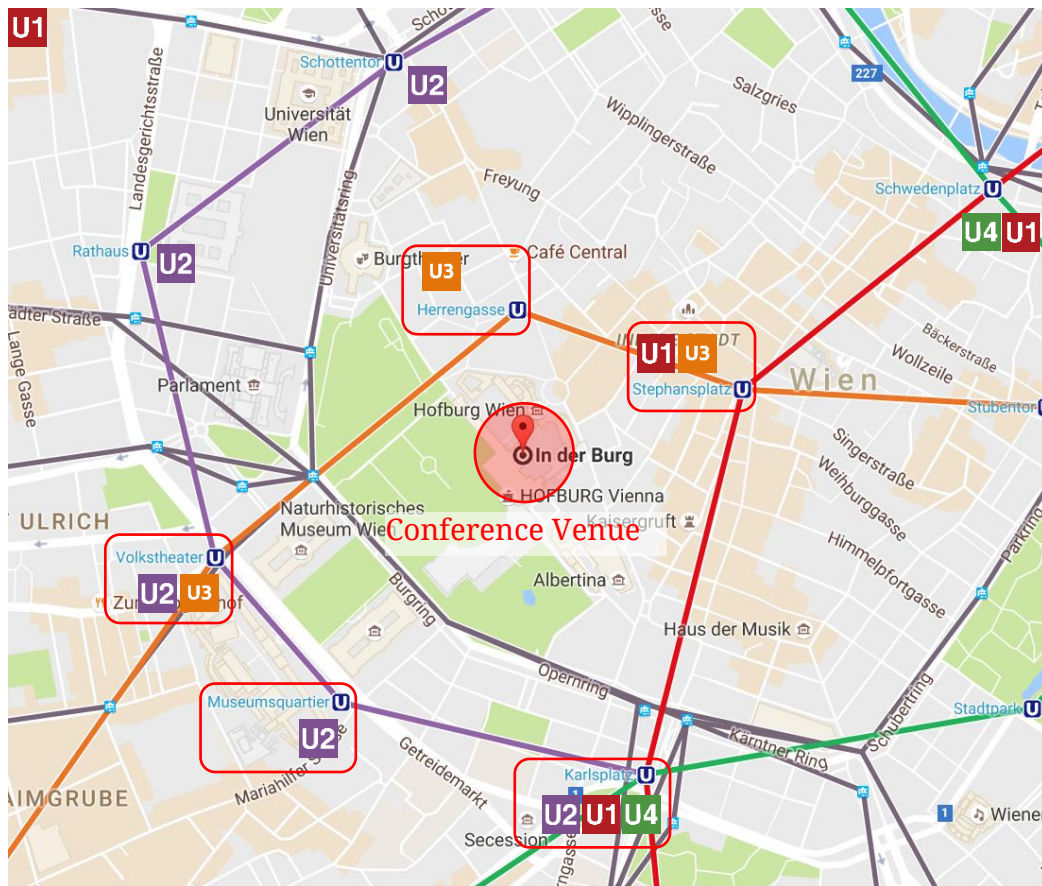
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## Venue Overview

## Conference Venue and closest metro stops - Overview





## Directions (to CCS 2016 Conference Venue)

### Conference Venue

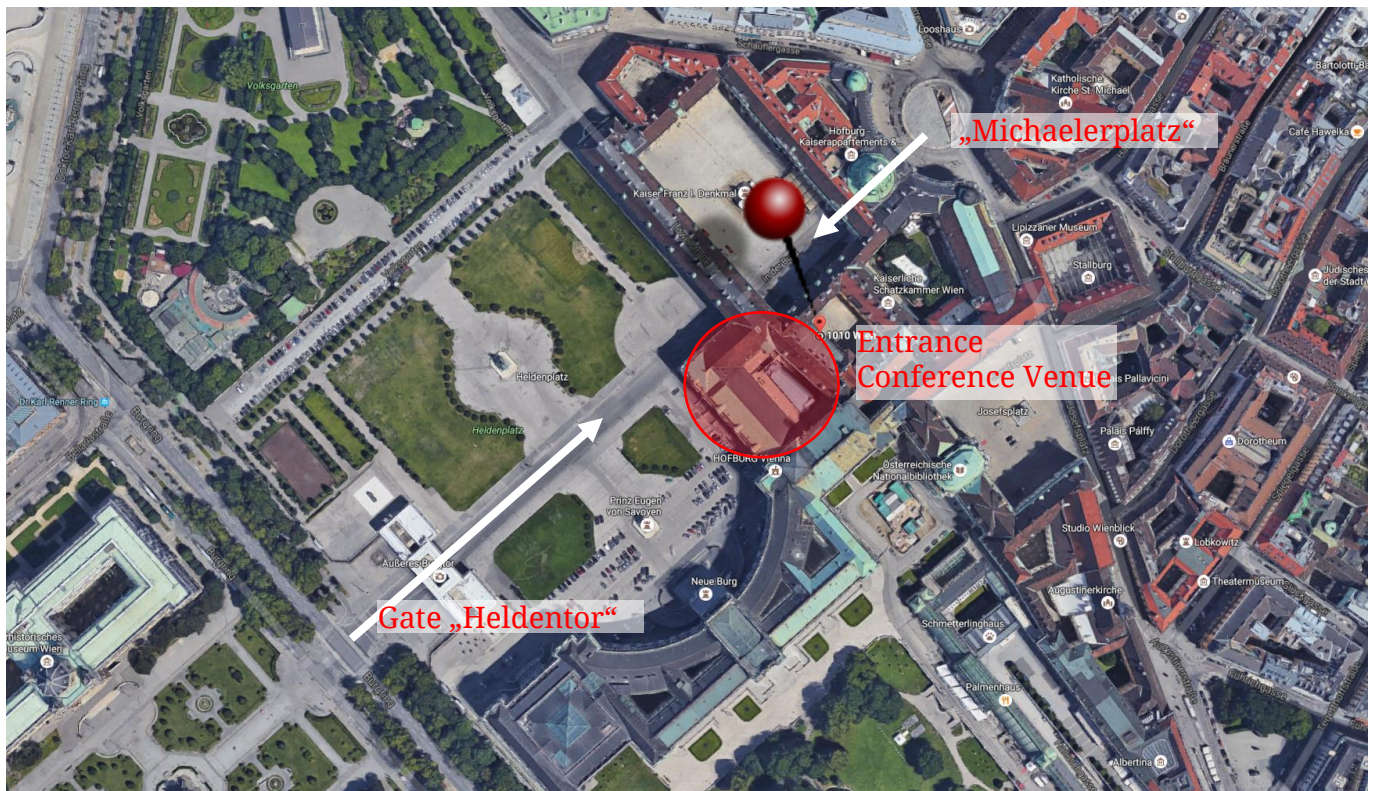
#### Address of the Conference Venue:

Hofburg Imperial Palace Vienna / Congress Center Hofburg  
Entrance Botschafterstiege – Schweizerhof  
1010 Vienna

The Imperial Palace Hofburg Vienna – Conference Venue of CCS 2016 - is a huge complex. Part of the palace forms the official residence and workplace of the President of Austria. CCS 2016 will take place in the Hofburg Congress Center (marked in red in the image below).

The entrance of the CCS 2016 Conference Venue is located in the second courtyard of Hofburg Palace, called “Schweizerhof” and can be reached either from the gate “Heldentor” or from the square “Michaelerplatz”.

**GPS Coordinates:** 48.206843, 16.365629



## How to get to the Conference Venue

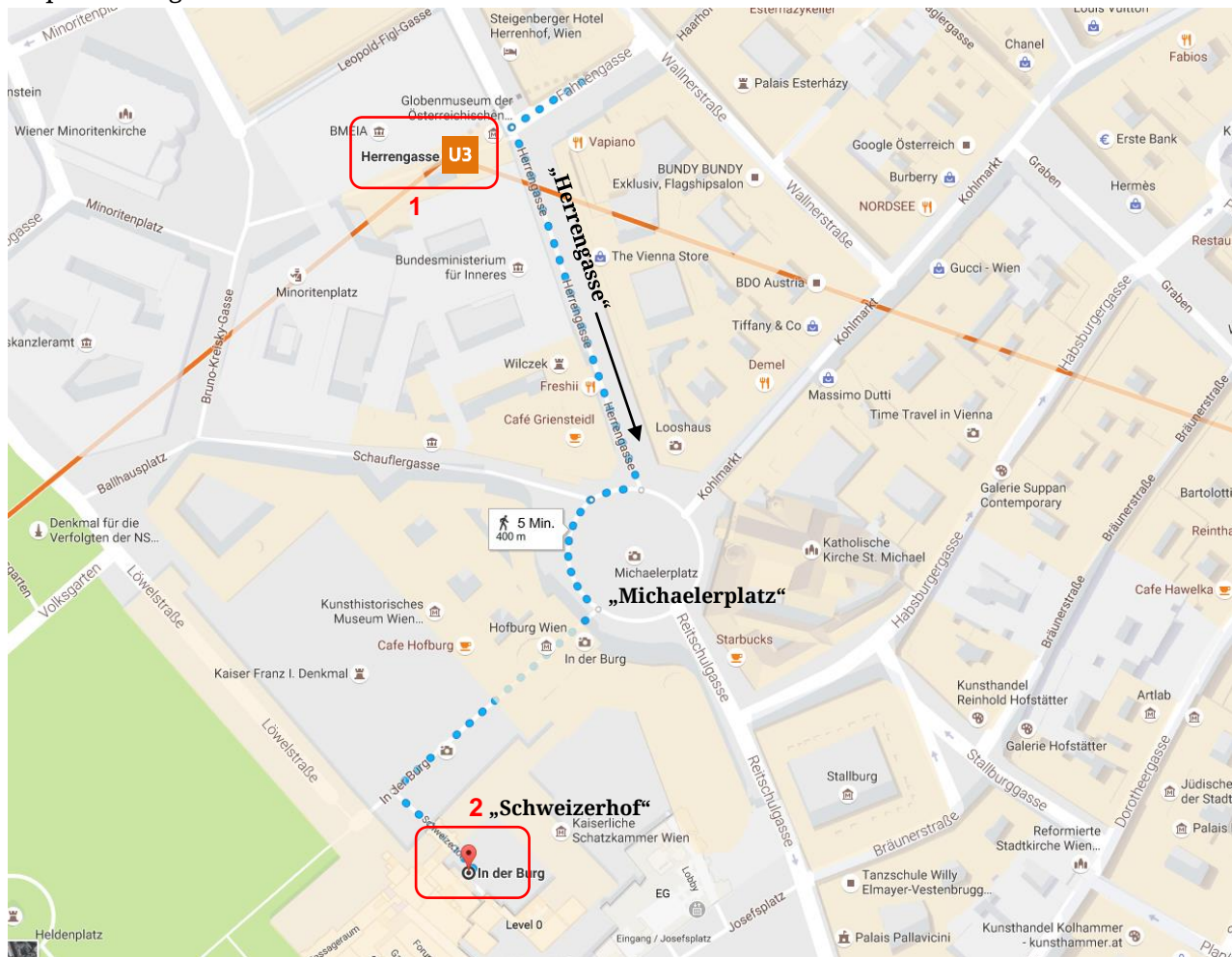
The closest underground stops are “Herrengasse” (U3), “Stephansplatz” (U1/U3) and “Volkstheater” (U2) (see map on first page).

### Walking Distances from metro stops

#### Using the orange underground line – U3

Get out at the orange underground line U3, stop “Herrengasse” (1), using the exit “Fahnengasse”. From there it is just a 6 minutes’ walk to the venue. Follow the street “Herrengasse” until you reach the square “Michaelerplatz”.

Stop “Herrengasse” to the conference venue:



Map 1: Herrengasse (U3) to Conference Venue – (1) U3 stop Herrengasse (exit: Fahnengasse), (2) Conference Venue



## Using the red undergroundline – U1

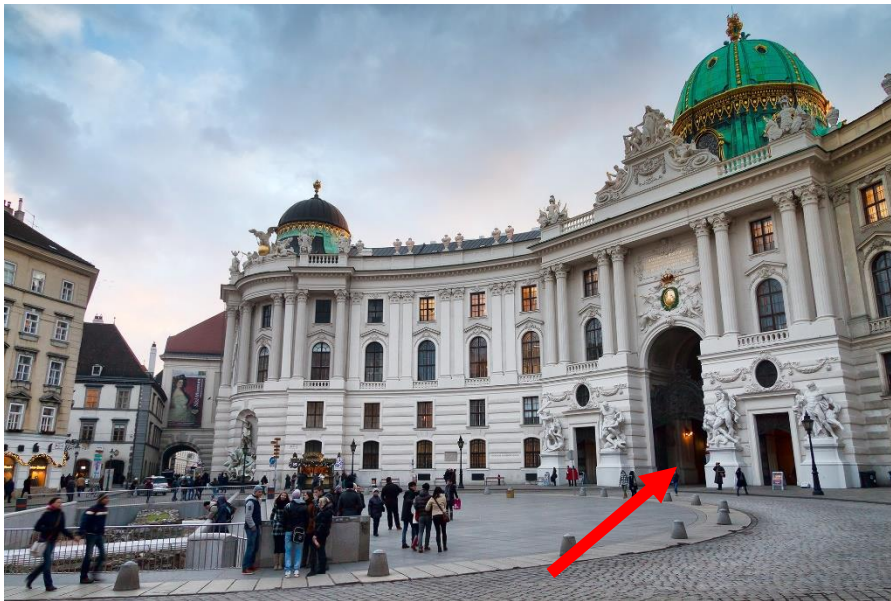
Get out at the red underground line U1, stop “Stephansplatz” (1), using the exit “Graben”. From there it is just a 10 minutes’ walk to the venue. Follow the “Graben” until you can see the shop “Julius Meinl” on the corner, take the street “Kohlmarkt” to your left and follow this street until you reach the square “Michaelerplatz”.



Map 2: Stephansplatz (U1/U3) to Conference Venue – (1) U1/U3 stop Stephansplatz (exit: Graben), (2) Conference Venue

## Michaelerplatz – Conference Venue

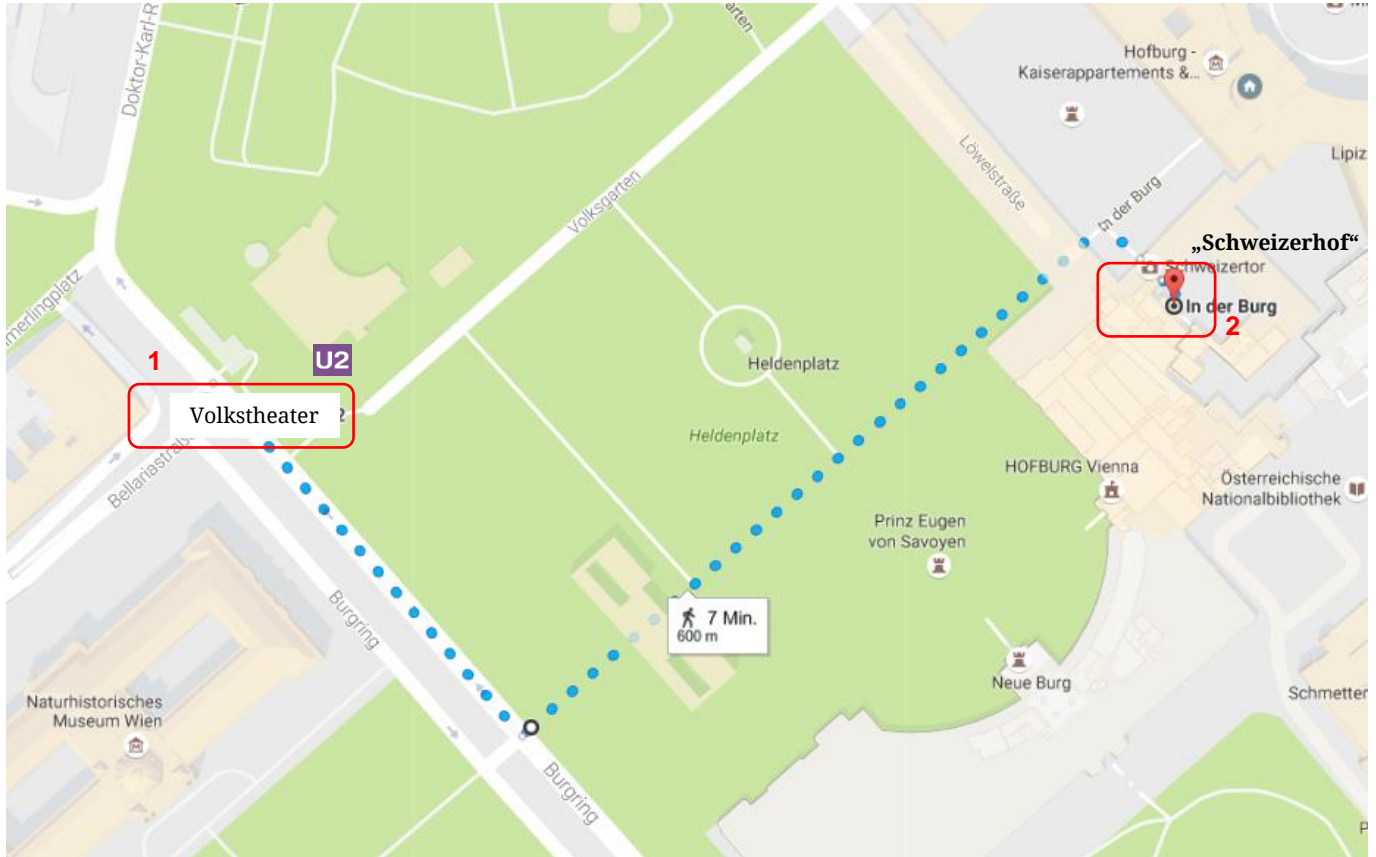
At “Michaelerplatz” you will find the entrance to the Imperial Palace Hofburg Vienna – walk through the passage – the entrance to CCS 2016 Venue can be found in the next courtyard, called “Schweizerhof”



"Michaelerplatz" ©Dmitry A. Mottl/Wikimedia

## Using the purple or orange underground line – U2 / U3

Get out at the purple underground line U2 / orange underground line U3, stop “Volkstheater” (1), using the exit “Dr. Karl Renner Ring”. From there it is just a 7 minutes’ walk to the venue. Follow the “Burgring” (the big boulevard) until you can reach the gate “Heldentor” on your left-hand side, and enter the square “Heldenplatz” by going through the gate. Follow the street until you get into the second courtyard “Schweizerhof”.



Map 3: Volkstheater (U2/U3) to Conference Venue – (1) U2/U3 stop Volkstheater (exit: Dr. Karl Renner Ring), (2) Conference Venue

If you are coming from the “Burgring” (boulevard) you are entering the “Heldenplatz” (the big square in front of the Vienna Imperial Palace Hofburg) through the gate “Heldentor” (1), passing by the square “Heldenplatz”(2).



"Heldentor" (1)  
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Austrian National Library, seen from "Heldenplatz" (2)  
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## Entrance “Schweizerhof”

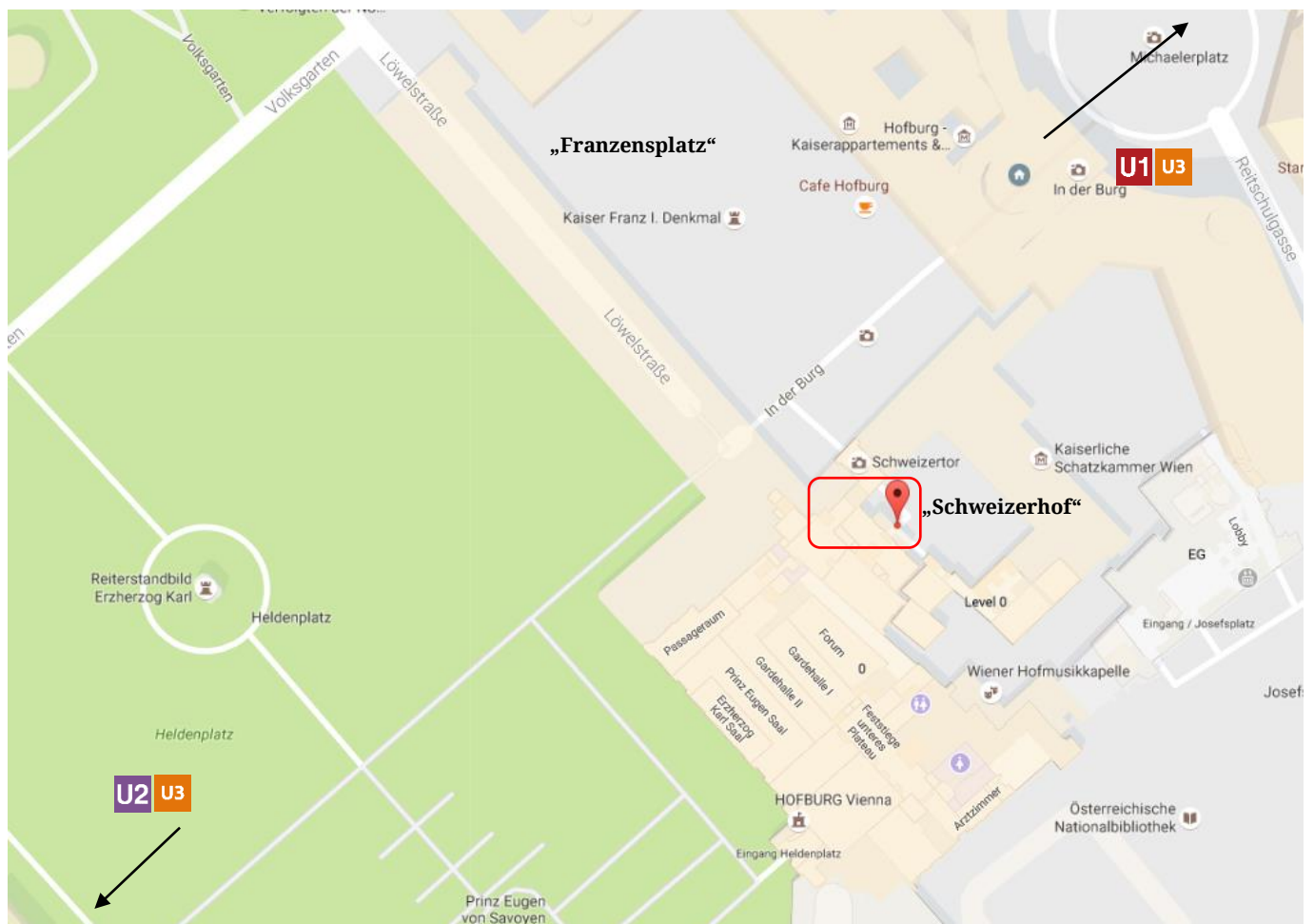
From the big courtyard “Franzensplatz” (1) you have to pass the gate “Schweizertor” (2) and you are standing in front of the CCS 2016 Conference Venue.



“Franzensplatz” (1) ©Gryffindor/Wikimedia



“Schweizertor” (2) ©Manfred Werner/Wikimedia



Franzensplatz – Schweizertor – Entrance CCS 2016 Conference Venue



## Directions (airport – city center)

### How to get from the airport to the city centre

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”), ICE/Railjet 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. We recommend a pre-booked taxi with [airportdriver.at](http://www.airportdriver.at). It can be booked online: <http://www.airportdriver.at/en/airport-transfer>. After the baggage claim, take the left exit and walk left. The driver will wait for you there.

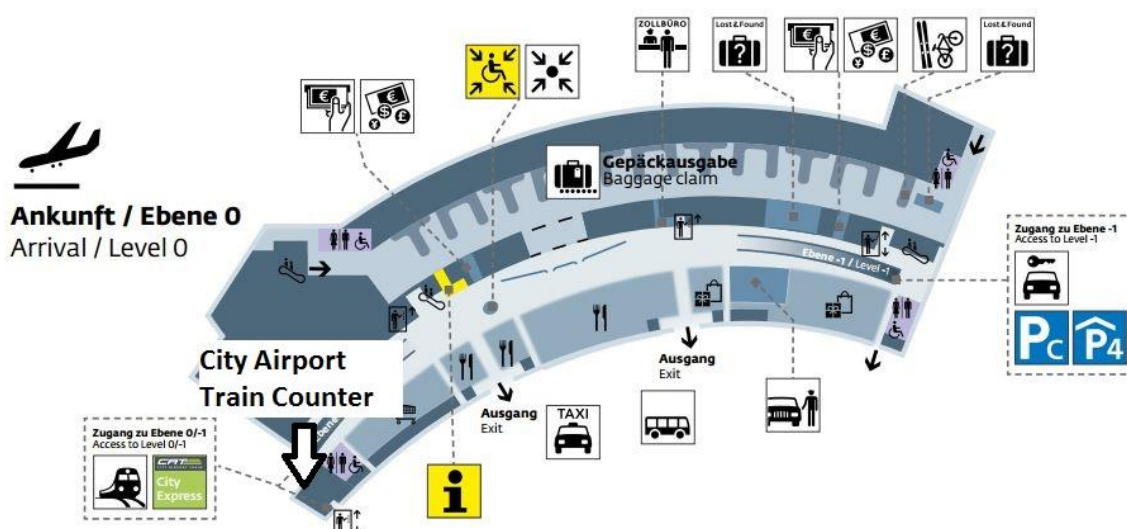
### 1. City Airport Train / CAT

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 06.09 a.m. to 23.39 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
Vienna Airport	Wien Mitte	06:09 (then 09 & 39 min. past the hour)	23.39	16 min
Wien Mitte	Vienna Airport	05:36 (then 06 & 36 min. past the hour)	23.06	16 min

### Vienna Airport Map



Map 4: 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”. Here you can find the route planner for the S-Bahn <http://fahrplan.oebb.at/bin/query.exe/en?>

Departure	Arrival	First suburban railway (departure)	Last suburban railway (departure)	Duration
<b>Wien Mitte</b>	Vienna Airport	04:19 (then apprx. Every 30 min)	23:49	25 min
<b>Vienna Airport</b>	Wien Mitte	04:48 (then apprx. Every 30 min)	00:18	25 min

## 3. ICE/Railjet long-distance train

The ICE or Railjet departs approx. every 30 minutes from Vienna to the airport or from the Airport to Vienna. In Vienna it stops at two train stations “Wien-Hauptbahnhof” and “Wien Meidling”. From “Wien Hauptbahnhof” you can take the red undergroundline (U1) direction “Leopoldau” and get out at the stop “Stephansplatz” (city center).

The following table gives an overview of the timetable.

From the Airport			To the Airport	
	Vienna Airport	Wien Hauptbahnhof	Wien Hauptbahnhof	Vienna Airport
<b>First train</b>	6:33 (then every 30 minutes)	06:41	06:11 (then every 30 minutes)	06:27
<b>Last train</b>	23:03	23:21	22:11	22:27

## Overview – all three connections

	CAT	S-Bahn	ICE/Railjet
<b>Price</b>	11 €	3.9 €	3.9 €
<b>Duration</b>	16 min.	25 min.	18 min.
<b>Connections</b>	Train Station <b>Wien Mitte</b> (U4/U3)	Train Station <b>Wien Mitte</b> (U4/U3)	<b>Main Station</b> (Hauptbahnhof) (U1)



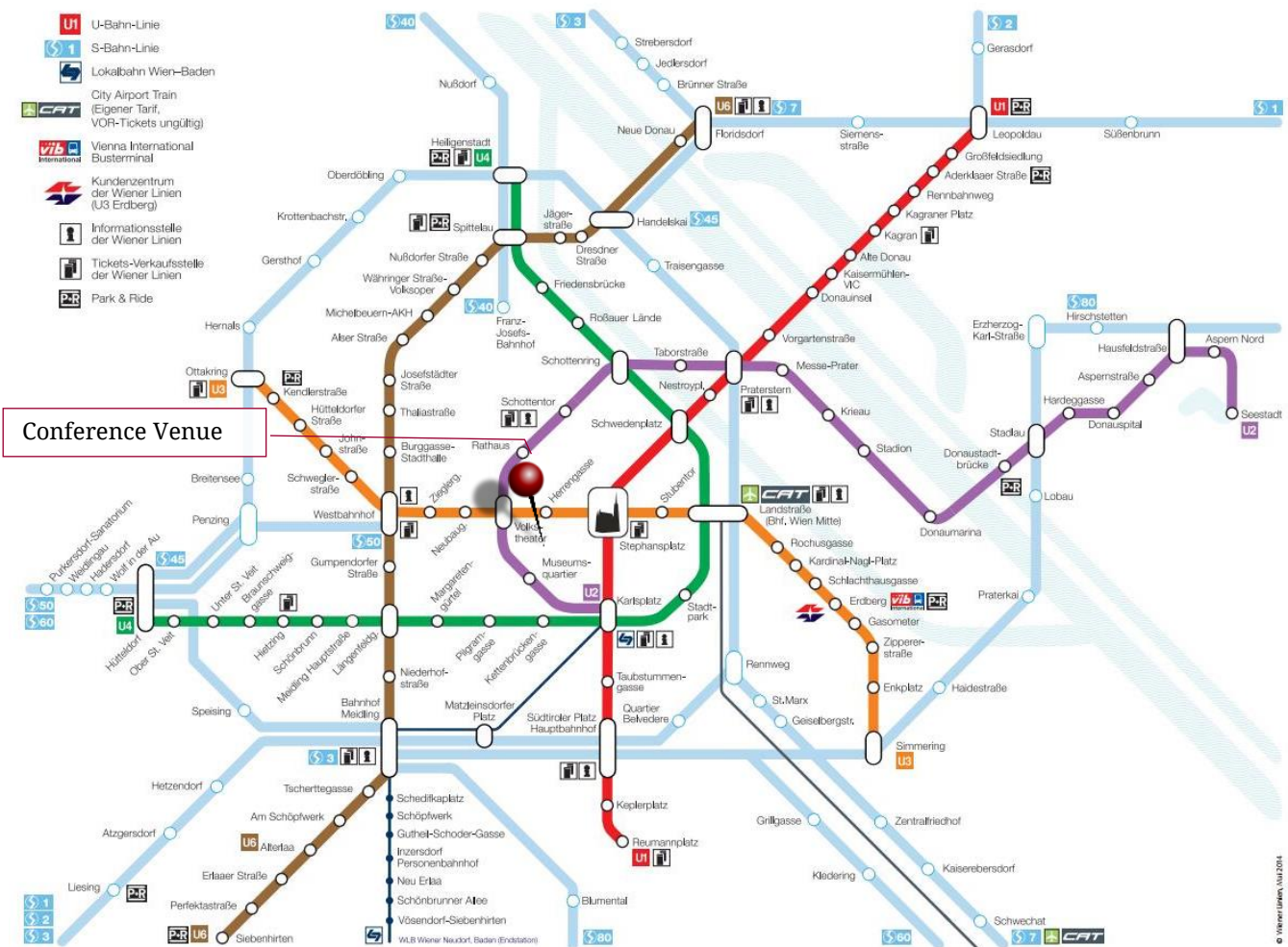
## How to get from the airport directly to the Conference Venue

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1010 Vienna

Choose a connection from before, either the CAT, the S-Bahn or train (see information before) to get from the airport to the venue. The closest underground stops are “Herrengasse” (U3), “Stephansplatz” (U1/U3) and “Volkstheater” (U2).

## Public Transport



Map 6: Vienna Underground Map

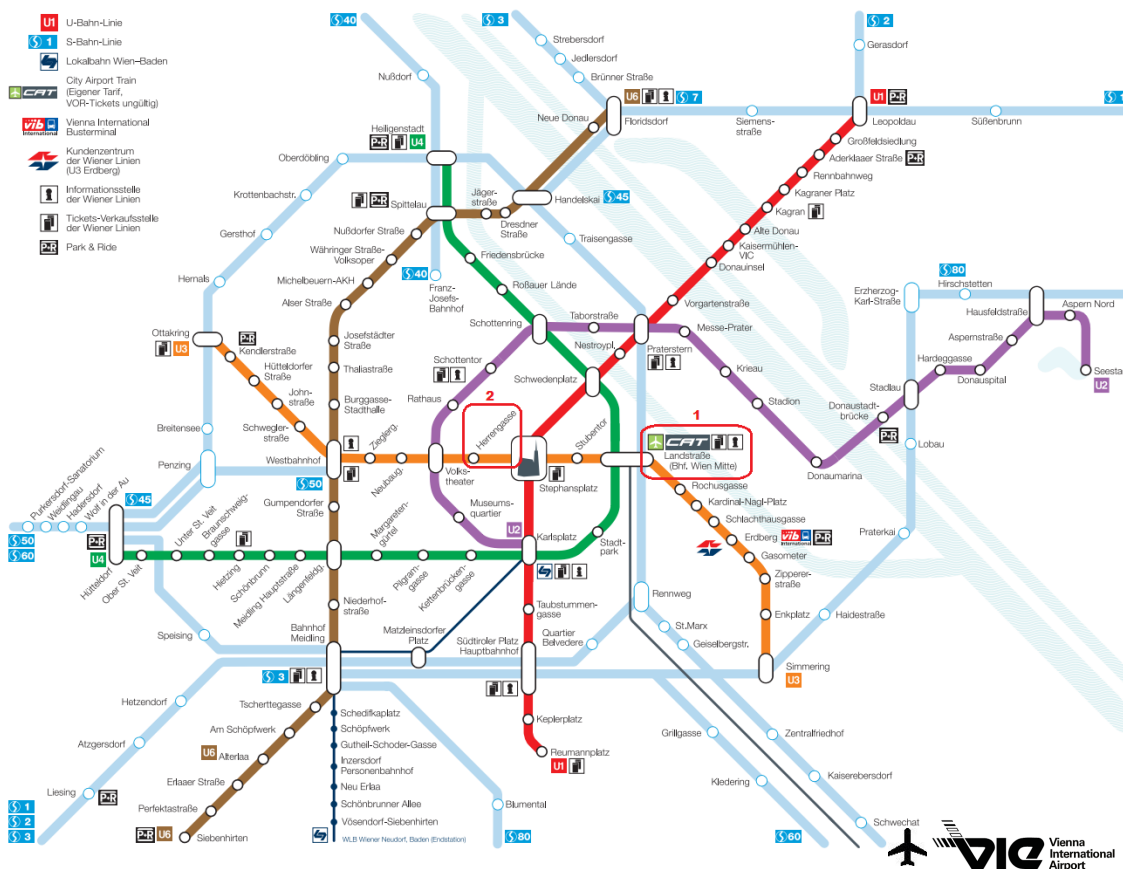
## If you decide to take the CAT to get to the Conference Venue:

The last stop is “Landstraße - Wien Mitte” (1). Get out there and take the orange underground line (U3) in direction “Ottakring”. Get out at “Herrengasse” (3), from there it is just a 6 minutes’ walk to the venue. See map 4.

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

Get out at the stop “Landstraße - Wien Mitte” (1) and take the orange underground line (U3) in direction “Ottakring”. Get out at “Herrengasse” (2), from there it is just a 6 minutes’ walk to the venue. See map 4.

## Underground Map S-Bahn/CAT



Map 4: CAT/S-Bahn to Conference Venue

- 1 Get out at “Landstraße – Wien Mitte” and change to U3 (“Ottakring”)
- 2 Get out at “Herrengasse” (see map 1 for walking details)



## If you decide to take the ICE/Railjet to get to the Conference Venue:

Get out at “Wien Hauptbahnhof” (1) and take the red underground line (U1) direction “Leopoldau” and get out at the stop “Stephansplatz” (2), from there it is just a 10 minutes’ walk to the venue. See map 5

## Underground Map ICE/Railjet

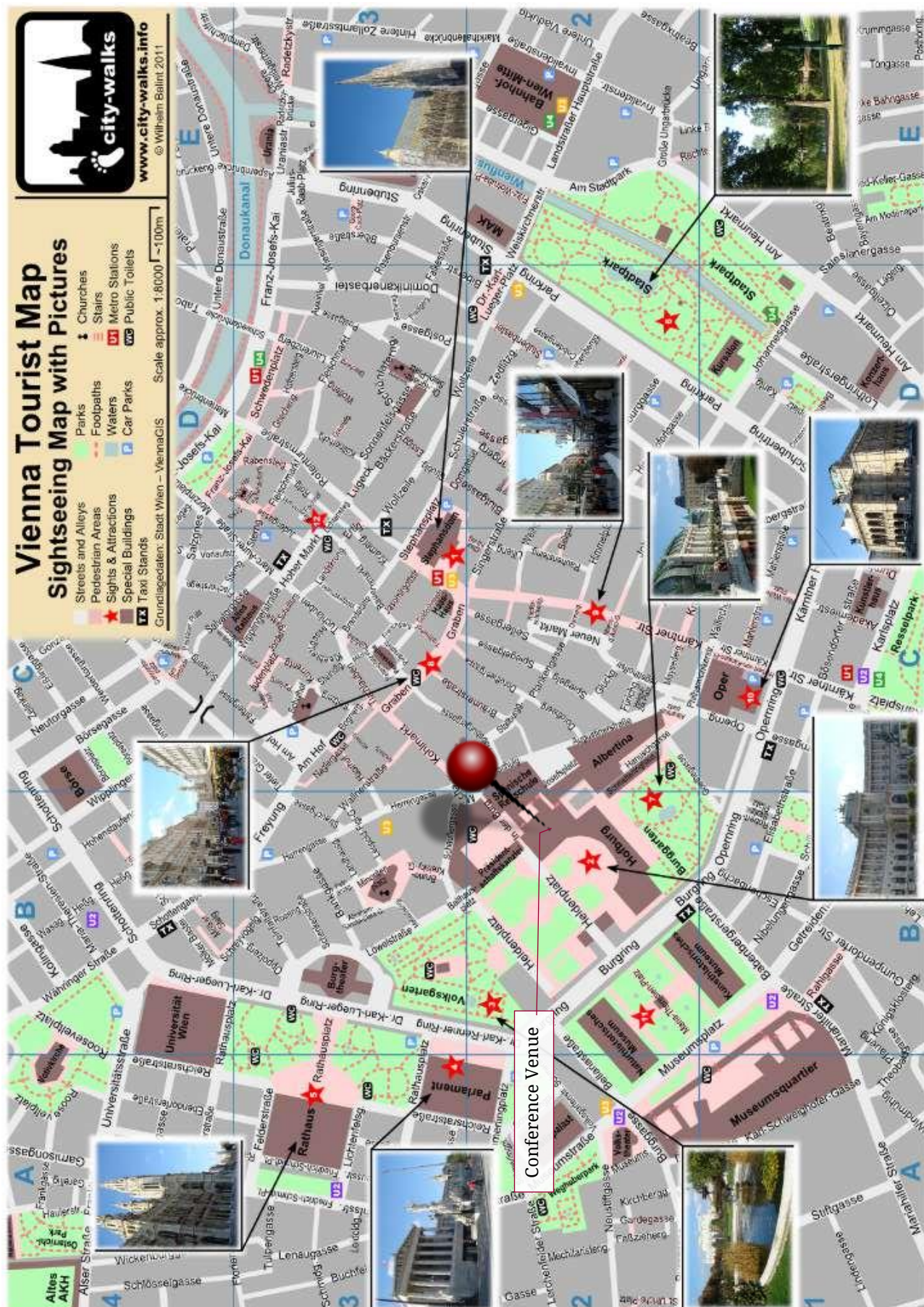


Map 5: ICE/Railjet to Conference Venue

- 1 Get out at “Hauptbahnhof” and change to U1 (“Leopoldau”)
- 2 Get out at “Stephansplatz” (city center) - (see map 2 for walking details)

## Vienna Sightseeing Map

You can download the map here: <http://www.city-walks.info/Vienna/Map-Download.html>





## 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.

### WIFI in Public Transport

In Vienna there are 10 WIFI Hotspots available in the public transportation systems. These are set up near the information offices in the following metro stations:

- Südtiroler Platz/Hauptbahnhof (U1, red line)
- Karlsplatz (U1, red line/U2, purple line/ U4, green line)
- Stephansplatz (U1, red line/ U3, orange line)
- Praterstern (U1, red line/U2, purple line)
- Schottentor (U2, purple line)
- Westbahnhof (U6, brown line/ U3, orange line)
- Landstraße (U3, orange line/ U4, green line)
- Erdberg (U3, orange line)
- Meidling (U6, brown line)
- Floridsdorf (U6, brown line)

## Public Transport Tickets

There is the possibility to purchase congress tickets for public transport in Vienna (1-, 2-, or 3-, Day ticket). With the following link you get 10% discount when purchasing one of the above mentioned tickets: [https://shop.wienerlinien.at/index.php/special\\_customer/1028/join/r3epmlwGd7](https://shop.wienerlinien.at/index.php/special_customer/1028/join/r3epmlwGd7)

If you stay longer than 3 days, the cheapest ticket option is a weekly ticket which can be bought here: <https://shop.wienerlinien.at/index.php/tickets>

**Note:** If you plan to use the public transport more than 3 days, the best option is to buy the regular Weekly Ticket.

	PRICE	ABOUT
24-, 48- & 72-hour-ticket		
	24-hour-ticket € 7.60 48-hour-ticket € 13.30 72-hour-ticket € 16.50	-ticket is valid for 24, 48 or 72 hours from validation -valid on all public transport services in Vienna
Vienna Weekly Ticket		
	Weekly ticket (Monday-Sunday) € 16.20	ticket is valid for one week, from Monday to Sunday during this week it can be used for as many rides as you want
Single Trip		
	Single Trip € 2.20	-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 center 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.

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.

It's hard to imagine a more livable city than Vienna. This is a metropolis where regulars sit in cozy coffee houses and offer credible solutions to the world's chaos over the noble bean; where “Beisl” (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 humor.



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.

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 is one of 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.

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. Furthermore Vienna hosted the 60<sup>th</sup> Eurovision Song Contest in May 2015.

There are many events hosted in Vienna every year such as the "Jazz-Fest Wien", the "Wiener Wiesn-Fest" (similar to the Oktoberfest in Munich, but smaller), the Vienna Design Week, the Summer-Night Concert in Schönbrunn and several Christmas markets all around the city.

## Attractions in Vienna

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, and the Giant Ferris Wheel at the Prater, as well as the sarcophagi in the Imperial Vault.

**Schönbrunn Palace:** Visit Empress Sisi's former summer residence. This baroque complex contains an enchanting park, the Palm House, the Gloriette and the 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". The [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 pandas, new-born elephants and many other rare animals.



**Stephens Cathedral:** 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 center, at the religious and geographical heart of Vienna. It's giant Pummerin bell features on television as it rings in the New Year.



**The Ring Boulevard:** Emperor Franz Joseph officially opened Vienna's Ring Boulevard (Ringstrasse) on May 1, 1865. Vienna celebrated 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 Ring Boulevard, 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 the City Hall.

**The Vienna Giant Ferris Wheel and its Square:** You may want to visit this landmark of Vienna and enjoy the view of the city from almost 200 feet up. The Giant Ferris Wheel is open year round and is one of the most frequented attractions in the Danube metropolis. Now this entrance to the Prater amusement park is a nostalgic theme world reminiscent of the Prater in the year 1900. At [Madame Tussauds](#), visitors can encounter celebrities from around the world up close: from Arnold Schwarzenegger to Falco, Empress Elisabeth and Gustav Klimt to Robbie Williams and Nicole Kidman.

**Viennese Prater:** The Wiener Prater is a large public park in Vienna's 2nd district. When people talk about the Wiener Prater they often mean the "Wurstelprater". The so called "Wurstelprater" is the oldest amusement park in the world. But the Wiener Prater consists of more: the Hauptallee (the main alley), the Krieau and the Praterstadium (Ernst Happel Stadium) belong to the area of the "Wiener Prater".

**The Spanish Riding School:** The Spanish Riding School is only a few steps away from the Sisi Museum and celebrated its 450th anniversary of its first written mention with gala performances on Heldenplatz in 2015.

**Sisi Museum:** 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 Culinary Side of Vienna

Vienna is famous for its cuisine, its coffee house culture and the ‘Heurige’ wine taverns. Vienna boasts one of the world’s most famous culinary traditions. A diverse yet delectably harmonious range of dishes reflects the city’s mix of nationalities and food cultures through the centuries, and inspires visitors from all over the globe.

The most famous Viennese dishes are:

- [Wiener Schnitzel](#) (bread-crumbed and fried veal escalope)
- [Apfelstrudel](#) (an apple-filled pastry)
- [Palatschinken](#) (Viennese crêpes)
- [Sachertorte](#) (a special Viennese chocolate cake)
- [Kaiserschmarrn](#) (dessert of shredded pancake and stewed fruit)

The Viennese coffee house is known around the globe for its informal pleasantness, as an oasis of “Gemütlichkeit”. Traditional cafés entice with a wide variety of coffee drinks, international newspapers and pastry creations. Since 2011, the traditional Viennese coffee house culture has even belonged to the intangible cultural heritage of UNESCO. Modern representatives of the genre enrich the tradition with stylish flair. A close relative of the café is the pastry shop. Their specialty, pies and cakes, are the icing on Vienna’s dolce vita in the form of Bundt cake and Sachertorte. The inner city of Vienna hosts many traditional coffee houses, some of them serving coffee since 1847:

- [Café Central](#), the legendary literati café, which counted Arthur Schnitzler, Peter Altenberg and Adolf Loos among its regulars.
- [A. Gerstner K&K Hofzuckerbäcker](#), represents the highest-quality confectionery since 1847.
- [Café Imperial](#), serving fine Viennese coffeehouse cakes since 1873.
- [Café Sacher](#), offers the perfect chance to treat yourself to a slice of the legendary Original Sacher-Torte.

Vienna’s eateries – ranging from the typical Viennese “Beisl” (tavern) to the luxurious gourmet temple – offer the entire spectrum of regional and international delights to please the palate.

Sources: Vienna Info, Lonely Planet, TripAdvisor



## Tips from a Local

Here you can find some hand-picked restaurant tips from a local!

Watch out because some of them are very crowded places, so it may be a good idea to reserve a table before you go there.

### Restaurants

- **Flatschers:** The best steak in town. Steaks starting at € 25 without side dishes. Super-professional personnel. <http://www.flatschers.at/>, Kaiserstraße 121, 1070 Vienna
- **Brickmakers:** Smoked barbecue, Cider and one of the best beer collections I know in Vienna. Meat is smoked 13 hours before serving. <http://www.brickmakers.at/>, Zieglergasse 42, 1070 Vienna
- **Toma tu Tiempo:** Spanish tapas just as good (or even better) than in Spain. Good collection of Spanish wines. <http://www.tomatutiempo.at/>, Zieglergasse 44, 1070 Vienna
- **Grünspan:** Restaurant with classic Austrian dishes of very high quality, but not as expensive as the other restaurants in the first district. <http://www.plachutta.at/de/gruenspan/>, Ottakringer Straße 266, 1160 Vienna
- **Schweizerhaus:** Restaurant where they have the famous “Stelze” (part of the pig’s leg). They also have drought Budweiser beer. Awesome beer garden. <http://www.schweizerhaus.at/>, Prater 116, 1020 Vienna
- **Wratschko:** Viennese atmosphere, delicious Viennese food. (no website) Neustiftgasse 51, 1070 Vienna

### Cocktail Bars

- **Ebert’s Cocktail Bar:** In my opinion, the best cocktails in town. They also have a cocktail school where you can learn how to mix awesome cocktails yourself. <http://www.eberts.at/>, Gumpendorfer Straße 51, 1060 Vienna
- **The Sign:** Equal in quality, but way better-looking cocktails than in Ebert’s. <http://www.thesignlounge.at/>, Liechtensteinstraße 104-106, 1090 Vienna
- **Dino’s American Bar:** One of the old and classic American cocktail bars in Vienna. Awesome cocktails (try the Whiskey Sour with white of egg). <http://www.dinos.at/>, Salzgries 19, 1010 Vienna
- **Barfly’s:** Another old and classic American cocktail bar. It is inside a hotel. Huge collection of Whiskey and Rum. <http://www.castillo.at/en/>, Esterzahygasse 33, 1060 Vienna (Hotel Fürst Metternich)

### Bars and Pubs

- **Känguruh:** Awesome bar that has a collection of about 300 beers (mostly Belgian, German and Austrian). <http://www.kaenguruh-pub.at/>, Bürgerspitalgasse 20, 1060 Vienna
- **Wein & Co:** Elegant bar, great opportunity to taste a huge collection of Austrian and international wines. Dress up elegant if you go there. <https://www.weinco.at/filiale/wien-mariahilfer-strasse-9321>, Mariahilfer Straße 36, 1070 Vienna
- **Hawidere:** (Hawidere = an Austrian way of greeting a good friend), extremely cozy and friendly Austrian pub in the 15th district. Good selection of beers, also Burgers and other things to eat. <http://www.hawidere.at/>, Ullmannstraße 31, 1150 Vienna

### Cafés

- **Café Josefine:** Young, fresh and small café in the 8<sup>th</sup> district of Vienna. Awesome coffee, breakfast and small things to eat. <http://cafejosefine.at/>, Laudongasse 10, 1080 Vienna
- **Café Sperl:** Traditional Austrian café with a nice garden. <http://www.cafesperl.at/>, Gumpendorfer Straße 11, 1060 Vienna

## Cultural Program

Taking place from September 24-28, 2016

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 your stay in Vienna:

- [Vienna Tourism Information](#)
- [Lonely Planet](#)
- [TripAdvisor](#)
- [Vienna Sightseeing](#)
- [Vienna Ticket Office](#)
- [City Walks Vienna](#)

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

### 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.

**Date:** 24/28th October 2016, 8 p.m.

**Venue:** Wiener Rathauskeller  
Rathausplatz 1  
1010 Wien

**Price:** 61€

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## 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.

### JIM DINE. I NEVER LOOK AWAY

The Albertina is showing 60 of Jim Dine’s fascinating self-portraits, a representative selection from the 80-year-old artist’s generous donation to the museum that presents him in a great number of his many facets. This group of works makes possible an independent, intense, and surprising dialogue with the artist and his output.

Here, Dine’s diverse experiments with a wide range of techniques and materials address themes including youth and old age, intimacy and extroversion, seriality, and creativity on paper. And not insignificantly, these self-portraits open up new insights into a supposedly familiar oeuvre.

### Landscapes and People

The focus of Albertina Contemporary lies on art from the second half of the 20th century, featuring both the stars and the broad diversity of postmodern art. In this year’s presentation of contemporary output at the Albertina, works by Anselm Kiefer, Gerhard Richter, Arnulf Rainer, Georg Baselitz, Alex Katz, Kenton Nelson, Imi Knoebel, Maria Lassnig, and others take centre-stage.

Around 80 masterpieces serve to illustrate the multifaceted nature of postmodernism, ranging from figuration to abstraction and from colour aesthetics to political themes, while also providing a clear impression of the complex parallel trends of the past few decades.

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

**Venue:** Albertina  
Albertinaplatz 1  
1010 Wien

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## 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:** 9€



### 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](http://www.wienguide.at)

**Ticket price:** 16€

### 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.

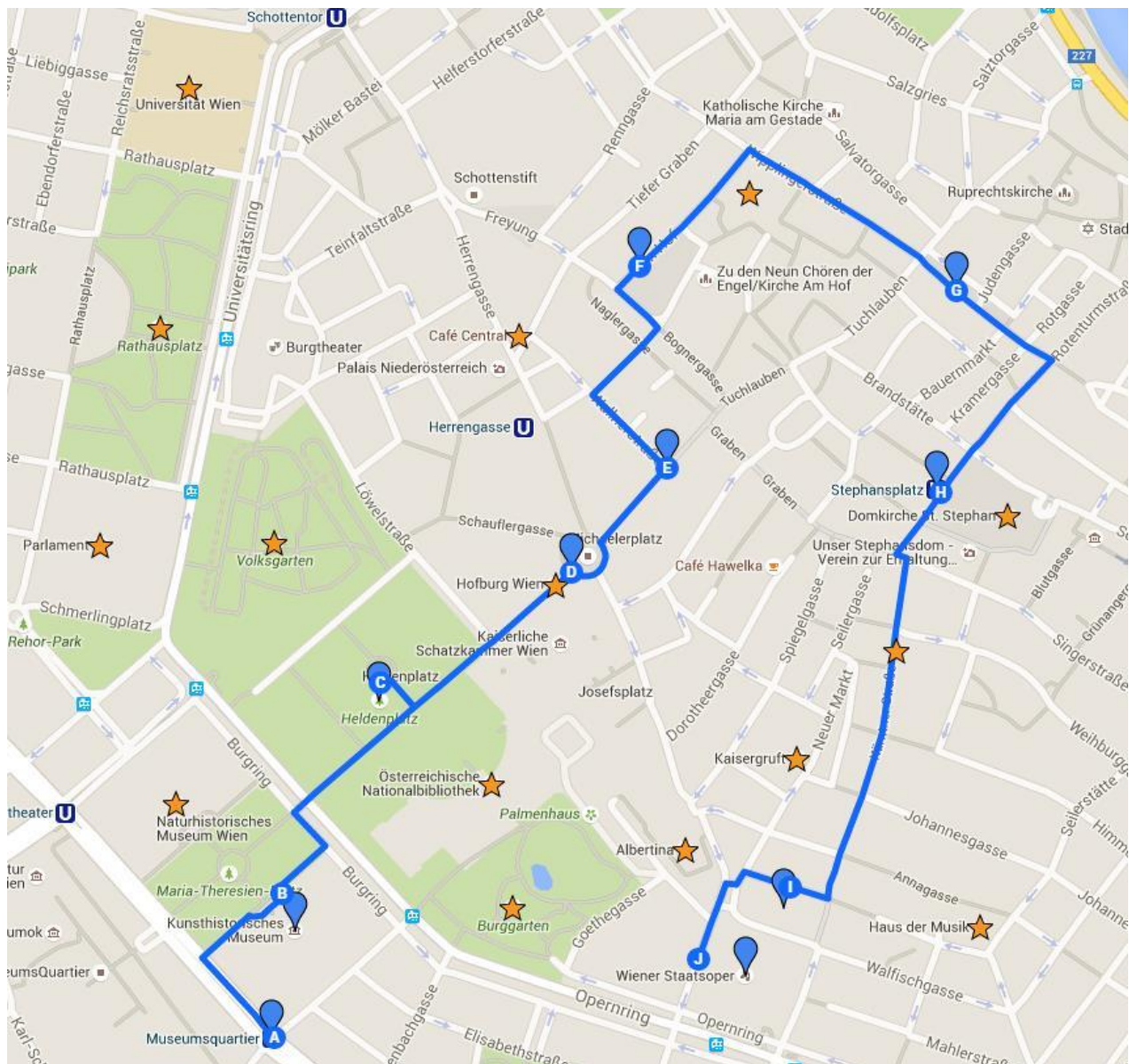
**Date:** Monday – Sunday at 2, 3 and 4 p.m.

**Venue:** Spanish Riding School (Spanische Hofreitschule)  
Michaelerplatz 1 (Besucherzentrum)  
1010 Wien

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[www.srs.at](http://www.srs.at)  
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**Ticket price:** 18€

## Exploring Vienna by yourself – Vienna's Inner City



- A) Museumsquartier
- B) Kunsthistorisches Museum (Museum of Art History)
- C) Heldenplatz
- D) Michaelerplatz
- E) Kohlmarkt
- F) Am Hof
- G) Hoher Markt
- H) Stephansplatz (St. Stephens Square)
- I) Hotel Sacher Wien
- J) Wiener Staatsoper (Vienna State Opera)

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