ECU CONGRESS 2024 INFORMATION



Date23 - 25 February 2024PlaceHotel Ibis Wien Mariahilf, Vienna, Austria(Mariahilfer Gürtel 22/24, 1060 Vienna, Austria)

Welcome & Reception on Friday

The Friday kick-off of the ECU Congress will taking place at as a casual "Meet and Greet" at the hotel <u>Ibis Wien Mariahilf</u>

Dinner can be served until 21:30 and the bar is open until 1:00 in the morning. Dresscode: informal

Meal provisions

Saturday Lunch

During the Saturday workshops, lunch will be served for all participants. Lunch is included in the congress package (no additional payment needed). Lunch will be buffet style with meat and vegetarian options.

Saturday Dinner (15 Euro add on)

In the evening after the workshop a dinner is organised at the Pub "The Golden Harp" in Schottenfeldgasse 3, 1070. For additional 15 Euro, Dinner (including finger food as starters; a (vegan/vegetarian/meat) main course, each with a side dish; and drinks (water/wine/beer) everyone is welcome to join the dinner. Please answer in the google form accordingly. Settings are done in the way that you can adapt your answers in case something changes after the initial submission.

Sunday Meetings (included in package price)

On Sunday from **11:00 to 14:00** there is a possibility to organize regional or bilateral meetings with the ICU and ECU representatives. For reserving a meeting slot, please send an e-mail to <u>office@cheerunion.eu</u> the meeting topic and attendees. Because of the limited time frame, we cannot guarantee all meeting proposals will be granted, but we will try to accommodate as many as possible.

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Transportation in Vienna

How to get from Vienna International Airport (VIE) to Hotel Ibis Wien Mariahilf

Public Transportation

Option 1: Train and Tram/Bus

Take the ÖBB Railjet or S7 from Vienna Airport to Wien Hauptbahnhof (Central Station), then transfer to the tram or bus lines that head towards Wien Westbahnhof.

Tickets: Available at the machines at the airport, train stations or through the "ÖBB Tickets" app. Cost: €4,40

Option 2: CAT (City Airport Train) and Westbahn

Take the CAT to "Wien Mitte" transfer to U3 towards Ottakring to Wien Westbahnhof.

Tickets: Available at machines at the airport, train stations, or through the "Wiener Linien" app. Cost: CAT is around €12 (single ticket) plus the cost of Westbahn or ÖBB tickets to Westbahnhof.

Duration: About 45 minutes to 1 hour, including transfers.

Public Transport Stations

U3 Station Westbahnhof U6 Station Westbahnhof

Exit: Innere Mariahilferstraße/Christian Broda Platz

Tram Linie 18 und 6 »» Station: Mariahilfer Gürtel (across from the hotel) Regional Train »» Station: Westbahnhof

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Taxi Service

<u>Cost:</u> The fare is approximately €35-45, which may vary based on traffic conditions.

<u>Duration:</u> The journey typically takes about 20-30 minutes, depending on the time of day and traffic.

<u>Booking</u>: You can easily catch a taxi outside the arrivals terminal. Alternatively, use ridesharing apps like Uber or Bolt, which might offer competitive rates.

Car Parking

You can either use hotel paid parking or park your car in the streets in front of the hotel (parking zones are free during the weekends). On-street parking in Vienna is subject to fees and time restrictions on weekdays.

Useful App: The "Handy Parken" app is convenient for paying parking fees in Vienna.

Additional Tips for Guests at Hotel Ibis Wien Mariahilf

Exploring Vienna: The hotel's location near Mariahilfer Straße offers easy access to shopping, dining, and several Vienna attractions.

<u>Nearby Attractions</u>: Don't miss visiting historical and cultural sites like Schönbrunn Palace, the Belvedere Palace, and the MuseumsQuartier, all easily accessible via Vienna's efficient public transport system.