We welcome you at the University of Applied Sciences bfi Vienna!

Information for Guests
Welcome to Vienna!

With this small booklet we want to assist you with your travel arrangements for your visit in Vienna. We have been very careful to give you correct information. Nevertheless there might be changes in time schedules and prices. Please be aware of this.

We wish you a nice and pleasant journey and hope to see you soon in Vienna.
Arriving via Airport Wien-Schwechat:

There are different connections between the airport and the city: City Airport Train, S-Bahn (suburban railway) or bus. There are also taxis & limousines and car rental offices at the airport.

Option 1: The CITY AIRPORT TRAIN: CAT

http://www.cityairporttrain.com

It 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 to 23:36. The City Air Terminal is at the station “Wien Mitte” in the centre of Vienna. It can be reached easily by tram, underground, bus or taxi. The table below gives an overview of the timetable.

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Price (single): € 12.00

A separate CAT counter is located in the arrivals hall, where you can obtain information about all CAT services, purchase a ticket and much more.
Option 2: S-Bahn: Suburban Railway

The Schnellbahn (S-Bahn) is a low-priced way of getting from Vienna to the airport and back.

The following table gives a summary of the S-Bahn timetable between Wien Mitte and Vienna Airport.

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<td>Vienna Airport</td>
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Price: € 4.40 (including travel on Vienna public transport)
Ticket machines are on the platforms at the airport and at Wien Mitte.

Option 3: Bus Connection:

Vienna Airport Lines (Postbus) connects Vienna Airport with the main Vienna transport hubs.
The 3 Vienna Airport Lines routes serve all of Vienna's underground railway lines and also "Wien West" and "Wien Meidling" railway stations. Buses to the city centre (Morzinplatz/Schwedenplatz) run 24 hours a day, journey time just 20 minutes.
The following table provides a summary of the main regional bus connections.

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<td>Wien Morzinplatz/Schwedenplatz</td>
<td>Vienna Airport Lines</td>
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<td>Wien Donauzentrum (via VIC)</td>
<td>Vienna Airport Lines</td>
<td>40 min</td>
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<td>Wien Westbahnhof (via Meidling Hbf.)</td>
<td>Vienna Airport Lines</td>
<td>45 min</td>
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<td>Wien Erdberg (VIB)</td>
<td>Eurolines</td>
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Prices (single): € 8.00 for Vienna Airport Lines

- Wien Schwedenplatz - Vienna International Airport: From Schwedenplatz you have access to the underground lines U1 and U4.

- Donauzentrum (Kagran) - UNO City / Vienna International Center (VIC) - Vienna International Airport. U1 access at Donauzentrum and VIC, the bus stops also at the underground station "Donaumarka", where you have access to the underground line U2. Furthermore it is possible to get on or off the bus at Hotel Hilton Vienna Danube, at Hotel Park Inn, at Hotel NH Danube City, at Hotel Donauzentrum or at Hotel Lenas Donau along this route.

- Wien Meidling Station - Vienna International Airport. From Wien Meidling Station you have access to the underground line U6 as well as to regional trains (Schnellbahn).
**Option 4: Taxi**

The [airport map](#) shows the exact position of the taxi stand. Use the taxi & limousine services for added convenience and flexibility.

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<td>Airport Driver</td>
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<td>Airport Services TTC</td>
<td>+43-1-7007-33141</td>
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<td>ATS Airport Transfer Service</td>
<td>+43-1-7007-35905</td>
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<td>C &amp; K Airportservice</td>
<td>+43-1-44444</td>
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<td>Flughafentaxi.at</td>
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<td>40100</td>
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Check if you can order online in advance, this will reduce the costs (approx. € 40.00 for one way)

**Arrival by car and bus**

As tolls are compulsory on all motorways and expressways in Austria, you will also need a road tax disc (Vignette) to use Vienna's city motorways. You can find detailed information on the toll charges [here](#). The [route planner](#) will help you find the best way to Vienna.
Parking in Vienna:
Some of Vienna's districts are entirely short-stay parking zones. In districts 1 to 9 and 20, you will need to purchase a parking ticket from Monday to Friday (except on public holidays) between 9:00 and 22:00. In districts 12 and 14 to 17, short-stay parking zones apply from Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays) from 9:00 to 19:00. Around the Vienna Stadthalle in the 15th district, tickets must be purchased for the short-stay parking zone, which operates from Monday to Friday from 9:00 to 22:00. On Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays, a parking ticket is needed between 18:00 and 22:00. Detailed information on Parking in Vienna... You can park your car for longer periods at affordable rates in one of Vienna's Park & Ride garages. [http://www.parkeninwien.at/](http://www.parkeninwien.at/)

The garages which are the closest to the UAS bfi Vienna are the “WU” and “Prater” the maximum rate is € 20.00 per day. You can also try garages in 1220 Wien, e.g. the one in “Aspernstrasse”: the maximum is € 7.20 per day and it is close to the subway U2 (the purple line), just a few stations away from the UAS bfi Vienna. The U2 station for the UAS bfi Vienna is “Messe/Prater”. In the 22nd district you can also try to find a free parking space on the street, there is no general short time parking in this district, only when there are special signs on some streets. You can obtain the latest road condition report from the Austrian Automobile Club ÖAMTC on tel. 0 800 120 120 (from outside Austria on +43-800-120 120) and at [www.oeamtc.at](http://www.oeamtc.at) and [www.arboe.at](http://www.arboe.at).
**Arrival by train:**

Austrian Federal Railways (ÖBB) [www.oebb.at/](http://www.oebb.at/)

You can find your train to Vienna quickly in the electronic timetable of ÖBB or contact the customer service of the Austrian Federal Railways (ÖBB) on tel. 05-1717, from outside Austria dial +43-5-17 17.

Please note: Some of Vienna's train stations are currently undergoing redevelopment: You can find more detailed information [here](#).

**Public Transport in Vienna:**

Vienna’s public transport network consists of an underground (called "U-Bahn"), tramways (Straßenbahn-called "Bim" in Vienna) and buses operated by the Vienna Transport Authority. Additionally there is a metro railway network (called "S-Bahn" or "Schnellbahn") run by the Austrian Federal Railways ÖBB, which reaches out to the vicinity of Vienna.

The public transport in Vienna and its surroundings is integrated into a single public transport network called VOR, the short form for “Verkehrsverbund Ost Region”. The “Wiener Linien” (Vienna Transport Authority), is part of this network. The whole network is subdivided into zones. The fare of a trip is calculated by the number of zones the route passes. For all trips **within** Vienna you have to pay only the fare for one zone. A trip must lead straight to the destination without any stopovers. You are allowed to change the means of transport as you like. The tickets are valid in all trams, buses and subways of the Vienna Transport Authority.
Please check your route via this link:
http://www.wienerlinien.at/eportal2/ep/tab.do?tabld=0

**Tickets:** Each stamped ticket is valid up to the destination, including (several) transfers.

- Single ticket: € 2.20 (children € 1.20)
- 24-hour Vienna ticket: € 7.60
- 48-hour Vienna ticket: € 13.30
- 72-hour Vienna ticket: € 16.50
- Vienna weekly ticket (only valid from Monday to Monday at 9:00 am): € 16.20.

Single tickets are also available in trams and buses with a surcharge for € 2.30 (children: € 1.20). They are valid for one ride including transfers. Children up to six years of age travel for free. Children up to fifteen years of age ride free on Sundays, holidays and during the Vienna school holidays.

Tickets are available at the multilingual ticket machines (subway stations), all advance sales points and the online shop of the Vienna Lines and most tobacco shops (Trafik).

**Accommodation:**

Here are some suggestions for accommodation in the vicinity of the UAS bfi Vienna:

- Motel One: Motel One Austria GmbH, Motel One Wien-Prater, Ausstellungsstraße 40, 1020 Wien, Tel.:+43 1 7297800, Fax: +43 1 7297800-10; E-Mail: wien-prater@motel-one.com, [Motel One](#)
Please refer to the “Fachhochschule des bfi Wien” or indicate “Bundrate” when you book and you will receive a discount. You just have to cross the street to arrive at the UAS bfi Vienna.

- Trend Hotel Messe Wien: Hotel Messe Wien Please refer to “FH bfi Wien Konditionen” and you will get a discount.
- The BEST WESTERN Hotel Arcadia
- IBIS Wien Messe: Hotel Ibis
- Alma Boutique Hotel: Alma Boutique (close to Stephansplatz)
- A mixture between youth hostel and hotel is the “Hotel Meininger Group“. Meininger Group They have 2 houses, which are about 20 minutes away from the UAS bfi Vienna: “Downtown Sisi” and “Downtown Franz”. It is mainly frequented by students, but also business people and families stay there.
- There are also a lot of options to rent an apartment. A good website to look for an apartment is www.booking.com.

You will find a lot more options for hotels in Vienna, please check also: http://www.wien.info/en/travel-info/hotels-accommodations

Every accommodation near a subway station will allow you to reach the UAS bfi Vienna easily. We are situated close to the subway U2 (purple line). The station is called “Messe/Prater”. You have to get off at the station “Messe-Prater” and take the exit “Prater”. When you leave the station, go straight ahead and you can see the Motel One. To get to the UAS bfi Vienna you just have to cross the street (on the cross walk that is directly beside the U2 entrance), then you are in “Wohlmutstrasse” and you can see on the left side the entrance of our building.
Subway U2:

Subways and Railways in Vienna:

We hope you will find this information helpful.
Note: Details are subject to change.