



# Participants' Guide

# **OSCE PARALLEL CIVIL SOCIETY CONFERENCE 2017**

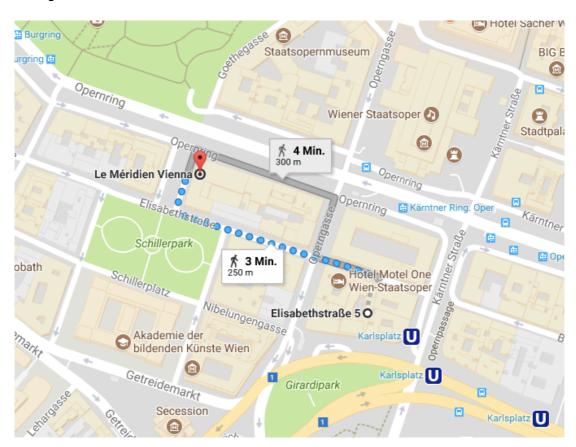
Dear OSCE Parallel Civil Society Conference Participant,
Here you will find all the logistics information concerning the your trip to Vienna and your
participation in the OSCE Parallel Civil Society Conference.

The OSCE Parallel Civil Society Conference 2017 will take place at **HOTEL LE MERIDIEN**, at **ROBERT-STOLZ-PLATZ 1** in the **1ST DISTRICT**.

#### **Public Transport to the Conference Venue**

Starting Point: Motel One - Staatsoper, Elisabethstraße 5, 1010 Vienna

Walking Distance: 4-5minutes

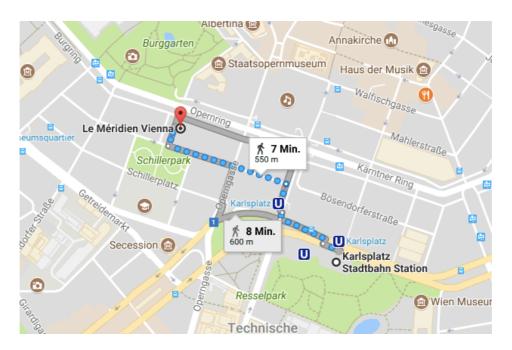






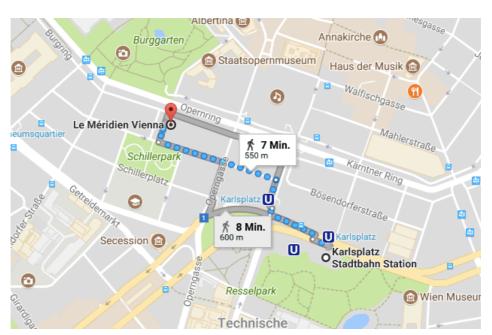
Starting Point: Motel One - Westbahnhof, Europaplatz 3, 1150 Vienna

**Description:** Take U3 Metro (Orange Line) to **Volkstheate**r (in the direction to "Simmering") and then U2 Metro (Violet Line) to **Karlsplatz**. From there it is approx. 7 minutes walking distance.



Starting Point: IntercityHotel Vienna, Mariahilfer Straße 122, 1070 Vienna

**Description:** Take U3 Metro (Orange Line) to Volkstheater (with direction to "Simmering") and then U2 Metro (with direction to Karlsplatz) to Karlsplatz. From there it is approx. 7minutes walking distance.







#### How to get to the City Center from Vienna International Airport

You either take a taxi (in front of the arrival hall), which costs around €40 – 50 and takes about 35 – 45 minutes to get to either of your hotels. (Please note that there is no reimbursement for taxis)

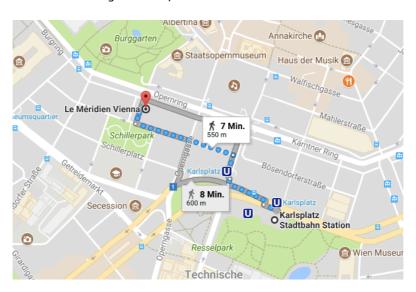
Or you chose the most convenient public transport possibility: You either take the special CAT (City Airport Train - €11) to station "Wien Mitte/Landstraße" or a number of different City Trains (S-Bahn) to station "Wien Mitte" (€3,90).

**Airport – Westbahnhof (Motel One & IntercityHotel):** From station **"Wien Mitte/Landstraße"** you can take the U3 Metro (Orange Line) and go to **"Westbahnhof"**, which is right were Motel One – Westbahnhof is located.

For those who stay at IntercityHotel Wien in Mariahilfer Straße 122, there is a walking distance of 2 minutes.



**Airport – Karlsplatz (Motel One – Staatsoper):** From station **"Wien Mitte/Landstraße"** you can take the U4 Metro (Green Line) to **"Karlsplatz"** from where you can walk to your Motel One – Staatsoper (5-7minutes walking distance).







#### **Additional Information:**

#### **Conference Venue:**

HOTEL LE MERIDIEN, at ROBERT-STOLZ-PLATZ 1 in the 1st DISTRICT, +43 (0) 1 588 900



How to get to the Side Event at Presseclub Concordia on December 4<sup>th</sup> (Bankgasse 8, 1010 Vienna)

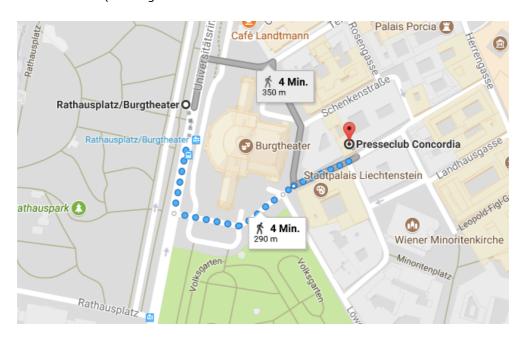
**From Westbahnhof:** Take the U3 Metro (Orange Line) to "**Herrengasse"** (in the direction of "Simmering" and walk from there (walking distance: 3 minutes)







**From Motel One – Staatsoper:** It is a beautiful 15-20 minutes walk through the 1<sup>st</sup> district or you can take the **tram 71, 1, 2 or D** from station "Wien Burgring" to "Rathausplatz/Burgtheater" and walk from there (walking distance:



**How to find the Social Gathering at Badeschiff Wien, Donaukanal:** Metros U1 (Red Line) and U4 (Green Line) will take you to station **Schwedenplatz**. Cross the street, so are right next to the Danube Channel and walk down the stairs and walk towards right – on the Map in the direction of "Urania Kino". The Badeschiff is located on the water of the Danube Channel on the side of the First District.







#### **Contact:**

Austrian Helsinki Association: office@austrianhelsinki.at

CSP Secretariat: info@civicsolidarity.org

### **Emergency Contacts:**

Emergency Number: 112 Fire Department: 122

Police: 133 Ambulance: 144

## **Taxi Companies:**

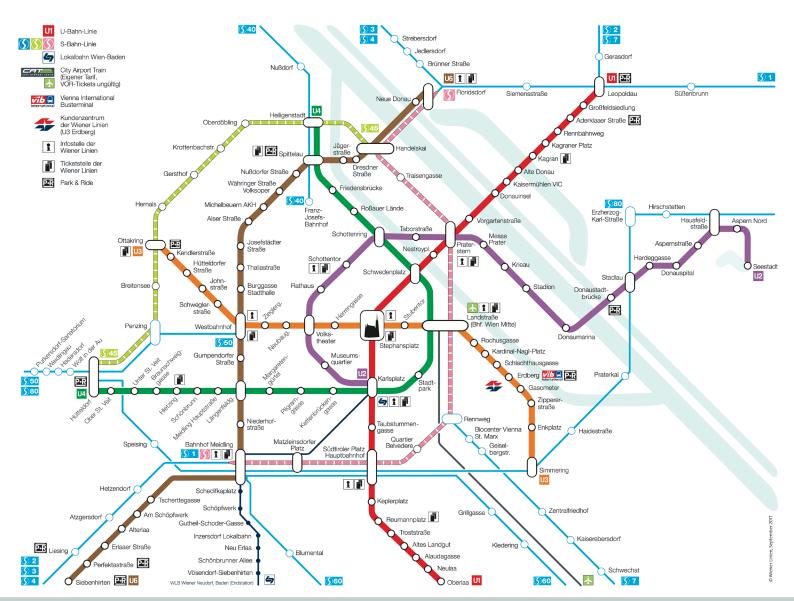
Airport Driver: +43 (0) 1 22822 100 Taxi Vienna: +43 (0) 1 40 100

### **Public Transport Costs and Subway tickets**

Online Portal/Shop: www.wienerlinien.at/eportal3/ep/tab.do?tabld=0

We recommend to all participants, who will be staying longer than 2 days to get the following tickets, which can be purchased **online, at a ticket vending machine at every metro station** or at a 'Tabaktrafik shop'.

- 24, 48 and 72-hour Vienna passes (€7,60, €13,30, €16,50)
- Weekly Pass (€16,20)



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