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Dear International Guest,

UAS Technikum Wien has a long tradition of inviting members of staff and we are looking forward to welcoming you, too!

At the UAS Technikum Wien, we believe that not only you as international guest but also our colleagues and students in-house will benefit greatly from meeting fellow lecturers as well as administrative personnel from abroad. Staff mobilities offer the unique chance to combine professional and personal development with the idea of life-long-learning by building and growing international networks, reflecting on internalised workflows and processes, and enhancing social and communication skills. Simultaneously, a stay at another Higher Education Institution offers the possibility to improve didactic skills, spread research and learning contents, and to create synergies in education, vocational training, employability and entrepreneurship.

The guidebook at hand intends to give you an overview on our Higher Education Institution as well as on Austria. We hope this helps you to make the best of your stay in every way and enjoy your time at UAS Technikum Wien!

Fritz Schmöllebeck
Rector UAS Technikum Wien
With around 12,000 graduates thus far and 4,400 students, the University of Applied Sciences Technikum Wien is Austria’s only purely technical University of Applied Sciences. The educational offerings consist of 12 Bachelor’s and 18 Master’s degree programs, which are offered as full-time, part-time and/or distance study programs. Four degree programmes are taught fully in English. The educational offerings are based on a solid scientific foundation and are also practice-oriented. At UAS Technikum Wien, emphasis is not only placed on providing a high-quality technical education, but also on subjects with a focus on business and personal development. Close ties and collaborations with business and industry give students and graduates excellent career opportunities. The combination of theoretical and practical application is of central importance in both research and instruction.
The research and development activities at UAS Technikum Wien have grown significantly in recent years and currently concentrate on our research focuses:

- Embedded Systems & Cyber-Physical Systems
- Renewable Urban Energy Systems
- Secure Services, eHealth & Mobility
- Tissue Engineering & Molecular Life Science Technologies
- Automation & Robotics

UAS Technikum Wien Association

The operator of UAS Technikum Wien is the University of Applied Sciences Technikum Wien Association (Managing Committee, management). The association bears overall financial and legal responsibility for the university of applied sciences and is also responsible for the strategic development and the operational management of the institution as well as for raising the public’s awareness of the institution.

Our Faculties:

- Computer Science
- Electronic Engineering
- Industrial Engineering
- Life Science Engineering

UAS Technikum Wien was founded in 1994 and in 2000 it became the first institution in Vienna to receive the status of a university of applied sciences. It became a member of the European University Association (EUA) in 2012 and is also a network partner of FEEI – Association of the Electrical and Electronics Industries.
Checklist for your visit to UAS Technikum Wien

Before the mobility

If you are interested in a stay at UAS Technikum Wien please contact our staff mobility coordinator at least 1 - 2 months prior to your visit or application deadline with the following information:

- Full name
- Your institution
- Your department
- Period of your visit
- Plans for your visit (teaching, research, job shadowing, etc.)
  - In case you will join us for a Teaching Mobility, please send us more information on your possible course offer
  - In case you would like to join us for a Training Mobility, please send us your areas of responsibility at your home institution.

After receiving all the information needed, we will do our best to allocate you to our colleagues in-house.
Once you have received a positive answer, we can issue an official invitation should you need one and sign your documents, e.g. the Erasmus+ Mobility Agreement.

Shortly before your stay you will receive a detailed programme and schedule for your stay.

Please note that you are responsible for arranging your arrival and accommodation. Should you have any questions, we will be glad to help you.
During the mobility

Get your Confirmation of Stay at the International Office as mentioned in the programme.

Contact the International Office for any enquiries you might have: staff.mobility@technikum-wien.at

Arrival in Vienna

At the Airport

Vienna International Airport is situated approx. 15 kilometres outside of the city. More Information: https://www.viennaairport.com/

To Vienna City Centre by train

The cheapest way to go from the airport to the city centre is to use the city train “S7” (“S-Bahn”) to the station “Wien Mitte.” The fare is about € 4,20 (one direction, this includes public transport in Vienna eg. metro or bus). Train runs every 30 minutes, travelling time is about 25 minutes.

You can use the CAT train (City Airport Train) to travel to Vienna from the airport (www.cityairporttrain.com). This train also takes you to the station “Wien Mitte”. The fare is about € 11 (without a ticket for public transport in Vienna). Train Interval is 30 minutes; travelling time is 16 minutes.

You can also take an airport bus to the city centre (one way: about €8). Please find more information at: http://www.viennaairportlines.at/en/

To Vienna City Centre by bus

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Bus terminals:

Westbahnhof  
(from and to Western Austria)  
http://www.westbahnhof.at/

Hauptbahnhof  
(Main Station - all directions)  
http://hauptbahnhofcity.wien/

Vienna International Busterminal  
(National and international bus connections)  
https://www.vib-wien.at/en/vib-busterminal
Locations of UAS Technikum Wien

❖ Main Campus

Höchstädtplatz 6
1200 Vienna

Public Transport:
Subway: U6-station Dresdner Straße
Tram: Line 2, Line 31, Line 33
– Station Höchstädtplatz
Train: Stations Handelskai or Traisengasse
Bus: Line 37A – Station Höchstädtplatz

❖ Campus ENERGYBase

Giefinggasse 6, Ground Floor
1200 Vienna

Public Transport:
Train: S1, S2, S8, S9 – Station Siemensstraße
Bus: Line 31A – Station Heinrich-von-Buol-Gasse
Accommodation suggestions

Harry’s Home Wien

Harry’s Home in Vienna Millennium Tower with direct access to the Danube island is located above Vienna’s most modern shopping and entertainment center with over 100 shops, 30 restaurants, bars and cafes and Austria’s largest cinema complex. The ideal location with direct connections to the main train station, Praterstern and Wien Mitte (S1, S2, S3), West railway station and city hall (U6) or Vienna Airport (S7) and the Danube island is well suited for jogging fans. Harry’s Home is conveniently located a 5-minute-walk away from UAS Technikum Wien.

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Motel One Wien Staatsoper

Your cheap design hotel Motel One-Vienna State Opera is perfectly situated in the centre of Vienna. It is located directly in the first district and in close proximity to Vienna’s world-famous State Opera, the Stephansdom, the famous Naschmarkt or the lively shopping streets, which are within a few minutes walking distance. Since the hotel is located near the local subway road junction Karlsplatz, you will have a perfect connection to public transportation. This makes your Motel One hotel an ideal starting point whether you are in town for business or want to take a stroll through the city. Experience Vienna’s charm in your Motel One.

UAS Technikum Wien is conveniently located and reached via the tram 2.

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Elisabethstraße 5, 1010 Wien
Phone: +43/1/585050 5
Mail: wien-staatsoper@motel-one.com
Web: https://www.motel-one.com/de/hotels/wien/hotel-wien-staatsoper/
Motel One Wien Westbahnhof

From your cheap design hotel Motel One Vienna West Central Station you will have a perfect connection to public transport. The city is at your feet with the famous Mariahilfer Straße (one of the largest and most famous shopping miles in Vienna) nearby. Visit the Naschmarkt, the venerable Hofburg, the city’s impressive landmark Stephansdom, or Vienna’s Hofburg. It is in close proximity to UAS Technikum Wien – just hop on the underground line U6!

Contact:
Europaplatz 3
1150 Wien (Österreich)
Phone: +43/1/3 59 35-0
Mail: wien-westbahnhof@motel-one.com
Web: http://www.motel-one.com/de/hotels/wien/wien-westbahnhof/

Hotel Stefanie

If you are looking for the traditional Vienna and want to stay at a hotel of “the old school,” the Schick family is looking forward to your visit at Hotel Stefanie. Hotel Stefanie is conveniently located along the tram 2 leaving right in front of the UAS Technikum Wien.

Contact:
Taborstraße 12
1020 Wien
Phone: +43 1 211 50 0
Mail: stefanie@schick-hotels.com
Web: https://www.schick-hotels.com/hotel-stefanie/index.html

Hotel Donauwalzer

70 individually designed rooms are arranged with attention to detail and possess a vast range of conveniences, - way more than may be expected from a usual 3 star hotel. They are partly classical, furnished with original antiques, partly modern, with noble colors and fabrics, which creates the flair of the past centuries, but at the same time you won’t find missing any of the modern hotel comforts. The hotel is located at the U6 station Alserstraße (which goes to underground line U6 “Dresdnerstraße” and therefore directly to the UAS Technikum Wien.

Contact:
Ottakringer Straße
1170 Wien
Phone: +43 1 4057645
Mail: info@donauwalzer.at
Web: http://www.donauwalzer.at/
Hotel Josefshof Wien

The Mercure Josefshof Wien is a charming 4-star-hotel in the city with traditional Viennese flair and modern facilities. To reach UAS Technikum Wien, you can take tram 2 to Josefstädterstraße and from there U6 to Dresdnerstraße or hop on to metro U2, which takes you to Taborstraße and then take tram 2 to Höchstädtplatz from there. With Josefshof, you are directly located in the city, right behind city hall.

Contact:
Josefsgasse 4-6
1080 Wien
Phone 01 40419
Mail: mercure@josefshof.com
Web: http://www.josefshof.com/de/hotel

Ibis Styles Hotel

A modern hotel directly located at U6 Nußdorfer Straße and only three stops away from UAS Technikum Wien.

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Döblinger Hauptstraße 2
1190 Wien
Phone: +43/1/90 377
Mail: office@ibisstyleswien.com
Web: http://www.ibisstyleswien.com/

Hotel Niu Franz

Hotel Niu Franz combines modern interior design with classic Viennese chic. It is comfortably located in close proximity to our campus at Höchstädtplatz and to several public transport stations from where you can easily reach not only the city centre but also the airport.

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Web: https://www.niu.de/niu-franz/

Looking for something quite different? Get some ideas here:
Additional useful information

Currency
The currency in Austria is Euro.

Language
The official language in Austria is German and English is very common as a second language.

Public transport
Vienna benefits from a well-organized and tight public transport network which offers different variations of tickets, depending on the longevity of your stay. Find more information here.

Emergency numbers
Euronotruf (European Emergency Service): 112
Rettung (Ambulance): 144
Feuerwehr (Fire-brigade): 122
Polizei (Police): 133
Notarzt (Emergency Medical Service): 141
Apothekenbereitschaftsdienst (Pharmacies): 1450
Vergiftungszentrale (Intoxication): 406 43 43

Time zone
Austria is located in the Central European time zone (CET = GMT / UCT + 1). Daylight saving time applies from the last Sunday in March to the last Sunday in October (CEST).

Electricity
The typical mains voltage for households (as well as hotels) in Vienna is 230 volts (alternating current).

Shopping and opening hours
Shops are usually open from Monday to Friday from 9:00 am to 6:30 pm, and until 5:00 pm or 6:00 pm on Saturdays. On Sundays, shopping is only available in stores at large railway stations.
The International Office of UAS Technikum Wien supports you and gives you comprehensive advice during your time in Vienna.

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