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Art and culture are embedded in the soul of Vienna: imperial splendour, world-class museums, opera and classical music heritage. Modernist legacy and a cosmopolitan flair add delicious contrast to the old-world charm. Walk down the parks and grand palace-lined Ringstrasse, experience the centuries-old cafe tradition and admire the astonishing architecture of a buzzing modern capital filled with history.



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Vienna is located on the Danube, just at the centre of Europe and near the north-eastern extension of the Alps, largely surrounded by the Vienna Woods.

The city is world-famous for its magnificent imperial heritage, with the Schönbrunn Palace, the Belvedere and the Imperial Palace. The city is also appreciated around the world for its top-notch music and cultural offer with many renowned concert halls, museums and institutions — from the large Musikverein Hall to the prestigious Museum of Fine Arts and the Vienna State Opera.

And let's not forget that Vienna is considered one of the world's most liveable cities and has been awarded this distinction eighth times in a row, confirming the city's status as a metropolis for bon vivants and art lovers, offering its guests an abundance of unique attractions at any time of the year.

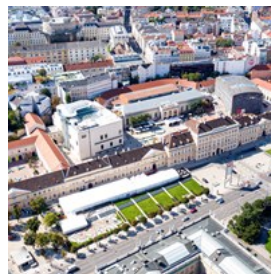
TOP 7



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Vienna is old, Vienna is new — and so varied: from the magnificent Baroque buildings and Art Nouveau masterpieces to the latest architectural achievements. Vienna is a city of beauty and art far beyond its imperial legacy: the city draws tourists with its dynamic mix of an imperial-nostalgic flair and an extremely creative cultural scene.

MuseumsQuartier



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Address: Museumsplatz 1, District 7, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)
Phone: +43 1 523 58 81
Internet: www.mqw.at/en
Email: office@mqw.at

Naschmarkt



Vienna Naschmarkt, on the plateau above the Wien River, is an absolute must for any visitor to Vienna. Shoppers can find a huge selection of fresh fruit and vegetables, fish, meat, spices and exotic specialties from many countries, such as Italy, Greece and Turkey in the 123 fixed stands along a 1.5 km walk. Stop by for some of the best kebab and felafel wraps to be found in town.

Photo: Johannes Rigg/Shutterstock.com
Address: Wienzeile, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Kettenbrückengasse)
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 6am-7:30pm, Sat 6am-5pm, Sun closed
Internet: www.naschmarkt-vienna.com

Prater & Giant Ferris Wheel



Vienna Prater is a large public park, a place of nostalgic dreams for some and an oasis of greenery for almost everyone — it is the home of the popular amusement park and the location of the Giant Ferris Wheel, one of Vienna's most famous symbols. The Prater is open from March to October, but the Giant Ferris Wheel and a few other attractions are open year-round.

Photo: creativemark/Shutterstock.com
Address: Prater, District 2, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2 (Praterstern)
Phone: +43 1 728 05 16
Internet: www.praterwien.com/en/home
Email: info@wiener-prater.at

Schönbrunn Palace

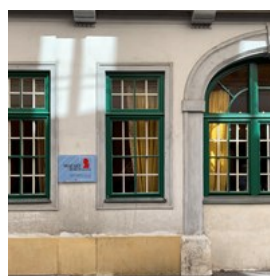


A visit to Vienna's most famous palace is a must for art lovers. The Baroque building structures have been preserved with "Viennese Charm" and host the 1,441 rooms that were once inhabited by the imperial family. You can still admire 40 of them on the guided tours today.

Explore the architectural treasures of the Palace Gardens, such as the Palm House and the the oldest zoo in the world, built in 1752 by Emperor Franz I. Naturally, the gardens are best visited in the warmer months.

Photo: Mélanie Martin/unsplash.com
Address: Schönbrunner Schloßstraße 47
Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Schönbrunn)
Opening hours: The Palace: daily 9:30am-5pm. The Gardens: daily from 6:30am. Hours may change depending on the season.
Phone: +43 1 811 130
Internet: www.schoenbrunn.at/en
Email: info@schoenbrunn.at

Mozarthaus Vienna



Mozarthaus Vienna is an apartment museum showcasing the life and work of the musical genius Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. Visitors can explore the only Vienna apartment of Mozart that has been preserved and where he composed more music than anywhere else.

Besides the flat, there is a comprehensive presentation of the times in which Mozart lived and of his most important works. Audioguides in different languages are included in the entrance fee.

Photo: Benoît Prieur/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)
Address: Domgasse 5, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: U1, U3 or by bus 1A to Stephansplatz
Opening hours: Tue-Sun 10am-6pm, Mon closed
Phone: +43 1 512 17 91
Internet: www.mozarthausvienna.at/en
Email: info@mozarthausvienna.at

Public & Street Art

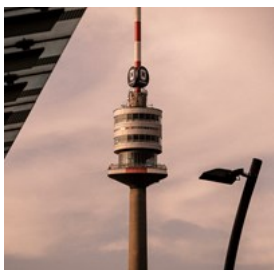


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Internet: www.koer.or.at

Danube Tower



The Danube Tower offers an unforgettable view of Vienna's Danube landscape, the Old City and the Vienna Woods from a height of 170

meters. The two express elevators take visitors to the viewing terrace and the two revolving cafe/restaurants in just 35 seconds. The Danube Tower was built in 1964 for the Vienna International Garden Festival, which is remembered today in the Danube Park. Large meadows, extensive jogging paths, children's play areas and flowerbeds offer a relaxing space for visitors.

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Address: Donauturm Wien, Donauturmplatz 1, District 22, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 Kaisermühlen (VIC)
Phone: +43 1 263 35 72
Internet: www.donauturm.at/en
Email: reservierungen@donauturm.at

UNIQUE SPOTS



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Besides the many sights sought after by tourists, Vienna has something more to offer: there are many hidden gems in the city that often provide a deeper understanding of its history and a real insight into its current daily life. Here are a few tips to check out for an off-the-beaten-track trip to Vienna.

Campus of Vienna University of Economics & Business Administration



The new campus of the Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration is an impressive architectural achievement which has soon turned into a landmark of the area nearby the Prater.

Conceived and designed by internationally acclaimed architects, this futuristic and yet sustainable complex of innovative buildings is a must-see for architecture lovers. Guided tours are also available.

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Address: Wirtschaftsuniversität Wien, Welthandelsplatz 1, District 2, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Krieau or Messe Prater)

Phone: +43 1 313 360

Internet: www.cityscape.at/campus-wu-en.html

Augarten



Augarten are amazing Baroque gardens where visitors can marvel at lavish flower landscapes and walk through an extensive area criss-crossed by shady avenues and lined with chestnuts, elms, lindens, ashes and maples. Amongst other things, the Augarten is home to the Vienna Boys' Choir in the Augartenpalais. With some luck, the Boys' Choir can also be heard rehearsing here.

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Address: Obere Augartenstraße 1, District 2, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Taborstraße)

Opening hours: Changing according to the season; generally from early morning until dusk.

Phone: +43 1 813 59 500

Internet: www.bundesgaerten.at/augarten.html

Email: office@bundesgaerten.at

Zeinhofergasse



Crossing the Margareten district, Zeinhofergasse boasts a reputation of the most beautiful lane in Vienna. The historic houses with their wonderfully decorated front gardens make for an idyllic streetscape.

Photo:

[Ricardalovesmonuments/WikimediaCommons.com](https://www.wikimedia.com/wiki/Ricardalovesmonuments/WikimediaCommons.com)(image cropped)

Address: Zeinhofergasse, Margareten, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Kettenbrückengasse or Pilgramgasse)

Jewish Cemetery



The Jewish Cemetery in Rossau is the oldest cemetery in Vienna, with a history reaching back to the middle of the 16th century. It is currently possible to view around 350 maintained grave monuments in the cemetery, with some headstones dating back up to 500 years. The cemetery is located in the inner courtyard of the Rossau Retirement Home.

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Address: Jüdischer Friedhof, Seegasse 9, District 9, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram: D (Seegasse)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-3pm

Internet:

www.wien.gv.at/umwelt/parks/anlagen/seegasse.html

More Info: Access via Rossau Retirement Home

Street Art along Danube Canal



The embankment walls of the Danube Canal form a single, giant canvas. The area is open to graffiti artists who have turned the concrete walls into

their very own art gallery in Vienna. From generic scribbles to political messages and intricate artworks: stroll along the banks and explore this tangible example of Viennese cultural life. For the most interesting works, walk down the track between Schwedenplatz and Schottenring.

Photo: Manfred Werner - Tsui/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)

Address: Donaukanal, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4 (Schwedenplatz);

Tram: 1, 2 (Schwedenplatz)

Brotfabrik



Brotfabrik is a former bread factory turned into contemporary art gallery and photography exhibition hall is a must for any art lover. Studios, galleries and showrooms have settled around the inner courtyards, creating a real cultural melting pot around the impressive industrial building.

The cafe, Magdas Kantine, is run as a social business, employing refugees and those unemployed long-term.

Photo: Thomas Ledl/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)

Address: Absberggasse 27, District 10, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram: 6 (Absberggasse)

Internet: www.brotfabrik.wien/en

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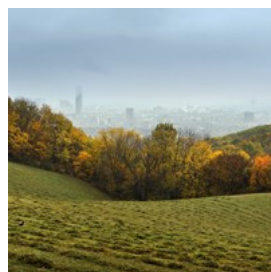
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Internet: www.koer.or.at

Vienna Woods



On the western side of the capital, stretching over seven of districts, the Vienna Woods are considered the green lung of Vienna. Easily

reached with public transportation and perfect for a daytime excursion, the area offers great hiking trails, old castles and monasteries, a rich fauna and plenty of picturesque vineyard villages.

Whether you decide to explore the area with one of the guided tours or by yourself, make sure not to miss the exquisite regional gastronomy and the overwhelming views over the city and the last foothills of the Alps.

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Address: Wienerwald, Vienna
Phone: +43 223 354 187
Internet: www.bpww.at/en
Email: office@bpww.at

Horse Carriage Ride



A ride in a carriage pulled by horses is a highlight of a trip to Vienna for many tourists. Today it is hard to imagine the cityscape without the Viennese horse-drawn carriages. A tour in a horse-drawn carriage is a very atmospheric way to explore the beauty of Vienna.

Carriage ranks can be found at Stephansplatz, Michaelerplatz, Heldenplatz, Albertinaplatz, Petersplatz and outside the Burgtheater.

For that extra special occasion, you can book a carriage ride complete with typical specialties and delicacies paired with sparkling wine.

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Spittelberg



Vienna's Spittelberg is located right next to the MuseumsQuartier. Outside of the classic touristy beaten track, the area mainly attracts young, bohemian locals and students.

Among the arts and crafts stores and independent shops, this charming neighbourhood has developed a lively entertainment scene with numerous restaurants, cafés and bars famous for their leafy courtyards and Biedermeier-style building.

Spittelberg Village's Christmas market during Advent is considered one of the best in town: always busy, it's an ideal place to end an evening in an atmospheric setting.

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Address: Spittelberg, District 7, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Freihausviertel



Lively, affordable and with a vibrant atmosphere, Freihaus is considered to be the trendiest district in Vienna by many.

Stretching south of Naschmarkt and Karlsplatz, this eclectic neighbourhood is famous for its creative scene, full of entertainment and hip hang outs.

Besides design shops and modern galleries, refreshments can be enjoyed in any of the exciting cafes or restaurants, while night-owls can find plenty of trendy meeting places in Freihaus. The most popular streets are Operngasse and Schleifmühlgasse.

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Address: Margaretenstraße, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz), U4 (Kettenbrückengasse)
Internet: www.wien.info/en/shopping-wining-dining/markets/freihausviertel-346310

Bitzinger Hot Dog Stand



The Bitzinger sausage stand at Albertinaplatz is reportedly the best wurstelstand in Vienna, which is why you should definitely pay a visit for a

snack or cheap meal when staying in the city. There is usually a queue — this is one of the most famous sausage stands in the city, after all. Besides the classic bratwurst and currywurst they also sell some other specialities, like the cheese-filled sausage.

Photo: Wienwiki/Johann Werfring/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)

Address: Albertinaplatz, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 1, 2 (Oper - Opernring)

Opening hours: Daily 8am-4am

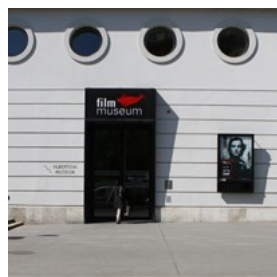
Phone: +43 664 88 62 24 28

Internet: www.bitzinger-wien.at

Email: wurst@bitzinger.wien

More Info: Bitzinger has another stand at Prater

Austrian Film Museum



The Film Museum in the Albertina is a must in Vienna for every film enthusiast, serving as a cinemathèque and an archive for a collection ranging from the origins of film history to the present days; make sure to check the schedule on their website to see what is currently being screened, as this isn't a "museum" in the traditional sense of the word, but more of a historic cinema.

National and international films are screened all year round, with changing retrospectives and individual presentations offered to the public. The Film Museum also boasts the widest collection of film literature in the country, as well as a selection of cinema-related photos, posters and periodicals.

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Address: Augustinerstraße 1, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 1, 2 (Oper - Opernring)

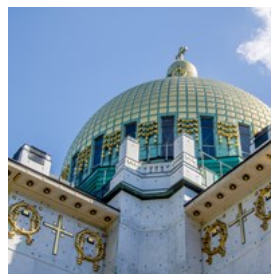
Opening hours: Box office opens one hour before the first screening of the day and closes 15 minutes after the start of the last screening

Phone: +43 1 533 70 54

Internet: www.filmmuseum.at

Email: kontakt@filmmuseum.at

Steinhof Church



Also known as St. Leopold's Church, this Art Nouveau masterpiece by Otto Wagner defines Vienna's architectural cityscape and is

recognised as the first example of a Modernist church in Europe. Distinctive components of Art Nouveau style were the ornaments that are especially exposed on the dome of the church and on the altar.

Photo: Roman Plesky/Shutterstock.com

Address: Kirche am Steinhof, Baumgartner Höhe 1, District 14, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram: 49, 52 (Baumgarten)

Opening hours: Sat 2pm-5pm, Sun 11am-5pm

Phone: +43 664 889 50 800

Internet: www.erzdioezese-wien.at/site/en

Email: otto-wagner-kirche@wienkav.at

More Info: Mass every Sunday at 9:30am

Yellow Fog Lights Installation



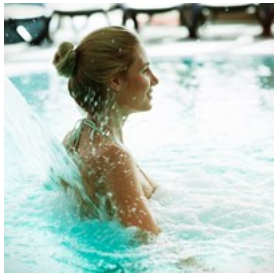
In the 1st district, marvel at a breathtaking light installation by the artist Olafur Eliasson on the façade of the Verbund headquarters. The

artwork can be seen on permanent display in Vienna every day at dusk, when 32 fluorescent lamps cast light on the artificial fog climbing up the side of the building and spreading over the pavement.

You can visit the exhibition in the Vertical Gallery by appointment (call number below) every Wednesday at 6:30pm pm as part of a free art talk.

Photo: Geolina/WikimediaCommons(image cropped)
Address: Verbund HQ, Am Hof 6a, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Herrengasse)
Opening hours: Every day at dusk, for one hour. The timing is rather unpredictable
Phone: +43 0 503 135 00 44
Internet: www.verbund.com/en-at/about-verbund/responsibility/art-collection
Email: sammlung@verbund.com

Therme Wien



In the south of Vienna is Therme Wien, the biggest thermal spa facility in Austria. Relax and be pampered by 26 indoor and outdoor pools, 24 sauna and steam cabins, 2,500 loungers and a 6,000 m² health area.

Only a 30-minute metro or tram ride from the city centre, it's a good option for a relaxing break from sightseeing.

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Address: Kurbadstraße 14, District 10, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Oberlaa); Tram: 67 (Kurzentrums Oberlaa)
Opening hours: Daily 9am-10pm
Phone: +43 1 68 00 99 600
Internet: www.thermewien.at/en
Email: office@thermewien.at

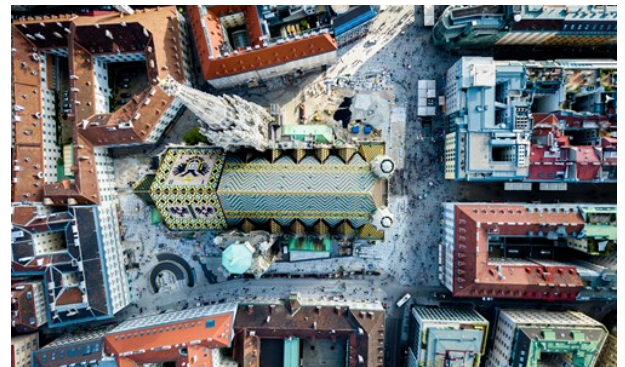
Gartenbaukino



The Gartenbaukino with its impressively large screen is one of the last remaining single auditorium cinemas in Vienna. The cinema is the central performance venue of the Viennale, the successful international film festival held in Vienna every year. Night screenings, premieres and many other spectacular events are also held here.

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Address: Parkring 12, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Stadtspark), U3 (Stubentor); Tram: 2 (Weihburggasse or Stubentor)
Phone: +43 1 5122 354
Internet: www.gartenbaukino.at
Email: kino@gartenbaukino.at

DO & SEE



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Vienna has over 100 museums and countless examples of great architecture seamlessly combining old and new designs. When you've got enough sightseeing for the day, rest in one of the 280 parks and gardens scattered around the city.

St Stephen's Cathedral



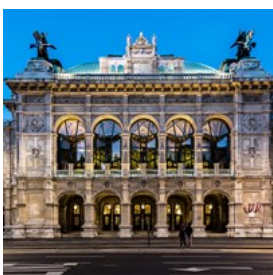
The religious and geographical centre of Vienna is St Stephen's Cathedral. The most prominent Gothic masterpiece of the city, with its stunning tiled roof and stone interiors, actually retains many artworks from different periods: the Romanic towers, the Baroque altar and the Renaissance decorations.

Book a complete tour of the cathedral, visit the deep catacombs or make your way up the 136 m (448 ft) tall tower

When the Pummerin — the largest bell in Austria — rings on New Year's Eve, it is even broadcast on TV.

Photo: Agatha Kadar/Shutterstock.com
Address: Stephansplatz 3, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz)
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-11:30am / 1pm-4:30 pm; Sun 1pm-4:30pm. Subject to changes for liturgical reasons.
Phone: +43 1 515 523 054
Internet: www.stephanskirche.at
Email: tour@stephanskirche.at

Vienna State Opera



The Vienna State Opera is one of the most distinguished opera houses in the world. The magnificent building on Ringstrasse was constructed between 1861 and 1869 by August Siccardsburg and Eduard van der Nüll as Hofoperntheater (Court Opera).

You can catch a glimpse of what goes on backstage and admire the architectural magnificence of this neo-Renaissance

masterpiece with one of the 40-minute guided tours .

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Address: Wiener Staatsoper, Opernring 2, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);
Tram: 1, 2, 62, D (Oper)
Phone: +43 1 514 442 250
Internet:
www.wiener-staatsoper.at/en/staatsoper/guided-tours

Musikverein



Vienna's classical concert offering is dominated by the Musikverein — the home of the Vienna Philharmonic orchestra founded in 1842. Millions of music fans around the world consider the Musikverein to be one of the most traditional concert houses, paying host to artists of the very highest calibre. From its Golden Hall, the annual New Year's Concert of the Vienna Philharmonic is broadcast to the world on television.

The Vienna Mozart Orchestra regularly performs Mozart's famous works while dressed in period costumes.

Photo: Bells Mayer/unsplash.com
Address: Wiener Musikverein, Musikvereinsplatz 1, District 1, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 505 81 90
Internet: www.musikverein.at/en
Email: tickets@musikverein.at

Schönbrunn Zoo



Schönbrunn Zoo in Vienna was established back in 1752 by the Habsburgs and now remains the oldest operating zoo in the

world. The wide areas create a comfortable space for the animals and the staff of experts make sure they are very well attended. The administration of the zoo places significant focus on conservation and animal welfare.

We recommend allocating around 4-5 hours to visit for your visit and check the feeding schedule.

Photo: M. Kreuznitz/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)
Address: Tiergarten Schönbrunn, Maxingstraße 13b, District 13, Vienna
Public Transport: U4 (underground): Station Hietzing;
Tramway: 10, 52, 60; Bus: 51A, 56A, 56B, 58A
Opening hours: Daily from 9am until 4:30pm-6:30pm (varies according to the seasons)
Phone: +43 1 877 929 40
Internet: www.zoovienna.at/en
More Info: Located in the Schönbrunn Palace Park. To get to the main park entrance use the Hietzinger Tor gate

Madame Tussauds Vienna

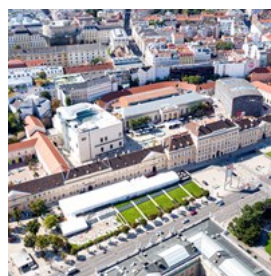


Madame Tussauds is a world famous wax museum and tourist attraction. The Viennese branch is located inside the Wiener Prater amusement park. Get up-close to the biggest celebrities of past and present. Take a selfie with movie stars like Angelina Jolie, Daniel Craig and Robert Pattinson; meet old-time Hollywood idols like Marilyn Monroe and Audrey Hepburn; pose for the camera with royals, composers and politicians from Austria and the world over.

Photo: Gugerell/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)
Address: Riesenradplatz 5, District 2, Vienna
Public Transport: U1 & U2 (underground), Tram lines 0 or 5, Bus line 80A: station Praterstern;
Opening hours: Usually daily 11am-7pm, but be sure to check the official website before your visit
Phone: +43 1 890 33 66

Internet: www.madametussauds.com/wien/en

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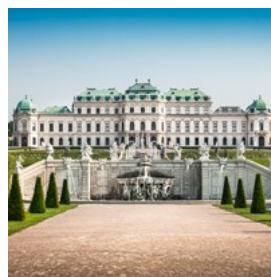


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Belvedere Palace



With its magnificent gardens, this former residence of Prince Eugen von Savoyen is one of the most beautiful Baroque ensembles in the world and a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

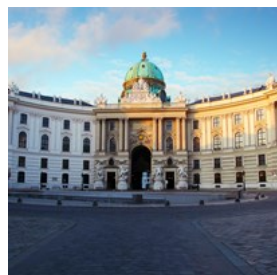
The Upper Belvedere houses the world's largest collection of paintings by Gustav Klimt, including the Art Nouveau icons The Kiss and Judith. It also contains masterpieces by Schiele, Kokoschka, Waldmüller, Renoir, Monet and Van Gogh as well as important collections of works from the 19th and 20th centuries, the Baroque and the Middle Ages. Top-quality special exhibitions are put on in the Lower Belvedere and Orangery.

The exquisite Baroque garden between the two palaces offers an extraordinary view of Vienna.

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Address: Prinz-Eugen-Straße 27, District 3, Vienna
Public Transport: Tram: D, O, 18 (Quartier Belvedere), D (Schloss Belvedere), Bus: 13A, 69A (Hauptbahnhof)
Opening hours: Upper Belvedere: daily 10am-6pm. Lower Belvedere & Orangery: daily 10am-6pm. Belvedere 21: Tue-Sun 11am-6pm, Thu 11am-9pm
Phone: +43 1 795 570
Internet: www.belvedere.at/en
Email: info@belvedere.at

Hofburg Imperial Palace



The Imperial Palace was the residence of the Habsburg emperor until 1918. From the 13th century until just before the end of the monarchy,

the area was fitted out in imperial splendour within its present-day size. The original Gothic building around today's Schweizerhof was extended on a continuous basis, resulting in an extensive building complex formed of different sections, which contributes an essential character to the appearance of Vienna's Old City.

Europe's largest imperial cultural complex today houses more than two dozen collections of

international standing, including the Austrian National Library, the Imperial Treasury, the Imperial Apartments and the Sisi Museum, as well as the Spanish Riding School.

Photo: TTstudio/Shutterstock.com

Address: Hofburg, Michaelerkuppe, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz), U3 (Herrengasse), U2, U3 (Volkstheater); Bus 48A (Dr.-Karl-Renner-Ring), 57A (Burgring); Tram: D, 1, 2 (Burgring)
Opening hours: September-June: daily 9am-5:30pm.
July-August: daily 9am-6pm
Phone: +43 1 5337 570
Internet:
www.wien.info/en/sightseeing/sights/imperial/hofburg-vienna
Email: info@hofburg-wien.at

The Prater & Giant Ferris Wheel



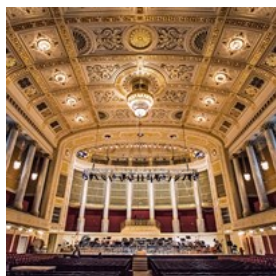
Vienna Prater is a large public park, a place of nostalgic dreams for some and an oasis of greenery for almost everyone — it is the home

of the popular amusement park and the location of the Giant Ferris Wheel, one of Vienna's most famous symbols. The Prater is open from March to October, but the Giant Ferris Wheel and a few other attractions are open year-round.

Photo: creativemark/Shutterstock.com

Address: Prater, District 2, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2 (Praterstern)
Phone: +43 1 728 05 16
Internet: www.praterwien.com/en/home
Email: info@wiener-prater.at

Konzerthaus



One of the focal points of cultural life is the Wiener Konzerthaus in the atmospheric Art Nouveau style. Its musical bandwidth encompasses not only the classical repertoire, but also ranges from the Middle Age, Renaissance and Baroque music to Jazz, World and the progressive tones of the present day.

Check the programme on their official website — there are multiple performances almost every day. Perfect plan for a date on a rainy day!

If you are more interested in architecture than in music, take part in the guided tour of the Konzerthaus.

Photo: Dozor/Wikimedia House(image cropped)

Address: Lothringerstraße 20, District 3, Vienna

Phone: +43 1 242 002

Internet: www.konzerthaus.at

Email: ticket@konzerthaus.at

Schönbrunn Palace



A visit to Vienna's most famous palace is a must for art lovers. The Baroque building structures have been preserved with "Viennese Charm" and host the 1,441 rooms that were once inhabited by the imperial family. You can still admire 40 of them on the guided tours today.

Explore the architectural treasures of the Palace Gardens, such as the Palm House and the the oldest zoo in the world, built in 1752 by Emperor Franz I. Naturally, the gardens are best visited in the warmer months.

Photo: Mélanie Martin/unsplash.com

Address: Schönbrunner Schloßstraße 47, District 13, Venna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Schönbrunn)

Opening hours: The Palace: daily 9:30am–5pm. The Gardens: daily from 6:30am. Hours may change depending on the season.

Phone: +43 1 811 130

Internet: www.schoenbrunn.at/en

Email: info@schoenbrunn.at

Mozarthus Vienna



Mozarthus Vienna is an apartment museum showcasing the life and work of the musical genius Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. Visitors can explore the only Vienna apartment of Mozart that has been preserved and where he composed more music than anywhere else. Besides the flat, there is a comprehensive presentation of the times in which Mozart lived and of his most important works. Audioguides in different languages are included in the entrance fee.

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Address: Domgasse 5, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: U1, U3 or by bus 1A to Stephansplatz

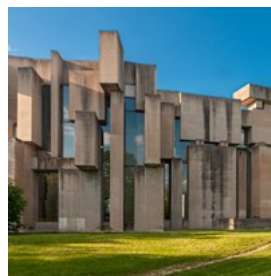
Opening hours: Tue–Sun 10am–6pm, Mon closed

Phone: +43 1 512 17 91

Internet: www.mozarthusvienna.at/en

Email: info@mozarthusvienna.at

Church of the Most Holy Trinity (Wotruba Church)



The church is a fine example of classic brutalist and cubist architecture, designed by the architect Fritz Wotruba. 152 concrete blocks have been assembled to form this unique-looking structure, with windows have

been built into the remaining spaces. As strikingly different as the facade might look, the inside resembles a familiar church interior.

Photo: Ralf Roletschek/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)
Address: Wotrubakirche (Kirche zur Heiligsten Dreifaltigkeit), Ottillingerplatz 1, District 23, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 888 61 47
Internet: www.georgenberg.at

Christmas Markets in Vienna



From mid-November until Christmas, a number of Markets in the city of Vienna spread Christmas cheer. Mulled wine, roasted chestnuts, music and handcrafted goods sold at the little stalls create a warm and welcoming atmosphere, despite the at times cold Austrian winters.

Some of the most exciting Christmas Markets include the Viennese Dream Christmas Market in front of the City Hall, the Christmas Village at Belvedere Palace (Prinz-Eugene Straße) and the Christmas and New Year's Market at Schönbrunn Palace; there are many other smaller markets with similar charm.

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Internet: www.austria.info/en/things-to-do/skiing-and-winter/christmas-markets/vienna

Secession



Featuring a golden dome decorated with laurel leaves, this Art Nouveau exhibition building was constructed in 1897/98 by Joseph Maria Olbriach, a student of Otto Wagner, and is one of the most famous structures in Vienna. The Beethoven

Frieze created by Gustav Klimt in 1902 is on permanent display on the lower level. Changing exhibitions featuring contemporary art are held on the entrance level.

Photo: Kiev.Victor/Shutterstock.com
Address: Friedrichstraße 12, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz)
Opening hours: Tue-Sun 10am-6pm
Phone: +43 1 587 53 07
Email: presse@secession.at
More Info: Guided tours: Saturdays at 11am in English and at 3pm in German

Danube Tower



The Danube Tower offers an unforgettable view of Vienna's Danube landscape, the Old City and the Vienna Woods from a height of 170 meters. The two express elevators take visitors to the viewing terrace and the two revolving cafe/restaurants in just 35 seconds. The Danube Tower was built in 1964 for the Vienna International Garden Festival, which is remembered today in the Danube Park. Large meadows, extensive jogging paths, children's play areas and flowerbeds offer a relaxing space for visitors.

Photo: Ashkan/unsplash.com
Address: Donauturm Wien, Donauturmplatz 1, District 22, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 Kaisermühlen (VIC)
Phone: +43 1 263 35 72
Internet: www.donauturm.at/en
Email: reservierungen@donauturm.at

St Charles Church



A striking sacred building with a large cupola and two giant twin columns standing at its sides, this church is the last great work of Baroque city architect Johann Bernhard Fischer von Erlach.

Karlskirche is a European Baroque masterpiece, with symbolic design and use of classical architectural elements. Take the elevator to the dome for a close-up of the fresco-decorated interiors.

Karlskirche frequently hosts classical music concerts, Vivaldi and Mozart in particular. The acoustics of this Baroque church are something you simply must experience.

Photo: photo.ua/Shutterstock.com

Address: Karlskirche, Kreuzherrengasse 1, District 4, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz)

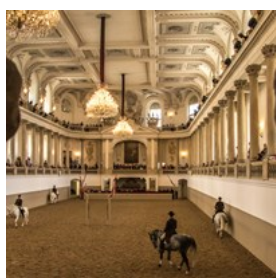
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-6pm, Sun 11am-7pm

Phone: +43 1 504 61 87

Internet: www.karlskirche.at

Email: kontakt@karlskirche.at

Spanish Riding School



Founded in 1572, the Spanish Riding School has put on performances in the Baroque Winter Riding School since 1735.

These shows represent the highest form of equestrian art: the Spanish Riding School in Vienna is the only institution in the world in which the classic equestrian art has been preserved and practised unchanged since the Renaissance. At the gala shows, visitors can enjoy unique presentations by the Lipizzaner horses in the most beautiful riding hall in the world. The morning session offers an insight into

the years of training that the riders and their Lipizzaners go through.

Photo: [Andrew Moore/Flickr.com](https://www.flickr.com/photos/andrewmoore/)(image cropped)

Address: Michaelerplatz 1, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Karlsplatz or Stephansplatz), U2, U4 (Karlsplatz), U3 (Herrengasse); Bus: 2A and 3A (Michaelerplatz); Tram: 1, 2, D (Kärntner Ring, Oper or Burgring), 62 (Kärntner Ring)

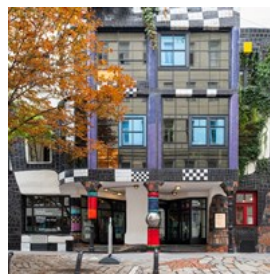
Opening hours: Most days 9am-4pm, though the schedule changes every month

Phone: +43 1 533 90 31

Internet: www.srs.at/en

Email: office@srs.at

Kunst Haus Wien



Friedensreich Hundertwasser created the Kunst Haus Wien with colourful tiles, tilted walls, uneven floors and irregular shapes often

overgrown with rampant green: this was how the artist not only added new momentum to Vienna's architecture but also established an exhibition centre that shows Hundertwasser's works along with changing exhibitions of exciting contemporary art. The ground floor also contains a cafe and a shop.

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Address: Untere Weißgerberstraße 13, District 3, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4 (Schwedenplatz), continue on tram 1 (direction: "Prater Hauptallee") to Radetzkyplatz or U3, U4 (Landstrasse/Wien Mitte), continue on tram O (direction: "Praterstern") to Radetzkyplatz

Opening hours: Daily 10am-6pm

Phone: +43 1 712 04 91

Internet: www.kunsthausewien.com/en

Email: info@kunsthausewien.com

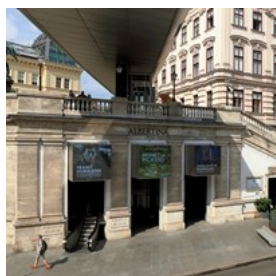
Leopold Museum



With its 41 paintings and 188 works on paper, the Leopold Museum in Vienna's MuseumsQuartier has the world's largest and most significant collection of works by Egon Schiele. The comprehensive collection "Vienna 1900 and Art Nouveau" is another highlight of the Leopold Museum. The paintings by Schiele's mentor and friend Gustav Klimt are especially noteworthy. A program of special exhibitions also presents large-scale shows of work by internationally famous artists. The offer is rounded off by a well-curated museum shop and a cafe with a patio overlooking the main courtyard of the MuseumsQuartier.

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Address: Museumsplatz 1, District 7, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U2, U3 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier); Tram: 1, 2, D (Dr.-Karl-Renner-Ring)
Opening hours: Mon & Wed-Sun 10am-6pm, Tue closed
Phone: +43 1 5257 00
Internet: www.leopoldmuseum.org/en
Email: office@leopoldmuseum.org

Albertina



Albertina, Habsburg's enormous collection of graphic arts, houses works by Dürer and Rubens along with masterpieces by Schiele, Cézanne, Klimt, Kokoschka, Picasso and Rauschenberg. The show "Masterworks of Modernism: The Batliner Collection" illustrates the progression from Monet and Picasso to Gerhard Richter and Georg Baselitz and presents highlights from the last 130 years of art history.

Albertina also has a collection of architectural

works and photos (including Helmut Newton and Lisette Model among others), which are on display in special exhibitions.

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Address: Albertinaplatz 1, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz); Tram: 1, 2, D, 62, 65 (Staatsoper/Kärntner Ring); Bus: 3A (Albertina)
Opening hours: Daily 10am-6pm, Wed & Fri 10am-9pm
Phone: +43 1 5348 30
Internet: www.albertina.at/en
Email: info@albertina.at
More Info: Visit the Albertina Modern brunch at Karlsplatz 5

Mumok —Museum of Modern Art Ludwig Foundation Vienna



The huge basalt stone building of Mumok houses art from the 20th century to the present day, with changing exhibits of everything from classic modern art to the essential artistic genres of the 1960s and 1970s, right up to contemporary artworks from the worlds of film, photography and video.

Since 2011, a cinema designed by the artist Heimo Zobernig has also been housed here, focusing on the relationship between visual arts and film.

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Address: Museumsplatz 1, District 7, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U2, U3 (Volkstheater), U2 (Museumsquartier); Bus: 48A and 2A; Tram: 49
Opening hours: Tue-Sun 10am-6pm, Mon closed
Phone: +43 1 525 000
Internet: www.mumok.at/en
Email: info@mumok.at

Museum of Natural History



Two twin museum buildings were erected during the construction of Vienna's Ringstrasse as monuments to the imperial collections: the Museum of Fine Arts and the Museum of Natural History.

Explore the breathtaking diversity of the natural world: from insects to precious stones and minerals to flying dinosaurs. You will get fascinating insights into the history of our planet at this museum near the Imperial Palace. Numerous stuffed specimens of extinct species make this an invaluable collection. From the rooftop, where guided tours are offered regularly, you have the best view over Vienna's Inner City and the Ringstrasse.

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Address: Maria-Theresien-Platz, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2, U3 (Volkstheater) Tram: 1, 2, 46, 49, 71; Bus: 48A

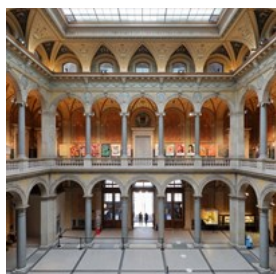
Opening hours: Thu-Mon 9am-6:30pm, Wed 9am-9pm, Tue closed

Phone: +43 1 521 770

Internet: www.nhm-wien.ac.at/en

Email: info@nhm-wien.ac.at

MAK — Austrian Museum of Applied Arts



The MAK Austrian Museum of Applied Arts is unique in its ability to represent the history and significance of the Wiener Werkstätte — a productive association that pioneered modern design, and whose influence can be seen in later styles such as Bauhaus and Art Deco. The archive comprises, among others, about 16,000 design drawings and about 20,000 fabric

samples.

One of the highlights of the MAK's collection is Gustav Klimt's nine-part working drawings for the mosaic frieze in the dining room of the Palais Stoclet in Brussels. After a restoration process that took several years, this has again been on permanent display in the MAK since 2012.

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Address: Stubenring 5, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Stubentor), U4 (Landstraße); Tram: 2 (Stubentor); Bus: 1A and 74A Stubentor

Opening hours: Tue 10am-9pm, Wed-Sun 10am-6pm, Mon closed

Phone: +43 1 711 360

Internet: www.mak.at/en

Email: office@MAK.at

Kunsthalle



Kunsthalle displays international contemporary art. Located in the MuseumsQuartier, it presents exhibitions focused primarily on photography, video, film, installations and new media. Kunsthalle Wien calls itself the flexible and experimental outdoor exhibition site.

There is also a cafe with a huge terrace, inviting visitors to stay a while after enjoying the art on display.

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Address: Museumsplatz 1, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Opening hours: Tue-Sun 11am-7pm, Thu 11am-9pm, Mon closed

Phone: +43 1 521 890

Internet: www.kunsthallewien.at/en
Email: office@kunsthallewien.at

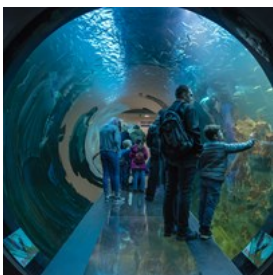
Museum of Fine Arts Vienna (KHM)



Emperor Franz Joseph constructed the Vienna Museum of Fine Arts for the imperial collections and with its treasures it now ranks as one of the most important museums in the world. Objects from five centuries - from ancient Egypt and ancient Greece to the end of the 18th century - are showcased here, beside an extraordinary art gallery with paintings by Rubens, Rembrandt, Raphael, Vermeer, Velázquez, Titian, Dürer and the largest Bruegel collection in the world. Gustav Klimt, in collaboration with his brother Ernst and Franz Matsch, created a series of paintings housed in the magnificent staircase located twelve meters above the museum's lobby. A cafe can be found in the spectacular domed hall.

Photo: Rick Govic/unsplash.com
Address: Kunsthistorisches Museum Wien, Maria-Theresien-Platz, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U2, U3 (Volkstheater); Tram: D, 1, 2 (Volkstheater); Bus: 2A and 57A
Opening hours: Tue-Sun 10am-6pm, Thu 10am-9pm, Mon closed
Phone: +43 1 525 240
Internet: www.khm.at/en
Email: info@khm.at

House of the Sea



Schools of yellow, red and blue fish, green mambas and sharks: over 10,000 animals from every continent live in the aquariums, terrariums and in the 20-meter-high tropical house with a

waterfall, a suspension bridge and mangrove landscape. The tropical house and Krokipark (crocodile park) also include free-flying birds as well as monkeys and crocodiles roaming freely. The terrarium houses poisonous and giant snakes, lizards, leaf-cutting ants and tarantulas.

The House of the Sea is located in one of Vienna's monumental anti-aircraft towers and houses hammerhead sharks. The cafe on the 11th floor provides visitors with a breathtaking view of Vienna.

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Address: Haus des Meeres, Fritz-Grünbaum-Platz 1, District 6, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Neubaugasse); Bus: 13A, 14A, 57A (Haus des Meeres)
Opening hours: Daily 9am-8pm
Phone: +43 1 587 14 17
Internet: www.haus-des-meeres.at
Email: office@haus-des-meeres.at

Imperial Treasury



The medieval part of the Imperial Palace, the Schweizerhof, contains the unique treasures of the Habsburgs, including the Austrian imperial crown and the crown jewels of the Holy Roman Empire.

Further highlights include the treasure of the Order of the Golden Fleece and the collections of the invaluable Burgundian treasures from the 15th century. Jewels belonging to the Habsburg empresses and pieces of the original jewellery belonging to Empress Elisabeth can also be seen here. You can also discover legendary treasures such as the Holy Lance of the 8th century, the largest cut emerald in the world and the horn of the fantastical unicorn.

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Address: Kaiserliche Schatzkammer, Hofburg, Schweizerhof, District 1, Vienna

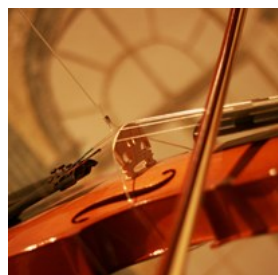
Opening hours: Wed-Mon 9am-5:30pm, Tue closed

Phone: +43 1 525 240

Internet: www.kaiserliche-schatzkammer.at/en

Email: info@khm.at

House of Music



The House of Music is a multi-media world of experience.

Experimentation is called for here: visitors paint sounds with their fingers

and direct the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra.

The acoustic journey ranges from pre-natal hearing experiences to the development of the human ear and the first musical instruments right through to the sounds of the Cosmos.

Geniuses such as Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart and Johann Strauss are presented with original music scores, programs, costumes and personal items. On the top floor of the Sound Museum, the Restaurant Huth offers fine Austrian cuisine with a wonderful view over the rooftops of Vienna.

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Address: Haus der Musik, Seilerstätte 30, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Karlsplatz or Stephansplatz), U2, U4 (Karlsplatz), U3 (Stephansplatz);

Tram: 2, D and J (Oper)

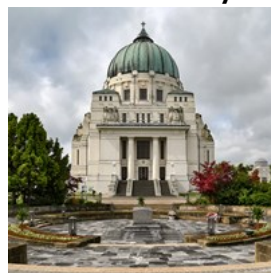
Opening hours: Daily 10am-10pm

Phone: +43 1 513 48 50

Internet: www.hausdermusik.com/en

Email: info@hdm.at

Central Cemetery



The second largest cemetery in Europe is home to graves of numerous celebrated personas, including composers Beethoven,

Strauss, Mozart and Salieri. The multidenominational cemetery represents a unique park landscape, hosting a Funeral Museum, monumental tombs of honour and an Art Nouveau cemetery church Lueger Kirche.

More than 250 original objects and photographic material are on display in the Funeral Museum, including an original "Fourgon" (coach for transporting bodies) from around the year 1900. Don't miss this macabre journey into the ceremonial past.

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Address: Main gate: Simmeringer Hauptstraße 234, District 11, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram: 6, 71 (Zentralfriedhof)

Opening hours: Daily 7am-6pm

Internet: www.friedhofewien.at/zentralfriedhof

Vienna Boys' Choir



Vienna Boys' Choir is a world-famous choir of boy sopranos and altos. In Vienna, they regularly appear in the Chapel of the Imperial Palace and

in their own new concert hall MuTh which was opened in 2012 and is located in the Augarten. The hall is used as a rehearsal and performance venue for the Vienna Boys' Choir and as a centre for music and theatre for other children and young people. Collaborations are planned with established festivals, the Konzerthaus, the Vienna State Opera and Theatre an der Wien.

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Address: MuTh, Am Augartenspitz 1, District 2, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 347 80 80
Internet: www.wienersaengerknaben.at/en
Email: tickets@muth.at

Jewish Museum



The Jewish Museum of the City of Vienna is a place of encounter, confrontation and understanding, which seeks to raise awareness of Jewish history, religion and culture. Children, students and adults can take part in public tours at both locations and in all temporary exhibitions. Booking the tour in advance is highly recommended.

Photo: Jewish Museum Vienna/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)
Address: Dorotheergasse 11, District 1, Vienna
Opening hours: Sun-Fri 10am-6pm, Sat closed
Phone: +43 1 535 04 31
Internet: www.jmw.at/en
Email: info@jmw.at
More Info: Second venue of the Jewish Museum is located on Judenplatz

Wien Museum



As of 2019, Wien Museum is closed for fundamental renovation work. Until the building in Karlsplatz reopens, all exhibitions will be held in at Wien Museum MUSA at Felderstraße 6-8.

This museum presents Vienna's 2000-year history, from the Imperium Romanum to the residence of the Dukes of Babenberg and the 640 years of Habsburg rule to the present days. The history of the construction of St. Stephen's Cathedral, detailed city views and furniture from

the Biedermeier era as well as magnificent paintings from artists such as Makart, Klimt and Schiele are on display to illustrate Vienna's cultural heritage.

The Wien Museum also has an exceptional Klimt collection that includes the world's largest collection of his drawings, comprising absolute masterpieces, sketches and preliminary outlines dating from all stages of his creative life.

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Address: Felderstraße 6-8 (MUSA), District 1, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 505 87 47 85169
Internet: www.wienmuseum.at/en

SOUND OF MUSIC



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Every evening thousands of enthusiasts gather in concert halls, big and small, to experience live classical music in Vienna. The city has a reputation as the "capital of classical music" largely owing to the immensely popular composers who lived and worked here in the late 18th and 19th centuries. During this period, numerous performance halls were built to accommodate the overwhelming boom of musical talent.

Major music venues in Vienna include the State Opera House, the People's Opera House, the Burgtheater, and the Theater an der Wien. Pick a venue that suits your liking and schedule and let

the art vibrate through you.

Vienna State Opera



The Vienna State Opera is one of the most distinguished opera houses in the world. The magnificent building on Ringstrasse was

constructed between 1861 and 1869 by August Siccardsburg and Eduard van der Nüll as Hofoperntheater (Court Opera).

Students and travellers on a budget can take advantage of the Standing room tickets. For just €10 cash you can buy a last minute ticket at the Standing Room box-office at the Operngasse entrance. Tickets go on sale 2 hours before the show. Bring a scarf to reserve your spot in the auditorium and explore the building. To deter ticket scalpers, the ticket desk will require your ID and will only sell 2 tickets per person. You will also need to pre-register on the State Opera website.

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Address: Wiener Staatsoper, Opernring 2, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 1, 2, 62, D (Oper)

Phone: +43 1 514 442 250

Internet: inspiredbymaps.com/how-to-get-vienna-opera-standing-room-tickets

Musikverein



Vienna's classical concert offering is dominated by the Musikverein — the home of the Vienna Philharmonic orchestra founded in 1842. Millions

of music fans around the world consider the Musikverein to be one of the most traditional

concert houses, paying host to artists of the very highest calibre. From its Golden Hall, the annual New Year's Concert of the Vienna Philharmonic is broadcast to the world on television.

The Vienna Mozart Orchestra regularly performs Mozart's famous works while dressed in period costumes.

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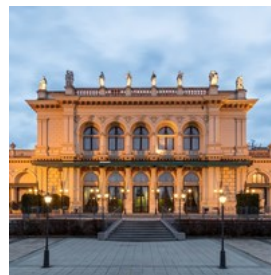
Address: Wiener Musikverein, Musikvereinsplatz 1, District 1, Vienna

Phone: +43 1 505 81 90

Internet: www.musikverein.at/en

Email: tickets@musikverein.at

Strauss & Mozart at Kursalon Vienna



Kursalon in Vienna is famous for hosting lighthearted concerts of Viennese classical music. Listen to renowned works of Mozart and Strauss in

a show complete with opera singers, piano concertos and ballet dancers. You can even upgrade to a front row seat with a glass of sparkling wine.

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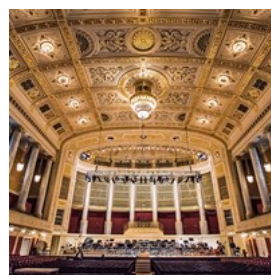
Address: Johannesgasse 33, District 1, Vienna

Phone: +43 1 512 57 90

Internet: www.kursalonwien.at

More Info: Located in Stadtpark

Konzerthaus



One of the focal points of cultural life is the Wiener Konzerthaus in the atmospheric Art Nouveau style. Its musical

bandwidth encompasses not only the classical repertoire, but also ranges

from the Middle Age, Renaissance and Baroque music to Jazz, World and the progressive tones of the present day.

Check the programme on their official website — there are multiple performances almost every day. Perfect plan for a date on a rainy day!

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Address: Lothringerstraße 20, District 3, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 242 002
Internet: www.konzerthaus.at
Email: ticket@konzerthaus.at

People's Opera House — Volksoper



The Vienna Volksoper is the place for operetta, opera, musicals and ballet. It is the youngest member of Vienna's trio of opera venues, both in age and in spirit. The mood is distinctly colourful, diverse and vivacious with a more relaxed dress code than other classical music venues in the city.

The stage is topped by a supertitle screen that displays English subtitles for many of the German-language productions.

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Address: Währinger Straße 78, District 9, Vienna
Public Transport: U6, trams 40, 41, 42, bus 40A: Währinger Strasse / Volksoper stop
Opening hours: Annual season runs from September through June
Phone: +43 1 514 443 670
Internet: www.volksoper.at
More Info: Stop by the neighbourhood Grand Café am Alsergrund after the show

Concert in St Anne's Church



St Anne's Church, with its rich Baroque setting and excellent acoustics, is the perfect place to experience works by Mozart, Beethoven, Haydn and Schubert. The venue is quite intimate — don't miss this architectural and musical opportunity.

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Address: Annakirche, Annagasse 3B, District 1, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 512 47 97
Internet: classicexclusive.com

Concert in St Peter's Church



This Baroque masterpiece is a resplendently decorated church with a famous organ. Concerts are given frequently here — and there are few better places to enjoy organ music or classical concerts than in this sublime place. There are other older and richer churches in Vienna, but this place is beyond compare. Take a seat in the church vaults and immerse yourself in a program of music from renowned classical composers such as Mozart, Vivaldi, Bach, Schubert and Beethoven. And don't forget to look up! The cupola is out of this world.

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Address: Peterskirche, Petersplatz 1, District 1, Vienna
Phone: +43 1 533 64 33
Internet: www.peterskirche.at/musik
Email: info@peterskirche.at

St Charles Church



simply must experience.

Karlskirche frequently hosts classical music concerts, Vivaldi and Mozart in particular. The acoustics of this Baroque church are something you

A striking sacred building with a large cupola and two giant twin columns standing at its sides, this church is the last great work of Baroque city architect Johann Bernhard Fischer von Erlach. Karlskirche is a European Baroque masterpiece, with symbolic design and use of classical architectural elements. Take the elevator to the dome for a close-up of the fresco-decorated interiors.

Photo: photo.ua/Shutterstock.com

Address: Karlskirche, Kreuzherrengasse 1, District 4, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz)

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-7pm, Thu until 9pm, Sun 9am-8pm

Phone: +43 1 504 61 87

Internet: www.karlskirche.at

Email: kontakt@karlskirche.at

Chamber Music at Mozarthaus Vienna



intimate concert venue is extremely popular as visitors crowd in to hear the Mozart Ensemble string quartet perform classical compositions in original historical costumes. Experience compositions by Mozart, Bach, Hadyn to name a few.

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Make sure to book ahead and guarantee your admission to the Sala Terrena right in the house of Mozart's apartment in Vienna. This

Address: Domgasse 5, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: U1, U3 or by bus 1A to Stephansplatz

Phone: +43 1 512 17 91

Internet: www.mozarthusvienna.at/en

Email: info@mozarthusvienna.at

Concert at the Palais Schönborn-Batthyány



The impressive concert hall Palais

Schönborn-Batthyány

invites you to an

unforgettable evening full of virtuosos musicians

and superb opera singers. Plunge into a wonderful world of courtly tradition and exquisite classical music. So discover the traditional and most beautiful side of Vienna. Listen to first-class musicians interpreting the most splendid works of Mozart, Vivaldi, Donizetti and Tchaikovsky.

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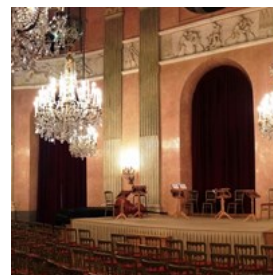
Address: Renngasse 4, District 1, Vienna

Phone: +43 660 601 63 28

Internet: classical-concerts.at

Email: kontakt@classical-concerts.at

Vienna Residence Orchestra at Palais Auersperg



The Baroque 18th

century Palais Auersperg

invites guests to enjoy

classical pieces from

Wolfgang Amadeus

Mozart and Johann

Strauss during a 1.5-hour recital of the Vienna

Residence Orchestra — widely considered among the finest chamber orchestras in the world.

Palais Auersperg is one of the focal points of European music, political, and social history.

These days the former palace host regular

chamber music concerts and serves as a wedding

venue.

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Address: Auerspergstraße 1, District 8, Vienna

Phone: +43 1 40107

Internet:

www.musicofvienna.com/vienna-residence-orchestra.htm

DINING



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The Austrian capital has a rich choice of great restaurants: from gourmet dining establishments perfect before (or after) a night at the opera to down-to-earth local eateries. First time visitors simply must try a hearty Kaisersemmel, traditional Viennese bread, or a Kaiserschmarrn, Austrian chopped pancakes dusted with powdered sugar.

Vienna is the only metropolis in the world that grows a significant enough amount of wine within city limits, so prepare to find plenty of good local wines to match your Viennese dinners.

The most popular time for dinner in Vienna is around 7 or 8 pm, so if that's when you plan to sit down for your dinner meal — book a table in advance.

Palmenhaus



Palmenhaus is where Vienna's imperial charm meets the latest trends. The attractive Art Nouveau building offers good cuisine, great cocktails and has become an institution for locals and visitors alike.

The terrace looks directly onto the Burggarten and tables there are in high demand when the weather is good. Inside the former greenhouse, guests dine in real style amongst exotic plants and relax over a good glass of wine or a fine cocktail.

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Address: Burggarten 1, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Karlsplatz or Stephansplatz), U2 (Museumsquartier, Volkstheater or Karlsplatz), U3 (Stephansplatz, Volkstheater or Herrengasse), U4 (Karlsplatz); Tram: 1, 2, 71, D (Burgring); Bus: 2A (Albertinaplatz), 57A (Burgring)

Opening hours: Mon-Thu 10am-11pm, Fri 10am-midnight, Sat 9am-midnight, Sun 9am-10pm. Kitchen closed a couple of hours earlier

Phone: +43 1 533 10 33

Internet: www.palmenhaus.at

Email: office@palmenhaus.at

Figlmüller



Figlmüller is Vienna's schnitzel mecca, serving their distinctive larger, thinner and crispier schnitzels since 1905. Nowadays is still a family-run business, with a new addition to the historical Wollzeile venue right behind St. Stephen's Cathedral: another restaurant now helps accommodate the great popularity of their traditional Viennese cuisine.

Photo: Giannis Papanikos/Shutterstock.com
Address: Bäckerstraße 6, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz), U1, U4 (Schwedenplatz)
Opening hours: Daily 11:30am-11pm
Phone: +43 1 5121760
Internet: www.figlmueLLer.at/baeckerstrasse
More Info: Figlmüller has six locations in Vienna, including one at the airport

Motto am Fluss



Motto am Fluss is located right at the Danube Canal, in the extravagantly designed Wien-City mooring station. On offer is a modern cuisine with a focus on Austrian traditions and organic ingredients, set in an elegant environment fashioned in 1950s Venetian style.

At the top floor you'll find a cafe with large sun deck that is really popular for breakfasts.

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Address: Franz Josefs Kai 2, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4 (Schwedenplatz);
Tram: 1, 2 (Schwedenplatz)
Phone: +43 1 252 55 10
Internet: www.mottoamfluss.at/en
Email: office@mottoamfluss.at

Das LOFT



Das LOFT is located at the 18th floor of the SO/Vienna Hotel building by Jean Nouvel. Here you can enjoy a breathtaking all-round view and sophisticated international cuisine prepared with fresh and carefully selected ingredients.

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Address: Praterstraße 1, District 2, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4 (Schwedenplatz);
Tram: 1, 2 (Schwedenplatz)
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 6:30am-10:30am / 5pm-2am; Sat 7am-noon / 5pm-2am; Sun 7am-11am / 12:30pm-4pm
Phone: +43 1 906 160
Internet: www.dasloftwien.at/en
Email: dasloft@sofitel.com

Food, Coffee & Market Walking Tour



The fastest way to taste coffee, strudels (whichever is in the season) and fresh foods from small eateries and markets while also

learning about Vienna's culinary history along the way — is to follow an experienced local. If you haven't made any local friends who would show you around just yet, book a tour with a professional.

A guide will take you to historic coffee houses, pastry shops, and even a fancy hotel in Vienna's city centre, help you navigate the Naschmarkt market and an open-air market in the bohemian district of Mariahilf. You'll be surprised how much you can do and see in just four hours!

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Pizzeria Mafiosi

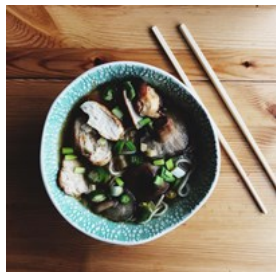


Pizzeria Mafiosi serves affordable, big, no-nonsense pizzas. It is the go-to place for local students and everyone who wants to enjoy a fresh, steaming hot slice of Italian goodness in a down-home atmosphere. Grab a table on the terrace when the weather is good.

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Address: Reindorfgasse 15, District 15, Vienna
Opening hours: Daily 11am-11:45pm
Phone: +43 1 892 72 28

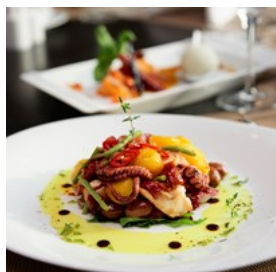
Mochi



An extremely popular venue serving fusion Japanese cuisine in an informal setting. Boasting an open-view kitchen and Robata grill, Mochi is the hippest East Asian restaurant in town, so make sure to reserve a table in advance.

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Address: Praterstraße 15, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Nestroyplatz or Schwedenplatz), U4 (Schwedenplatz)
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 11:30am-10pm, Sun closed
Phone: +43 1 9251380
Internet: www.mochi.at/en
Email: reservation@mochi.at

Fabios



The restaurant opened by local matador Fabio Giacobello in the Old City is top of the gastronomic class. The Mediterranean specialities offered here — in an atmosphere set by a stylish mahogany design — ensure that guests are thoroughly satisfied.

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Address: Tuchlauben 4-6, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 or U3 (Stephansplatz), U3 (Herrengasse)
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-1am, Sun closed
Phone: +43 1 532 22 22
Internet: www.fabios.at/en
Email: fabios@fabios.at

Motto



Motto has been a popular hot spot on the Viennese dining scene for years. In a smart yet cosy atmosphere, Motto serves seasonal dishes with a focus on regional ingredients, in a combination of Viennese, Asian and Mediterranean influences. They also have a stylish bar, and during the summer DJ nights are frequently held. It's advisable to book in advance.

Photo: Alex Eames Imagery/Shutterstock.com
Address: Schönbrunner Straße 30, District 5, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Pilgramgasse)
Opening hours: Tue-Thu 6pm-2am, Fri & Sat 6pm-4am, Sun & Mon closed
Phone: +43 1 587 06 72
Internet: motto.wien/en
Email: info@motto.at
More Info: Entrance at Rüdigergasse

Naschmarkt Deli



Naschmarkt Deli is the ideal spot for visitors to take a break from their walk through the Naschmarkt, with a quick bite, a cozy meal or just an espresso. The Deli is a popular spot on the Vienna scene, attracting a large crowd not only at lunchtime but also in the evening, with DJs playing from 18. Try their breakfast, the falafel or the lentil soup while enjoying the lively atmosphere of the market.

Photo: Natalia Van Doninck/Shutterstock.com
Address: Naschmarkt 421-436, District 4, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Karlsplatz), U4 (Karlsplatz or Kettenbrückengasse)
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 7am-midnight
Phone: +43 1 585 08 23
Internet: www.naschmarkt-deli.at

Email: info@naschmarkt-deli.at

Market Restaurant



This top-class Pan-Asian establishment offers a modern and innovative cuisine prepared with fresh ingredients from the nearby

Naschmarkt.

In the morning they serve an international breakfast or an alternative Asian version with influences from traditional Chinese medicine. Good cocktails and small snacks are available all day long, but the signature offer from Market Restaurant are the authentic South Asian menus.

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Address: Linke Wienzeile 36, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Kettenbrückengasse)

Opening hours: Sun-Thu 8am-midnight, Fri & Sat 8am-2am

Phone: +43 1 581 12 50

Internet: www.market-restaurant.at/en

Email: office@market-restaurant.at

Glacis Beisl



The Glacis 'Bistro' is tucked away off the beaten track in the Museums Quartier. Classics from Viennese cuisine and local wines are on the menu here. Enjoy your meal under the scenic trees in the traditional courtyard outside.

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Address: Breitegasse 4, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Opening hours: Daily noon-midnight (kitchen closes at 10:30pm)

Phone: +43 1 526 56 60

Internet: www.glacisbeisl.at/en

Email: mail@glacisbeisl.at

ShanghaiTan



Lanterns give the ShanghaiTan an atmosphere which is somewhat reminiscent of Chinese night markets.

Here visitors can feast on delicious satay skewers, dim-sum, Asian salads and, of course, noodles and soups. The mix of the local scene and dishes from China, Vietnam and Japan ensures that there are always plenty of visitors.

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Address: Gumpendorfer Straße 9, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Museumsquartier); U4, U2, U1 (Karlsplatz)

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 5pm-midnight (last order at 10:45pm), Sun closed

Phone: +43 1 585 49 88

Internet: www.shanghaiatan.at

Email: info@shanghaiatan.at

Labstelle



The focus here is on regional and local cuisine, with home-baked bread and locally-grown produce. Labstelle offers traditional dishes that are

prepared and served in a highly innovative and original manner. A cosy and modern venue with an appealing atmosphere, the restaurant also boasts a pleasant outdoor area.

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Address: Lugeck 6, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4 (Schwedenplatz), U1, U3 (Stephansplatz); Tram: 1, 2 (Schwedenplatz)

Phone: +43 1 236 21 22

Internet: www.labstelle.at

Email: office@labstelle.at

Tian



Tian is a vegetarian gourmet restaurant that shows how sophisticated and diverse meat-free dining can be. In this Michelin-starred eatery the food is cooked using unusual and healthy, locally-sourced ingredients. The natural theme is also reflected in the interior design of the restaurant.

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Address: Himmelfortgasse 23, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Stadtpark); Tram: 2 (Weihburggasse)

Opening hours: Tue-Fri 6pm-11pm; Sat noon-2pm / 6pm-11pm; Sun & Mon closed

Phone: +43 1 890 46 65

Internet: www.tian-restaurant.com/wien/en

Email: wien@taste-tian.com

Augustinerkeller Bitzinger



In the heart of Vienna, right beneath the Albertina, this former monastery cellar serves traditional Viennese cuisine, Austrian wines and draft beer along with traditional Viennese Heuriger music. Guests can enjoy the unique atmosphere of the well-preserved vaulted ceiling of the cellar.

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Address: Augustinerstraße 1, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz); Tram: 1, 2 (Oper - Opernring)

Opening hours: Daily noon-11pm

Phone: +43 1 533 10 26

Internet: www.bitzinger.wien/en/augustinerkeller

Email: info@bitzinger.at

Plachuttas Gasthaus zur Oper



Plachuttas Gasthaus zur Oper restaurant is the latest establishment of the Plachutta boiled beef ("Tafelspitz") dynasty, although the focus here is on Wiener Schnitzel. Inside the inn, 100-year-old wood paneling provides a cozy atmosphere, while a garden attracts guests in the summer.

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Address: Walfischgasse 5-7, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz); Tram: 1, 2 (Oper - Opernring)

Opening hours: Daily 11:30am-midnight (kitchen closes at 11pm)

Phone: +43 1 512 22 51

Internet: www.plachutta-oper.at/en

Email: oper@plachutta.at

More Info: Plachuttas has five locations in Vienna

Gasthaus Wolf



This 'beisl' is as typical as they come, with excellent Viennese cuisine and an attractive bar out front. In the dining area, old Resopal tables and green panelling create a cosy atmosphere.

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Address: Große Neugasse 20/Rienößlgasse 17, District 4, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram 62, 1 Mayerhofgasse. U1 to Taubstummengasse or U4 to Kettenbrückengasse

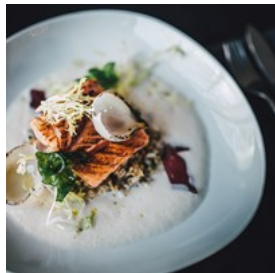
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 5pm-late (kitchen 6pm-10pm), Sat & Sun closed

Phone: +43 1 581 15 44

Internet: www.gasthauswolf.at

Email: office@gasthauswolf.at

Kussmaul



Located in the heart of Vienna's Spittelberg district, Kussmaul is the first restaurant owned and operated by chef Mario Bernatovic, who previously cooked at some of the finest addresses in Vienna. Serving modern cuisine prepared with prime-quality, organic ingredients, Kussmaul culinary offerings change as the day progresses: from patisserie and bistro to fine-dining restaurant and cocktail bar. The weekend brunch is very popular.

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Address: Bäckerstrae 5, District 1, Vienna

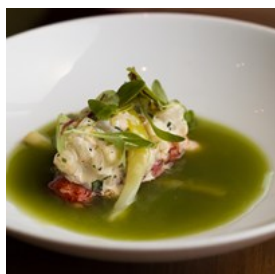
Public Transport: U3 Volkstheater

Phone: +43 1 958 10 04

Internet: www.kussmaul-vienna.com

Email: dinner@kussmaul-vienna.com

Restaurant Konstantin Filippou



A fine-dining restaurant with minimalist interiors and open-view kitchen. Awarded with two Michelin stars, Konstantin Filippou offers a creative cuisine and exceptional wine pairing, mixing Austrian and Mediterranean flavours.

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Address: Dominikanerbastei 17, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Subway: U1, U4 Schwedenplatz

Phone: +43 1 512 22 29

Internet: www.konstantinfilippou.com

Email: reservation@konstantinfilippou.com

Silberwirt



Silberwirt is an appreciated culinary institution of the city: a traditional Beisl offering Viennese cuisine made with organic and regional ingredients. Frequently filled with a mixed crowd that likes to linger in the tree-shaded courtyard from early spring onward. Try the local sheep's cheese, the potato salad or the Palatschinken pancakes.

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Address: Schlossgasse 21, District 5, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Pilgramgasse)

Opening hours: Daily noon-11pm (kitchen closes at 10:30pm)

Phone: +43 1 544 49 07

Internet: www.silberwirt.at

Email: info@schlossquadr.at

CAFES



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Since 2011, the traditional Viennese coffee house culture has been regarded as part of the intangible cultural heritage of UNESCO. Legend has it Vienna's café culture had its beginning back in 1683 when a sack of coffee beans was left behind by the retreating Ottomans.

In the late 19th and 20th centuries, coffee houses became the go-to places for intellectuals and creatives, including the likes of Sigmund

Freud, Gustav Klimt, James Joyce, and Leon Trotsky.

Traditional cafes entice visitors with a wide variety of coffee-based specialities, heavenly pastry creations, and a unique cosy and friendly: Austrian *gemütlichkeit*. If you are in the mood for something more modern, there are hundreds of third-wave coffee places in Vienna.

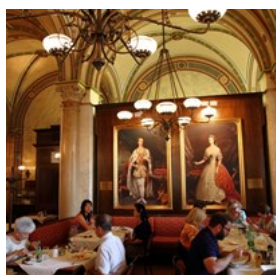
Coffee House Walking Tour



Get to know Viennese coffee house culture on this small-group tour. Not only will you be able to cover many of the best cafes in the shortest period of time, but will also get interesting background information about the traditions of coffee consumption in Vienna. Ask your guide to tailor the selection of cafes to your particular interests.

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Café Central



Boasting 130 years of history, Café Central has seen countless personas from the world of art, literature and politics sitting under its vaulted ceiling. Despite being extremely popular with tourists—there's often a queue, but it moves quickly—this is everything but a tourist trap. The magnificent architecture of this legendary coffeehouse is the setting of top-quality coffee specialities, traditional Viennese cuisine, and mouth-watering pastries from the in-house patisserie. Don't leave without trying the chocolate-truffle Altenbergtorte.

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Address: Herrengasse 14, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Herrengasse)

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 8am-9pm, Sun 10am-9pm

Phone: +43 1 5333763

Internet: www.cafecentral.wien/en/

Email: cafe.central@palaisevents.at

More Info: Located in Palais Events Veranstaltungen

Cafe Sacher



Taste the original Sachertorte, the thick chocolate cake filled with apricot jam, in its very birthplace. Enjoy the fancy decors of the salons

and experience a real Viennese coffee house atmosphere with a piece of the world-famous cake and a cup of coffee. The fantastic winter garden with a view of the Vienna State Opera turns into a terrace in summer.

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Address: Philharmonikerstraße 4, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 1, 2, 62, D (Oper)

Opening hours: Daily 8am-8pm

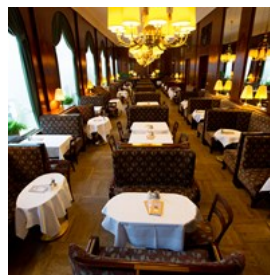
Phone: +43 1 514 561 053

Internet: www.sacher.com

Email: wien@sacher.com

More Info: Located in Hotel Sacher Wien

Cafe Landtmann



When Franz Landtmann opened this Viennese cafe in 1873 he was founding a coffee house institution. The quintessential Vienna period-style cafe, Café

Landtmann is located just opposite the Burgtheater and serves plenty of coffee specialities as well as cakes and pastries. This place has hosted Sigmund Freud, Marlene Dietrich, Romy Schneider and Paul McCartney,

among others.

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Address: Universitätsring 4, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram: 1, D (Rathausplatz/Burgtheater)

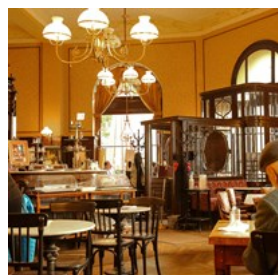
Opening hours: Daily 7:30am-11pm

Phone: +43 1 241 00 120

Internet: www.landtmann.at

Email: cafe@landtmann.at

Cafe Sperl



Founded in 1880 the Sperl is one of the most emblematic coffee houses in Vienna. The 19th century interiors, hardwood pool tables and

the wide selection of international newspapers provide the perfect fin-de-siècle atmosphere. Sip one of the 34 types of coffee and enjoy a slice of the signature Sperl cake, a delicious chocolate cream and almond treat.

After 3:30 in the afternoon on Sundays gentle piano music entertains guests.

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Address: Gumpendorfer Straße 11-13, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Museumsquartier); U4, U2, U1 (Karlsplatz)

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 7am-10pm, Sun 10am-8pm

Phone: +43 1 586 41 58

Internet: www.cafesperl.at/en_home.html

Email: melange@cafesperl.at

Cafe Hawelka



The long-standing reputation of this cafe as venue for artists and intellectuals dates back to the post-war period, when a great number of literary figures used to visit Hawelka regularly. The bohemian atmosphere of the thick layers of

posters on the walls, the telephone booth and the worn upholstered benches is unique and worth experiencing.

Try the Melange (white coffee) and the Buchteln: sweet rolls filled with jam, poppy seeds or curd.

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Address: Dorotheergasse 6, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4 (Stephansplatz)

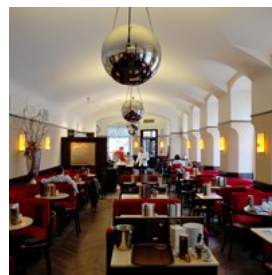
Opening hours: Mon-Thu 9am-midnight, Fri & Sat 9am-1am, Sun 10am-8pm

Phone: +43 1 512 82 30

Internet: www.hawelka.at

Email: office@hawelka.at

Cafe Museum



The Cafe Museum was a meeting point for the big names during the turn of the century (Gustav Klimt, Egon Schiele, Oskar Kokoschka and

Otto Wagner among others), having opened in 1899 nearby Naschmarkt and the Secession.

The original very modest creation by Adolf Loos, who subsequently became a regular, was replaced in 1931 by Josef Zotti. After closing and refurbishing works, the cafe was renovated in Zotti's style and reopened in 2010 with new interior decorations.

Try the three desert selection with Sacher, Mozart and Raspberry Quark mini cakes.

Photo: Vindobohann/WikimediaCommons(image cropped)

Address: Operngasse 7, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 1, 2 (Oper - Opernring)

Opening hours: Daily 8am-9pm

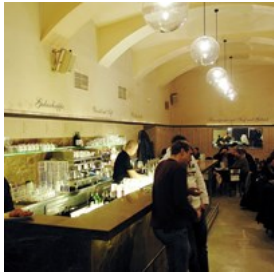
Phone: +43 1 241 00 620

Internet:

www.cafemuseum.at/en/cafe-museum/our-coffee-house.html

Email: museum@cafe-wien.at

Cafe Drechsler



Cafe Drechsler at the Naschmarkt is a perfect example of the combination of tradition and a modern stylish ambience. The venue,

which first opened its doors in 1919, was carefully renovated by renowned British architect Sir Terence Conran and since 2007 has presented itself to its guests as a 'traditional Viennese coffee house in a 21st century style'. DJs play here several times during the week instead of the more typical piano players. Try their gulash or the popular brunch.

Photo: [Loimo/Wikimedia Commons](#)(image cropped)

Address: Linke Wienzeile 22, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz), U2 (Museumsquartier)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-5pm, Sat & Sun 9am-5pm

Phone: +43 676 596 27 30

Internet: www.cafedrechsler.at

Email: office@cafedrechsler.at

Akrap Espresso Bar



The stylish Akrap Espresso Bar in Königsklostergasse has its coffee roasted in Milan, and customers can have the end product

served in a wide variety of choices, including a strong triple shot.

Photo: [Digital Genetics/Shutterstock.com](#)

Address: Königsklostergasse 7, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U4, U2 (Karlsplatz), U2 (Museumsquartier)

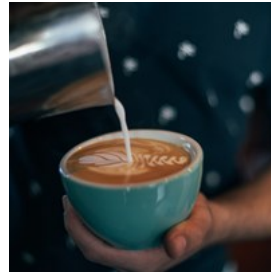
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9am-5:30pm, Sat 11am-6pm, Sun closed

Phone: +43 1 352 35 23

Internet: www.akrap.at

Email: office@akrap.at

People On Caffeine



People On Caffeine, or POC, is a tiny coffee shop located inside an old church. It doesn't just sell regular coffee: POC

focuses on artisan coffee

specialities, served with great homemade cakes in a stylish yet intimate atmosphere.

Photo: [De Repente/Shutterstock.com](#)

Address: Schöllergasse 21, District 8, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Schottentor or Rathaus),

Tram: 5, 43, 44 (Lange Gasse), 43, 44 (Landesgerichtsstraße)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-5pm

Demel K.u.K Hofzuckerbäcker



Among the luxury of the Old City, visitors can find a piece of old Vienna: founded in 1786, court confectioner and former imperial patisserie Demel

demonstrates the high art of confectionery with its sweet temptations and thrilling window displays.

On your way to the regal salons upstairs, spot the showroom bakery and workshop. A must-try is the Anna Demel torte, a delicious mix of cream, chocolate and nougat.

Photo: [a.canvas.of.light/Wikimedia Commons](#)(image cropped)

Address: Kohlmarkt 14, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz), U3 (Herrengasse)

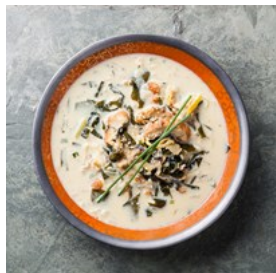
Opening hours: Daily 10am-7pm

Phone: +43 1 535 17 170

Internet: www.demel.at/en

Email: wien@demel.com

Cafe Leopold



In the center of Vienna's MuseumsQuartier, Cafe Leopold offers an urban attitude and an innovative mix of Asian and Viennese cuisine. A

multifaceted venue, offering breakfast deals and lunch to be enjoyed on the outdoor terrace, plus refreshing cocktails in the evening.

Photo: Lisovskaya Natalia/Shutterstock.com

Address: Leopold Museum, Museumsplatz 1, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Opening hours: Daily 9:30am-midnight

Phone: +43 1 522 23 91

Email: info@cafeleopold.wien

Phil Bar & Bookstore



Both a cafe and a store, Phil is one of the best breakfast places in Vienna, serving up healthy fare until 4 pm.

The store sells a selection of books, DVDs and vinyls which is constantly on rotation, this besides serving good quality food and fabulous hot drinks for fairly decent prices. The cosy retro furniture is just perfect for sitting back and viewing the lists of products for sale printed in menu format over an espresso and a bite to eat.

Photo: S O C I A L . C U T/unsplash.com

Address: Gumpendorfer Straße 10-12, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

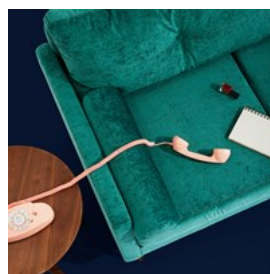
Opening hours: Mon 5pm-1am, Tue-Sun 9am-1am

Phone: +43 1 581 04 89

Internet: www.phil.info

Email: info@phil.info

Das Möbel Furniture Cafe



Both a cafe and a furniture shop, Das Möbel is a place whose wares serve two purposes: for guests to linger while sipping on a hot beverage

and for sale. A hip, laptop-friendly venue serving good coffee and fresh cakes, which turns into an hot spot to catch up and enjoy some cocktails in the evenings.

All the furniture on display is by young Austrian designers.

Photo: Inside Weather/unsplash.com

Address: Burggasse 10, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2, U3 (Volkstheater); Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Opening hours: Mon-Wed 9am-midnight, Thu & Fri 9am-1am, Sat 10am-1am, Sun 10am-11pm

Phone: +43 1 524 94 97

Internet: www.das-cafe.wien

Email: cafe@dasmobel.at

Cafe Europa



Cafe Europa is one of the most popular home-style venues in Vienna, thanks to its mixed clientele, living-room atmosphere and long opening hours.

From their basic breakfasts to late night snacks, you're sure to always find reasonably priced warm food.

You may want to give a try to the locals' favourite drink: Averna with ice and lemon.

Photo: Kichigin/Shutterstock.com

Address: Zollergasse 8, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Neubaugasse); Tram: 49 (Neubaugasse/Westbahnstraße)
Opening hours: Daily 9am-5pm (kitchen until 4pm)
Phone: +43 1 526 33 83
Internet: www.cafeeuropa.at/en
Email: party@europa-lager.at

Cafe Mozart



Cafe Mozart opened its doors in 1794, making it one of the oldest coffee houses in Vienna. Located right opposite the Albertina, it has been a gathering point for cultural figures for decades. With classical interiors and a covered terrace, Cafe Mozart offers traditional Viennese cakes and dishes. Their apple strudel is particularly popular.

Photo: Eakkapan Asavapanumas/Shutterstock.com
Address: Albertinaplatz 2, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);
Tram: 1, 2 (Oper - Opernring)
Opening hours: Daily 7:30am-midnight
Phone: +43 1 24 100 200
Internet: www.cafe-mozart.at
Email: mozart@cafe-wien.at
More Info: Located in Hotel Sacher Wien

Kaffeefabrik

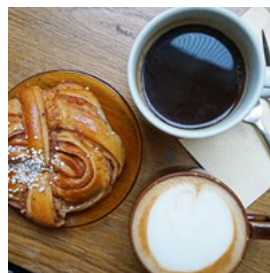


A speciality coffee roaster and shop where it really is all about the coffee. The beans are carefully selected and the coffee roasted individually and locally to assure the best quality for each cup. The venue is modern and laid-back and they also serve some sweet treats varying daily.

Photo: Jan Knop/Shutterstock.com
Address: Favoritenstraße 4-6, District 4, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1 (Taubstummengasse)
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-6pm, Sat 11am-5pm, Sun

closed
Phone: +43 660 178 90 92
Internet: www.kaffeefabrik.at
Email: info@kaffeefabrik.at

Balthasar



A hot tip for coffee aficionados, Balthasar in probably one of the best artisan coffee shops in Vienna. The coffee is sustainable and fair-trade, the venue stylish and relaxed and they also serve great home-baked apple strudel and Scandinavian pastries.

Photo: chettarin/Shutterstock.com
Address: Praterstraße 38, District 2, Vienna
Public Transport: U1, U2 Praterstern
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7:30-7pm, Sat 9am-5pm, Sun closed
Phone: +43 1 946 95 36
Internet: balthasar.at
Email: kaffee@balthasar.at

BARS & NIGHTLIFE



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A world-famous electronic scene, live music, relaxed cocktail bars and a top-notch cultural offer. A young scene of microbreweries, waterside bars along the Danube sides and retro bars populates the bohemian neighbourhoods and are the perfect places to spend a more relaxed evening. During the weekend, head towards one of the famous underground clubs.

Fluc & Fluc Wanne



Home of Vienna alternative nightlife culture, Club Fluc is located right next to Praterstern in a former pedestrian passage. The bar upstairs, without entrance fee and hosting regular lives of experimental and indie-electronic music, is perfect to start the evening with a few drinks or hang out on the terrace.

The club Fluc Wanne downstairs is home to electro and disco parties, often featuring international acts. There is a moderate admission fee for the club.

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Address: Praterstern 5, District 2, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2 (Praterstern)

Phone: +43 1 218 28 24

Internet: www.fluc.at

Email: booking@fluc.at

Flex



One of the most renowned clubs in the city, Flex has started the scene on the Danube Canal: the club has a punk past and hosts many

internationally-famous bands and DJs. Located in a former metro tunnel, the club is said to have one of the best sound systems in Europe and hosts today many events based on a wide variety of music genres.

Photo: Sven Gross-Selbeck/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)

Address: Augartenbrücke 1, District 1, Vienna

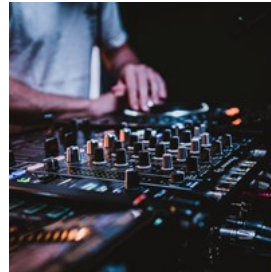
Public Transport: Underground: U2, U4 (Schottenring)

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 7pm-1am, Sun closed

Internet: www.flex.at

Email: office@flex.at

Volksgarten Club Disco



This disco in Vienna city centre is located in the middle of a beautiful garden. The Volksgarten Club Disco has a long history and has remained

a hot spot of Vienna's party culture for decades, despite the fast-paced nature of club culture.

This has also been one of the city's most attractive locations and central points for decades. The music is mainly house, disco and party hits.

Photo: Sam van Bussel/unsplash.com

Address: Burgring 1, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Museumsquartier); U2, U3 (Volkstheater); Tram: 1, 2, D (Burgring)

Opening hours: Thu-Sat 10pm-6am

Phone: +43 1 532 42 41

Internet: www.volksgarten.at/en

Email: office@volksgarten.at

The Loft



A casual and relaxed attitude, moderate prices and the diversity of its cultural offer make The Loft one of the most welcoming clubs in

Vienna.

On the ground floor there is a bar often hosting exhibitions and small concerts, perfect to sip some drinks to start the evening.

The two main floors, one upstairs and one downstairs, have different entrance fees and provide changing music genres: the first floor has a large bar with cozy seating areas, while the basement always gets the dance floor bubbling.

During weekdays many different events are held, including poetry slam, quiz, movies, freestyle battle and open mics nights.

Photo: oneinchpunch/Shutesrtcock.com

Address: Lerchenfelder Gürtel 37, District 16, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U6 (Thaliastraße); Tram: 5 (Kaiserstraße/Lerchenfelder Straße), 46 (Thaliastraße)

Phone: +43 1 947 76 19

Internet: www.theloft.at

Email: office@theloft.at

WUK



A sample of authentic Vienna daily life, social and cultural centre WUK combines 150 initiatives and groups. Located inside a former

locomotive factory, with brick walls covered in ivy, WUK is packed with entertainments and activities such as: concerts, exhibitions, workshops, dance and theatre, children's activities and club nights. During sunny days, enjoy the leafy cobbled courtyard of the popular WUK bistro.

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Address: Währinger Straße 59, District 9, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U6

(Währingerstraße/Volksoper); Tram: 5; 37, 38, 40, 41, 42 (Spitalgasse/Währingerstraße)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9am-8pm, Sat & Sun 3pm-8pm

Phone: +43 1 401 210

Internet: www.wuk.at/en

Email: info@wuk.at

Tanzcafe Jenseits



Tanzcafe Jenseits is a small, charming hangout with a retro vibe. The place is beloved by locals and usually get easily packed with a bohemian crowd dancing at Soul, Funk and retro-Pop tunes: almost nobody leaves this wild dance cafe before daybreak.

Beside a variety of unusual cocktails and wines, they also have a cigar menu.

The soft-lighted, red-velvet interiors sometimes host poetry readings and drama nights.

Photo: Leander Wattig/WikimediaCommons(image cropped)

Address: Nelkengasse 3, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Neubaugasse)

Opening hours: July & August: Wed-Sat 8pm-4am. Rest of the year: Tue-Sat 8pm-4am

Phone: +43 1 587 12 33

Internet: www.tanzcafe-jenseits.com

Email: jenseitstanzcafe@gmail.com

Red Room



A stylish club with a much-appreciated cocktail bar in the basement of the well-known restaurant Comida in Vienna's Ringstrasse. This bar has everything the heart desires: mirror features, lots and lots of red velvet, and a very long bar. The music on offer is high-quality soul, R&B and similar music from 1968 to the present day, and there is a selection of drinks and cocktails to satisfy every desire.

Photo: Maksym Fesenko/Shutterstock.com

Address: Stubenring 20, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Stubentor), U3, U4

(Landstraße Wien-Mitte); Tram: 2 (Stubentor - Parkring)
Phone: +43 1 5124024
Internet: www.comida.at/red-room-cocktailbar-club
More Info: Located at restaurant Comida

Austrian Wine Tasting



Join a group of wine enthusiasts and get a brief overview of Austria's long wine history, major wine regions, climate, and grape varieties — all this to better enjoy the sampling of delectable Austrian wines in an atmospheric cellar close to the city centre. You'll sample six varieties of wine masterfully paired with cold delicacies.

Photo: Caroline Attwood/unsplash.com
Address: Siebensterngasse 27, District 7, Vienna

Grelle Forelle



The ultimate venue for electronic music in Vienna, Grelle Forelle develops on two floors and focus on underground music of the highest quality, played by both local and international DJs. The music is mainly House, Techno and Minimal, but occasionally there are Hip Hop and concerts nights.

Highlights include the sound system designed especially for the club and the lighting concept by the Viennese visual artist collective Neon Golden.

Admission is from 21 years old and a strict no photo policy.

Photo: Gugerell/WikimediaCommons(image cropped)
Address: Spittelauer Lände, District 9, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4, U6 (Spittelau)
Opening hours: Check their event calendar, but usually Fri & Sat 11pm-6am
Internet: www.grelleforelle.com
Email: office@grelleforelle.com
More Info: It might be tricky to find. Use the detailed map in their website.

U4



A legendary Viennese club and probably the most famous one. Hardly any other club in the country can bathe in the glow of so many names of international repute like the U4: Prince, Sade, Grace Jones, Nirvana and Johnny Depp have all paid a visit.

In the meantime, the new generation of guests is provided with a party atmosphere on two floors as well as the necessary drinks. The theme changes every evening and brings bliss to suit every taste to the establishment on U-Bahn line 4: from classic funky disco, to official rock, to fitting reviews of the last decades.

Photo: Angel House Studio/Shutterstock.com
Address: Schönbrunner Straße 222, District 12, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Meidling Hauptstraße)
Opening hours: Tue-Sat 10pm-6am
Phone: +43 1 817 11 920
Internet: www.u-4.at
Email: office@u-4.at

Roxy Club



Roxy is one of the oldest clubs in Vienna and still keeps its nostalgic charm in the wooden and red interiors. Hosting changing DJs from Viennese electronica scene, today Roxy is the

meeting place for lovers of funky grooves, Soul and RnB. The entrance is hidden behind an unassuming blue door.

Photo: bbernard/Shutterstock.com

Address: Faulmannngasse 2, District 4, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 1, 62 (Resselgasse)

Phone: +43 681 203 07 088

Internet: www.roxyclub.org

Email: office@roxyclub.org

SASS Music Club



Barely any other club is in as central a location as the SASS. Its outstanding architecture and decor, with golden panelled walls and a hundred of crystal chandeliers hanging over the dance floor, make a unique setting for one of the best sound systems in town.

The cocktails are carefully mixed using fresh ingredients and international and local guests DJs play the best of electronic music during the weekend.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com

Address: Karlsplatz 1, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz);

Tram: 2, 62, D (Wien Oper/Kärtner Ring)

Opening hours: Thu & Fri 11pm-6am, Sat 11pm-5pm, Sun 6am-11am

Phone: +43 676 411 61 16

Internet: www.sassvienna.com

Email: g.imhof@sassvienna.com

Rhiz



Located in the arches of the former City Rail on the Vienna Gürtel, Rhiz has been playing electronic music for over 10 years. Concerts take

place here on a regular basis playing advanced electronic music and experimental rock.

In summer, the outdoor area is very popular.

Photo: Thitinun Lerdkijakul/Shutterstock.com

Address: Lerchenfelder Gürtel, Stadtbahnbögen 37-38, District 8, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U6 (Alser Straße); Tram: 43 (Alser Straße)

Opening hours: Daily from 8pm. DJs start at around 9pm

Phone: +43 1 409 25 05

Internet: rhiz.wien

Email: booking@rhiz.wien

DonauTechno



Donau is unique in Vienna and simply the place to be for Techno music lovers: guests can enjoy electronica from some of the capital's

hottest underground DJs seven days a week, with relatively cheap drinks and good cocktails.

The white-washed walls are illuminated by a stunning slide projection show that never fails to leave first-hand visitors amazed.

Despite this, finding the club from outside may be a little tricky: Donau is hidden behind a grey metal door in a side street between Mariahilferstraße and the MuseumsQuartier.

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Address: Karl Schweighofer Gasse 10/A, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Opening hours: Thu-Sat 8pm-5am

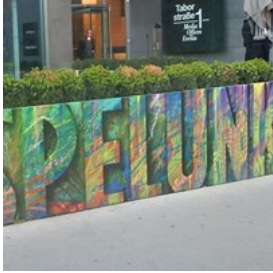
Phone: +43 1 523 81 05

Internet: www.donautechno.com

Email: donau@donautechno.com

More Info: After a few drinks, try the Würstelstand upstairs.

Spelunke



The stylish Spelunke bar on the Danube offers comfort food, a brunch menu on weekends and excellent cocktails. A great place for upscale

lunch. The walls resemble a gallery of street art, with all manner of quirky images making up the murals.

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Address: Taborstraße 1, District 2, Vienna

Opening hours: Mon-Thu noon-2am, Fri noon-4am, Sat 10am-4am, Sun 10am-midnight

Phone: +43 1 212 41 51

Internet: spelunke.at

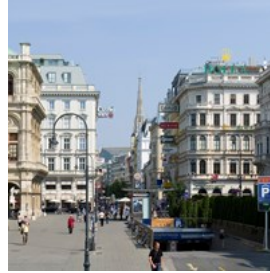
SHOPPING



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An original souvenir for friends at home or a pretty memento for yourself: shopping is an essential part of any stay in Vienna. From the many colourful markets and shops filled with countless mouth-watering Viennese specialties to design boutiques and luxury shopping experiences: whatever is your budget you'll find a sweet gift to bring back with you.

Kärntner Straße



The route along Kärntner Straße, running from the Vienna State Opera to Stephansplatz is the most popular shopping street in Vienna. This

high-street mainly hosts big international brands, but on its side streets some shops of local specialties can still be found.

Stop by at Steffl department store with its luxury designers and fabulous panoramic elevator.

Peek & Cloppenburg is another architectural highlight, while the Swarovski store offers a very special shopping experience.

Photo: Gugerell/Wikimedia Commons(image cropped)

Address: Kärntner Straße, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz), U1, U2, U4 (Karlsplatz)

Mariahilfer Straße



The longest shopping street in Vienna, Mariahilfer starts close to the Ringstrasse and goes up until Westbahnhof railway station. In

between, department stores, large branches of the European clothing chains, home decor stores and street cafes can be found. There are plenty of small boutiques in the side streets which offer some great, more traditional products.

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Address: Mariahilfer Straße, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3, U6 (Westbahnhof), U3 (Zieglergasse or Neubaugasse), U2 (Museumsquartier)

Opening hours: Most shops are open Mon-Fri 9am-6:30pm, Sat 9am-5pm, Sun closed

Internet: www.mariahilferstrasse.at

Naschmarkt



Vienna Naschmarkt, on the plateau above the Wien River, is an absolute must for any visitor to Vienna. Shoppers can find a huge selection of fresh fruit and vegetables, fish, meat, spices and exotic specialties from many countries, such as Italy, Greece and Turkey in the 123 fixed stands along a 1.5 km walk. Stop by for some of the best kebab and felafel wraps to be found in town.

Photo: Johannes Rigg/Shutterstock.com

Address: Wienzeile, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Kettenbrückengasse)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 6am-7:30pm, Sat 6am-5pm, Sun closed

Internet: www.naschmarkt-vienna.com

Altmann & Kühne



Around 50 types of the finest pralines have been on offer here since 1928, making ideal souvenirs for any visitor to Vienna. The Viennese confectioner's handmade specialty is known as Liliput confectionery and it is still made according to an original recipe.

Photo: Markus Mainka/Shutterstock.com

Address: Graben 30, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9am-6:30pm, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun closed

Phone: +43 1 533 09 27

Internet: www.altmann-kuehne.at

Email: info@altmann-kuehne.at

Kohlmarkt & Goldenes Quartier



The luxury shopping area Kohlmarkt offers flagship stores for major brands. Having once housed the Royal Court's appointed jewellers, Kohlmarkt still sticks to the legacy with shimmering windows by famous brands and traditional Viennese jewellers.

The neighbouring Goldenes Quartier is a modern shopping area located at the core of Vienna Old Town and packed with stores of international luxury brands, including Louis Vuitton, Armani, Prada and Miu Miu.

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Address: Tuchlauben, Tuchlaubenhof, Bognergasse & Seitzergasse Am Hof, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz)

Phone: +43 1 532 98 48

Internet: <https://goldenesquartier.com/en/>

Email: office@goldenesquartier.com

Flea Market at Naschmarkt



There is a flea market taking place every Saturday between 6:30 am and 2 pm at Vienna's Naschmarkt. This is the largest market of this type in Vienna and one of the best in Europe; framed by the stunning Art Nouveau buildings surrounding the square one can expect to browse for hours among the stalls selling everything from valuable antiques, furniture and china to second-hand clothing, books and records.

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Address: Kettenbrückengasse, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U4 (Kettenbrückengasse)

Opening hours: Sat 6:30am–2pm

Internet:

www.wien.gv.at/freizeit/einkaufen/maerkte/flohmarkt

Augarten Porcelain Flagship Store



Founded in 1718, the Vienna Porcelain Manufactory is the second oldest in Europe. Now, as then, porcelain is made and painted by hand. This makes each piece unique. You can buy one of the artworks that are on display or ask for luxury, personalised porcelain items.

The Porcelain Museum is located in a wing of Schloss Augarten, amidst the former imperial gardens. Permanent and temporary exhibitions walk visitors through the history of porcelain making in Vienna since 1718.

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Address: Spiegelgasse 3, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Tram: 31; Bus: 5A (Obere Augartenstraße) or Underground; U2; Tram: 2; Bus: 80A (Taborstraße)

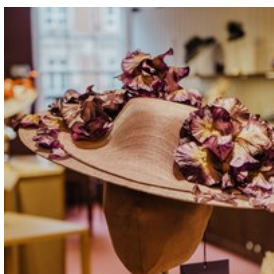
Opening hours: Mon–Sat 10am–5pm, Sun closed

Phone: +43 1 512 14 94

Internet: www.augarten.com/en

Email: wien1@augarten.at

Mühlbauer Hat Manufacturer



Mühlbauer is a world-famous family run factory creating prime-quality design hats since 1903. All pieces are unique and hand made:

new collections come out every season and they ship customised hats worldwide. Their trendy headgear includes gems such as feather pillbox hats made of satin and extraordinary palm fibre creations.

Photo: SvitlanaR/Shutterstock.com

Address: Seilergasse 10, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz)

Opening hours: Mon–Fri 10am–6:30pm, Sat 10am–6pm, Sun closed

Phone: +43 1 512 22 41

Internet: www.muehlbauer.at

Email: hut@muehlbauer.at

Karmelitermarkt



Karmelitermarkt is one of the oldest markets in Vienna. Located in a picturesque square, it's smaller and less crowded than popular Naschmarkt

but it has at least as much to offer. Just a short distance from the Old Town, the area has recently filled with young and buzzing bistros and artists shops.

On Friday and Saturday, local farmers sell fresh fruit and vegetables, home baked bread and genuine Viennese gastronomy's products.

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Address: Krummbaumgasse / Leopoldsgasse / Haidgasse, District 2, Vienna

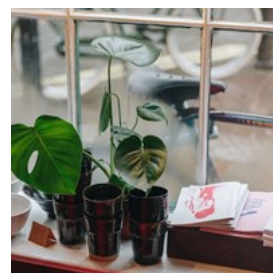
Public Transport: Bus: 5 (Karmelitermarkt)

Opening hours: Stalls: Mon–Fri 6am–9pm, Sat 6am–6pm.

Restaurants & bars: Mon–Sat 6am–11pm, Sun 9am–7pm

Internet: www.wien.gv.at/freizeit/einkaufen/maerkte/lebensmittel/karmelitermarkt.html

Hamtil & Söhne



If you're looking for the best souvenir to buy in Vienna, Hamtil & Söhne should be your first choice. The focus is on high-quality design, original gift and authentically Viennese products.

Photo: Luke Porter/unsplash.com/photos

Address: Wollzeile 9, District 1, Vienna
Phone: +43 676 425 03 30
Internet: www.hamtil.at

Zur Schwäbischen Jungfrau



The store Zur Schwäbischen Jungfrau has been Vienna's number one source for sophisticated textile and quality fabrics. This is Europe's oldest clothing shop and almost every item sold in the three-floor store can be customised at the moment. One of their hand-embroidered centrepiece makes for a unique souvenir.

Photo: Gryffindor/WikimediaCommons.com(image cropped)
Address: Graben 26, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz)
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 10am-6pm, Sun closed
Phone: +43 1 535 53 56
Internet: zsj.at
Email: office@zsj.at

Ringstrassen-Galerien



Integrating old and contemporary architecture, Ringstrassen-Galerien is a shopping centre with 60 shops, 6 restaurants and a large supermarket located just in Vienna city center.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com
Address: Kärntner Ring 5-13, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U3 (Stephansplatz)
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-7pm, Sat 10am-6pm
Phone: +43 1 512 51 81
Internet: www.ringstrassen-galerien.at
Email: office@ringstrassen-galerien.at

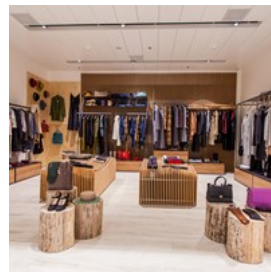
Gerstner K.u.K. Hofzuckerbäcker



A former Imperial patisserie and confectionery, Gerstner has a stunning shop at the ground floor of Palais Todesco selling the best of Viennese pastry-making tradition. Here you will find the finest handmade delicacies, such as cakes, truffles, cupcakes, petit fours and pralines.

Photo: MagentaGreen/WikimediaCommons(image cropped)
Address: Kärntner Straße 51, Palais Todesco, District 1, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U1, U2, U4 Karlsplatz; Tram: 2, 62, 71, D, Wien Oper (Kärntner Ring)
Opening hours: Daily 10am-10pm
Phone: +43 1 526 13 61
Internet: www.gerstner-konditorei.at
Email: konditorei@gerstner.at

Lindengasse



A narrow side street close to the major street Mariahilfer Straße and just at the core of the creative district of Neubau, Lindengasse has evolved into a centre for emerging fashion designers, with a large number of small boutiques lined along the street selling independent fashion, rare sneakers, creative children clothing and streetwear.

Photo: Maxim Kamynin/Shutterstock.com
Address: Lindengasse, Vienna
Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Neubaugasse)

Blühendes Konfekt



The "blossoming confections" by artist-chocolatier Michael Diewald are unique. In his workshop in the 6th district, he crafts

beautiful chocolate treats decorated with wild fruit, herbs and dried flowers. Chocolate and marzipan are organically sourced, while the berries and aromas come directly from the Viennese Woods.

In the shop customers will find a selection of season treats changing throughout the year. On Thursday drop by the confectionery workshop to watch the team at work and sample the produce.

Photo: Shebeko/Shutterstock.com

Address: Schmalzhofgasse 19, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3 (Zieglergasse), Tram: 5 (Kaiserstraße/Mariahilfer Straße)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-6:30pm, Sat & Sun by appointment

Phone: +43 660 341 19 85

Internet: www.bluehendes-konfekt.com

Email: aroma@bluehendes-konfekt.com

MQ Point



The MQ Point is more than a museum shop: you'll find unusual gifts, a selection of unique design and local fashion to bring back home with you.

Cups, bags, buttons and T-shirts with humorous prints are some of the changing items on sale.

Photo: Manfred Werner - Tsui/WikimediaCommons(image cropped)

Address: Museumsplatz 1, District 7, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Volkstheater or Museumsquartier), U3 (Volkstheater), Tram: 49 (Volkstheater)

Opening hours: Daily 10am-7pm

Phone: +43 1 523 588 11 731

Internet: www.mqw.at/en/infoticketsshop/mq-point

Email: mqpoint@mqw.at

Brunnenmarkt & Yppenplatz



Yppenplatz has turned into one of Vienna's most hip and eclectic districts. The area is home to many artists shops and independent boutiques,

some of the city most appreciated eateries and to lively and cosmopolitan markets. With its 170 market stall, Brunnemarkt is one of the biggest permanent markets in Europe: local farmers and artisans gather here to sell their products beside stalls with Turkish and Balkan specialties. Stop by at Staud's delicatessen shop, famous for its exquisite jams and pickled vegetables.

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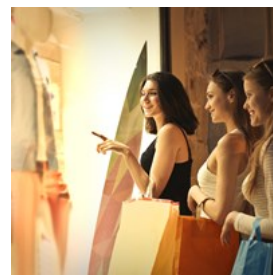
Address: Yppenplatz, Brunnengasse, District 6, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U6 (Josefstätter Straße)

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 6am-9pm, Sat 6am-5pm, Sun closed

Internet: www.wien.info/en/shopping-wining-dining/markets/yppenplatz-restaurants-366538

Gumpendorfer Straße



The area around Gumpendorfer Straße, between Naschmarkt and Mariahilfer Straße, offers plenty of galleries, interior design shops,

cosy cafes and independent fashion boutiques. A lively and creative atmosphere permeate Gumpendorfer Straße and dining opportunities abound here, making it a popular place to head to in the evening.

Photo: Ollyy/Shutterstock.com

Address: Gumpendorfer Straße, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U2 (Museumsquartier), U3 (Neubaugasse)

Internet: www.wien.info/en/shopping-wining-dining/markets/restaurants-bars-gumpendorferstrasse-356584

Zuckerwerkstatt



The Zuckerwerkstatt candy shop, located just in the heart of Vienna, produces handmade candies following century-old recipes and traditional techniques. The making of this sugary artworks can be attended everyday at the open-view kitchen or learnt during one of the workshops.

Popular with both locals and tourists are the traditional Austrian silk candies: pillow-shaped and filled with chocolate, or the colourful rock candies, decorated with motifs, images and writings.

Photo: Elena Schweitzer/Shutterstock.com

Address: Herrengasse 6, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3, Herrengasse

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 10am-6pm

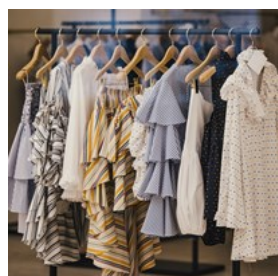
Phone: +43 1 890 90 56 12

Internet: www.zuckerwerkstatt.at

Email: info@zuckerwerkstatt.at

More Info: Check out the second location at Führichgasse 3

Lena Hoschek



The world-famous Austrian fashion designer Lena Hoschek has created her very own style that can be found for sell at the her flagship store in Spittelberg.

Inspired by the 1950s, with classic cuts and pin-up silhouette, Hoschek's original

interpretation of vintage outfits as gained the attention of many international celebrities, who has prized the feminine cuts with a modern twist of her design.

At her studio boutique you'll also find her popular version of the traditional Austrian dirndl.

Photo: Creative Lab/Shutterstock.com

Address: Goldschmiedgasse 7a, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3, Volkstheater; Tram: 49, Siebensterngasse/Stiftgasse

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-7pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun closed

Phone: +43 503 09 200

Internet: www.lenahoschek.com

Vienna Silver Factory



Right in the city centre, a boutique belonging to Vienna Silver Factory, which has over 100 years of tradition attracts visitors with numerous silver products from both classics of the Viennese silversmith art and modern design.

The meticulously craft silverware are part of the city's cultural history and visiting the boutique, even if you're not planning to buy anything, is an experience itself. Check out the stunning Art Deco pieces on display here.

Photo: OksanaSheliag/Shutterstock.com

Address: Spiegelgasse 14, District 1, Vienna

Public Transport: Underground: U3, U1, Stephansplatz

Phone: +43 1 513 05 00

Internet: www.wienersilbermanufactur.com

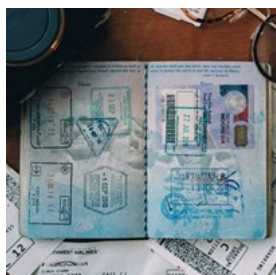
Email: shop@wienersilbermanufactur.com

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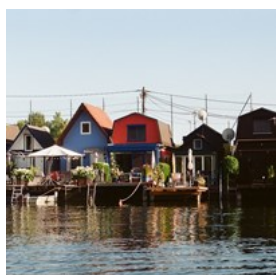
Passport/Visa



Austria can be visited visa-free for up to 90 days by citizens of most European countries, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, South Korea, Taiwan, Malaysia, Israel, UAE and most countries in America. If you are unsure whether or not you need to apply for a visa, we recommend contacting the embassy or consulate in your country. International (non-Schengen) travelers need a passport that is valid for at least 3 months after the end of their intended trip in order to enter the Schengen zone. Citizens of Schengen countries can travel without a passport, but must have a valid ID with them during their stay.

Photo: ConvertKit/unsplash

Best Time to Visit



The best time to visit Vienna is around April-May in the spring and September to mid-October in the autumn. The weather is

mild and the low-peak tourist season means that visitors can expect lower prices on average.

The warmer summer months are very popular with tourists but expect prices to be higher.

Many travellers will make their way to Vienna in the winter to visit Christmas markets, wander the streets and spend time with loved ones in the famous Viennese cafes.

Photo: Matias Tapia/unsplash

Vienna International Airport (VIE)



Vienna's International Airport is at Schwechat, 20 km from the centre of Vienna. There are different options to reach the city:

- The city airport train, CAT, takes 16 minutes to the centre and departures from the airport every half an hour.
- The journey with the busses of Vienna AirportLines links the airport with the main transport hubs in the city. It takes 20 minutes to the centre and departures are every half an hour.
- The fast train (S-Bahn) is the cheapest option and takes 25 minutes to the centre. Trains leave every 30 minutes, with additional services at peak-time.
- The taxi stand is located just outside of the arrival building. For information about the different taxi companies ask at the City Transfer counter in the arrival hall.

Photo: CHUTTERSNAPE/unsplash

Address: Flughafen Wien-Schwechat, Schwechat

Phone: +43 1 70070

Internet: www.viennaairport.com/en/passengers

Public Transport



anywhere in and around Vienna very easy.

The public transport company Wiener Linien provides a broad network of tram, underground (U-Bahn) and bus lines, which make getting

There are single, 24- and 48-hour tickets, beside passes for longer periods. The same ticket is valid everywhere and can be bought at tobacconists (Vienna's 850 Tabaktrafik), at the vending machines available in any underground station, via the online shop or ticket app of Wiener Linien or at one of their ticket office.

Tickets must be validated before boarding. To validate your ticket stamp the ticket at the blue machines located at the entrance of underground stations as well as on buses and trams.

Photo: Nguyen Minh/unsplash

Phone: +43 1 79090

Internet: www.wien.gv.at/english/transportation-urbanplanning/public-transport

Email: post@wienerlinien.at

Taxi



are:

Taxis are easy to find at the taxi stands and train stations and are relatively cheap compared to other European destinations. Some reliable companies

Taxi 401 00

+43 1 401 00

www.taxi40100.at

Taxi 313 00

+43 1 313 00

www.taxi31300.at/en

You can download and use the Mytaxi app to get a taxi without having to make a phone call.

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Post



long opening hours.

There are many branches of the Austria's Postal Service in Vienna, as well as many of the bright-yellow postboxes. Post offices tend to have

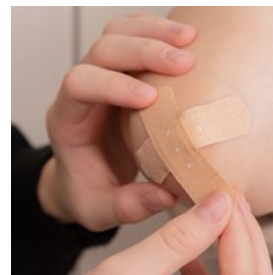
Photo: Aneta Pawlik/unsplash

Address: Central Post Office: Fleischmarkt 19, District 1, Vienna

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-10pm, Sat & Sun 9am-10pm

Internet: www.post.at/en

Pharmacy



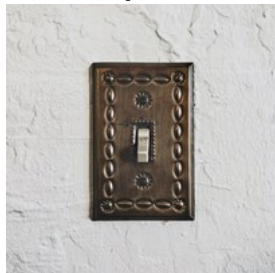
Pharmacies in Vienna usually have same opening hours as most shops. However, there are always 24/7 pharmacies operating at night and weekends located throughout the city: a list of the nearest ones is posted outside of each pharmacy.

Photo: Diana Polekhina/unsplash

Phone: 1455

Internet: www.nachtapotheke.wien

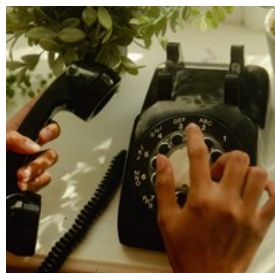
Electricity



The standard voltage is 230 V and the standard frequency is 50 Hz. Power plugs and sockets are of type F common in Continental Europe.

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Telephone



Country code: +43 Area code: 01

Photo: Wesley Hilario/unsplash

Population

1,9 million (2021)

Currency

Euro, €1 = 100 cents

Opening hours

Shops are usually open Mon–Fri 9am–6:30pm, Sat until 5pm or 6pm; some shopping centres are open Mon–Fri until 8pm or 9pm.

Internet

www.wien.info/en

Newspapers

In English:

The Local – www.thelocal.at

In German:

Kurier – kurier.at

Der Standard – www.derstandard.at

Die Presse – diepresse.com

Wiener Zeitung – www.wienerzeitung.at

Emergency numbers

144 (Emergency services and ambulance)

122 (Fire brigade)

133 (Police)

141 (Medical doctors on duty)

Tourist information

Tourist-Info Wien

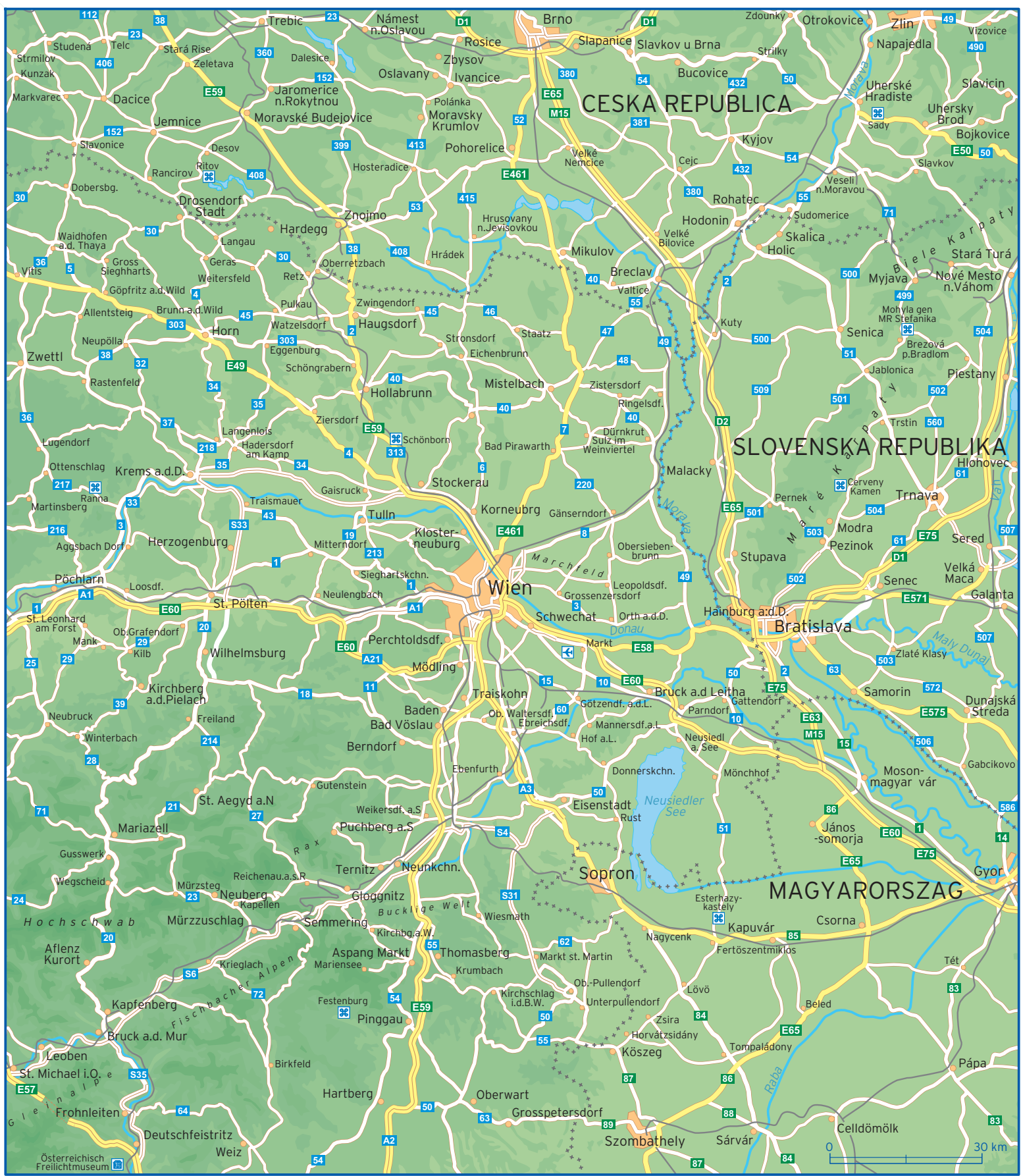
Albertinaplatz/Maysedergasse

+43 1 24 555

info@wien.info

Open daily 10am–4pm

You will also find Tourist Information at the Vienna Airport and Vienna Main Station



Albertinaplatz	B3	Herrengasse	B2	Rathausplatz	A2
Am Heumarkt	D3 D4	Himmelfortgasse	C3	Rathausstrasse	A2
Annagasse	C3	Hintere Zollamsstrasse	D2 D3	Rechte Bahngasse	D4
Auersstrasse	A3	Hohenstaufengasse	B2	Rechte Wienzeile	A4 B4
Augustinerstrasse	B3	Hohermarkt	C2	Reinergasse	C3
Babenbgrstrasse	A4 B3	Hollandstrasse	C1 C2	Reisner Strasse	D4
Bankgasse	B2	Hörlgasse	A1 B1	Rembrantstrasse	B1 C1
Bellariastrasse	A3	Im Werd	C1	Renngasse	B2
Berggasse	A1 B1	Invalidenstrasse	D3	Rennweg	C4
Blumuergasse	D1	Jauresgasse	D4	Rosserlände	B1
Brandstätte	B2 C3	Johannesgasse	C3 C4	Rotensterngasse	D1
Burggasse	A3	Josefsplatz	B3	Rotenturmstrasse	C2
Burgring	A3	Karls-gasse	B4	Salesianergasse	D4
Bäckerstrasse	C2 C3	Kline Pfarrgasse	C1 D1	Salvatorgasse	B2 C2
Börsegasse	B2	Kohlmarkt	B3	Salzgries	B2 C2
Bösendorferstrasse	B4 C4	Kärntner strasse	B3 C3	Salztorgasse	C2
Castellezgasse	D1	Kärntnerring	B4 C4	Schellinggasse	C3
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Dorotheergasse	B3	Landesgerichtsstrasse	A2	Schmelzgasse	D1 D2
Dr K Luegerring	A2	Lehargasse	B4	Schottenring	A2 B2
Dr K Rennerring	A2 A3	Leopoldsgasse	C1	Schubertgasse	C3 C4
Elisabethstrasse	B4	Liebiggasse	A2	Schulerstrasse	C3
Esslinggasse	B1 B2	Liechtensteinstrasse	A1	Schweidhofergasse	A3 A4
Fahngasse	B2	Lilienbrunn-gasse	C2	Schwindgasse	C4
Felderstrasse	A2	Linke Bahngasse	D4	Seilergasse	B3 C3
Ferdinandstrasse	D2	Linke Wienzeile	A4 B4	Seilerstätte	C3
Fichtegasse	C4	Lothringerstrasse	B4 C4	Seitzgasse	B2
Fleischmarkt	C2	Löwelstrasse	A2 B3	Singerstrasse	C3
Fr Hochedlingergasse	C1	Mahlerstrasse	B3 C4	Speigelgasse	B3
Franz Josefs Kai	C1 C2 D2	Maizgasse	C1	Stadiongasse	A3
Freyung	B2	Maria Theresienstrasse	B1 B2	Stadtgutgasse	D1
Färbergasse	B2	Maria-Therisen-Platz	A3	Strohgasse	D4
Garnisongasse	A1	Mariahilferstrasse	A4	Stubenbastei	C3
Getreidemarkt	A4 B4	Mark Aurelstrasse	C2	Stubenring	D3
Glockengasse	D1	Marokkaner gasse	C4 D4	Taborstrasse	D1 D2
Goethegasse	B3	Michaelerplatz	B3	Teinfaltstrasse	A2 B2
Gottfrid Kellergasse	D4	Musstrasse	A3	Tuchlauben	B2 C2
Grillparzerstrasse	A2	Mölker Bastei	A2 B2	Turkenstrasse	A1 B1
Grosse Mohrengasse	D2	Neuer Markt	B3	Ungargasse	D3 D4
Grosse Pfarrgasse	C1 D1	Neulinggasse	D4	Universitätsstrasse	A2
Grosse Sperlgrasse	C1	Nibelungengasse	B4	Unt Augartenstrasse	C1
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Gumpendorfer Strasse	A4	Obere Augartenstrasse	C1 D1	Uraniastrasse	D2
Gusshausstrasse	B4 C4	Obere Donaustrasse	C1 C2	Volksgarten Strasse	A3
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Hegelgasse	C3 C4	Opernring	B3	Walfischgasse	B3 C3
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Heinrichsgrasse	B2 C2	Porzellangasse	A1 B1	Weihburggasse	C3
Heldenplatz	B3	Praterstrasse	D2	Weintraubengasse	D1 D2

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Windmühlgasse	A4				