

highlight your future Study in Austria

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Austria – Facts and Figures

Official Name: Republic of Austria (Republik Österreich)

Size: 84,000 sq meters

Population: 8.93 million (2021 est.)

Capital City: Vienna (Wien)

Monetary Unit: Euro (since 2002)

Economy/Industries: Austria is one of the **10** wealthiest countries in the world, measured by GDP per capita.

Climate: Temperate; cool, cloudy, wet winters (snow in Alpine areas); mild_ summers with occasional heat waves. Cooler in Alpine areas







Match up with the Best!



As an educational destination, Austria offers you

- → accredited, internationally oriented universities, colleges and educational institutions
- ightarrow various programmes taught in English
- ightarrow practice-oriented programmes as well as international research networks



- ightarrow excellence in teaching & research
- \checkmark \rightarrow social peace & a unique quality of life
 - ightarrow rich culture & intercultural openness
 - → generous hospitality and an overwhelming landscape



Number of students in Austria 2021/22



International Students in Austria 2021/22 = 0000



Study & Research in Austria



Slovakia

Higher Education Institutions

- ightarrow 22 Public Universities
 - \rightarrow 10 comprehensive or specialised universities

Vorariber

Tyrol

- \rightarrow 6 Universities of the Arts
- \rightarrow 3 Medical Universities
- → 3 Technical Universities
- ightarrow 16 Private Universities
- ightarrow 21 Universities of Applied Sciences
- ightarrow 14 University Colleges of Teacher Education



Lower Austria

GRAZ

Slovenia

ST. POLTEN VIENNA

LINZ

Lonethiptuth

KLAGENFURT

Upper Austria

Salzburg

Carinthia

Eastern

German

INNSBRUCK

Universities



- → Public Comprehensive (general) Universities
- → Public Specialised Universities

(University of Economics, Univ. for Veterinary Sciences, Univ. for Mining Leoben, Technical Universities)

- → Public Medical Universities (Vienna, Graz, Innsbruck, Linz*)
- → Public Universities of the Arts
- → **Private Universities** (fully accredited by law; the curricula of the Austrian private universities as well as the academic degrees awarded by them differ from university to university)

Free access to the majority of the university studies (some courses have limited access/entrance exams)

University entrance qualification has to be proved (secondary school leaving certificate or professional qualification examination)

* Faculty of Medicine



Universities

- → Three-tier system widely in use (bachelor, master and PhD programmes according to the Bologna Process)
- → Language of instruction is German but many courses offered also in other languages see <u>www.studienwahl.at/en</u>
- ightarrow Two semesters per year
 - bachelor programmes: at least 180 ECTS credits
 - Master programmes: at least 120 ECTS credits
 - PhD: at least three years
- Tuition fee regulation for degree programme students depends on the citizenship of the student
- → Degree programme students from third countries who possess a residence permit for students pay 726.72 Euros per semester

Universities – Admission



- \rightarrow Free access to the majority of the university studies.
- → The university may limit admissions in some study programmes (either entrance examination or selection procedure until two semesters after admission).
- → Important: Please enquire in time directly at the university of your choice

Universities of the Arts



- → Six Universities of the Arts and Music (e.g. Mozarteum in Salzburg)
- \rightarrow Compulsory entrance examination
- → Mostly three-tier system (bachelor, master and PhD programmes according to the "Bologna" structure)



Universities of Applied Sciences (Fachhochschulen)



- \rightarrow More profession-oriented education
- \rightarrow Offer full-time and extra occupational studies
- \rightarrow Compulsory entrance examination
- \rightarrow Some charge tuition fees (more details at the respective institution)
- → Bachelor & Master degree studies; currently no PhD
- → Graduates of UAS master's programmes may enrol in PhD (doctoral) programmes at universities



Teacher Training in Austria



Teacher training for primary school teachers

- \rightarrow At university colleges of teacher education
- ightarrow 240 ECTS credits for BEd, 60 ECTS credits for MEd

Teacher training for secondary school teachers – schools of general education and schools of vocational education

- → At university colleges of teacher education and at universities, cooperation between the colleges and universities organised in four teacher training networks
- \rightarrow 240 ECTS credits for BEd, 60-120 ECTS credits for MEd
- \rightarrow One-year induction phase (in-service introduction)

All degrees are internationally recognised.



www.studienwahl.at/en

Study in Austria. Find your Programme

Find your study programme in Austria

This database allows you to search for study options in Austria

- \rightarrow By programme /subjects
- \rightarrow By location
- \rightarrow By final degree
- \rightarrow By type of university (university or university of applied sciences)

International Study Programmes in Austria

→Choose from various programmes taught in English



Grants / Scholarships



- → Various grants and scholarships available according to our grants database
- → <u>www.grants.at</u> provides information about these programmes in German and English language





www.grants.at





O Search by name

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	entries		country of origin
Search by category			
Country of origin:	Select a country of origin		~ <
Target country:	Select a target country		~
Type of grant:	□ Grants for whole degree programmes in the target country	□ Subsidies, allowances	
	Semester and/or one-year grants	Awards, prizes	
	Grants for summer courses	Research grants	
	Practical trainings	Research allowances	
Target group:	Undergraduates	PhD holders, post docs	
	Graduates	Researchers	
	Postgraduates	Scientific institutions / companies	
	PhD students		

Ernst Mach Grant – worldwide



Target group Country of origin	Postgraduates PhD students PhD holders, post docs All except Austria
Field of study	Natural Sciences Technical Sciences Human Medicine, Health Sciences Agricultural Sciences Social Sciences Humanities Arts
Duration	1 to 9 months
Grant amount	Graduates: 1,250 EUR/month Postdocs: 1,250 EUR/month
Deadline More details Application	February 1 <u>https://grants.at/en/?=MzQ0MTNfMzYyNzlfMg==</u> online at www.scholarships.at

Ernst Mach Grant for studying at an Austrian University of Applied Sciences



Target group	Undergraduates, Graduates Non-European countries + Ukraine
Field of study	Natural sciences Technical sciences Human medicine, health sciences Agricultural sciences Social sciences
Duration	4 to 10 months
Grant amount	1,250 EUR/month
Deadline More details	February 1 https://grants.at/en/?=MzMzMTdfMzUxMTlfMw==

Application online at www.scholarships.at



ASEA-UNINET



ASEAN European Academic University Network

- Founded in 1994 by universities from Austria, Indonesia, Thailand and Vietnam, is a network of currently 90 universities from 15 different countries.
- ASEA-UNINET is organised so that each member university has a coordinator (university coordinator), and each member country has a national coordinator as well, in addition there is a chairperson and a team of executives.
- Regular meetings on level of university and national coordinators, meeting of all coordinators (Plenary Meeting) every 18 months
- <u>https://asea-uninet.org/</u>

ASEA-UNINET



Mission of ASEA-UNINET

- to encourage and facilitate relationships between universities, governmental and nongovernmental organisations and economic operators engaged in projects related to education, science, technology, innovation and art in the countries of the member universities,
- to enable and support cooperation between academic institutions in staff/student exchange, teaching and research activities,
- to contribute research relevant to the world's problems, specifically to the target areas set out in the sustainable development goals and implementing SDG's slogan of "no one should be left behind",
- to promote scientific, cultural and human relationships and personal contacts and
- to increase intercultural exchange and understanding

Ernst Mach Grant – ASEA-UNINET



Target group	Undergraduates, Graduates, Postgraduates, Postdocs	ASEAN-European Academic University Network
Countries	Indonesia; Malaysia; Philippines; Thailand; Vietnam	
Field of study	All	
Duration	Music Practice (instrumental and vocal performance, composition conducting): 9 months Full PhD: 36 months Postdoc: 3 to 9 months	ו, and
Grant amount	 Monthly Grant Rate Scholarship: EUR 1,250 Mobility Subsidy: EUR 300 (for PhD research stays) Travel Costs Subsidy: max. EUR 1,000 	
Deadline More details	March 1 <u>http://www.oead.at/ernstmach-aseauninet</u>	
Application	online at www.scholarships.at	

ASEA-UNINET- Cooperation Projects



Target group	Researchers and PhD students from Austrian and ASEAN <u>ASEA-UNINET Member Universities - ASEA-UNINET</u>	ASEAN-European Academic University Network
Countries	Austria	
	Cambodia, Indonesia, Iran*, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Pakistan, Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam * no funding at the moment	
Field of study	Science and Technology Economic and Social Sciences Health, Pharmacy and Medicine Humanities, Culture and Music	
Project duration	Implementation period: one academic year; duration/mobility: S days up to 3 months (often 1 month)	everal
Financial support	travel and/or living expenses/some material costs if necessary	
	(according to the ASEA-UNINET application guidelines)	
Call/Deadline	Call for projects: once a year in spring, deadline often in April for to be implemented in the following acadmic year (Oct-Sep)	projects
Application	Online, exclusively by the Austrian partner! For information see: <u>ASEA-</u> <u>UNINET Funding within ASEA-UNINET Projects - ASEA-UNINET</u>	

Franz Werfel Fellowship



Target group	PhD students
	PhD holders, post docs
	Researchers
Field of study	German or Austrian Studies with a focus on Austrian literature
Duration	4 to 9 months
Grant amount	1,250 EUR/month
	and a mobility subsidy of up to EUR 600 (for research stays of 3
	months or longer)/month
Deadline	March 1, September 15
More details	https://grants.at/en/?=MzMyNTdfMzUwNThfMA==
Application	online www.scholarships.at



Richard Plaschka Fellowship

for young university teachers of historical studies with a focus on Austrian history

Target group	 PraeDocs from countries not familiar with the Habilitation system (state doctorate/postdoctoral lecture qualification)
	 PhD holders, post docs
	 Researchers
Field of study	historical studies with a focus on Austrian history
Duration	4 to 18 months
Grant amount	1,250 EUR/month
	Relocation allowance: 600 EUR/month (for stays over 3 months)
More details	https://grants.at/en/?=MzMzMzhfMzUxNDJfMA==
Deadline	March 1, September 15 www.scholarships.at

Erasmus+ Higher Education worldwide



Cooperation with countries not associated to the programme (academic mobility)

International Mobility between Programme countries & countries not associated to the programme

- → **Student or Staff Mobility** to / from Erasmus+ Partner Countries
 - **Studies**: 2 12 months (credit mobility) in a partner university
 - **Traineeship**: 2 12 months in a relevant organisation; recognition foreseen
 - **Teaching** (short-term) at a partner university abroad or
 - Job-related training at suitable institutions (university, company, NGO) abroad
 - Short-term mobilities for students for studies- and traineeships
 5-30 days
 - Financial support for travel and subsistence
- \rightarrow Funding
 - **Student mobility**: 700 850 Euro per month;
 - **Staff mobility**: 160 180 Euro per day;
 - One-time payment of the **travel grant** according to distance





Erasmus+ Higher Education worldwide Cooperation with third countries (projects and degree mobility)

Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters (EMJM)

- → High-level integrated & transnational study programmes at MA level
 - MA programmes of excellence open to all disciplines
 - Delivered by an international consortium of HEIs and other (non-)educational partners
 - Offering high-level fulltime scholarships to excellent students worldwide
- \rightarrow Funding rules for new EMJM more than 5 million Euro for 74 months in total
 - For consortia of HEIs: 750 Euro/month/student and
 - For scholarship holders: 1.400 Euro/month
- \rightarrow Annual call
 - For consortia of HEIs: next deadline February 2024
 - For potential **students:** funded **EMJM**: <u>https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/library/scholarships-catalogue_en</u>

EURAXESS – Researchers in Motion



Euraxess Austria



- → part of the EU initiative 'Euraxess Researchers in Motion' <u>http://ec.europa.eu/euraxess</u>
- → provides information and assistance for all questions essential to the career development and mobility of researchers and their families including entry conditions, accommodation, social security, taxation etc.
- → Euraxess Jobs offers jobs vacancies for researchers including PhD students throughout Europe.



Map of the OeAD Projects and Alumni



Publications

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