

ALISTORE MEETING

Graz University of Technology

10–11 June 2015

Practical Information

(Picture of the Chemistry main building)



1. Travelling

Graz is served by a (relatively) small international airport located south of Graz at Feldkirchen-bei-Graz. As of 2 March 2015, there are several daily flight connections to Vienna, Zürich, München, Frankfurt, Berlin and Düsseldorf. We recommend to book a flight landing in Graz.

Alternately, it is possible to fly to Vienna and take the train to Graz. Although the Vienna-Graz train travel time is 2h and 39min., count a minimum of 4 hours, in total, to transfer from Vienna to Graz by train. There is one direct train (called Railjet) between Vienna and Graz every hour, between 6:25 and 20:25. Please note that there are **no train** connections from Graz to Vienna and back **at night** between 20:25 and 6:25!

Useful links:

Graz Airport <http://www.flughafen-graz.at/en/home.html>
Austrian Railways <http://www.oebb.at/>

2. Accommodation

We can recommend one of the following hotels:

Hotel (click for link)	Address	Distance /Walking time to the Meeting venue	Prices / night
Within walking distance			
Hotel Stadthalle Johannes	Münzgrabenstr. 48	120 m / 2 min.	50 - 55 €
Hotel Gollner	Schlögelgasse 14	600 m / 8 min.	95 -145 €
Star Inn Hotel Graz	Waltendorfer Gürtel 8	750 m / 10 min	59 -79 €
Amedia Hotel Graz	Conrad-von-Hötzendorf-Straße 60	1 km / 12 min	62 - 87 €
Augarten Hotel	Schönaugasse 53	1,1 km / 14 min	89 - 164 €
Romantik Park Hotel	Leonhardstraße 8	1,2 km / 15 min	98 - 172 €
Roomz Graz	Conrad-von-Hötzendorf-Straße 96	1,5 km / 18 min	59 €
With public transport (tram line 6)			
Hotel Das Weitzer	Grieskai 12-16	2 km	74 -121 €
Hotel Wiesler	Grieskai 4-8	2 km	95 - 166 €

The hotels close to the main train station (Hauptbahnhof) as well as those situated along Annenstr. are also easily accessible by tram line 6.

3. Public Transport in Graz

3.1. From / To the airport

By taxi: At the airport there are taxis available just outside the Arrivals hall. Travel time to Graz centre: 15-25 minutes. Cost: approx. 25 €.

By train: There is a regional train station 500 m from the airport. Please take the **S5 train line** and travel to **Graz Hauptbahnhof**. Tickets are sold at self-service machines in the station. Public transport tickets are also valid on S5 trains. Travel time: 8-10 minutes. Cost: see ticket prices below.

By bus: There is a bus station between the Arrivals and the Departures hall. Take the **bus 630 or 631** and travel to Jakomini Platz, which is the final stop. Tickets can be purchased from the driver. Travel time: 20-25 minutes. Cost: see ticket prices below.

3.2. Within Graz

Graz has an extended public transport network of bus, tramway and train lines. **All tramway lines cross at Jakomini Platz** and this is the public transport central interchange point. The city of Graz as well as the airport are in the same travel zone (101). Tickets can be purchased in the bus from the driver (cash) or from the automatic vending machines (cash or card) in the trams. There are also other ticket vending points. The relevant tickets are:

Ticket type / Validity	Price	Relevant vending point
1 h ticket	2,10 €	bus driver / tram vending machine
24 h ticket	4,80 €	bus driver / tram vending machine
3 days ticket - req. validation	11,60 €	tram vending machine, Airport at the SPAR store
7 days ticket	13,40 €	bus driver / tram vending machine
10 X 1 h - requires validation	13 €	Jakomini Platz station

For public transport (bus, train, tram) **time table enquiries** please visit:

<http://www.busbahnbim.at> (German only, but fairly easy to use).

4. The ALISTORE Meeting venue

The address of the **TU Graz chemistry building** is **Stremayrgasse 9**, Graz. If you are using public transport, take **tram line 6** from **Jakomini Platz** in the direction of **St. Peter** and get off at **Neue Technik**. The new building with the glass facade on the other side of the street is the chemistry building. From the main entrance, turn left and then immediately right, on the red corridor. The ALISTORE Meeting will take place in **Hörsaal H** (HS H).

5. The ALISTORE Meeting dinner

The dinner will take place at the **Gösser Bräu Graz** restaurant located on **Neutorgasse 48**.

1. We can walk together to the restaurant after the end of the first day of the ALISTORE meeting. The walking distance between the chemistry building on Stremayrgasse 9 and Gösser Bräu is 20 minutes.
2. Alternately, we can take the tram 6 (direction Laudongasse) and get off at Jakomini Platz and walk to Gösser Bräu which is nearby.

Guiding and assistance will be provided for both of the above alternatives and we shall split in two groups according to your wishes.

6. Map of locations

A detailed map of Graz, with all the ALISTORE relevant locations marked on it, can be found online at (click for link):

https://www.google.com/maps/d/edit?mid=zxI_gDYrxsuc.kddce_j_MS-E

ALISTORE Meeting Graz

ALISTORE Meeting important places

-  ALISTORE Meeting Venue
-  ALISTORE Meeting Dinner
-  Jakomini Platz
-  Hotel Stadthalle Johannes
-  Hotel Gollner
-  Star Inn Hotel Graz
-  Amedia Hotel Graz
-  Augarten Hotel
-  Romantik Park Hotel Graz
-  Roomz Graz
-  Hotel Das Weitzer
-  Hotel Wiesler

Points of special interest for the participants to the ALISTORE Meeting in Graz.

