

Fundamental Rights Forum 2021

11 – 12 October 2021
Vienna, Austria

Hybrid Event



Dear participant,

We are pleased to welcome you to the **Fundamental Rights Forum 2021** taking place on **11th and 12th October 2021 in Vienna, Austria.**

The Forum will be held at the **Rathaus City Hall**, Lichtenfelsgasse 2, Feststiege II, 1st Floor, 1010 Vienna, Austria.



MEETING VENUE

Rathaus City Hall, Lichtenfelsgasse 2, Feststiege II, 1st Floor, 1010 Vienna, Austria.

- On **11/10**: Registration opens at 11:00, the Forum starts at **12:00** and ends at **20:30**.
- On **12/10**: Registration opens at 07:30, the Forum starts at **08:45** and ends at **18:45**.

Please note that all the conference rooms are located on the 1st floor.

REGISTRATION

Upon arrival at the venue, our conference assistants will ask you for one of the following elements. This will grant you access to the Forum:

- A proof of vaccination
- A proof of past infection/recovery
- A doctor's certificate not older than 6 months, OR
- A positive antibodies test not older than 3 months
- A negative PCR test (Validity: 48h)

Please be aware that FFP2 masks are mandatory in all public transports and also during the Forum. FFP2 masks will also be available at the entrance of the venue.

Kindly go straight to the registration desk located on the 1st floor and prepare your ID or passport.

A cloakroom will be at your disposal on the 1st floor as well as a luggage storage area if needed.

Please always keep your badge in sight when circulating between the different spaces during the Forum. Thank you!

COVID-19 government measures

Please be aware that you will have not only need to comply with the Austrian entry regulation but also to comply with the Covid-19 government measures in place in Vienna at the time of the Forum.

You can find the most up to date information on the Covid-19 prevention here: <https://www.austria.info/en/service-and-facts/coronavirus-information>

GETTING TO THE VENUE

Participants must make their own way from the airport/train station to the event venue. The organisers will not reimburse any ground transportation costs for your stay in Vienna. We strongly advise you to use public transportation.

IF YOU ARRIVE AT Wien-Schwechat Airport

Train:

Please click on the link to check the timetables: <https://www.schnellbahn-wien.at/>

Taxi:

Taxis with a taximeter are permanently available in front of the arrivals' hall. The fare from the airport to the city centre of Vienna is normally around €45 and takes approximately 20-30 min, depending on traffic. Note that due to the Covid-19 prevention measures in place, taxis can only accommodate 2 passengers.

Bus:

Line VAL 1 is running from 03:30 AM to 20:30 PM every hour from Wien-Schwechat Airport to Vienna Central Station.

LEAVING FROM Vienna city center/Central Station to Vienna airport

Bus:

Line VAL 1 is running from 03:30 AM to 20:30 PM every hour from Westbahnhof of Vienna Central Station to Vienna airport.

Line VAL 3 (Donauzentrum) is running at 6:28 / 8:28 / 10:28 / 12:28 / 15:28 / 17:28 from the Donauzentrum to Vienna Airport.

CATERING

Please note that refreshments will be at your disposal during the event.

A networking reception will take place in the Rathaus's Courtyard on Monday 11 October at 19:00.

Kindly note that lunch is not provided on Tuesday 12 October. However, you will have the possible to purchase food at the venue.

CLOAKROOM

Please note that one cloakroom is available at the venue and located upstairs the staircase. The floor is called „Halbstock“ (mezzanine).

WI-FI

Wi-Fi is available throughout the venue and is free of charge.

SLI.DO

During the sessions, we will be using an audience engagement platform called Sli.do to enable you to participate in live polls with real-time results displayed on the screen. To answer and ask questions, you will need to have a smartphone, a tablet or a computer with internet connection.

To join the conversation, please take your smartphone, tablet or computer, make sure you have internet connection and follow the 4 steps below:

- Open a browser and go to www.slido.com
- Enter #FRF2021
- Select the room your session is taking place in
- Answer/ask the question

TWITTER

You can also join the conversation on Twitter by using the hashtag #RIGHTSFORUM21.

LIVE WEB STREAMING

If you are unable to attend the conference in person, please note that you will be able to follow all sessions through live streaming on the [event website](#). The links will be posted the day on Sunday 10 October 2021.

INTERPRETATION

Simultaneous interpretation will be provided on both days in English and German. Disinfected headsets will be provided each day at the entrance of each conference room. We request that you keep your headset throughout the day and return it in the evening.

AGENDA

Please click here to have access to the latest version of the [agenda](#).

If you cannot attend the forum, please cancel your participation on the registration website or send us an email at fra-rightsforum21@fundamentalrightsforum.eu

On behalf of the organisers, we look forward to welcoming you in Vienna. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

With best regards,

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