

VIENNA ART WEEK

CHALLENGING ORDERS

18–25 NOV 2022

VIENNA ART WEEK showcases Vienna's vibrant art scene from November 18–25, 2022. Together with around 70 program partners, it offers a week of inspiring art from the Baroque to the present with free admission.

For the 18th consecutive year, VIENNA ART WEEK will turn all spotlights on Vienna as a city of art. This year's theme **CHALLENGING ORDERS** invites artists to **question existing norms and orders** in their artistic practice in a **variety of ways**: for example, by challenging and replacing existing canons, by criticizing institutions, or by rethinking the social and political status quo.

VIENNA ART WEEK sees itself as a joint **platform of the Viennese art community** and is based on a **cooperation** of Viennese art institutions, art universities, galleries, and independent art spaces that is **unique worldwide**.

Over time, VIENNA ART WEEK has developed into one of the most important art events in the Danube region. With its **23 Art Cluster members**, around **70 program partners**, **35,000 visitors** annually and **140 events** that are open to the public **free of charge**, it **makes Vienna's art world visible** both **nationally** and **internationally** every year in the third week of November.

The **wide range of events** during the week - from guided tours to expert talks, performances, workshops, exhibition openings and visits to artists' studios - showcases the **city's high-profile art scene** and is **unique** in its form.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS 2022



Exhibition in the House of CHALLENGING ORDERS (19–25 NOV, 1–7 pm) *Wiedner Hauptstraße 140, 1050 Vienna*

A condemned office building turns into the exhibition venue for the VIENNA ART WEEK and thus a unique creative experimental space. On three floors and a total of 1,000m², around 40 national and international artists and performers question existing orders, canons and systems and invite us to challenge our own preconceived opinions and concepts. It will include works by the Guerrilla Girls, Christa Joo Hyun D'Angelo, Coco Fusco, Shepard Fairey, Regina José Galindo, Pipilotti Rist, Roberta Lima, Manu Luksch, The Yes Men, Oliver Ressler, Jenny Marketou and Lisl Ponger, among others. Curated by Robert Punkenhofer and Julia Hartmann.



Open Studio Days (19+20 NOV, 1–6 pm)

This year's expert jury – Robert Punkenhofer (Artistic Director VIENNA ART WEEK), Angela Stief (director Albertina modern), Klaus Speidel (philosopher, art critic and curator), Rita Vitorelli (artist and publisher Spike Art Magazine) and Julia Hartmann (Associate Curator VIENNA ART WEEK) – has selected 50 artists out of 160 submissions that will open their studios throughout Vienna to visitors on two afternoons. Six guided tours take visitors to many of the studios.



CHALLENGING ORDERS Exhibition Parcours (19+20 NOV, different time slots)

The parcours leads to seven selected studios that feature works related to the theme of VIENNA ART WEEK. Curator talks will provide insights into the work of the artists. A shuttle bus will take visitors from one talk to the next.

Artists & curators:

- Eva Beresin & Angela Stief • Rah Eleh & Klaus Speidel •
- Soli Kiani & Julia Hartmann • Lars* Kollros & Julia Hartmann •
- Guido Kucsko & Angela Stief • Barbis Ruder & Aline Lara Retzende •
- Borjana Ventzislavova & Klaus Speidel



CHALLENGING ORDERS Line-up (25 NOV, 4–8 pm)

Wiedner Hauptstraße 140, 1050 Vienna

The annually changing theme is a stimulus for the program partners and a guideline for the content of the art week's program. In the Line-up, discursive formats, film screenings and performances line up for an intensive afternoon at a rapid, varied pace. Among the top-class guests are Aindrea Emelife (curator, London), Jenny Marketou (artist, Athens/New York), Natascha Strobl (political scientist, Vienna), Manu Luksch (artist, London), Katharina Taylor (curator, Kiev) and Brigitte Buchhammer (philosopher, Vienna).



VIENNA ART WEEK Artist Residency powered by Superbude Vienna

In cooperation with the hotel partner Superbude Vienna, VIENNA ART WEEK offers a 2-week artist residency. The US artist Christa Joo Hyun D'Angelo, who lives and works in Berlin, has been selected. The residency studio will be part of the Open Studio Days program. In addition, the artist will participate in the exhibition at the House of CHALLENGING ORDERS.



Galleries: intensive outreach program (18+19 NOV)

Numerous guided tours will offer new insights to visitors. For example, three Gallery Tours with art mediator Lisa Moravec take participants to eleven selected top Viennese galleries:

- Charim Galerie
- Galerie Crone Wien
- Galerie Elisabeth und Klaus Thoman
- Galerie Ernst Hilger
- Galerie Krinzinger
- Galerie Layr
- Galerie nächst St. Stephan – Rosemarie Schwarzwälder
- König Wien
- Lukas Feichtner Galerie
- Projektraum Viktor Bucher
- Rauminhalt Harald Bichler
- Suppan



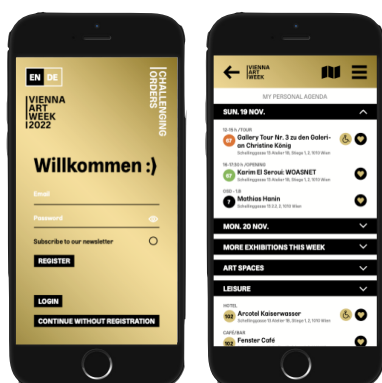
A total of 140 events by 70 program partners (18–25 NOV)

Around 140 events in institutions, independent spaces, exhibition spaces and galleries ensure a varied and exciting program throughout the week. Art education is a priority, with numerous guided tours bringing visitors closer to contemporary art.

The following Art Cluster members have their exhibition opening during the VIENNA ART WEEK:

Secession	<i>Jean-Frédéric Schnyder The Otolith Group Patricia L. Boyd</i>	18 NOV 2022
mumok	<i>mixed up with others before we even begin</i>	25 NOV 2022

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New program app

A new **program web app** for smartphones will communicate the extensive program in an even **more user-friendly** way. Using geolocation and smart technology, visitors will be able to compile their **individual VIENNA ART WEEK agenda** with **personal highlights** at the click of a button and discover the next exciting program points in their immediate vicinity on the **map**. The app will be available **on the website**.



Barrier-free bus tour and accessibility information on web and app

A **barrier-free bus tour** leads to selected studios of the **Open Studio Days** (pre-registration required). In addition, each program item on the website and app shows **at first glance** whether barrier-free access is available at the respective venue. A special **filter function** will also make it easier to search for barrier-free program events.

VIENNA ART WEEK FACTS AND FIGURES

INITIATORS

Martin Böhm, the president of Art Cluster Vienna, and Robert Punkenhofer, the artistic director of VIENNA ART WEEK, founded VIENNA ART WEEK 18 years ago and made the festival an important event in the national and international art calendar.

ART CLUSTER VIENNA

Behind VIENNA ART WEEK, there is the Art Cluster Vienna association, an alliance of the city's most important art institutions, which was founded in 2004 to bring Vienna as a city of art to the attention of the national and international public. A year later, the first edition of VIENNA ART WEEK took place. The Art Cluster Vienna is an association of the most important art institutions in Vienna. With their high-quality programs and ideas, they contribute significantly to the success of the art week, which has become a fixture in the city's cultural autumn and with its approximately 35,000 guests from Austria and abroad highlights Vienna's importance as a city of art.

The following cultural institutions belong to the Art Cluster Vienna:

- Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
- Albertina & Albertina modern
- AzW Architekturzentrum Wien
- Belvedere & Belvedere 21
- Dom Museum Wien
- DOROTHEUM
- Heidi Horten Collection
- KÖR – Kunst im öffentlichen Raum Wien
- Kunsthalle Wien
- KUNST HAUS WIEN
- Kunsthistorisches Museum & Weltmuseum Wien
- Künstlerhaus
- Leopold Museum
- MAK – Museum of Applied Arts
- mumok Museum moderner Kunst Stiftung Ludwig Wien
- Nitsch Foundation
- Q21/MuseumsQuartier Wien
- Sammlung Friedrichshof Stadtraum
- Secession
- Sigmund Freud Museum
- STRABAG Kunstforum
- University of Applied Arts Vienna
- Vienna Business Agency Creativity & Business

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