

VIENNA ART WEEK 2026 | NAVIGATING LANGST

OPEN CALL STUDIO DAYS

OPEN STUDIO DAYS 7 & 8 NOV 2026, 1-6 PM

We invite artists working in Vienna to submit their applications for participation in the Open Studio Days as part of VIENNA ART WEEK by May 10, 2026 at the latest. The selected artists will open their studios to visitors on Saturday, November 7, and Sunday, November 8, 2026, between 1 PM and 6 PM.

Priority in the Open Call will be given to those who did not participate in last year's Open Studio Days.

SUBMISSIONS UNTIL MAY 10, 2026

Here: <https://www.viennaartweek.at/de/open-studio-days-form/>

This year's expert jury - comprising **Fanny Hauser** (Curator and Director, Kunsthalle Zürich), **Ruba Katrib** (Chief Curator and Director of Curatorial Affairs, MoMA PS1, and Curator, Unlimited, Art Basel), **Işın Önol** (Director of Curatorial Research, School of Visual Arts, NYC), **Bea Ortega Botas** (Independent Curator and Co-Director, Juf), **Robert Punkenhofer** (Artistic Director, VIENNA ART WEEK), and **Anne Zühlke** (Co-Curator, VIENNA ART WEEK, and Director and Curator, DOCK 20, Lustenau) - will select artists from the submissions to participate in the Open Studio Days.

NOTIFICATIONS UNTIL JUNE 15, 2026

All artists will be informed by mid-June whether they have been selected to participate in the Open Studio Days.

REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION

- Submitting artists must have a studio or workspace in Vienna at the time of the Open Studio Days in November 2026.
- Artists selected by the jury to participate in the Open Studio Days will open their studios to the public on Saturday, November 7, and Sunday, November 8, 2026, between 1 PM and 6 PM.

ATTENTION

The information provided in the application will be used for communication purposes. Please take the time to ensure that all details are correct and complete. If you are moving, please submit your application with the studio address that will be valid in November 2026.

OPEN STUDIO DAYS ADDITIONAL PROGRAM

As in previous years, we would like to invite artists to offer their own events and activities for visitors as part of the Open Studio Days, providing deeper insight into their artistic practice. The format is entirely up to the artists—anything from workshops to performances is possible! However, participation should remain free of charge and should not interfere with the parallel programming of the Open Studio Days. Submitting an event is optional.

Open Studio Days District Tours

Guided tours in various districts take visitors to selected Open Studio Days ateliers. VIENNA ART WEEK aims to include as many participating artist studios as possible in the District Tours. However, we kindly ask for your understanding if this is not feasible for certain studios.

Barrier-free Shuttle Tours

Barrier-free tours guide visitors through selected wheelchair-accessible studios in various districts. We therefore ask for accurate information on accessibility when submitting applications.

Social Media & Press

To introduce and showcase the participating artists on our social media channels in the months leading up to the Open Studio Days, we will offer various formats for artists to choose from.

Additionally, VIENNA ART WEEK promotes the Open Studio Days and their participants through its website, newsletter, press outreach, and printed materials.

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