



FH Salzburg

International Welcome Days

September 10th – 13th 2024



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Welcome to Fachhochschule Salzburg!

You made it to Salzburg! That's the first step in getting started. If you decided to rent a room via the OeAD Housing, remember to pick up your keys at their main office. In case you arrive outside their opening hours, contact your buddy student and ask them if they can pick it up on your behalf.

Please contact the OeAD Housing office in case of any open questions concerning your accommodation.

Please use Monday to purchase kitchenware, blankets, pillows and other living facilities at a furniture store, such as IKEA or buy second-hand online from Willhaben.

Checklist

Important things to consider in my first week:

Mandatory

- Learning Agreement
- Official ID incl. photo
- Class schedule
- Login Data SUAS System & MS Teams
- Online Payment of the membership fee for the Austrian Student Union (OeH - € 24.70)

Recommended

Railway discount card: local rail for region: [MyRegio Ticket](#)

Austrian Railway Service: [OeBB-Vorteilscard](#)



SCHEDULE (subject to change)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th Urstein Campus (Room HS013)

09:00 - 09:30 Official Welcome

A warm welcome from the rectorate and management of FH Salzburg, as well as the International Office Team.

09:30 -10:00 International Office Courses and Bürokratie

During the session you will learn more about the organizational aspects of your exchange (e.g. examination regulations, opening hours, schedule, FH Salzburg E-mail), as well as get to know the courses offered by the International Office, which include: German as a Foreign Language, Inside Austria: Exploring a New Culture, Working in Multicultural Teams and the Tandem Learning Program.

10:00 - 10:30 Campus tour

We will show you around campus Urstein and help you get your bearings.

Tuesday, September 10th continued

10:45 - 11:30 Success at FH Salzburg

Austria is different, but did you know that the academic culture might be different too? Through interactive discussion, we will see the difference in academic culture.

11:30 - 12:30 Kaffee und Kuchen

First time abroad? First time in Austria? Feeling a bit strange? You are not alone. Meet all the other incomings and get to know them. Let's mingle!

12:30-13:00 ÖH, ESN and Group Photo

Learn more about these campus organizations and how to get involved at FH-Salzburg Community. Smile for a group photo!

13:00-14:00 Lunch Break (Try the campus restaurant FAGO or visit Spar around the corner)

14:00- Learning agreement Session, see table below

LEARNING AGREEMENT SESSIONS

ACHTUNG - various times and locations! Discuss the details of your courses and schedule with your International Academic Advisor.

STUDY PROGRAM	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	INTL. ACADEMIC ADVISOR
Business Management - Tourism	10 September	14:00 -16:00	SE 255	Ingrid Hovdar-Stojakovic Anna Stadler Magdalena Priske
Multi Media Art / Multi Media Tech	10 September	14:00 -16:00	SE 273	Julia Schwarzacher
Information Tech / Computer Sciences	10 September	14:00 -16:00	SE 456	Rishelle Wimmer
Design & Product Management / Wood Sciences	11 September	14:00 -16:00	HS E17	Günter Berger Elisabeth Pichler

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th

Kuchl Campus (Room E17)

09:00 -10:15 Effective Intercultural Communication

During your exchange semester you will come to realize that your own assumptions and values are often not the same as in other cultures. Being reflective and aware of your own conditioning will help you to develop relationships with other incomings and Austrian students despite cultural differences. At the same time you may have very similar expectations for your time in Austria.

10:55 [Golling Waterfall Adventure](#) (optional)

We will take the train from Kuchl and make an excursion to the waterfalls in Golling. Proper walking shoes and waterbottles are recommended. We will explore the area, remember to pack your own lunch. ([Entrance fee: €4 - 5](#))

Afternoon Free Time (or Learning Agreement Session at Kuchl Campus 14:00, see table on previous page)

18:00 [Augustinerbräu](#) (optional)

Visit to the Müllnerbräu for dinner and drink (at your own expense. This establishment takes cash only). Buddies are welcome to join!

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th

10:00 -12:30 Settle in

Use the day to get settled into your room and pick up anything you need for the semester. The shopping center Europark, IKEA, as well as Willhaben (Austria's largest online second hand marketplace).

All are good places to find items you might need.

13:00 - 16:00 World Famous Salzburg City Tour

Meet in front of FH Urstein Campus

Discover and explore the most beautiful city in the world and learn more about the history of your new home for the semester. We will meet in front of Campus and ride the train together to the city.

18:30 Group Dinner at [Kirchenwirt](#)

Enjoy a traditional Salzburger meal, music, and dance, hosted by FH Salzburg and the Trachtenverein Puch.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13th

10:00 -15:30 Settle in

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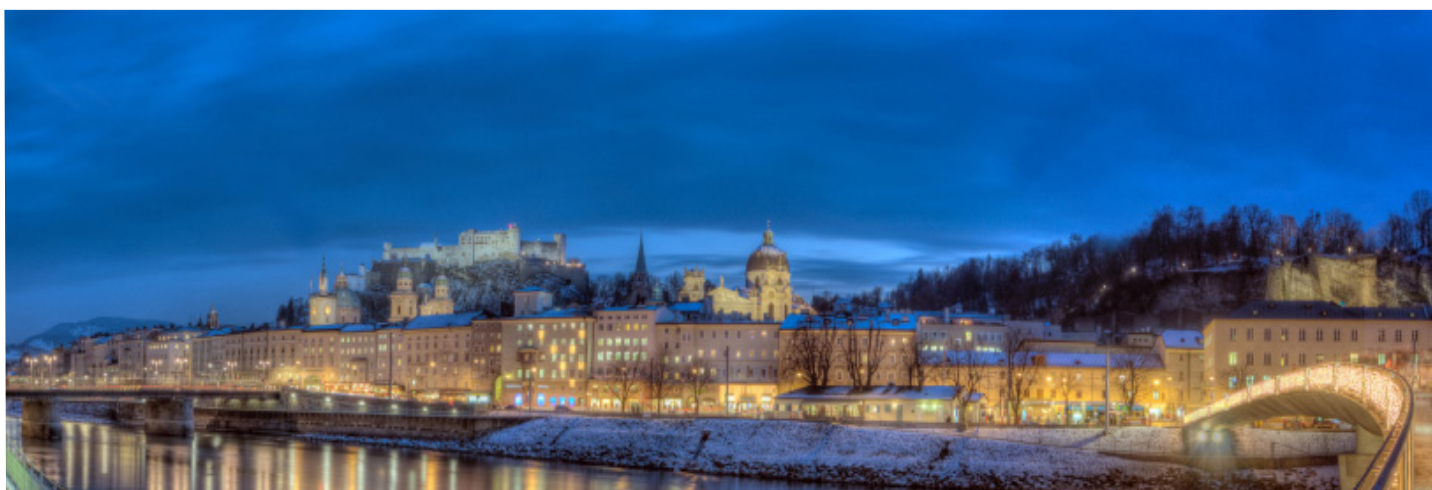
Explore the Salzburg Castle! (time: TBA)

Join the ÖH Student Organization for a venture into Salzburg's most prominent landmark: the castle! Details will be announced during week.

We are here for any questions you may have and we are also here for you if you just want to chat! Don't forget that your buddies or the gender and diversity center are also happy to help you out, so don't be shy!

Of course we will do our best to keep you informed about current developments and safety measures. At the same time, we will do our best to help you create a memorable international experience nonetheless.

-Your International Office Team



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Please contact the office of the degree programme you intend to apply for. See website for contact details.
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Local Points of Interest (for reference only, orgs. are not affiliated with FH Salzburg)



University Sport Institute: Athletic classes and sports facility from the University of Salzburg



Purfit: Fitness Center located two train stops from FH Salzburg Urstein. Salzburg



Alpen Outdoor Club: All things outdoor and adventure related: Hiking, Climbing, Skiing, etc.



HOSI: Salzburg's LGBTQ+ resource center.



Salzburger Culture Association: All things fine arts: concerts, opera, ballet



Austria's virtual secondhand marketplace. Here you can find anything and everything you need for your semester.

A quick note for the upcoming semester:

A semester abroad is always exciting but also a challenge, especially under the circumstances of COVID-19. We ask you to follow safety measures on campus as well as in your free time. Be considerate of others, especially as they may be more at risk. Wear masks when required or necessary, wash and disinfect your hands frequently, make sure to get enough fresh air. Salzburg has many outdoor activities that are available. So be sure to look into (level-appropriate) skiing, hikes, visit our lakes and take advantage of our many walk and bike paths!

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