

International University Week 2010

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European Network of Social Work University Faculties

Who are we?

We are a functioning network of Social Work Faculties which was founded in 1998 during an international conference in Groningen (NL). In the meantime the network includes 16 partners in 13 different European countries.

What do we do?

We cover relevant aspects of social work in a multinational perspective through organising and participating in the International University Week which is held every year. We take turns – every other year we organise receiving students and teachers from the network – every other year we send students and teachers to other institutions in the network. The International University Week is often the first step for students to make personal contacts regarding exchange on an individual basis.

Our hosts this year

This year we welcome you at the **St. Pölten University of Applied Sciences** in Austria which was founded in 1996 and currently has appr. 1,400 enrolled students. Study opportunities comprise degree programmes and continuing education courses in the fields of Health & Social Sciences, Business and Technology.

The campus, situated in the city centre and covering an area of 14,300 m², offers a new dimension of studying with superbly equipped laboratories, lecture halls, seminar rooms, a library and students' dining hall. The outside of the new building is dominated by glass and steel, the inside by wood and cheerful colours. A special highlight is the airy patio that permits studying under the open sky. The sunlit dining-hall, a terrace and numerous lounge areas serve as meeting points for students to socialise and relax.



Sunday, April 18: Arrival in St. Pölten (alternatively)

Monday, April 19: Arrival in St. Pölten

09.00 – 10.00: University aula:
Registration at the university, coffee and “St. Pölten Cake”

10.00 – 13.00: **Get together:**
Welcome, information, getting to know your fellow students, presentation of the home university.

Words of welcome:

Gabriela M. Fernandes, Managing Director
Barbara Zehetmayr, Head of International Office
Christine Haselbacher, Senior Lecturer
Gertraud Pantucek, Academic Director Social Work

Moderation: Michael Delorette

13.00: Refectory: **Lunch**

14.00: Guided tour of St. Pölten University
with Daniela Lohner, International Office

15.00 – 17.00: University Library: Opening lecture “Living Books”

17.00 – 18.00: Registration to workshops and excursions

20.00: Welcome Party with “Bad Taste Award”
Freiraum, Herzogenburgerstraße 20
<http://www.freiraum-stp.com>

Tuesday, April 20

09.00: Main Entrance of the University
Guided city tour ending at the town hall of St. Pölten

11.00: Meet and great the mayor Mag. Matthias Stadler

11.15: Field Visit
Mrs. Welser Elisabeth, Diakonie St. Pölten: an integration centre for refugees, <http://fluechtlingsdienst.diakonie.at/>
Mr. Peter Jenik, “Jump” Emmaus Gemeinschaft: a youth hostel <http://www.emmaus.at/>

12.30: SOMA, a social market for people with low incomes, <http://www.sozialmarkt.at/>

13.30: Refectory: **Lunch**



15.00 – 18.30: University different classrooms

Lectures (optional):

Sepp Ginner (Austria)	A Journey to the Past – Papua New Guinea – Development Work
Christine Haselbacher, Johannes Pflegerl (Austria)	Quality in the Fostering Process / New Approaches in Youth Welfare
Jill Davey (United Kingdom)	The Protection of Children/Young People in the UK (Bournemouth)
Sylke Bartman (Germany)	Biography and Social Work
Maria Maiss (Austria)	Ilse Arlt's Concept of a Science Based Social Work
Hannelore Fransen Katrien Geussens Lotte Hellinckx Laura Hollemans Sanne Janssen Dorien Maes Dorien Ventose Hanne Brepoels (Belgium)	(Un)equal Chances in Education – How to find an answer to diversity of pupils?
Bruijn Jaap (Netherlands)	Case Management: How could Social Workers deal with multi-problem families and give them back their “driving-wheel of life”?

20.00: Lecturers Dinner
Bierpub Vagötz'God
Griesmaierstraße 1
3151 St. Georgen, Österreich

Wednesday, April 21

09.00 – 12.30: University different classrooms

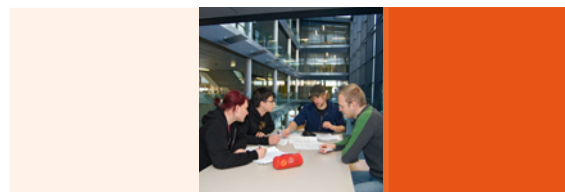
Lectures (optional):

Ingelise Bech Hansen, Vibeke Sypli Enrum (Danmark)	Human Rights and Danish Politics and Migration. Legal Frames for Integration
Sabine Etl (Austria)	The Good, the Bad and the Ugly – the Relationship Between Social Work and Police as a Topic in Social Work Education
Renate Kloibhofer (Austria)	Life and Memories at a Site overshadowed by History – Mauthausen
Ursula Riedel – Pfäffin (Germany)	Gender Studies
Bruijn Jaap (Netherlands)	Case Management: How could Social Workers deal with multi-problem families and give them back their “driving-wheel of life”?

Sightseeing trip by train to Vienna or Linz:

Vienna: 13:00 Main station St. Pölten: Railjet RJ 63
Sightseeing at the Center
Albertina Art Gallery <http://albertina.at>
19.00: communal dinner Centimeter I, Lenaugasse 11
www.centimeter.at

Linz: 13:02 Main station St. Pölten: Railjet RJ 62
Sightseeing at the Center
Ars Electronica http://www.aec.at/index_de.php
19.00: communal dinner Alte Welt, Hauptplatz 4
<http://www.altewelt.at/>



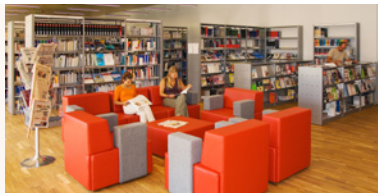
Thursday, April 22

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09.30 – 13.00: University different classrooms
Lectures (optional):

Ecpat (Austria)	Children's Rights
Shula Ramon (Great Britain)	Making Social Capital out of Diversity and Adversity: Involving Service Users in Teaching and Research
Andreas Kramer (Germany)	Outdoor Education as a Method of informal Education – Active Exploration in St. Pölten
Edith Singer (Austria)	Cultural Psychology: Cross-Cultural and Intercultural Issues
Katrien Vergauwen (Belgium)	How to cope with Diversity in the Field of Social Work?
Monique Bas (Belgium)	Intercultural Communication

13.30 – 15.00: **Lunch:**
> Students at the refectory
> Lecturers at Gasthof Winkler, Mühlweg 46



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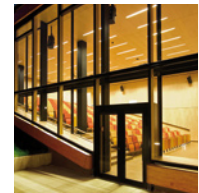
20.00: **Refectory**
Farewell Party, with Catering

Optional: afterwards getting to know St. Pölten's night life

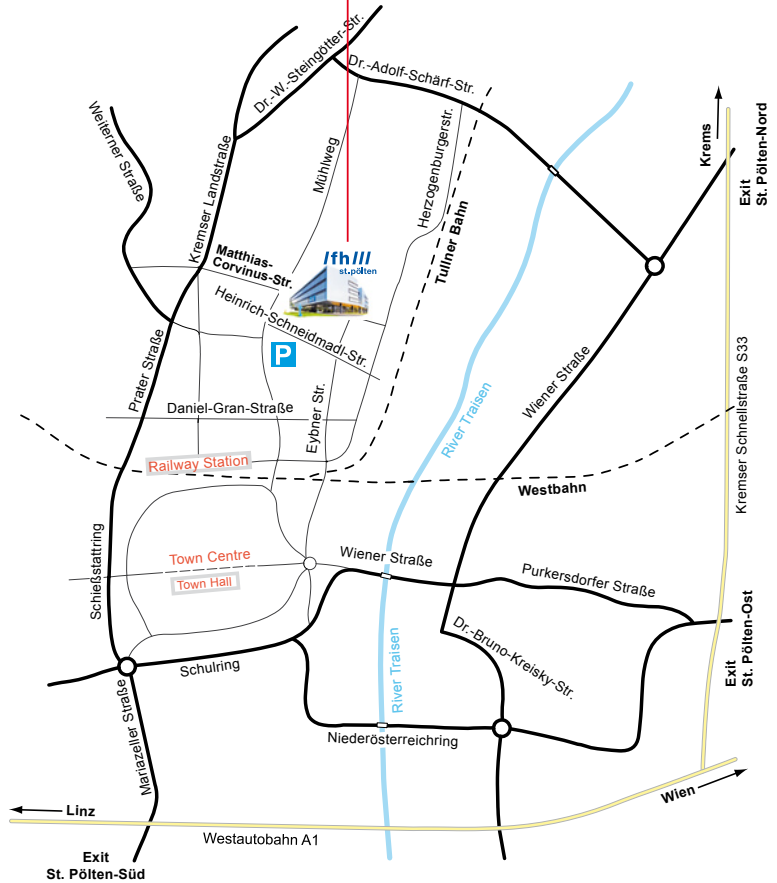
Friday, April 23

09.00: **University aula:**
Final Evaluation
Certifications
Brunch

Open end / departure



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