



**Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe
The Secretariat**

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**2024 ECONOMIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL DIMENSION
IMPLEMENTATION MEETING**

Vienna, 29 October 2024

Venue: Hofburg, Neuer Saal

LOGISTICAL MODALITIES

VENUE

OSCE Congress Centre, Hofburg, Heldenplatz, 1010 Vienna (map Annex 1) Neuer Saal, 2nd floor.

AGENDA

The 2024 Economic and Environmental Dimension Implementation Meeting (EEDIM) will open on Tuesday, 29 October 2024 at 09:30 a.m. (CEST Vienna) and close at 5:30 p.m. (CEST Vienna). The draft agenda is enclosed in the Permanent Council Decision, which has been circulated to delegations with the reference PC.DEC/1484, 25 July 2024.

The 2024 EEDIM is organized in person at the venue, following the format of on-site participation.

INTERPRETATION

Simultaneous interpretation is provided into the six OSCE languages (English, French, German, Italian, Russian and Spanish).

PARTICIPANTS' PROFILE

High-level and senior officials from participating States, responsible for shaping international economic and environmental policy in the OSCE area, representatives of the OSCE Parliamentary Assembly, OSCE Institutions and the Partners for Co-operation as well as OSCE Field Operations are invited and strongly encouraged to participate.

Representatives of international organizations, expert academics and business representatives, non-governmental organizations with relevant experience in the area under discussion will participate in the Meeting, according to the Decision of the OSCE Permanent Council (PC.DEC/1484).

The OSCE is committed to gender equality. To this end, the OSCE encourages participating States to also identify female experts to participate in the 2024 Economic and Environmental Dimension Implementation Meeting.

No fee for participation is requested.

PARTICIPATION IN THE MEETING

The 2024 Economic and Environmental Dimension Implementation Meeting is organized in person at the Hofburg in Vienna.

Participants will have full audio access, and be able to request the floor and deliver their statements during discussion times.

The Meeting will be audio and video recorded for internal purposes only and the recordings will not be shared further.

ONLINE REGISTRATION

Please note that access to the venue of the 2024 Economic and Environmental Dimension Implementation Meeting will only be granted to registered participants.

Please contact OSCE, Office of the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities if you wish to participate: email: sanavbar.gurukova@osce.org.

Requests for participation are subject to approval.

Deadline for registrations: Thursday, 24 October 2024.

DEADLINES

We kindly draw the participants' attention to the following deadlines:

- ⇒ **ONLINE REGISTRATION** to the Meeting: as early as possible, at the latest by **Thursday, 24 October 2024**;
- ⇒ **PANELISTS PRESENTATIONS: Friday, 25 October 2024 by noon**;
- ⇒ **REGISTRATION TO THE LIST OF SPEAKERS: Friday, 25 October 2024 by noon**.

ACCESS TO THE VENUE – HOFBURG IN VIENNA

Access to the Hofburg: Access to the Meeting venue will only be granted to online registered participants.

The Hofburg can be accessed with the delegates' regular badges.

External participants will need to refer to the security check point containers at the accreditation counter located outside in a temporary structure to the left of the entrance of the Conference Venue (Congress Centre Hofburg, Heldenplatz, 1010 Vienna) on:

Tuesday, 29 October, as of 8:30 am until the end of the Meeting.

Advanced registration is kindly requested in order to avoid delays in issuing the badges. Presentation of a valid ID is required for accreditation.

REGISTRATION TO THE SPEAKERS' LIST/PARTICIPATION IN DISCUSSION TIMES

Participants at the Hofburg will have full audio access and be able to request the floor and deliver their statements.

Participants are kindly requested to **register to the speaker's list in advance** by sending their requests to mau-at@osce.org until **Friday, 25 October 2024 noon**.

Ad hoc speaking requests to take the floor during the Meeting should be made by informing the meeting assistance at the head table ahead of the session or by raising their hand.

The maximum duration of each statement should be up to **3 minutes**.

DOCUMENTS DISTRIBUTION

The Organizers invite participants to kindly submit any written contributions they may have to Conference Services (documents@osce.org). This should not hinder the ad hoc discussion during the different sessions but contribute to enhanced communication.

All documents will be published on the Meetings Website: <https://www.osce.org/chairpersonship/576969> and on DelWeb. In view of meeting sustainability standards, the Organizers aim at a paperless event by digitalizing the document distribution. Hard copies of the documents will only be made available at request through the Document Distribution Desk.

TECHNICAL SUPPORT FOR SPEAKERS

Detailed guidelines for panelists will be provided by individual correspondence.

The panelists are kindly requested to provide an electronic copy of their presentation or speech by the deadline of Friday, 25 October 2024 noon to OSCE OCEEA email: gianfranco.apuzzo@osce.org.

The panelists and moderators will be invited to an online co-ordination meeting via zoom the week ahead of the 2024 Economic and Environmental Dimension Meeting to coordinate details of substance and technicalities.

Panelists should contact the technician in the Plenary Hall well ahead of their Session, in order to cross-check if their PPP presentations are uploaded.

In view of meeting sustainability standards, the organizers aim at a paperless event by digitalizing the documents distribution. Hard copies of the documents will only be made available at request through the conference secretariat at the venue.

SOCIAL EVENTS – COFFEE/TEA BREAKS, LUNCH AND RECEPTION

- **Tuesday, 29 October 2024:** Coffee/tea breaks will be provided throughout the Meeting in the Venue: Foyer next to the plenary hall, Neuer Saal.
- **Tuesday, 29 October 2024, 13:30:** Buffet lunch hosted by the Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environmental Activities.
Venue: Foyer next to the plenary hall, Neuer Saal.
- **Tuesday, 29 October 2024:** Reception hosted by the 2024 OSCE Chairpersonship of Malta will be organised following the end of the Closing Session.
Venue and time of the Reception will be shared in due course.

SIDE EVENTS

Detailed information on side events, including concept note, agenda, venue and timing, will be shared by the organizers in due course.

TRAVELLING TO VIENNA – VISA, GENERAL INFORMATION (HOTELS)

Participants are kindly requested to make their own travel and accommodation arrangements in Vienna, which will not be paid for by the OSCE.

A list of hotels in Vienna in the vicinity of the Meeting venue Hofburg can be found in Annex II.

Practical information about Vienna is available on:

<http://www.hotels-austria.com/vienna-info/wien-practrestaurants.htm>

<https://www.austria.info/en/where-to-go/cities/vienna>

City map with address finder: <http://www.wien.gv.at/stadtplan/suche.asp?lang=en>

Visa:

Participants, if stipulated under the Austrian law, are asked to make their own arrangements for securing a visa for entry into Austria. Further details can be found on www.bmeia.gv.at.

In case a letter of confirmation of participation for visa requirements is needed, please address your visa queries together with information on the date as well as a copy of the passport by E-mail to sanavbar.gurukova@osce.org.

General information:

Currency: Euro

Electric current: The standard voltage throughout Austria is 220V.

Medical help: A first aid room is located on the ground floor of the Hofburg/conference venue.

Time: Vienna time differs from Greenwich time by + 1 hour

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To the full extent permitted under applicable law, neither the OSCE or any of its officials, employees or other representatives shall be liable for loss or damage, however caused, arising out of or in connection with the participation in this conference. This is a comprehensive limitation of liability that applies to damages of any kind, including, without limitation, personal injury, health, loss of, or damage to, property and claims of third parties.

Please note that the Meeting will be **audio and video recorded** for internal reporting purposes. The recordings will not be shared further. Photographs of this event may be taken and used by the OSCE for publication purposes.

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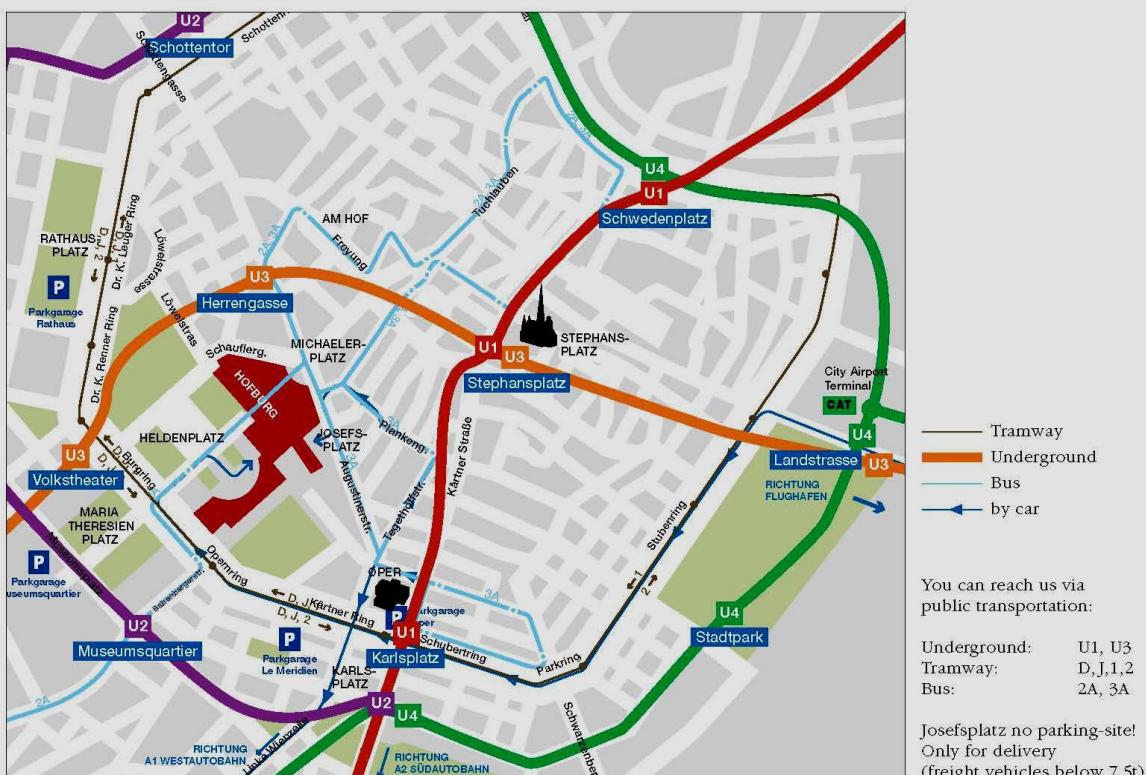
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HOFBURG LOCATION MAP

Map A - Overview



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Vienna	Hotel GRAND FERDINAND	www.grandferdinand.com reservations.weitzer.com
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