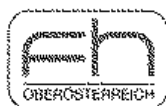
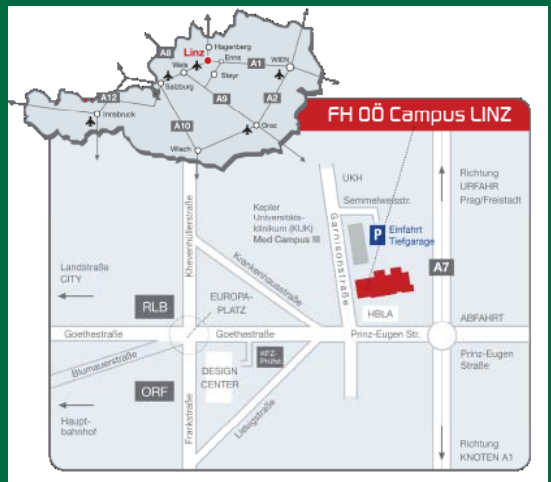


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International Days

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The Department of Social Work and the International Office Linz are inviting teachers and students to join us for a 6-day programme of lectures, workshops and cultural activities – offering everyone the chance to meet people from different countries and to look at Social Work from an international and intercultural perspective. In addition, we will visit social organisations active in a variety of different areas, such as child and family welfare, immigration or homelessness.

As people are becoming increasingly mobile in a globalized world, more and more individuals are finding themselves uprooted and thrown into a completely new environment, struggling to rebuild their existences many times over and to find consistency in the midst of the most radical changes. Globalization has ushered in an age of vastly increased diversity – for some, a spectre of limitless proportions...for others, a welcome chance to clearly recognize, beyond all differences, that which is essentially human. What can social work do to help people embrace their fellow human beings, to embrace the diversity of humankind?

Students who join and complete the programme will receive up to 2 ECTS.

Application

To apply for the International Days, please fill in the registration form and send it to iwona.hunstorfer@fh-linz.at.

The application deadline is 31st January 2017.

Accommodation

Students: We recommend to book individually with Airbnb (www.airbnb.com) as this is the cheapest way of staying in Linz at the moment

Teachers: Linz offers a variety of hotels at different price levels. We will send you some recommendations later on.



Preliminary Programme

Monday, 5th June 2017

>> Culture and Sightseeing Trip to Hallstatt/Dachstein Mountain (optional)

Tuesday, 6th June 2017

>> Welcome
>> Key Note Speech
>> Lecture/Workshop
>> Linz City Tour
>> Welcome Dinner

Wednesday, 7th June 2017

>> Lectures/Workshops
>> Site Visit

Thursday, 8th June 2017

>> Lectures/Workshops
>> Site Visit

Friday, 9th June 2017

>> Closing Session
>> Evaluation
>> Farewell Lunch

Contact

If you have further questions regarding the International Days please don't hesitate to contact the International Office Linz (iwona.hunstorfer@fh-linz.at)

We are looking forward to meeting you in Linz!

