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A little Viennese-German-English dictionary

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Habe die Ehre!	Hello/good day
Dere!	Hi! (informal)
Serwas!	Hi! (informal)
Bim/Tram(way)	Tram/streetcar
Fiaker	Horse-drawn carriage
Sackerl	Carrier bag
Heuriger	Wine tavern
Schanigarten	Sidewalk café
Erdäpfel(salat)	Potato (salad)
Paradeiser(salat)	Tomato (salad)
Semmel/Gebäck	Bread roll
Palatschinke	Pancake
Melange	Typically Viennese coffee with milk froth
Grätzel	Neighborhood
G'spritzer	White wine spritzer
Kracherl	Soda
Seiterl	Small beer
Krügerl	Large beer
Haberer	Friend/ acquaintance
Kieberer	Police officer (informal)
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City walks at a glance

Fancy exploring Vienna on foot? Then this is the perfect publication for you! Literally, as *route* is all about city walks. The best way to discover just how enjoyable, relaxing and charming Vienna is. A practical guide with pull-out city walks categorized by topic that will show you special routes to special locations in the city. You can either go for a classic voyage of discovery with a Jugend-stil-inspired walk, or one along the Ringstrasse boulevard, or maybe you'd prefer to go off the beaten track. If so, you can set off on the trail of Sigmund Freud's Vienna and the age of Red Vienna. Whichever direction you pick, we hope you enjoy these fascinating walks through the city.



Duration: 2 hours Discover the world's most beautiful boulevard: a lap of the Ringstrasse.

Art nouveau

Duration: 1.5 hours Fantastic ornamentation and beautiful facades: discover the beauty of Austrian art nouveau.

First district

Duration: 1.5 hours Imperial architecture and cozy coffeehouses: the highlights of the first district.

4 Musical Vienna

Duration: 1.5 hours
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in the city's top music venues.

5 Sigmund Freud

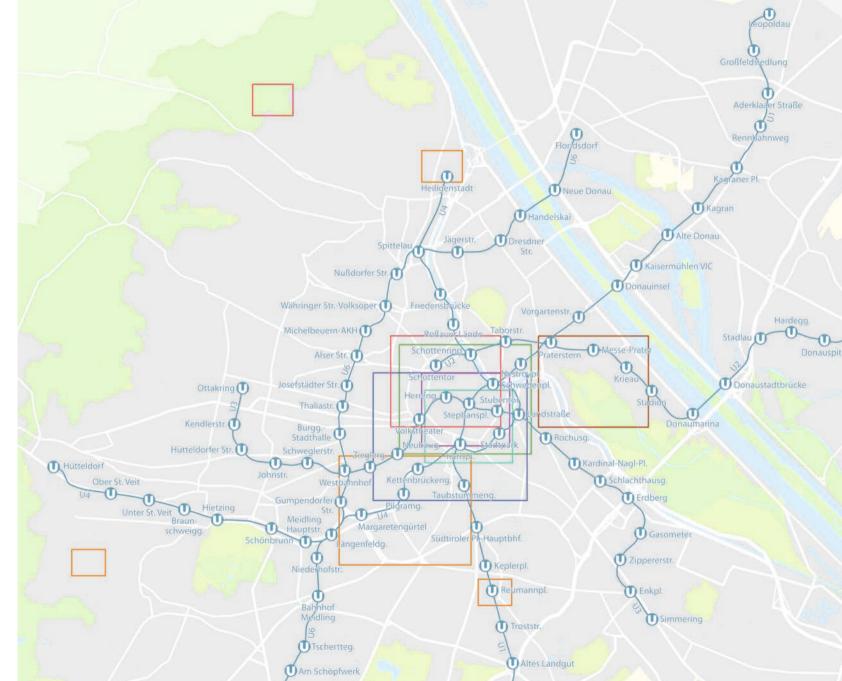
Duration: 4 hours Around Sigmund Freud's Vienna: where he lived, drank coffee and floated grand ideas.

6 Red Vienna

Duration: 4 hours On the trail of Red Vienna: a walk inspired by a unique era in Viennese history.

Vienna World's Fair 1873

> Duration: 2–2.5 hours On the trail of the Vienna World's Fair, which took place 150 years ago.



1 Ringstrasse



Walking time: 2 hours

Vienna's showpiece Ringstrasse boulevard leads us to many of the city's most important sights. Every few meters, another monumental building, magnificent park or culinary hotspot awaits. The 5.3-kilometer, tree-lined stretch is best explored on foot, by bike or on the tram.

A lap of the world's most beautiful boulevard

First things first: you can start your Ringstrasse tour whenever you want, at any point on this almost perfectly circular route. Starting from Schwedenplatz we see the Urania observatory on the left and continue clockwise, in the same direction as the road traffic – but remember that

TIP: Stop for a snack at one of the numerous sausage stands on the Ringstrasse, such as Zum scharfen René on Schwarzenbergplatz.

the trams travel in both directions. At the Stubenring section of the Ringstrasse we come to the MAK – Museum of Applied Arts, the first museum to be built on the boulevard, in 1871. A stone's throw away, it's time for coffee and cake at Café Prückel, famed for its 1950s interior decor. Any walk along the Ringstrasse has to include a stroll through the 10-hectare Stadtpark, which is home to the famous gilt statue of the waltz king, Johann Strauss. A look inside the opulent Vienna State Opera – which also offers tours – is



THE RINGSTRASSE
THE PERFECT PLACE TO DISCOVER VIENNA

another must. Next up, take a breather with a picnic in the beautiful Burggarten or a quick detour to the Palmenhaus café-restaurant. Batteries recharged, we stroll across Heldenplatz taking in the majesty of the Hofburg before heading for the twin museums on the other side of the road – the world-famous Kunsthistorisches Museum Vienna brimming with priceless artworks including the Kunstkammer, and the Naturhistorisches Museum Vienna, which has one of the world's leading natural history collections. The next architectural gem is right next door: the Parliament building, which has echoes of an ancient temple. Following a complete refurbishment until the beginning of 2023, the building is now even shinier than before. Things continue in a Greek vein with the Theseus



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GREAT INSIDER TIP: THE COLONNADED ARKADENHOF COURTYARD

Temple in the Volksgarten on the opposite side of the Ringstrasse. This beautiful park is best known for its 3,000 rose bushes. Leaving via the exit on Josef-Meinrad-Platz, we emerge in front of the Burgtheater – the largest theater in the German-speaking countries – and directly opposite City Hall (Rathaus), the political center of the City of Vienna. After a stop at the main building of the University of Vienna (make sure you check out the colonnaded Arkadenhof courtyard), we continue past the Votivkirche church and the stock exchange building (Börse), towards our starting point via Franz-Josef-Kai. Thirsty for more? Then how about some of the "second tier" highlights. Set back slightly from the Ringstrasse, these include the Secession, Justizpalast, Musikverein, Wiener Konzerthaus and many more.



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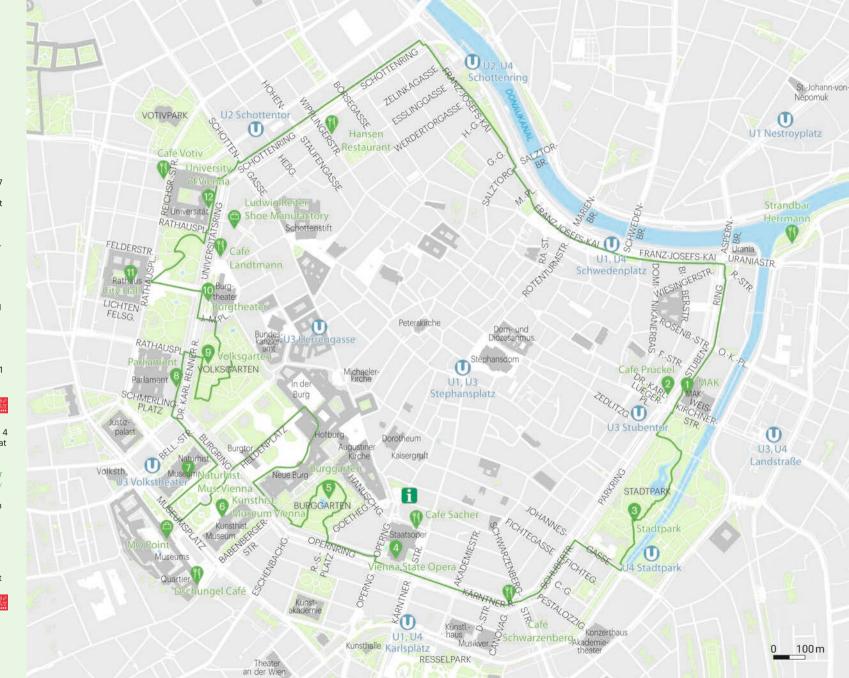
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2 Art nouveau



Walking time: 1.5 hours

Turn-of-the-century Vienna was shaped by Jugendstil, or Austrian art nouveau. To this day, examples from this golden era can be found around virtually every corner. More than any other, it was architect Otto Wagner who changed the face of the city – and his work continues to leave a lasting impression to this day. The artists of the Jugendstil period struck out in a completely new direction considered revolutionary at the time.

Gilt revolution: discover Viennese Jugendstil

Our tour starts at the Ankeruhr. This world-famous art nouveau musical clock designed by painter Franz Matsch is in fact a walkway that connects two neighboring buildings. A dozen historical figures pass along its face during the course of each 12-hour cycle. At noon each day, they all file out together to music. And if you

The ground floor of the Secession is used for contemporary art exhibitions, while Klimt's Beethoven Frieze is on display on the basement level.

are caught short, the art nouveau public conveniences on Graben are on the way. This lavish public restroom was the first – and by far the most attractive – below-ground WC to be built during the Jugendstil era. And relaxed, now we can turn our attention to shopping. The Augarten flagship store still sells porcelainware designed by Josef Hoffmann, co-founder of the legendary Wiener Werkstätte. Art-nouveau-inspired handicrafts are the order of the day at Österreichische Werkstätten.



OTTO WAGNER PAVILION ON KARLSPLATZ THE STADTBAHN RAII WAY WAS AMONG WAGNER'S PRINCIPAL WORKS

Cushion covers from Backhausen, vases, jewelry and countless other treasures make the perfect Vienna keepsakes. Our route continues along Kärntner Strasse towards Karlsplatz where the twin Otto Wagner pavilions merit our full attention.

This pair of pavilions was designed by the visionary architect Wagner as station buildings for the Stadtbahn railway. One is home to a café, while in the other the Wien Museum has a summer exhibition chronicling Wagner's life and work. And now we come to the most famous of all the Viennese art nouveau buildings - the Secession, whose striking gold dome is visible from a considerable distance. Built in 1898/99 by Joseph Maria Olbrich, the Secession building sent out a clear signal of Viennese Modernism's break with historicism. The Secession acted as the HQ for a group of young artists fronted by Gustav Klimt. Next, we wander along the Wienzeile to the famous apartment buildings designed by Otto Wagner. Built around 1900, they caused a huge stir as they - like the Secession - were a clear statement of intent for nascent Viennese Modernism. The famous Majolikahaus is clad with floral ceramic tiles, while the facade of the apartment building next door is resplendent with ornamental golden reliefs dreamt up by Koloman Moser. Now it is high time for a break, which we will take in the nearby Rüdigerhof, a café with an idyllic, leafy outdoor seating area that radiates Jugendstil beauty on the outside. The interiors are from the 1950s.



JUGENDSTIL APARTMENT BUILDINGS BY OTTO WAGNER ON THE WIENZEILE THE FACADES ARE AMONG VIENNA'S MOST INSTANTLY RECOGNIZABLE



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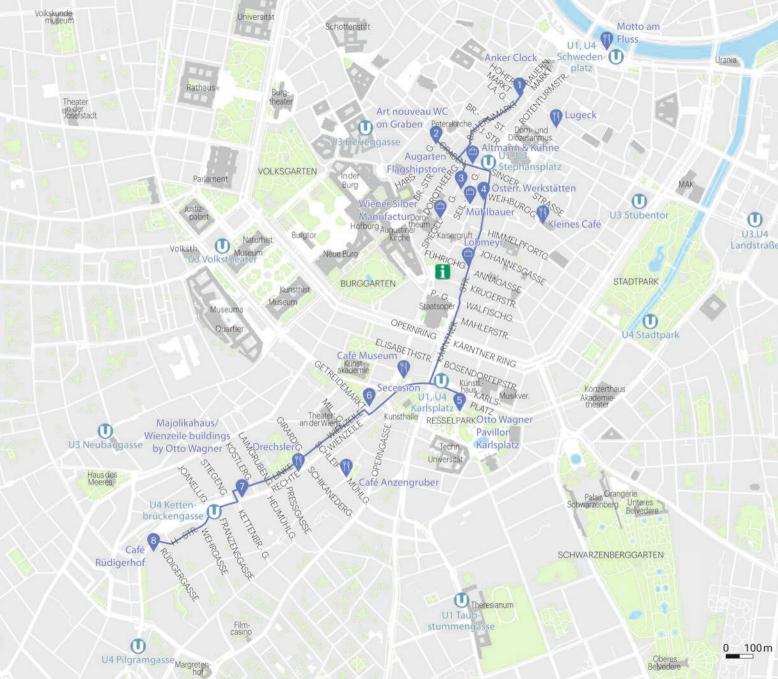
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6, Linke Wienzeile 22 drechsler-wien.at

Café Anzengruber

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Walking time: 1.5 hours

The first district – also known as the old town, or simply "the first" – is located inside the Ringstrasse. This part of town has been a bustling center ever since the days of the empire. And today, there is always something to see – in the pedestrianized zones and luxury shopping streets dripping with imperial grandeur, as well as in the city's historic coffeehouses, sidewalk cafes and cultural institutions.

Vienna's heart of gold: a tour of the old town

With the route in hand, we start the tour at Tourist Info on Albertinaplatz. Two top sights are located there right away: the Vienna State Opera, where music is played on 300 days of the year. And the Albertina, where the world-famous field hare by Albrecht Dürer is kept and can be seen irregularly – usually the deceptively real-looking copy is on display. The building itself is also interesting as it sits atop one of the final remains of Vienna's bastion walls.

Close to Schwedenplatz, the Bermuda
Triangle – one of the
city's oldest nightspots – can be found
between Rabensteig
and Ruprechtsplatz.
Given the sheer volume
of bars and restaurants
concentrated here,
there is something to
suit everyone.

After a lap around the Vienna State Opera, the tour continues via Hanuschgasse to the Burggarten. Passing by the Palmenhaus from the time around 1900, we arrive at the Mozart Monument, which looks at a bed of flowers in the shape of a treble clef.

The walk continues to Heldenplatz. Here, one of the biggest palace complexes in the world, the Imperial Palace, comes into view. The Habsburg emperors resided and ruled from there until 1918. Today, it is home to the office of the Federal President, a congress center, the Imperial Treasury, and the Sisi Museum. The route takes us further through the Michaelertor gate onto Michaelerplatz with the church



BURGGARTEN
ONE OF THE LEAFIEST SPOTS ON THE RINGSTRASSE

of the same name, the Loos House, a pioneering structure of Vienna Modernism, and excavations from the Roman era. Past the stables of the Spanish Riding School you will reach the Café Bräunerhof, a traditional coffeehouse with live piano music on Sundays.

Via Plankengasse and across Neuer Markt, we arrive at Kärntner Strasse. This is where shopping hearts beat faster! For example, world-famous chandeliers and glassware are sold at the traditional Viennese manufactory J. & L. Lobmeyr. Many other stores line the city's best-known street, at the end of which stands Vienna's icon: St. Stephen's Cathedral. It was built in the Gothic style



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and has four towers. The tallest of these is the south tower at 136.44 meters. Since 1891, another imposing building has stood diagonally opposite: The Equitablepalais, named – as usual – after the client: A New York life insurance company. The walk continues along Graben with its imposing plague column.

We walk along Tuchlauben to the Goldenes Quartier, Vienna's luxury shopping quarter. If you need refreshments and also want to know where to go to see and be seen then take a detour to the Schwarzes Kameel on Bognergasse. Via Hoher Markt and the beautiful Art Nouveau Anker Clock, we arrive at Judengasse. In the many bars of the Bermuda Triangle neighborhood, a young crowd meets ancient city walls. The Ruprechtsviertel with St. Rupert's Church is the oldest city district in Vienna and leads us via the Ruprechtsstiege steps to Schwedenplatz.



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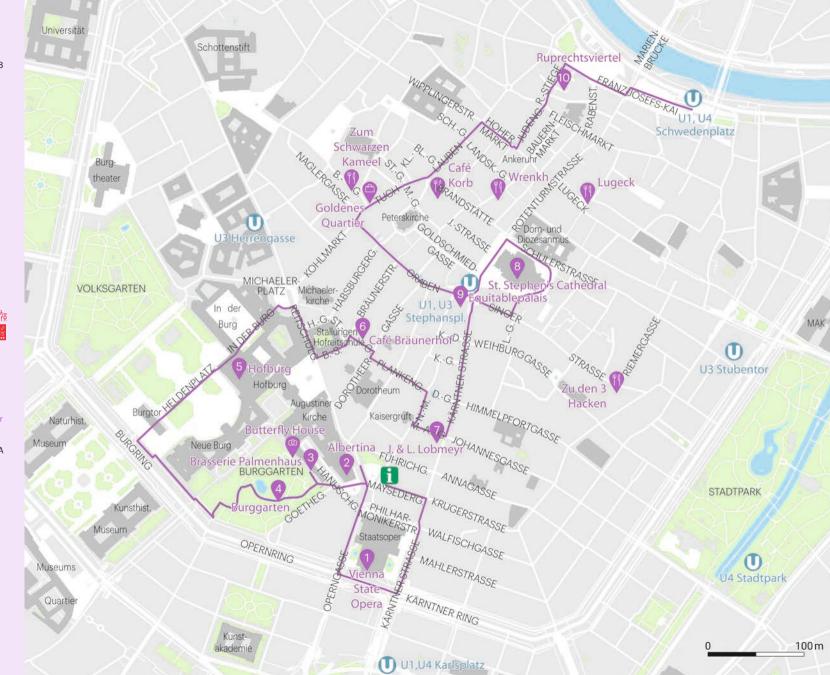
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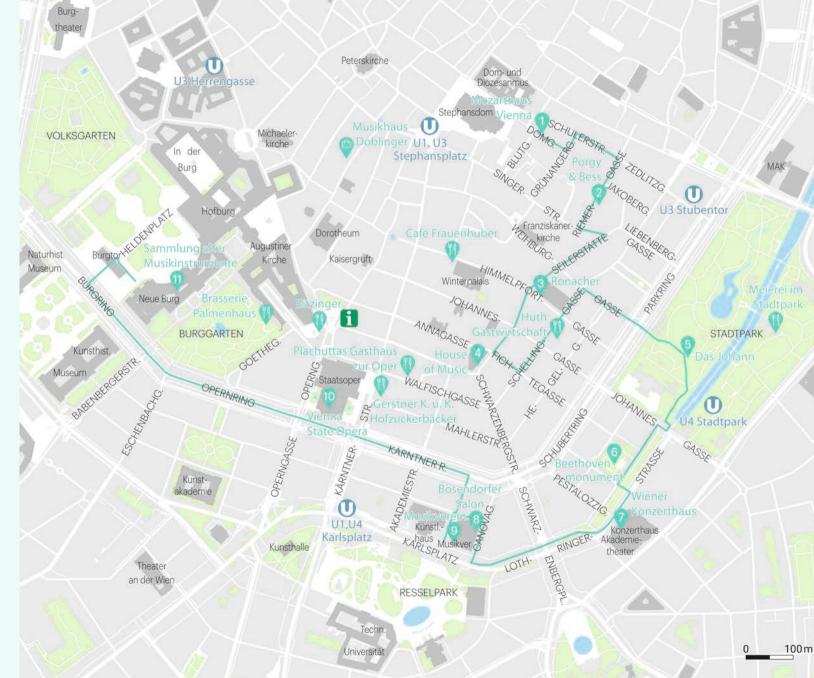
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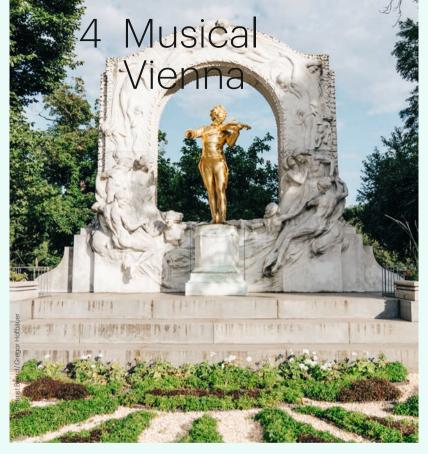
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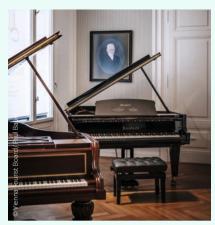
HOUSE OF MUSIC
TAKE UP THE BATON AT VIENNA'S SOUND MUSEUM

golden Johann Strauss memorial. The waltz king frequently performed in the Kursalon right next to it. Just a few steps farther on we encounter the next giant from the pantheon of Viennese music greats: Ludwig van Beethoven. As grim-faced as he was, his compositions – such as Ode to Joy – were truly beautiful. Right opposite is the art nouveau Wiener Konzerthaus, where so much has played out at the 100,000 or so events it has hosted since it was opened by the Emperor in 1913. From Bach to Pop. Our next destination is the Bösendorfer Salon – the flagship store



Walking time: 1.5 hours

Vienna, the capital of music. Where music is in the air. So much so, in fact, that you can go for a wander around the first district with no particular destination in mind and still come across places with musical ties every few meters. All of this means that our walk just features a selection – the greatest hits, in a manner of speaking. We will explore historical music sites, monuments and the present-day venues: taking in a bit of everything from opera and classical to jazz, musical and pop.



BÖSENDORFER SALON
THE FAMOUS PIANO MAKER'S FLAGSHIP STORE

of the world-famous piano maker of the same name. It takes 587 hours of painstaking handcraftsmanship to create a bespoke Bösendorfer – so hardly the place for shopping on the fly. The same building hosts the Musikverein, one of the most musical places in all of Vienna, if not the whole world. The Vienna Philharmonic perform the New Year's Day Concert at the Goldener Saal. Theophil Hansen's Ringstrasse building is a classical temple in every sense of the word. Moving on, we make our way to the Vienna State Opera. Another architectural masterpiece and a heavy hitter on the international music scene. Our music walk reaches a crescendo in the imperial Hofburg complex and the Collection of Historic Musical Instruments: a Habsburg treasure trove featuring 850 exhibits.



VIENNA STATE OPERA
PLENTY OF DRAMA AWAITS ON THE
RINGSTRASSE BOULEVARD



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2 Altes AKH -University of Vienna campus

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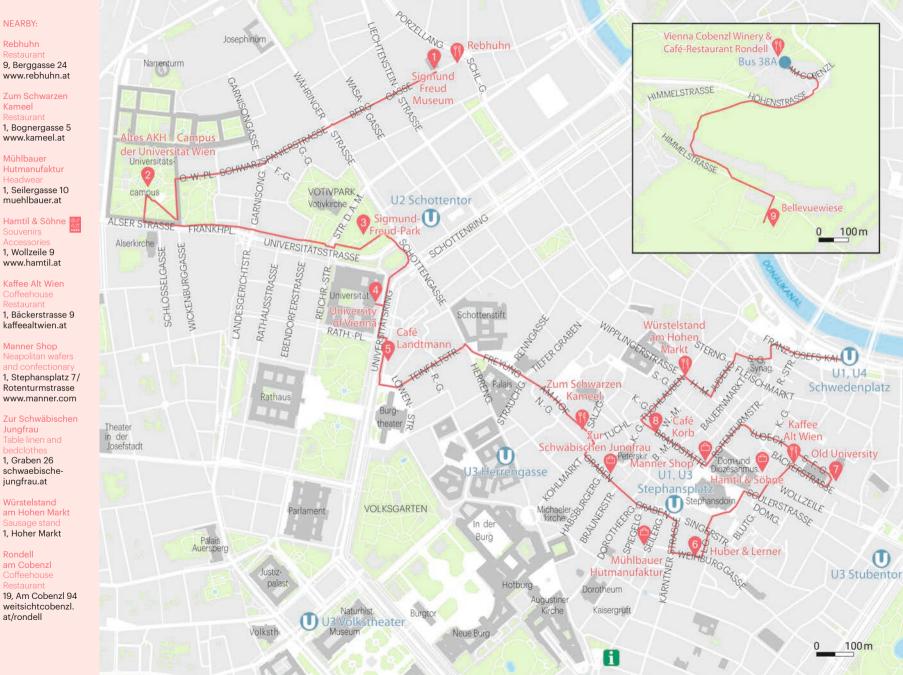
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Around Sigmund Freud's Vienna

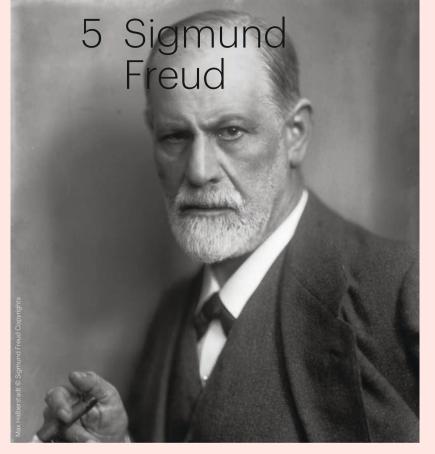
Berggasse 19 in the ninth district. Anyone looking to retrace the footsteps of Sigmund Freud automatically gravitates to this address – the birthplace of psychoanalysis. The Sigmund Freud Museum gives us access to both the private apartment and the famous consultation rooms in which Freud worked for almost half

After all that, we recommend calling in at the Weingut Cobenzl winery. Here, close to the Bellevuewiese you can lap up the views of Vienna over a picnic.

a century, between 1891 and 1938. Just a few minutes from Berggasse is the Altes AKH, now the location of the University of Vienna campus. It was at the site of the former general hospital that Freud conducted his research into the anatomy of the brain and the nervous system as a clinical assistant between 1882 and 1885. En route to the university we pass the Sigmund Freud Park, where Freud would often head with his dogs for a short evening walk, and a stone column now stands in his memory. Although Freud never held a chair at the University of Vienna – he would not even be promoted to full professor until 1919 – he was able to establish psychoanalysis worldwide.



SIGMUND FREUD MUSEUM
FREUD'S FAMOUS PRACTICE IS NOW A MUSEUM



Duration: 4 hours

Uses public transportation

Sigmund Freud unlocked the secrets of the human subconscious and revolutionized understanding on how our minds influence our lives. The founding father of psychoanalysis was an archaeologist of the human condition. And fin-de-siècle Vienna was a fertile breeding ground that nurtured his work and unconventional ideas. Let's embark on a journey back in time through Freud's Vienna to gain a deeper insight into his unusual life.

A statue (no. 97) stands in tribute to the founder of psychoanalysis in the Arkadenhof, the colonnaded courtyard at the University of Vienna. Close to the university is Café Landtmann, where the avid cigar smoker and chess player was a regular patron. Crossing Freyung, Bognergasse, Graben and Kärntner Strasse, we come to Weihburggasse. It was at traditional stationary suppliers Huber & Lerner that Sigmund Freud used to purchase his writing paper. Today, the luxury letterwriting collection preferred by Freud and a faithful reproduction of his personal notepad can be picked up here. Our journey continues through the first district, passing the old university where Sigmund Freud graduated as a doctor of medicine in 1881, to Café Korb, Freud's second-favorite coffeehouse where the Vienna Psychoanalytic Society came together for its meetings.



UNIVERSITY OF VIENNA
THE ARKADENHOE CONTAINS A STATUE OF ERFUD

We walk across Hoher Markt and along Judengasse, passing the synagogue on Seitenstettengasse before getting the U4 subway at Schwedenplatz. To see the place where Sigmund Freud had the famous vision that would later achieve immortality in The Interpretation of Dreams, our route takes us to one of the landmark hills on the city's outskirts. Back on the U4 we travel to the terminus at Heiligenstadt before getting the 38A bus to the Cobenzl car park. After 15 minutes on foot, we arrive at the Bellevuewiese meadow where a monument to this epochal incident provides a lasting reminder of when the secret behind dreams was revealed to Sigmund Freud.



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2 Waschsalon im Karl-Marx-Hof

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 ∇ 5, Margaretengürtel 108

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10. Reumannplatz 13 www.tichy-eis.at

6. Linke Wienzeile

5. Schönbrunner Strasse 30 thell.restaurant

Rori's

5, Pilgramgasse 11 www.roris.at

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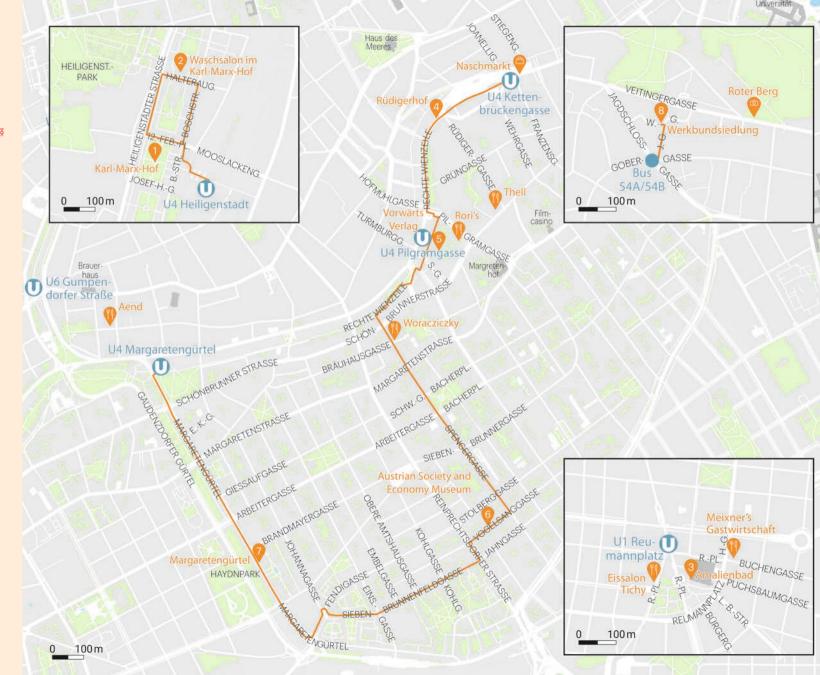


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The second era of Viennese Modernism: on the trail of Red Vienna

To start with, we need to make our way to the last northbound stop of the U4, Heiligenstadt. Right opposite the station is the best-known and most striking of all of Vienna's municipal housing projects. Stretching some 1.1 km, the Karl-Marx-Hof is the longest residential building in the world. The blueprints for the

TIP:
The tree-filled seating area outside Café
Rüdigerhof is one of the leafiest that Vienna has to offer. And it is open until 2 in the morning.

development – which opened in 1930 – were drawn up by Karl Ehn, who learned his trade under Otto Wagner. Focused on the Red Vienna period, the Waschsalon im Karl-Marx-Hof museum is well worth a look. As the name suggests, it is located in a former washhouse at the Karl-Marx-Hof. Our journey continues at Reumannplatz, which we reach via the U4 and U1 subway lines. Here, the Amalienbad swimming baths stand proud before us, like an architectural calling card for Red Vienna. This beautiful art déco pool dates back to 1926. The idea was to create swimming baths that would boost the Viennese working classes' sense of



AMALIENBAD
PALATIAL SWIMMING BATHS FOR VIENNA'S WORKERS BUILT IN 1926



Duration: 4 hours

Uses public transportation

Between 1919 and 1934, political utopia was a reality in Vienna. Welcome to Red Vienna! This walk takes us on a tour of some of the key locations associated with this revolutionary era, during which around 400 municipal housing developments containing 65,000 apartments were built. The visionary architecture and social reforms of the time continue to influence life in the city to this day. Such was its impact that historians sometimes refer to it as the second era of Viennese Modernism.

self-worth. We get back on the U1, change to the U4 at Karlsplatz and travel to Kettenbrückengasse. Right next to Naschmarkt, we find the Rüdigerhof – which ranks among the most important of all the Viennese art nouveau buildings – and the legendary Café Rüdigerhof. This leafy courtyard was once a key meeting place for the social democratic workers' party. Why? Because the Vorwärts Verlag publishing house, one of the nerve centers of Red Vienna, was just around the corner. Next up: the Austrian Society and Economy Museum, another place steeped in the legend of one of the greatest thinkers of Red Vienna: Otto Neurath, inventor of the Viennese method of pictorial statistics, which would shoot to international prominence under the name Isotype.



WERKBUNDSIEDLUNG
RICHARD NEUTRA AND ADOLF LOOS WERE AMONG THE ARCHITECTS

The Margaretengürtel section of the Gürtel beltway is another Red Vienna hotspot. Nowhere else in the city will you find as many social housing developments concentrated in such close proximity. The Viennese sometimes like to call it the Ringstrasse of the Proletariat. The Reumannhof building at Margaretengürtel 108 is particularly worth a look. We head for the Margaretengürtel U4 subway station and travel in the direction of Hütteldorf to Ober St. Veit, where we get either the 54A or 54B bus to Gobergasse where a genuine highlight awaits: the Werkbundsiedlung is an architectural counterstatement to the gigantic Red Vienna superblocks. The development comprises numerous small but functional homes designed by leading architects of the day, including Adolf Loos, Josef Frank and Richard Neutra.



Mon-Sun 11:00-23:00 (middle of March to the end of October) www.schweizerhaus.at

Panorama Vienna

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www.viertel-zwei.at

www.wu.ac.at

5 Krieau harness racing track

2. Nordportalstrasse 247 www.krieau.at

6 Praterateliers

2. Meiereistrasse 3 www.praterateliers.at

7 Konstantinhügel

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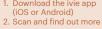


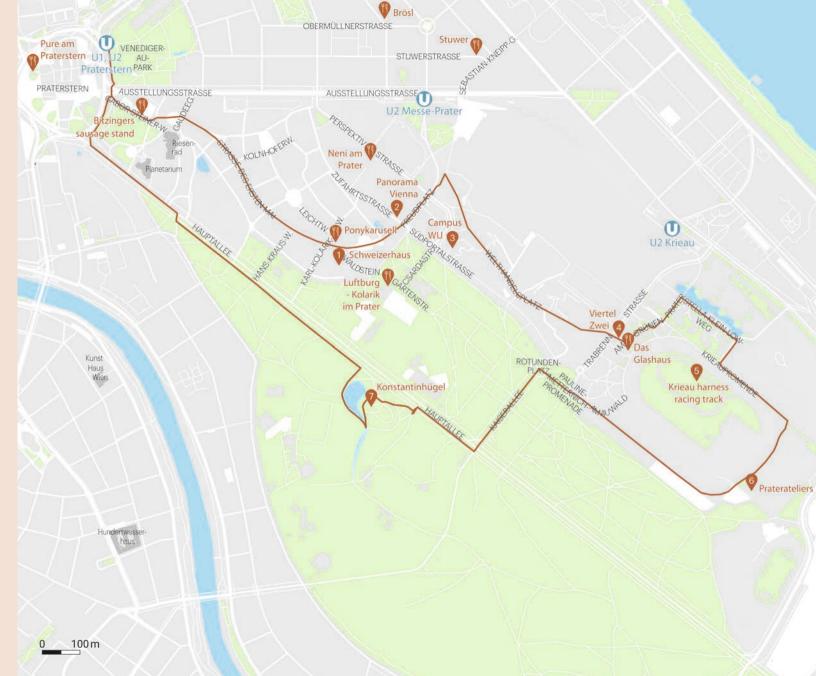
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On the way under the banner of the Vienna World's Fair

We start at Praterstern and throw ourselves into the exciting hubbub of the Wurstelprater amusement park. We follow the road "Strasse des 1. Mai", home to an iconic Prater restaurant: the Schweizerhaus, which was already welcoming guests back in 1873 during the World's Fair. Around 200 meters further along, we

TIP:
A contemporary interpretation of a Viennese restaurant: At Brösl, near Messe Wien, the cooking is creative and seasonal. And (almost) without meat.

come across a new Prater attraction called Panorama Vienna, which will present panoramic images on an area of 3,200 square meters from late summer 2023. Panorama Vienna, a circular building, refers to the legendary World's Fair rotunda of 1873, which burned to the ground in 1937. We cross over Freudplatz and turn right into Campus WU – the site of the Vienna University



VIERTEL ZWEI
SUPERB EXAMPI F OF VIENNESF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

of Economics and Business, where the central area of the Vienna World's Fair was located in 1873. The spectacular architecture of Campus WU was designed by international award-winning architects. The library building with its imposing overhanging façade is by Zaha Hadid. We leave the Campus and head into Viertel Zwei. Welcome to a special place of contemporary Vienna, because Viertel Zwei is a superb example of Viennese urban development,



Walking time: 2-2.5 hours

The 1873 Vienna World's Fair was the major event that kick-started Vienna's development into a global city. This walk leads us to places in the Prater area that are closely associated with the World's Fair. We will traverse the former World's Fair site, which is one of the most spectacular new places in Vienna today, and come across quirky relics from the past.

combining modern architecture, historic relics, and a big bunch of greenery including an imposing stretch of water. We walk along the pond, turn sharp right at its end and head towards the Krieau harness racing track. We pass by the outline of the racing track to our left and at its lower end, where extensive building work is currently taking place, we come across the Praterateliers – the last remaining pavilions of the World's Fair, which are used as sculptors' studios today. We continue across the car park of the harness racing track and walk towards the Green Prater. Having arrived at Prater Hauptallee, or main avenue, we continue for 200 meters and arrive at some curious relics of the World's Fair – Konstantinhügel and the footbridge of the same name. This little hill was actually heaped up using the excavated material of the rotunda – once a popular excursion destination. After that, we follow the Prater Hauptallee and arrive back at Praterstern.



KONSTANTINSTEG
CURIOS RELICS OF THE WORLD'S FAIR