BUILDING SUSTAINABLE AND FUTURE-PROOF EDUCATION SYSTEMS

How can families contribute to a paradigm shift?

Graz, Austria
4-5 October 2018

INFORMATION PACK

1/ AGENDA

Thursday 4th October: Visit of Graz + Cocktail dinner
16.00-17.00: Guided visit of the City of Graz
19.00-22.00: Dinner @ Restaurant Schlossberg, Am Schloßberg 7, 8010 Graz.

Friday 5th October:
08.30-16.00: Conference “Building sustainable and future-proof education systems: How can families contribute to a paradigm shift?” @ Congress Graz, Kammermusiksaal, Albrechtgasse 1, 8010 Graz

2/ ACCOMMODATION: hotel Das Weitzer and hotel Wiesler (same street location)

Please note that COFACE has already booked and paid in advance the rooms for some of its members and guests at the Das Weitzer hotel Grieskai 12-14, and the Hotel Wiesler, Grieskai 4-8, 8020 Graz.
Contact person: Elisabeth Waldbauer B.A., Reservations Manager, Tel.: +43 316 703-604, elisabeth.waldbauer@weitzer.com

3/ LOCAL TRANSPORT

All the info here: https://hotelwiesler.com/en/service/arrival/

Bus:
Public busses ensure a smooth and convenient transfer between Graz (main station / Jakominiplatz) and Graz Airport. The bus stop is right outside the passenger terminal, right next to the departure area. The price for a one-way trip is 2.30 euros. Schedules here.
The airport bus takes you directly to Jakominiplatz, then you need to walk 11 minutes (see map below and here).

Taxi:
Alternatively you can also take a taxi (25 euros) that may be reimbursed if you are entitled to, for the following reasons:
- travel to and from the airport to the meeting venue or hotel between 22.00 and 6.00.
- if there is no public transport available (e.g. strike, remote location)
- if the traveller can justify the use of taxi for other reasons (illness, reduced mobility…etc.)
4/ VENUES

A/ Visit of the historic Center - Graz City Hall – Hauptplatz 1, 8010 Graz (4/10)

The Graz City Hall will be our point of departure for the English city tour through the historic center – there will be a professional guide by invitation of the City of Graz, from 16.00 to 17.00.

It takes 6 minutes by foot from the hotel Wiesler and Das Weitzer to go there, map here.
The dinner will be served in Restaurant Schlossberg, Am Schloßberg 7, 8010 Graz, www.schlossberggraz.at, from 19.00 to 22.00. It will be cofinanced by the Provincial governor Herrmann Schützenhöfer (represented by Provincial Minister for Europe, Barbara Eibinger-Miedl, who will hold the welcome speech) and the Mayor of Graz, Siegfried Nagl. – the National Minister for Families, Women and Youth, Juliane Bogner-Strauss, will also be present).

We will use an elevator to go there, we will meet at the City Hall.
C/ Conference: Congress Graz, Kammermusiksaal, Albrechtgasse 1, 8010 Graz (5/10)

The Conference will be held at the Congress Graz, Kammermusiksaal, Albrechtgasse 1, 8010 Graz, www.mcg.at/congress.graz

It takes 3 minutes by foot from the hotel Wiesler and Das Weitzer to go there, map here.
5/ REIMBURSEMENTS
Please send us by regular postal service to the address of the COFACE Secretariat the expenses form you will receive dated and signed, as well as the original documentary proofs (boarding cards of your flight, transport tickets...) before the 5th of November 2018 if you are entitled to claim any expense. Unjustified amounts will not be refunded (minibar, telephone expenses...).

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