

BYPAD Travel Information



Travel options to Graz

From **Airport Graz Thalerhof (GRZ)** you can take the train "S5" to Graz Central Station or the busses "630" and "631" to Jakominiplatz (which is the square close to the FGM-AMOR office). Train ride will take about 18 minutes and with the bus about 25 minutes. If you use public transport, you need a valid ticket for the transport zone 101 (= Graz and surrounding) – there are ticket machines at the airport and the train station. The hourly ticket for the bus can also be bought in the bus.

Hourly tickets for this zone cost 2,50 €. To find your best connections use the Route Planner at the website <https://verbundlinie.at/en/>

From **Vienna Airport (VIE)** there are only few train connections directly from the airport to Graz Central Station, mainly you have to change trains at Vienna Central Station or the station Wien Meidling. To find your best connections use the Route Planner at the website <https://www.oebb.at/en/>. The single ticket costs about 30 €. The ride will take about 3,5 hours. It is recommended to choose the direct bus connection Flixbus from Vienna Airport to the city center of Graz (station "Giradigasse" which is nearby Jakominiplatz): [Route Planner Flixbus](#)

The single ticket costs about 17,50 € (costs depending on the departure time of the bus). Please consider that a Flixbus ticket has to be booked in advance!

Hotel suggestions for your stay

Augarten Art Hotel ****

Schönaugasse 53 | 8010 Graz

+43/316/208 00 80 | office@augartenhotel.at | [Hotel Augarten](#)

Price for business room: from 95 € / night

Hotel Gollner ****

Schlögelgasse 14 | 8010 Graz

+43/316/822 52 10 | office@hotelgollner.com | [Hotel Gollner](#)

Price for economy single room: from 84 € / night | Basic single room: from 89 € / night

| Bussines single room: from 94 € / night

Palais Hotel Erzherzog Johann ****

Sackstraße 3-5 | 8010 Graz

+43/316/811 616 | rezeption@erzherzog-johann.com | [Hotel Erzherzog Johann](http://www.erzherzog-johann.com)

Price for classic single room: from 85 € / night

Hotel Mariahilf ***

Mariahilferstraße 9 | 8020 Graz

+43/316/71 31 63 | rezeption@hotelmariahilf.at | [Website Hotel Mariahilf](http://www.hotelmariahilf.at)

Price for superior single room: from 60 € / night

Gasthof/Pension "Zur Steirerstub'n" ****

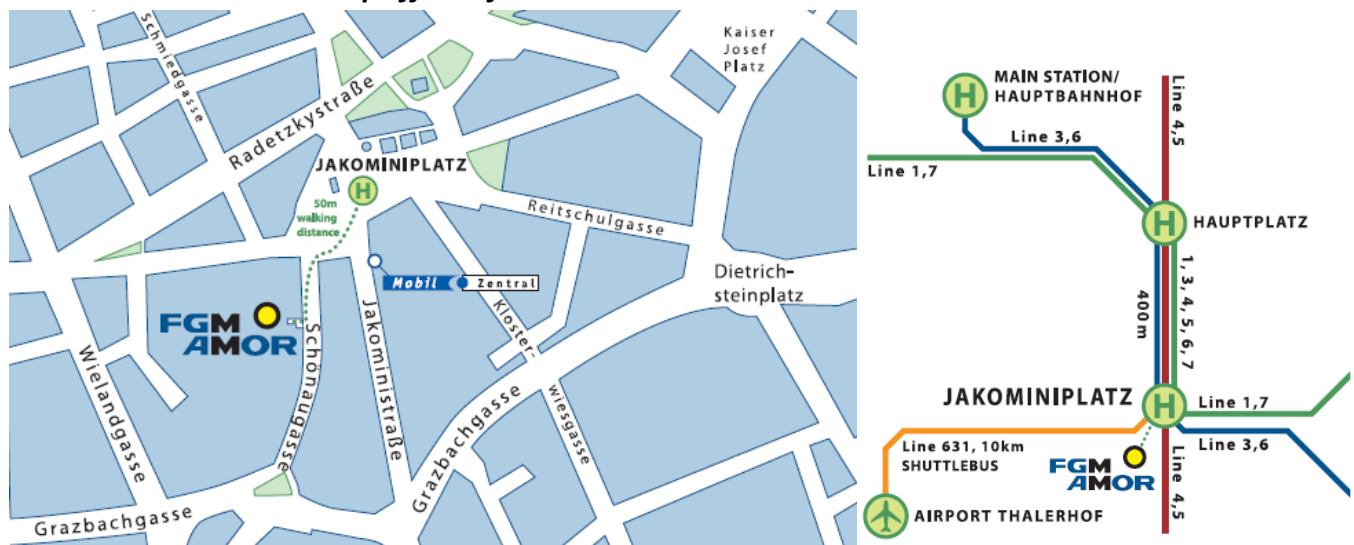
Lendplatz 8 | 8020 Graz

+043 / 316 / 71 68 55 | office@pension-graz.at | <http://www.pension-graz.at>

Price for single room: from 59 € / night

In the city center there are many apartments and guest houses that you can book via [booking.com](http://www.booking.com).

How to reach the venue | office of FGM-AMOR



The office of FGM-AMOR is the venue and is located in Schönaugasse 8 in a courtyard. Access to the courtyard is blocked by a gate, a separate door is not locked and can be opened by pulling.

The office is close to the public transport stop and square "Jakominiplatz" (50 m walking distance). You can reach it with all tram lines and most bus lines.

Online Routing for public transport in Graz: <http://busbahnbim.at>

For a detailed city map see: <http://www.graz.at/stadtplan>

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Discover Graz in advance

www.graztourismus.at | www.visitgraz.com | www.graz.at

Welcome to Graz

A splendid clock tower, Graz's emblem, keeps watch from the tree-clothed Schlossberg hill that's crowned by 16th-century ramparts. In the valley below, the River Mur fast-ows along its stony bed. Between the two lies an Old Town of immense charm. Church towers punctuate red roofs, narrow streets, winding alleys, grand squares and hidden courtyards. The architecture is a pleasing mix of prettily painted buildings in marzipan colours, fancy gables, ornate palaces, Gothic windows and Baroque façades.

The Old Town is a UNESCO World Heritage site, but Graz, Austria's second largest city and capital of the Styria region, is no museum piece. Innovative modern architecture slips seamlessly into its medieval fabric. The extra-terrestrial-like Kunsthaus, and the shell-shaped Island in the Mur, both opened to celebrate Graz's year as European Capital of Culture in 2003, reflect this university city's forward-looking attitude.

Narrow passageways lead to arcaded inner courtyards – there are around 50 of them. A spectacular one, the Generalihof, hosts open air jazz concerts. While Graz is billed as Austria's jazz capital, it's famed too for its opera, theatre and festivals.

Traditional coffee houses are still the place to relax, write postcards and read the paper. Don't miss the splendid Imperial Court Bakery, Edegger-Tax on Hofgasse, with its magnificent wood-carved exterior that's crowned by a double-headed eagle. Meet locals at the two daily farmers' markets, take a riverside walk, explore the wooded slopes of the Schlossberg, and be a culture-culture in the countless museums.

Graz is a great place for meandering, eating well at traditional inns and stylish modern restaurants – and for shopping, from the individuality of boutiques to Austria's biggest department store.

Do & See



+ CLOCK TOWER

Schlossberg | Clock tower

Take the funicular, glass lift or zigzagging steps up the fortress hill for terrific city views.



+ KUNSTHAUS GRAZ

Kunsthaus Graz

Contemporary art in a blue-tinged, bubble-like building with 'nozzles', known as 'the friendly alien'.



+ ISLAND IN THE MUR

Murinsel | Island in the Mur

Anchored in the river, the mussel-shaped 'island' has a café and bar under a glass dome, wave-like blue benches outside for events, and even a maze for kids.



+ ARMOURY

Landeszeughaus | Armoury

The world's largest collection of armour and weaponry – 32,000 items displayed in a 17th century building.



+ LANDHAUS COURTYARD

Landhaus | Courtyard

Beautifully arcaded Italian Renaissance courtyard. The Styrian Provincial Parliament works behind its arched windows.



+ GLOCKENSPIEL

Glockenspielplatz

Be on this charming square to see figures in Styrian dress emerge from an upper window and spin to glockenspiel music.