

HOUSE RULES

These house rules apply to all halls, foyers and other ancillary rooms as well as the open spaces at the locations, Messeplatz 1 and Albrechtgasse 1, 8010 Graz, Austria,

1. All events are subject to the provisions of the Styrian Events Act, the provisions of the business premises approval notice and all terms and conditions of Messe Congress Graz Betriebsgesellschaft m.b.H. (idF MCG), in the currently valid version. The resulting regulations and all official requirements must be strictly observed.
2. By entering the MCG premises, all persons submit to the provisions of these house rules.
3. Admission is only permitted upon presentation of a valid admission ticket or participation authorization. Actor, companion, visitor, participant and other admission tickets only entitle the holder to attend the events for which they were issued. Only authorized persons are permitted to enter locked rooms or areas. Visitors or participants may only stay on the site during the event/opening hours and must leave it at the end of the event/end of opening hours.
4. Visitors or participants who
 - are obviously under the influence of alcohol, medication or drugs;
 - try to bring alcoholic beverages or drugs into the venue without permission;
 - carry objects that can be used for acts of violence as projectiles or otherwise in a way that would seriously disrupt the proper course of the event, such as pyrotechnic objects and smoke bombs in particular, and are not willing to hand them over;
 - have repeatedly disrupted the proper course of events or are not willing to undergo the necessary checks, or who otherwise have reasonable grounds to assume that they will disrupt the proper course of an event;will be denied access or they can be expelled from the premises at any time.
5. After the barrier has been passed, the admission tickets or entitlements to participate are non-transferrable, must be kept until after you have left and must be presented to the control bodies at any time on request. Any misuse of admission tickets or participation authorizations will result in their removal and invalidation as well as the forfeiture of the fee paid or deposited for them and, if necessary, legal action.
6. Visitors or participants may not disrupt an event or disturb other visitors or participants. The instructions of MCG employees and security and supervisory personnel must be followed at all times..
7. The distribution of advertising or propaganda material, tickets, goods and the like is only permitted on the entire MCG premises with the permission of the organizer..
8. The parking of vehicles and the parking of vehicles on MCG's premises is only permitted with MCG's consent. Parking in the forecourt is prohibited by the authorities.
9. Bicycles, vehicles and animals are not permitted. Excluded from this are companion and protection dogs in connection with the necessary ID cards.
10. All rooms and areas are to be treated with care, any contamination and soiling is prohibited on the entire site. In particular, sticking items on walls or sticking up posters is expressly forbidden. Anyone who damages or destroys facilities is fully liable for the damage. Parents or their legal representatives are liable for damage caused by minors.
11. The use and storage of highly flammable objects and liquids is prohibited in the cloakrooms.
12. Access to the performance areas, including their ancillary rooms, cloakrooms and magazines, as well as to the changing rooms of the performers and actors, is only permitted to persons employed there. The stay is only permitted for as long as their presence is necessary.
13. MCG's liability for damages of any kind is excluded.

14. Visitors and participants are not permitted to bring any seating or standing space with them. A ban on taking bottles, glasses, cups, etc., announced by notice or loudspeaker, must be observed.
15. Smoking is prohibited on the entire site. This does not apply to areas specially marked as smoking zones.
16. Coats, jackets, rucksacks, bags, umbrellas and similar items are to be handed in at the cloakroom depending on the nature of the event. The cloakroom price to be paid will be announced.
17. For security reasons, items of clothing, bags and similar containers as well as vehicles can also be checked for their contents.
18. The use or commissioning of drones or similar flying objects, for whatever purpose, is only permitted with the written consent of MCG.
19. Film, video and sound recordings as well as photography are only permitted with the written permission of the organizer made out in the name of the organizer. For safety reasons, flashing lights of any kind may only be used during events if they do not pose any danger to visitors, participants or participants. The visitor or participant acknowledges that the organizer takes film and photo recordings - also of the visitor or participant - on the MCG premises and gives his consent that these recordings may be processed, published, duplicated and distributed by the organizer. If the visitor or participant does not want this, he must expressly prohibit the publication in writing.
20. Non-compliance with the provisions of the present house rules is subject to the penal provisions of the Styrian Events Act in the currently applicable version. Violators may be instructed to leave the premises immediately without refund of the entrance fee and without prejudice to further steps. A house ban can be pronounced. The visitor or participant is liable for damage resulting from non-compliance with the house rules.

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