

Orientation Days for First Year Students September | October 2026

Events and Meetings for all First Year Students

Introduction to IT services and AkademieOnline, IT service (ZID)

Wednesday, September 9th, 2026, 2:00 p.m.–3:30 p.m.

Online meeting, ZOOM: <https://akbild-ac-at.zoom.us/j/61368116944>



Welcome Meeting for first year students with Q&A session

Wednesday, September 30th 2026, 09:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, ground floor, room EA1, Sitzungssaal

Welcome, study information, scholarships, international issues

Ingeborg Erhart, Vice-rector Art | Teaching

Christina Fasching, Student Welcome Center

Accessible studies

Christina Fasching, contact person for accessible studies

Representation of university students

Student Union (ÖH)

Psychological counselling for students

Martin Leupold, human resource development

Exchange and Mobility Programs for Academy students

Angelina Kratschanova, International Office

Equal opportunities and anti-discriminatory practices

Eleonora Ciani, Equal Opportunities Team (AfG)

Gender Class Race Dis_ability Studies

Ingrid Schacherl, Advancement of Women | Gender Studies | Diversity

Lunch break (11:30)

Safe handling of chemicals

Katja Sterflinger, Institute for Natural Sciences and Technology in Art (INTK)

Institutes of the Academy: topics, research fields, course offers

- Institute for Natural Sciences and Technology in Art (INTK, Katja Sterflinger)
- Institute for Conservation-Restoration (IKR, Carolin Bohlmann, Monika Kammer)
- Institute of Fine Arts (IBK, Philip Patkowitsch)
- Institute for Education in the Arts (IKL, Martina Gaigg)
- Institute for Art and Architecture (IKA)
- Institute of Art Theory and Cultural Studies (IKW)

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Semester Welcome Rektorat

Monday, October 5th, 2026, 4:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz

Guided Tour Schillerplatz

Rogin Mougoui

Tuesday, October 6th, 2026, 1:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz, meeting point: entrance

Guided Tour Studio Building Lehárgasse

Rogin Mougoui

Thursday, October 8th, 2026, 12:00 noon

Lehárgasse 8, meeting point: entrance door 1

Guided Tour Paintings Gallery (Gemäldegalerie)

Johannes Karel (English)

Thursday, October 8th, 2026, 4:30–5:30 p.m.

Schillerplatz, 1. floor, entrance paintings gallery

register via e-mail until 06/10: studentwelcome@akbild.ac.at

Guided Tour Karl-Schweighofer-Gasse

tba

Karl-Schweighofer-Gasse 3, meeting point: entrance

Guided Tour Sculpture Studios Kurzbauergasse

Olga Shapovalova

Monday, October 12th, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

Kurzbauergasse 9, meeting point: entrance

Guided Tour Plaster Cast Collection (Glyptothek)

Christian Michlits (English)

Monday, October 12th, 2026, 4:00 p.m.

Lehárgasse 8, meeting point: entrance door 1

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Lecture “Safe Handling of Dangerous Materials in the Visual Arts”

Wilfried Vetter, INTK (German)

Wednesday, October 14th, 2026, 4:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, room EA1, Sitzungssaal

Guided Tour Exhibition „Schwelle“

Vice-rector Ingeborg Erhart

Thursday, October 15th, 2026, 11:00–12:00 noon Schillerplatz 3, 1. floor, Exhibit Gallery

Introduction and Workshop „Accessible Studying—Offers, Advice, Support”

Christina Fasching, contact person accessible studies

Thursday, October 15th, 2026, 4:00–5:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, Mezzanin, room M20

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Introduction to the Library

Andreas Ferus (English)

Thursday, October 22nd, 2026, 10:00–11:00 a.m. Schillerplatz 3, Mezzanin, room M7, library entrance

Introduction to the Library

Andreas Ferus (German)

Thursday, October 22nd, 2026, 11:00–12:00 noon Schillerplatz 3, Mezzanin, room M7, library entrance

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Semester Kick-Off in all Study Programs

Conservation and Restoration:

Thursday, October 1st, 2026, 9:00 a.m.

Kelsenstraße 2, Institute for Conservation and Restoration, ground floor, seminar room 2

Semester Welcome Scenography:

Thursday, October 1st, 2026, 1:00 p.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, 3. floor

Kick off Architecture:

Monday, October 5th, 2026, 10:00–12:00 noon

Schillerplatz 3, 2. floor, room 211a

Semester Welcome Master in Critical Studies:

Tuesday, October 6th, 2026, 10:00 a.m.

Schillerplatz 3, Mezzanin, room M13a

Get Together Education in the Arts:

Friday, October 9th, 2026, 5:00 p.m.

Karl-Schweighofer-Gasse 3, inner courtyard

Curriculum Information Fine Arts Program

Online Introduction to the Fine Arts Curriculum, Curricula Commission Fine Arts

Monday, September 14th, 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Online meeting, ZOOM: <https://akbild-ac-at.zoom.us/j/61553229883?pwd=Fm5shotUbTA2Nlfl8j1Y3KEUlw01x.1>

Introduction to the Fine Arts Curriculum, Q&A session

Curricula Commission Fine Arts

Monday, October 12th, 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, Souterrain, room S15a
(Anatomiesaal)

First meetings of classes in Fine Arts

Art and Intervention | Concept, Wendelien von Oldenborgh

Monday, October 5th 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, door 1, 1. floor, studio space

Art and Time | Performance, Carola Dertnig

Tuesday, October 6th 2026, 10:00 a.m.

Schillerplatz 3, basement, room S21a

Art and Intervention | Public Sphere, Mona Hahn

Tuesday, October 6th, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

Kurzbauergasse 9, 1. Floor, room 1.08

Art and Image | Abstraction, Michaela Eichwald

Tuesday, October 6th 2026, 3:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, 1. floor, room 117

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First meetings of classes in Fine Arts

Art and Time | Film, Emily Wardill

Wednesday, October 7th 2026, 10:00 a.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, door 1, 1. floor,
studio space

Art and Image | Graphics, Christian Schwarzwald

Wednesday, October 7th, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

Schillerplatz 3, basement, room S01

Art and Space | Installation, Nora Schultz

Wednesday, October 7th, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

Kurzbauergasse 9, 1. floor, project room 2

Art and Time | Photography, Agata Madejska

Wednesday, October 7th, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, door 1, ground floor,
room 11

Art and Image | Figuration, tba

Wednesday, October 7th, 2026, 11:00 a.m.

Schillerplatz 3, 1ground floor, room E17

Art and Image | Drawing, Veronika Dirnhofer

Wednesday, October 7th 2026, 1:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, basement, room S05 (Aktsaal)

Art and Image | Expansion, Daniel Richter

Wednesday, October 7th 2026, 1:00 p.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, door 1, 2. floor, study
area LG0211

Art and Time | Media, Constanze Ruhm

Wednesday, October 7th 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, door 1, 1. floor,
media class

Art and Space | Object, Julian Göthe

Wednesday, October 7th 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Kurzbauergasse 9, 1. floor, project room 2

Art and Image | Context, Alice Creischer

Wednesday, October 7th 2026, 3:00 p.m.

Schillerplatz 3, 1. floor, room 116

Art and Intervention | Environment, Judith Huemer

Thursday, October 8th 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Kurzbauergasse 9, 1. floor, project room 2

Art and Time | Video, Dorit Margreiter

Thursday, October 8th 2026, 2:00 p.m.

Studio Building Lehárgasse 8, door 1, 1. floor,
teaching pavilion

Art and Space | Spatial Strategies, Iman Issa

Monday, October 12th 2026, 3:00 p.m.

Kurzbauergasse 9, ground floor, room 23
