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Two decades of international
co-operation in standardization

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CONFERENCE

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Key challenges for 2021

The „Michaelertor“ is the entrance to the older part of the Hofburg from the city centre.

PROGRAMME

Thursday, 3rd of November 2011

19:00 Gala Dinner at the Vienna City Hall (Rathaus)
1010 Vienna | Lichtenfelsgasse 2

Friday, 4th of November 2011

Conference at Austrian Standards
1020 Vienna | Heinestraße 38

- 9:00 Registration
- 9:30 Opening addresses
Univ.Prof. Dr. Dr. Walter Barfuß | President Austrian Standards Institute (ASI)
Prof. Dr. Boris S. Alëshin | President International Organization for Standardization (ISO)
- 9:50 Decades of economic change: world economy in 1991/2001/2011 – and 2021
Univ.Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Werner Clement | Professor at the Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 11:00 Two decades of co-operation – successes and learnings
Jacob Holmblad | ISO Vice-President Technical Management
Peter Ziethen | CEN Vice-President Technical
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:15 Successes and learnings in aligning international and national standardization
from the American perspective:
Stephen P. Cornish | Director International Policy, American National Standards Institute ANSI
from the Russian perspective:
Prof. Dr. Grigory Elkin | Head of the Federal Agency on Technical Regulating and Metrology ROSSTANDART
from the Chinese perspective:
Chen Gang | Vice-Administrator of the Standardization Administration of China SAC (requested)
from the Japanese perspective:
Takashi Kawabata | Japanese Industrial Standards Committee (requested)
- 14:15 Round Table Discussion: Coping with globalization from a standardization perspective – the key challenges for 2021
- 15:30 Closing remarks
- 15:45 Vienna “Jause” (Reception with typical Viennese cake and coffee/tee, snacks)



The facade of the „Haas Haus“ is mainly made of glass, which reflects it's counterpart, the Stephansdom. In the heart of the city, the building is housing offices, restaurants, and shops.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location

Austrian Standards
 Heinestraße 38
 1020 Vienna
 AUSTRIA | EUROPE

Map



How to reach us

Austrian Standards (Coordinates: 48° 13' 5" N, 16° 23' 31" O)
 We recommend using public transportation.

Underground: Lines **U1** **U2** (Praterstern/Exit Heinestraße)


Metro: Lines **1** **2** **3** **7** **15** (Praterstern)

Tramway: Lines **0** **5** **21** (Praterstern)

Vienna City Hall (Coordinates: 48° 12' 39" N, 16° 21' 27" O)
 Please also use public transportation.

Underground: Line **U2** (Rathaus)

Tramway: Line **2** (Rathaus)



Coping with
globalization

The „Hundertwasser-Krawina Haus“ is one of many examples for art in public space. It is one of Vienna's most visited sightseeing attractions and has become part of Austria's cultural heritage

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How to book

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Corporate rate

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Jacques Repussard (CEN, left) and Laurence D. Eicher (ISO) signing the „Vienna Agreement“ in 1991.



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