

# PROGRAM

## EUROPA-FORUM WACHAU 2023

„Building a Resilient, Green  
and Competitive Europe“

### Day 1 – Thursday, 22 June 2023

- 8.30 a.m. **Accreditation** at the University for Continuing Education Krems (Campus Krems)
- 9.00 a.m. **Joint opening event**  
**Opening and welcome speech**  
**Martin Eichtinger**, President of the Europa-Forum Wachau
- 10.30 a.m. **Thematic focus: Invest in Health**  
Impulse & discussion
- 12.15 p.m. **Lunch** hosted by HYPO NOE
- 1.45 p.m. **Thematic focus: Invest in Mobility**  
Impulse & discussion
- 4.00 p.m. **Wrap up**, short summaries in plenary
- 6.30 p.m. **“Economic Salon Europa-Forum Wachau”** at the University for Continuing Education Krems (Campus Krems)  
**Networking event**

### Day 2 – Friday, 23 June 2023

- 9.30 a.m. **Accreditation** at Stift Göttweig
- 10.00 a.m. **Plenary session**  
**Opening and welcome speeches**  
**Martin Eichtinger**, President of the Europa-Forum Wachau  
**Johanna Mikl-Leitner**, Governor of Lower Austria  
**Othmar Karas**, Vice-President of the European Parliament  
**Round-table talks**  
**Martin Polaschek**, Federal Minister for Education, Science and Research with international guests  
**Alexander Schallenberg**, Federal Minister for European and International Affairs with international guests
- 12.30 p.m. **Reception**  
hosted by **Johanna Mikl-Leitner**, Governor of Lower Austria
- 2.00 p.m. **RTI panel**  
hosted by the Federal Ministry of Education, Science and Research
- simultaneously **Journalist panel**  
hosted by the Austrian Newspaper Association
- 4.30 p.m. **„Danube Salon Europa-Forum Wachau”** on the MS Dürnstein  
**Opening and welcome speech**  
**Karoline Edtstadler**, Federal Minister for the EU and Constitution  
**Round-table talks** with international guests
- 8.00 p.m. **Youth event** on the MS Dürnstein  
**Networking event**

### Day 3 – Saturday, 24 June 2023

- 9.30 a.m. **Accreditation** at Stift Göttweig
- 10.00 a.m. **Plenary session**  
**Opening and welcome speeches**  
**Martin Eichtinger**, President of the Europa-Forum Wachau  
**Johanna Mikl-Leitner**, Governor of Lower Austria  
**Karoline Edtstadler**, Federal Minister for the EU and Constitution  
**Johannes Hahn**, European Commissioner for Budget and Administration  
**Round-table talks**  
**Karl Nehammer**, Federal Chancellor with international guests  
**Closing words**
- 12.30 p.m. **Reception**  
hosted by **Karl Nehammer**, Federal Chancellor



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