



"Academic Freedom and Democracy"
Graz, 7-8 September 2026

ICON.S Austrian Chapter Conference
"Academic Freedom and Democracy"
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Venue: University of Graz, RESOWI-Zentrum, Universitätsstraße 15, 8010 Graz,

Conference Programme

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| 12.00 – 1.00 p.m. | Registration |
| 1.00 – 3.00 p.m. | Keynote Speeches: <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Prof. Vasiliki Kosta, Leiden University▪ Prof. Liviu Matei, King's College London |
| 3.00 – 3.30 p.m. | Coffee Break |
| 3.30 – 5.00 p.m. | Parallel Sessions I |
| 5.00 – 5.30 p.m. | Coffee Break |
| 5.30 – 7.00 p.m. | Parallel Sessions II |

Conference Dinner



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9.00 – 10.30 a.m. Parallel Sessions III

10.30 – 11.00 a.m. Coffee Break

11.00 – 12.30 p.m. Parallel Sessions IV

12.45 – 13.15 p.m. Closing Ceremony

13.30 p.m. End of the Conference