

# GREEN MEETINGS: MAKE A STATEMENT!

We will help you plan and obtain certification for your event - free of charge.

From small-scale seminars to Christmas parties and major international congresses with more than 20,000 participants: certification in accordance with the Austrian Umweltzeichen eco-label sends out a clear message that you are living up to your economic, social and environmental responsibilities.

It's a real statement of intent for your customers, partners and members – and it adds weight to your organisation's sustainability report. We're here to advise and support you while you take the first steps towards planning your event, and even provide green meeting or green event certification in accordance with the Austrian Umweltzeichen. And it won't cost you a penny!

## **POINTS SYSTEM**

Points are allocated in nine categories, each of which contains a mixture of mandatory and optional criteria. All of the mandatory criteria must be met, and the remaining points total (between 32 and 55) needs to be accumulated from the optional criteria.

## NUMEROUS CRITERIA ALREADY FULFILLED

As Austria's first green conference centre we have already laid a lot of the groundwork, with numerous criteria fulfilled just by hosting your event at the venue. And following the Austria Center Vienna's recent recertification, you can automatically count on 27 valuable points! What's more, our partners – including MOTTO Catering – are also certified according to the Austrian Ecolabel, meaning that their operations are set up with green meeting requirements in mind.

### HAPPY TO HELP

Our Green Meetings team is here to help make sure planning, implementation and certification run smoothly. We are looking forward to receiving your inquiry!

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