



Questions and answers – a small guide to FintechWeek Vienna 2018

Who's organizing the events, how/where to register?

Although the initiators host some of the events by themselves, they mainly provide a platform for independently organized events. If not otherwise stated, please find more information (and registration forms) by clicking on the respective event title on www.fintechweek.at

What's in it for me?

Well, depending on your interests of course, we can recommend for example:

Visit the [F10 Hackathon](#) (Nov. 16th-18th) if you want to **develop actively new ideas and business cases** from scratch.

Everything "agile" will be discussed on Tuesday morning at ["Culture eats tech for breakfast"](#) (it is of course a business breakfast).

Meet "the FinTechs" feat. for example [Blue Code](#), [Finnest](#), [Finabro](#), [kompany](#), [Wikifolio](#) or [Cashpresso](#):

They will take part as speakers and participants. Therefore, you find them all over the place, but especially on Tuesday at [Growth Ninjas' "Growth Hacking event"](#) in the afternoon and at Fintech Austrias meetup in the evening of Nov.20th.

Women in FinTech are unfortunately hard to find. We are very happy about [Fintech Ladies event "European careers of women in FinTech"](#) on Nov. 21st, which will be focusing on "Fintech Stories" by high level Fintech Ladies.

Policies and legal framework of FinTech in Austria: The **Financial Market Supervision Austria** will be available on Monday for a lesson on "How to do Fintech in Austria". **Federal Minister of Finance Hartwig Löger will be giving a keynote** followed by a high level panel discussion on ["The Impact of FinTech"](#) on Wednesday, Nov 21st.

Learn about our Ecosystem: If you are from abroad or a newbie to Fintech we recommend the [networking event "Welcome to the ecosystem"](#) on Nov 19th. The advanced discussion on the state of our FinTech Ecosystem takes place on Nov 20th at [Fintech Austria's meetup](#).

The **global perspective** will be discussed on Wednesday at [FINTECHMATTERS on Nov. 21st and 22nd](#), especially at the "International FinTech Ecosystems Day"

Blockchain Aficionados should maybe concentrate on Friday, Nov. 23rd.

Meet the Banks: We tried to involve all Austria's Banking Associations: Meet e.g. representatives of Raiffeisen Bank International on Monday, Volksbank on Tuesday and Austrian Bankers' Association on Tuesday.

What's the target group of FinTechWeekVienna?

The Fintech Ecosystem - everyone, who contributes (or could contribute) to FinTech (innovations for the financial sector) and its value chain: Startups, SME, Banks, VCs, R&D, the regulator and of course experts from other sectors like security, analytics, AI, law and many others....

Who are the initiators?

FinTechWeekVienna 2018 is an initiative by [Fintech Austria](#), the [Austrian Bankers' Association](#), [FINTECHMATTERS](#) and [Vienna Business Agency](#). We all have the mission to foster, support and connect "the ecosystem(s)".

Fintech in Vienna?

Sure, given the momentum and pace of Vienna's FinTech ecosystem of the last years, the Austrian FinTech





community might not be an insider tip very much longer. Only one indicator might very well be that Vienna just entered the [ranking of global FinTech hubs issued by the Institute for Financial Services Zug](#) as a newcomer at number 15.

What is the goal of FintechWeek Vienna? We want the achievements of the last years (e.g. by startups, accelerators, banks, VCs etc.) to be seen as a whole, as parts of one industry. FintechWeek provides an overview of all these stakeholders and opportunities to meet them.

For any further questions, please turn to [Stefan Punkl](#), Austrian Bankers' Association and [Christoph Henrichs](#), Wirtschaftsagentur Wien.