

GENERAL INFORMATION

■ Venue

University Hospital Vienna (AKH Vienna)
Währinger Gürtel 18–20
1090 Vienna/Austria

■ Date

25–28 March 2024

■ Hosting society

Gesellschaft für Virologie e. V.
(GfV, Society for Virology)
www.g-f-v.org

■ Conference chair

Elisabeth Puchhammer-Stöckl, MD
Professor of Virology
Head, Center for Virology
Medical University of Vienna

■ Registration

The online registration as well as up-to-date information can be found at www.virology-meeting.de. To benefit from the early bird registration fees, please register before 15 February 2024.

■ Industrial participation

The meeting will be offering a large range of possibilities for exhibition, lunch symposia, advertisements, and other marketing services. Therefore, it is the perfect platform to present your company and products to an outstanding audience of more than 800 experts from all over the world. Interested companies please contact Conventus.

■ Conference organisation

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**33rd Annual Meeting of
the Society for Virology**

25–28 March 2024 | Vienna

Call for Abstracts

www.virology-meeting.de

WELCOME NOTE

■ Dear Colleagues and Friends,

it is a great pleasure for me and my colleagues to welcome you to the 33rd Annual Meeting of the Society of Virology (GfV). The meeting will take place in our wonderful city of Vienna, March 25 to March 28, 2024.

As usual, this annual GfV Meeting will cover a broad spectrum of topics in basic, translational, and clinical virology. And after the years of the pandemic, we will now again put a strong emphasis on scientific progresses ongoing in the entire spectrum of viruses, beyond SARS-CoV-2. The program will include keynote lectures, given by world-renowned experts and numerous workshops for short oral presentations. There will be plenty of time for personal networking, discussion and the exchange of ideas, between sessions, at the posters or during the social events. We will also be providing a platform for young virologists, and the recently formed “junge GfV” will be organizing its own workshop during the meeting.

The meeting will take place at the Medical University of Vienna, in the teaching area of the large general hospital. It is not far from the centre of Vienna, with its cultural highlights, churches and palaces, which are worth visiting. There are famous museums in Vienna, and if you eventually want to see some of the original paintings, often shown by virologists in their lectures, you can go and see Klimt's “The Kiss” (Belvedere) or Schiele's painting of his wife suffering from influenza (Leopold Museum).

We are very much looking forward to meeting all of you in Vienna 2024, for an inspiring and enjoyable GfV meeting.

Elisabeth Puchhammer-Stöckl, MD
Professor of Virology
Conference chair

SCIENTIFIC AND ABSTRACT INFORMATION

■ Plenary topics

- | Emerging viruses
- | Actual topics in virology
- | Vaccines
- | Virus host interaction
- | Virus immunology

We cordially invite you to submit abstracts for oral and poster presentations related to the topics mentioned in the following. Please submit your abstracts online via www.virology-meeting.de.

Deadline for abstract submission is 7 January 2024.

■ Workshop topics

- | Adaptive immunity
- | Antiviral therapy and resistance
- | Clinical and diagnostic virology
- | Emerging viruses
- | Epidemiology and public health
- | Host cell factors
- | Innate immunity
- | Respiratory viruses
- | Structure assembly and egress
- | Vaccines
- | Virus infections and the immunocompromised host
- | Virus pathogenesis and persistence
- | Virus receptors and entry
- | Virus replication strategies