

## HOW TO GET THERE

The venue is within easy walking distance from the city centre, next to public transport (underground U3 – Neubaugasse)

### By Plane

Vienna Airport (VIE): trains to the centre - Landstrasse/Wien Mitte - from 16min (CAT) to 25 min (S-Bahn) – a main hub of the public transport network. 5 stops by underground U3 to venue (Neubaugasse).

### By Train

Vienna Main Station: 3 stops by underground U1 (Stephansplatz) change to U3, 3 stops to venue (Neubaugasse)

### By Car

The Host strongly recommends to use Vienna's extensive public transport system. Parking space is unfortunately not available at the venue.

## T.E.C.D. TOPICS

### T&E challenges to meet CDP priorities

#### Gaining information superiority

- Counter cyber threats (Cyber Ranges)
- Provide SATCOM capabilities
- Enhance battlespace information and communication services
- Remotely piloted aircraft providing surveillance (RPAS)

#### Enabling expeditionary operations

- Inter-theatre air capabilities
- Intra-theatre combat capabilities
- Enhance logistic support for deployed forces
- Provide medical support to operations

#### Protection of forces in theatre

- Enhance C- IED and CBRNe capabilities in operations
- Provide air and missile defence for deployable forces

#### Securing sea lines of communication

- Maritime patrolling and escorting
- Naval surveillance systems

#### Crosscutting drivers

- Energy and environmental protection
- SESAR Single European Sky ATM Research
- Modeling, simulation and experimentation
- Space based information service

## LOCATION



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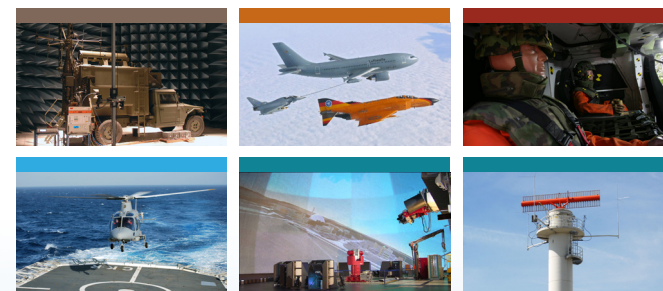
# European T&E Community Days Conference

T.E.C.D. 2017  
25 – 27 April

Armament and Defence  
Technology Agency  
Vienna - Austria

Registration Opens **10 September 2016**  
Registration Closes **15 March 2017**

**ONLY 150 PLACES AVAILABLE**



### "European priorities"

challenges and opportunities for a  
large EU network of T&E Centres"

## ABOUT DTEB

### Why are we doing this?

A main result from the first TECD in Rome was the identification of a common need for a large European network of Test Facilities in order to meet the challenges of the EU Capability Development Plan Priority Actions and to support this effort via Test and Evaluation. This conference provides a forum for the T&E community to exchange ideas, information and network.

### Objectives

- Explore the use of T&E capabilities to more effectively support the future EU needs focussing on CDP requirements.
- Explore T&E capability gaps and initiate projects and T&E activities for qualification, test and evaluation for EU programmes and projects.
- Encourage other agencies (EU institutes, NATO, etc.) to actively participate and contribute.
- Explore synergies between T&E, training, modelling & simulation, experimentation and R&D communities.

### Opening Reception

24.04.2017 - 18:00

## DAY ONE 25.04.2017

### Session 1

**Introduction** 10:00 - 13:00

**Welcome**

**Keynote**

**EU Panel Discussion**

"European priorities - challenges and opportunities for a large EU network of T&E Centres in the light of the European Global Strategy"

### Session 2

**International collaboration opportunities** 14:00 - 17:00

This session focuses on test and evaluation requirements from an international point of view.

Presenters from EU Institutes and Organisations (EDA, OCCAR, European Commission....)

### Dinner

## DAY TWO 26.04.2017

### Session 3

**European T&E cooperation**  
09:00 - 16:00

This session focuses on mutual recognition of Test and Evaluation. European Test and Evaluation Centres are invited to present their capabilities, to propose new EU T&E Activities and to share 'Best Practice' experience. To be continued in praxis in Session 5...

### Session 4

**Way ahead discussion** 16:00

The session will give the floor to the delegates and participants of the conference in order to summarize the results of the event and to form the way ahead for the DTEB Plenary Group based on priority activities. Moderation by EDA -CPS.

## DAY THREE 27.04.2017

### Session 5

**EUROPEAN T&E EXPERT LEVEL NETWORKING & INFORMATION EXCHANGE**  
09:00 - 14:00

This session will include visits to Austrian test facilities in the vicinity of Vienna covering either Automotive or Weapons and Ammunition or Science Laboratories.

