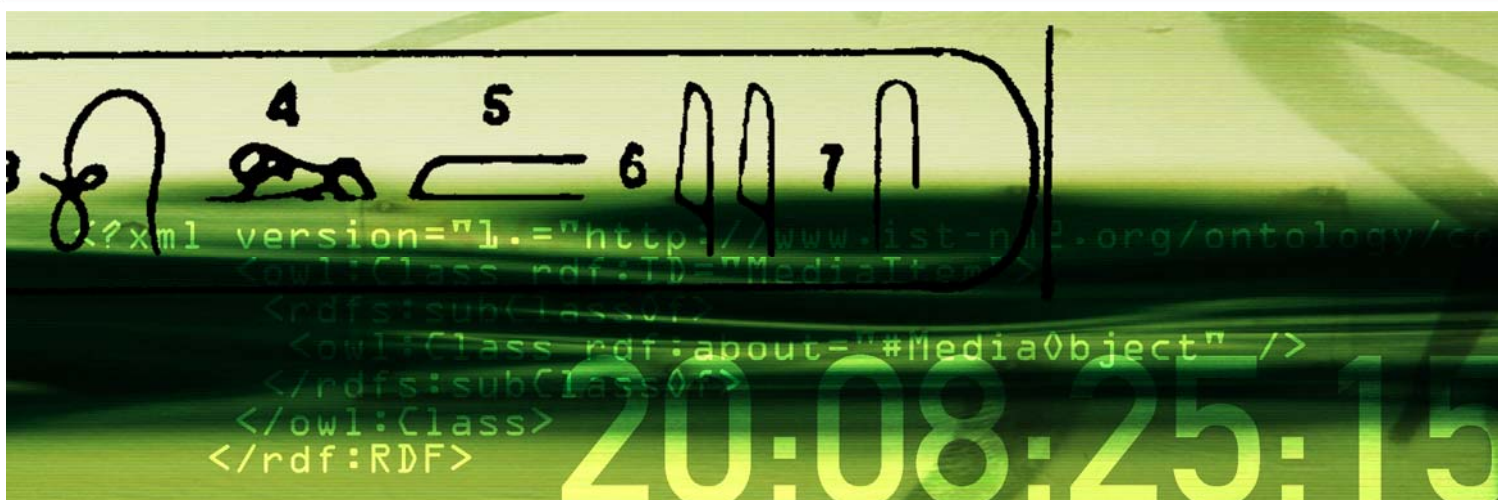


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- 4th SAMT, 1st year „post-K-Space NoE“

# SAMT 2009 Topics

- **Semantic Analysis of Multimedia**
  - Knowledge assisted multimedia analysis
  - Content-based multimedia analysis linked with natural language/speech processing
- **Semantic Retrieval of Multimedia**
  - Semantic-driven multimedia indexing and retrieval
  - Semantic retrieval of 3D objects
  - Machine Learning and relevance feedback for finding semantics
  - Semantic-driven multimedia content adaptation and summarization
- **Semantic Metadata Management of Multimedia**
  - Metadata management for multimedia
  - Multimedia ontologies and infrastructures
  - Standards bridging the multimedia and knowledge domains
- **User Interfaces for Semantic Multimedia**
  - Interfaces and personalization for interaction with large multimedia repositories
  - Semantic media annotation
  - Inference and machine learning for semi-automatic annotation
  - Browsing multimedia archives
  - Device-specific access to and adaptation of multimedia
- **Semantics in Visualization and Computer Graphics**
  - Illustrative depiction and rendering
  - Mapping meaning to presentation content
  - smart virtual environments
  - supporting knowledge discovery
- **Applications of Semantic Multimedia**
  - Social multimedia tagging
  - Context, user, network and semantics-aware media engineering
  - Multimedia mash-ups
  - Case studies with clear, innovative lessons learned

See announcement flyer!

# Programme

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- Main conference
  - 2 invited talks
  - 4 oral sessions
  - Posters and Demos
- 1st day
  - Workshops
  - Tutorials
  - Industry day

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# Dates



- April 27th, 2009: Deadline for Workshop/Tutorial Proposals
- May 11th, 2009: Notification of Acceptance for Workshop Proposals
- May 25th, 2009: Deadline for Full Papers
- June 21st, 2009: Deadline for Short Papers
- July 6th, 2009: Notification of Acceptance for Full and Short Papers
- September 7th, 2009: Deadline for Workshop Papers
- September 7th, 2009: Camera ready papers due
- September 21th, 2009: Notification of Acceptance for Workshop Papers
- October 12th, 2009: Camera Ready Workshop Papers

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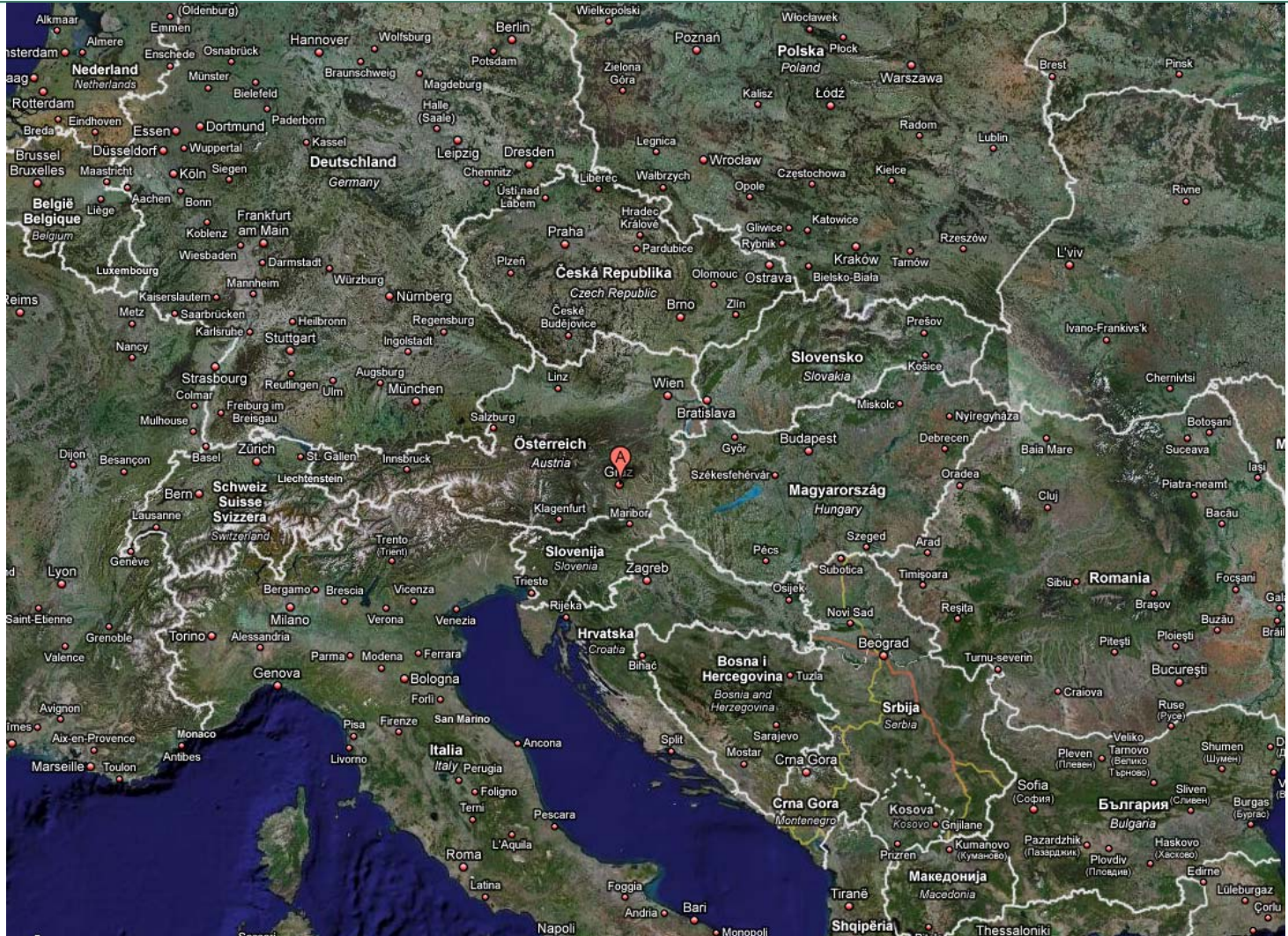
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- Capital of the province of Styria
- 2nd largest city in Austria (~290.000 inhabitants)
- 4 universities, ~36.000 students

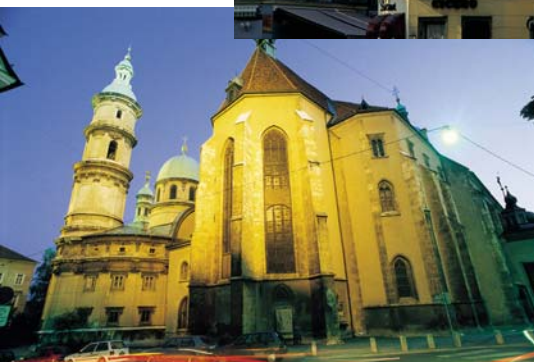
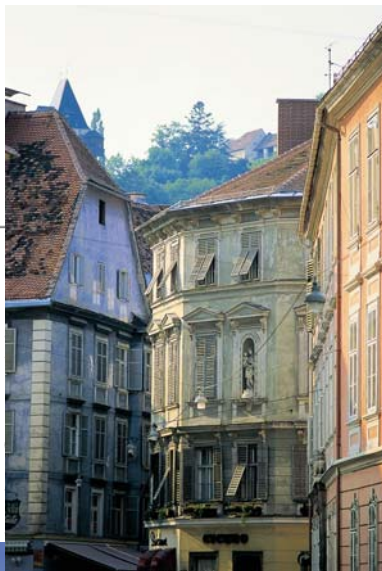
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# Graz

- old city center is UNESCO world heritage site



- Cultural Capital of Europe in 2003



# Conference Venue

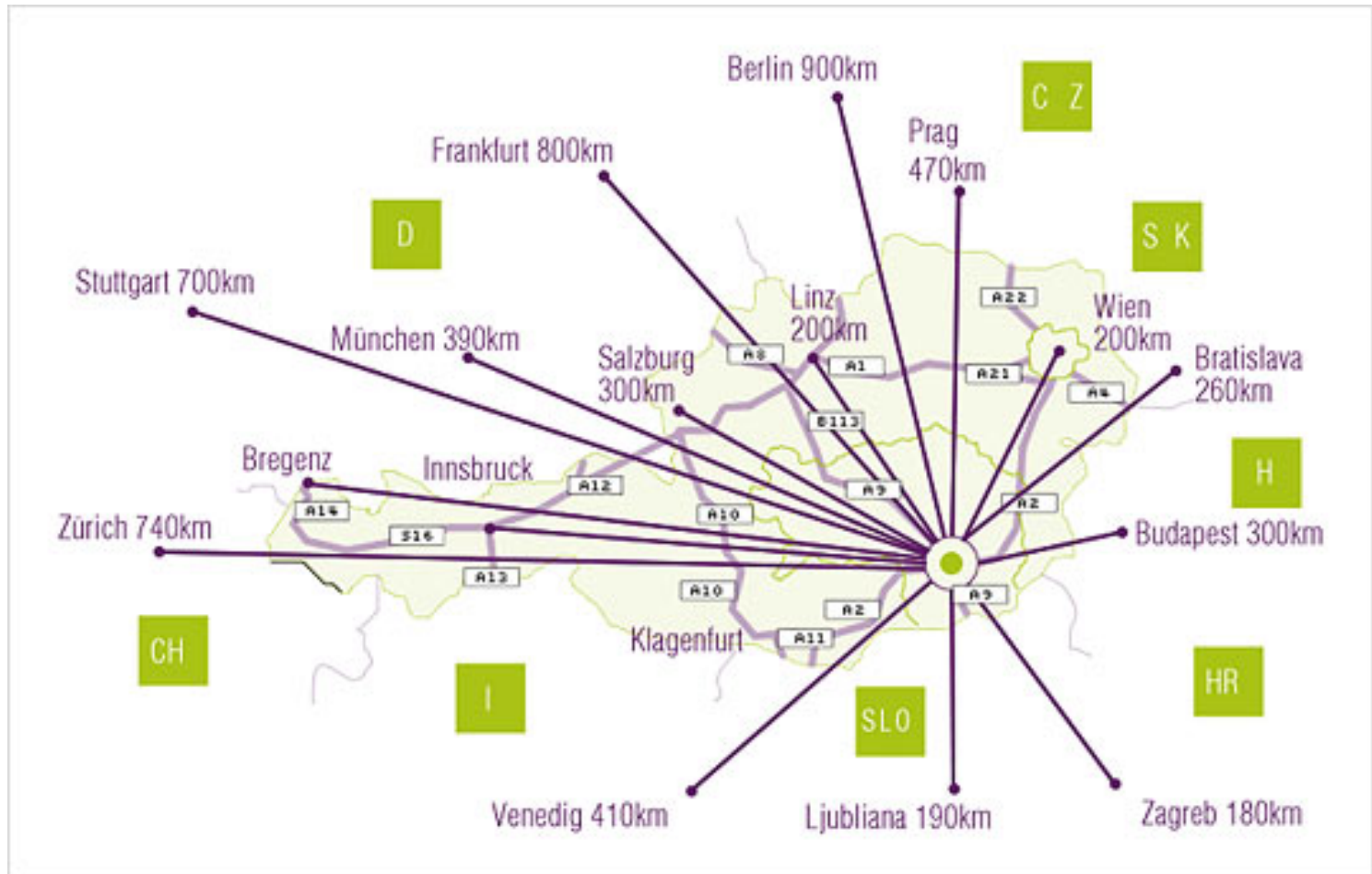
- Hotel Weitzer
  - Traditional \*\*\*\* Hotel
  - Historic and modern meeting rooms
- just across the river from the historic old town
- public transport only one block away



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# Getting to Graz

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- **Plane**
  - Graz Thalerhof Airport
  - Flights from Vienna, Frankfurt, Munich (5 per day), Stuttgart, Düsseldorf (3 per day), Zurich, London Stansted, Köln-Bonn, Berlin Tegel, Hannover,
- **Train**
  - direct trains to Vienna (1 Intercity train per hour), Linz, Salzburg, Innsbruck, Munich, Zurich
  - connection to Bruck/Mur (30mins) to railway line to Klagenfurt, Milan, Rome
- **Car**
  - 2 hrs from Vienna
  - 4 hrs from Salzburg

# See you in Graz next December!

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