



# Travel Information - 2010

## This information for Orchestra

Print out for reference

Your arrival in Graz and departure from Graz can be recorded when you register for AIMS. Or you may return to the registration page to revise your information when your travel arrangements are complete. Login to the Registration site using your Confirmation Code and Last Name.

### We MUST have your travel information by June 15.

- **ALL PERSONS ATTENDING AIMS *irrespective of the mode of travel to Graz must* record their arrival and departure dates in GRAZ** when they register in order to have a room available. (If arrival is by air, include Flight numbers and times.) The earliest date orchestra members may check into the Studentenheim is Saturday, July 10, 2010. Rooms are not available prior to that date. The latest date you may occupy your room is August 14, 2010. No rooms are available beyond this date.

### Travel Policies:

- If you arrive in Graz on July 10 and booked your ticket through AIMS Travel Partners, your flight will be met and transportation from the Graz airport to the Studentenheim provided. This is the only day transport of large instruments will be available. This service is free for persons booking through AIMS Travel Partners (See *AIMS Travel* page at [www.aimsgraz.com](http://www.aimsgraz.com).) Indicate you will book through AIMS Travel when you register and show your ticket printout to the AIMS Representative meeting the flight.
- There is a charge of \$50 when travel arrangements are NOT made through AIMS Travel Partners. You can avoid this charge only by accessing Orbitz or Student Universe through the AIMS web site. Click on the links on the *AIMS Travel* page at [www.aimsgraz.com](http://www.aimsgraz.com). Also indicate you will not book through AIMS when you register.
- Airport Transfer: Participants not booking through AIMS Travel partners who plan to arrive in Graz on July 10, 2010 or depart Graz on August 14 or 15, can purchase Vouchers for ground transportation from/to the Graz airport. Click on *Make Payment* page at [www.aimsgraz.com](http://www.aimsgraz.com). One-way \$15; round-trip \$30. Bring a copy of the receipt issued by PayPal to verify your purchase.
- During registration, you *must* indicate if you will or will not book your travel through AIMS. The following exceptions are made:
  - 1) If the participant lives outside the U. S. and the AIMS travel partners do not sell tickets in that locale,
  - 2) If the participant has previously committed to attend another program in Europe before or after AIMS and travel arrangements have already been made or are included in the other program and you provide a letter and substantiating information to this effect.

Carefully examine the restrictions of any airline ticket you purchase and know the cost of making changes and for excess baggage. AIMS cannot be responsible for misunderstandings nor can we influence the airline's decisions regarding your ticket category. Arrangements can be made to store your luggage and instrument (at your own risk) in a locked room if you wish to travel before or after AIMS.

Airport transfer is available only on the Designated Dates shown in green below.

*Departing North America July 9; Arriving Graz July 10*

*Departing Graz: August 14, 15 (arrive North America the same day)*