



Conference / Konferenz / Konferenca

„YOUTH IN INDUSTRIAL REGIONS“

“JUGEND IN INDUSTRIEREGIONEN“
„MLADI V INDUSTRIJSKIH REGIJAH“

Leoben

12/05/2022



YOUIND Conference Programme

Thursday, 12.05.2022:

12.30 – 13.00 h Registration & welcome buffet, incl. video presentation of project results

Moderation: *Dr. Wolfgang Fischer (University Graz)*

Block I – Introduction

- 13.00 - 13.10 h Greetings (*Markus Kraxner / governor of the district of Leoben, Susanne Leitner-Böchzelt / museum centre Leoben, Sabina Cimerman / Styrian Government – department A17*)
- 13.10 - 13.25 h Introduction to the EU-project YOUIND (*Dr. Judith Pizzera / University Graz*)
- 13.25 – 13.40 h Industry, Culture and Youth. Idrija and Eisenstrasse at a glance (*Matevž Straus, ID20*)
- 13.40 – 13.50 h Signing of bilateral memorandum by *Markus Kraxner* (district governor Leoben), *Günter Speer* (association Steirische Eisenstrasse), *Tomaž Vencelj* (mayor of Idrija) and *Matevž Šlabnik* (ID20 institute)

Block II – YOUIND results

- 13.50 – 14.10 h Putting YOUIND in context: Academic findings on youth outmigration from industrial regions (*Jani Kozina, ZRC-SAZU*)
- 14.10 – 14.35 h Hackathons, Industrial Culture festivals and school initiatives - pilot actions in Idrija and Eisenstrasse in the fields of Youth and Industrial Culture (project teams of Idrija & Eisenstrasse)
- 14.35 – 14.50 h Action bounds – new means of addressing the youth (*Markus Plasencia / youth expert in the context of regional development*)
- 14.50 – 15.00 h COFFEE BREAK

Block III - Perspectives

- 15.00 - 15.15 h Outlook and opportunities in the regions beyond YOUIND (project teams of Idrija & Eisenstrasse)
- 15.15 – 15.30 h Youth, Industrial Culture and industrial regions – a reflection (*Dr. Jörn Harfst*)
- 15.30 – 15.45 h Discussion
- 15.45 – 16:00 h Closing words
- 16:00 – 16.30 h Networking — coffee & cake, incl. video presentation of project results, testing of actionbounds & VR googles
- 16.30 h *End of event*



GENERAL INFORMATION

Conference Venue / Veranstaltungsort

Kulturquartier Leoben (Museumscenter Leoben)

2nd floor / 2. Stock (Museumsturm)

Kirchgasse 6, 8700 Leoben, <https://kulturquartier.leoben.at>

It's within walking distance of the hotels. There's no parking facility right at the venue; alternatively you find two parking garages on the main square of Leoben:

- Altstadt-Tiefgarage Hauptplatz Leoben, Langgasse 12, 8700 Leoben
- Parking garage in LCS Shopping Centre (Parkstrasse), 8700 Leoben (from 8 am - 7 pm)

Fees

The participation of the event and the meals are **free of charge**. Hotel expenses have to be paid by the participants.

Accommodation

Participants have to book their own hotel rooms. Recommended are the following hotels (all within walking distance of the main conference venue "Kulturquartier Leoben"):

Hotel Kindler:

Straußgasse 7 - 8700 Leoben, Austria, hotel@kindler.at, www.kindler.at

Kongresshotel Leoben:

Hauptplatz 1 - 8700 Leoben, Austria, office@hotelkongress.at, www.hotelkongress.at

Asia Hotel and Spa:

In der Au 1/3 – 8700 Leoben, Austria, www.asiaspa.at

Travelling to/from Leoben

By train: approx. 45 min. from Graz; train station within walking distance of hotels and conference venue

Info & registration / Info und Anmeldung

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