



**World Union  
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World Union of Freethinkers Conference 2025:

## **80 Years After Liberation – Is the Return of Fascism and War Threatened?**

Dear comrades, dear people,

Attached is the invitation to the World Union of Freethinkers Conference from August 15-17 in Győr, western Hungary, at the Danubius Hotel Rába.

The Danubius Hotel Rába is 300 meters from Győr train station. We can provide more precise information about room rates once we have an overview of the number of rooms available. A current offer offers an overnight stay in a twin room for €60 – please consider this information non-binding for the time being.

Therefore, we request that you register promptly and respond to this announcement as soon as possible to [jeanmariejacoby@gmail.com](mailto:jeanmariejacoby@gmail.com). Please indicate whether you prefer a single or double room and whether you would like to depart on August 17 or 18.

How to get to Győr:

### **Train**

From Munich Hbf to Vienna Hbf it takes 4 hours and 42 minutes. If booked in advance, tickets start at €19.98.

The journey from Vienna Hbf to Győr by train takes an average of 1 hour and 15 minutes for the approximately 109 km. There are usually 20 trains per day from Vienna Hbf to Győr. If booked in advance, tickets start at €16.50.

### **Car**

From Germany, the most sensible route is probably via Passau (A3) to Austria (A8, A25, A1 – watch out for the 100 km/h speed cameras near Linz, A21 – to the Vienna bypass,

watch out for speed cameras on the exit –, S1, A4, which merges directly into the Hungarian M1). Please don't be surprised if you don't see any Hungarian uniforms at the border, but Austrian border police with soldiers are conducting increased checks on the opposite lane.

By car, you'll need:

- the Austrian vignette (<https://shop.asfinag.at/>), which costs €12.40 for 10 days, and
- the Hungarian vignette (<https://ematrix.nemzetiutdij.hu/de/e-vignetten-kauf/fahrzeugdaten-e-vignetten-kauf>) costs HUF 6,620 for 10 days (equivalent to €16.45; 1 HUF = 0.00248514 EUR, 1 EUR = HUF 402.392).

### **By plane**

If you're a fan of short-haul flights, it's better to fly to Vienna Schwechat than to Budapest, because you can take the train from Vienna Schwechat to the main station. Vienna's main station costs €2-6 for a 17-minute journey. From Vienna's main station, it's another 1.5 hours (see above), which is significantly less than from Budapest.

Sincerely,

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