



## WELCOME

[Vienna Summer of Logic](#) (VSL 2014) is the largest conference in history of logic and computer science, to be held in Vienna, Austria, from July 9 until July 24, 2014. It consists of three major blocks of conferences and represents a landmark scientific event which will be held only once. It will bring together about 2,500 researchers and academics from all over the world gathering to present important findings and new trends and challenges in all disciplines related to logic.

These are the three major blocks of the Vienna Summer of Logic:

- **Logic and Computer Science (Federated Logic Conference/FLoC)**
- **Logic and Artificial Intelligence and**
- **Mathematical Logic**

### **The Federated Logic Conference (FLoC)**

FLoC is held only every four years and represents itself the largest re-occurring event in the field. It consists of the following sub-conferences:

- Computer Aided Verification Conference (CAV)
- The Computer Security Foundations Symposium (CSF)
- International Conference on Logic Programming (ICLP)
- International Joint Conference on Automated Reasoning (IJCAR)
- International Conference on Interactive Theorem Proving (ITP)
- Logic in Computer Science Conference (LICS) joint with
- Computer Science Logic Conference (CSL) for the first time in history

- Rewriting Techniques and Application conference (RTA)
  - The International Conference on Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing (SAT)
- and
- Over one hundred workshops.

### **Logic and Artificial Intelligence**

Principles of Knowledge Representation and Reasoning, Incorporated (KR, Inc.) is a Scientific Foundation incorporated in the state of Massachusetts of the United States of America concerned with fostering research and communication on knowledge representation and reasoning. Its primary activities include organizing a series of prestigious conferences, the Conferences on Principles of Knowledge Representation and Reasoning one of the most prominent conferences in AI.

The Logic and AI block consists of the following:

- 14<sup>th</sup> Principles of Knowledge Representation and Reasoning Conference
- Description Logics Workshop and
- Nonmonotonic Reasoning Workshop

### **Mathematical Logic**

The Logic Colloquium is the most important yearly conference in the field of mathematical logic. Any shift of emphasis in the field of mathematical logic is reflected in choice of speakers of the Logic Colloquium.

- Logic Colloquium 2014
- Logic, Algebra and Truth Degrees Conference and
- Infinity Workshop
- Kurt Gödel Research Prize Fellowships

We believe that the conference provides an ideal branding opportunity for companies working in cutting-edge technology areas not just with some of the brightest minds in the world, but also with tens of thousands of viewers and readers who would be exposed to media reports about the conference.

A detailed note on the sponsorship options is attached. We are sure that your company will find it of interest.

By attending the conference, and hopefully adding some extra days with a great variety of possibilities

for sightseeing and recreation in and outside Vienna, you will be able to exchange scientific ideas, obtain information about new developments, extend your business activities and confirm international friendship in charming and pleasant atmosphere. Our town is very accessible by the important international airport linked with the main European and international cities, and also by motorway and railway connections. Lots of combined transport solutions are possible. A beautiful environment invites to all kinds of excursions and visits. Vienna is one of the few cities whose personality reflects an increasingly clear, yet ever changing and multifarious image. It is a social mosaic all of whose pieces bear the imprint of the slow historical process that has made it unique.

We sincerely invite you to come in Vienna to explore and admire its myriad of facet, wealth of activity and excitement of life, while enjoying our meeting and information and exchanges through the unique international event of the VSL 2014 in a pleasant atmosphere.

We are looking forward to welcoming you in Vienna!

Yours sincerely,

Vesna Sabljakovic-Fritz (VSL Sponsorship Chair, [sablja@dbai.tuwien.ac.at](mailto:sablja@dbai.tuwien.ac.at)) and Daniel Weller (VSL Exhibit Chair, [weller@logic.at](mailto:weller@logic.at))

## **LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

The VSL is organized by the [Kurt Gödel Society](#), which was founded in 1987 and incorporated in Vienna. It is an international organization aiming at the promotion of research in the areas of logic, philosophy, history of mathematics, above all in connection with Kurt Gödel's legacy, and in areas to which Gödel made contributions, especially mathematics, physics, theology, philosophy and Leibniz studies.

The Society and its Executive Board members have organized numerous conferences, workshops and meetings over the past twenty-five years, and most recently: Logic Colloquium 2001, ESSLI 2003, CSL 2003, Kurt Gödel Centenary-Horizons of Truth 2006, and Kurt Gödel Research Prize Fellowships Program 2008 and 2010.

In the area of AI and KR, people from the OC have organized the following conferences in Vienna, among others: GI 2001, LPNMR 2001, FOIKS 2004, and will organize RR 2012 and Reasoning Web 2012, COMMA 2012, and 2nd Datalog Reloaded Workshop.

## **ORGANIZING COMMITTEE**

- Matthias Baaz, Executive Vice President of the Kurt Gödel Society, Vienna University of Technology (OC Chair)
- Agata Ciabattoni, Vienna University of Technology
- Thomas Eiter, Vienna University of Technology (OC Co-chair)
- Chris Fermüller, Vienna University of Technology

- Michael Fink, Vienna University of Technology
- Sy David Friedman, University of Vienna
- Georg Gottlob, Oxford University
- Bernhard Gramlich, Vienna University of Technology
- Thomas Henzinger, IST Austria
- Stefan Hetzl, Vienna University of Technology
- Katarina Jurik, Vienna University of Technology
- Jakob Kellner, University of Vienna
- Thomas Krennwallner, Vienna University of Technology
- Oliver Lehmann, IST Austria
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- Eva Nedomá, Vienna University of Technology
- Magdalena Ortíz, Vienna University of Technology
- Thomas Pani, Vienna University of Technology
- Markus Pichlmair, Vienna University of Technology
- Norbert Preining, Japan Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, Secretary of the Kurt Gödel Society
- Vesna Sabljakovic-Fritz, IJCAI and Vienna University of Technology
- Gernot Salzer, Vienna University of Technology, Treasurer of the Kurt Gödel Society
- Martina Seidl, Vienna University of Technology
- Mantas Simkus, Vienna University of Technology
- Stefan Szeider, Vienna University of Technology
- Hans Tompits, Vienna University of Technology
- Helmut Veith, Vienna University of Technology (OC Co-chair)
- Daniel Weller, Deputy Publicity Chair of the Kurt Gödel Society
- Stefan Woltran, Vienna University of Technology

## VSL AT A GLANCE

**DATES:** July 9-24, 2014.

**VENUE:** [Vienna University of Technology](#), Freihaus, Wiedner Hauptstr. 8-10, A-1040 Vienna, Austria and Main Building, Karlsplatz 13, A-1040 Vienna, Austria

**TECHNICAL SECRETARIAT:** [Austropa Interconvention](#), Lassallestraße 3  
A-1020 Vienna, Austria  
(Registration and Accommodations)

**VSL Sponsorship Chair:** Vesna Sabljakovic-Fritz, [sablja@dbai.tuwien.ac.at](mailto:sablja@dbai.tuwien.ac.at)

**VSL Exhibit Chair:** Daniel Weller, [weller@logic.at](mailto:weller@logic.at)

## OBJECTIVE OF THE COLLABORATION

An event as large and varied as VSL is very costly and it is only thanks to the generous support of sponsors that fees may become accessible to academics. The following are standard means through which sponsors may collaborate but the organizing committee will do its best to accommodate alternative means of support.

The intention of the VSL Organizing Committee is to ensure that all sponsors receive the highest recognition in return for their generous support to the Conference.

## SPONSORSHIP

The easiest way to contribute would be through a flat amount of money towards the organization of the conference in general.

### Sponsorship Levels

Key sponsorship levels will be offered to companies according to their total sponsorship contribution.

#### **Platinum >20.000 €**

The sponsorship would entail the following:

- ◆ 5 full registrations (these include welcome reception, banquet, coffee-breaks, conference bag and access to technical program),
- ◆ 3 exhibit spaces
- ◆ Plus, the display of the company's name and logo in:
  - ◆ Printed materials, as schedule permits
  - ◆ VSL website and proceedings
  - ◆ VSL registration area
  - ◆ Signs at appropriate conference events

#### **Gold 10.000 €**

The sponsorship would entail the following:

- ◆ 3 full registrations,
- ◆ 2 exhibit spaces
- ◆ Plus the display of the company's name and logo in
  - ◆ Printed materials, as schedule permits
  - ◆ VSL website and proceedings
  - ◆ VSL registration area
  - ◆ Signs at appropriate conference events

#### **Silver 7.000 €**

The sponsorship would entail the following:

- ◆ 2 full registrations,
- ◆ 1 exhibit stand
- ◆ Plus, the display of the company's name and logo in

- ◆ Printed materials, as schedule permits
- ◆ VSL website and proceedings
- ◆ VSL registration area
- ◆ Signs at appropriate conference events

### **Bronze 3.500 €**

The sponsorship would entail the following:

- ◆ 1 full registration,
- ◆ 1 exhibit stand.
- ◆ Plus the display of the company's name and logo in
  - ◆ Printed materials, as schedule permits
  - ◆ VSL website and proceedings
  - ◆ VSL registration area
  - ◆ Signs at appropriate conference events

## **SPECIFIC SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

Some donors may prefer to contribute towards a specific need of the conference. We exemplify the type of targeted support that some sponsor might prefer to give but we are open to any other form of support a sponsor would be willing to give.

In the examples below, the total cost of the item is listed for reference. Sponsors may choose to give that total amount or to sponsor a fraction of it. Entitlements and recognition for targeted contributions would correspond to those mentioned for untargeted support, although the acknowledgement of some types of contributions would involve additional display of the name or logo of the sponsor depending on the target (e.g. in the banquet hall, delegate bag, hand program, ...).

### **Welcome Receptions (two)**

Total budget: € 42.000. (Fundable fraction € 7.000)

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo at a prominent place at the Reception Venue
- ◆ Name & Logo on the Invitation Cards
- ◆ Special mention in the conference hand program

### **Conference Dinners (two)**

Total budget: € 170.000. (Fundable fraction € 10.000)

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo at a prominent place on the Dinner Venue
- ◆ Name & Logo on the Invitation Cards
- ◆ Special mention in the conference hand program

### **Conference Coffee Breaks**

Total budget: € 200.000 (20 coffee breaks) (Fundable fraction € 10.000)

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo at a prominent place in the coffee break tables
- ◆ Special mention in the conference hand program

### **Student Receptions (two)**

Total budget: € 8.000

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo at a prominent place in the reception room
- ◆ Special mention in the conference hand program

**Invited Speaker**

Total Budget € 6.000

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo at a prominent place in the session room
- ◆ Special mention in the introduction of the speaker
- ◆ Special mention in the conference hand program

**Conference Proceedings**

Budget: € 50.000

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo on USB stick band

**Video Recording of Invited Talks**

Budget: € 21.000

*Additional acknowledgement:*

- ◆ Name & Logo in film credits

Additional contents for the delegates' bags like pens, notebooks, flash memories, etc. are welcome.

If you would like to comment any of the items included in this proposal or have any further suggestions, please contact:

Vesna Sabljakovic-Fritz (Sponsorship Chair), [sablja@dbai.tuwien.ac.at](mailto:sablja@dbai.tuwien.ac.at)

## Exhibition

Exhibits will be open to conference participants in two time slots, July 14-17, and July 19-22, starting at 10:00am on the first and closing at 3:00pm on the last day.

The exhibition area is located in the Freihaus venue, where the CAV, CSF, CSL, IJCAR, LICS, and SAT conferences and numerous workshops will take place. Furthermore, the main restaurant of the Vienna University of Technology is situated on the first floor of the Freihaus.

The locations of the exhibit booths have been chosen in such a way that every booth is either located next to a conference site or at a central point of intersection to foster interaction with the conference participants.

The dimensions of the basic exhibition booths are 2x3m (6m<sup>2</sup>). Other sizes are available upon request. A 230v power outlet is available (high-voltage current available on request). Exhibitors are invited to express their preferred stand location according to the floor plans below.

### Basic Stand:

This option includes

- Area of 6m<sup>2</sup> (2x3m), white walls 2.5m high
- Carpet, one table, two chairs, 230v power outlet, two spotlights
- Cover on open booth sides, caption on cover in black font (max. 20 letters)
- One full registration for the VSL 2014
- One exhibitor pass (includes coffee breaks and technical program of the VSL 2014)

### Extra options:

- Additional exhibitor pass (coffee-breaks and technical program included)
- Visitor pass (includes coffee breaks but provides access only to the exhibit hall)
- Additional 6m<sup>2</sup> space (includes carpet, one table, two chairs, two spotlights)

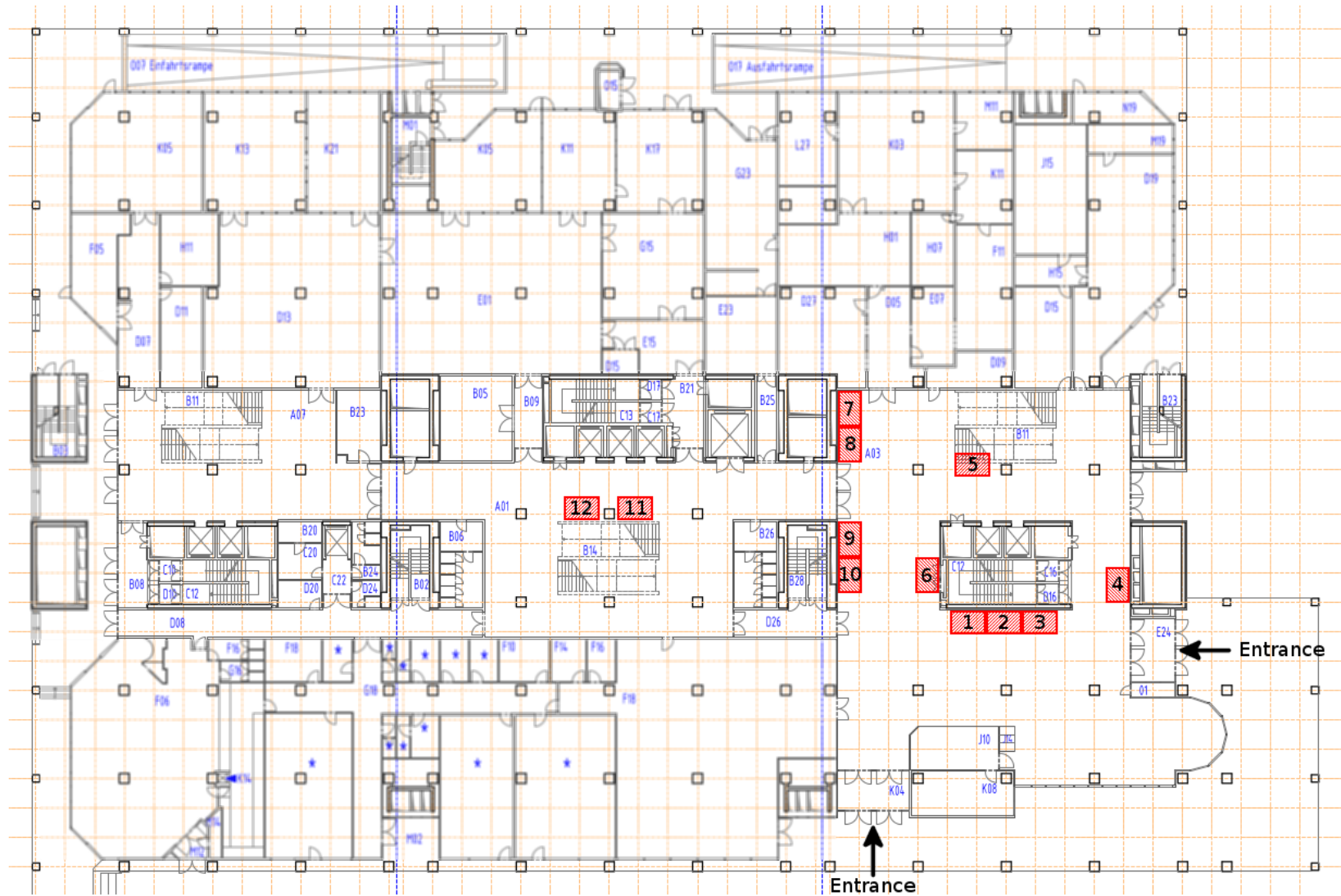
Other extra options are available upon request.

The rate for basic stands differs for commercial exhibitors (C), publishers and non-profit organizations (P), and universities and research institutions (U). All rates can be found in the Table below. In case of any questions, please contact the VSL 2014 Exhibition Chair (contact information below).

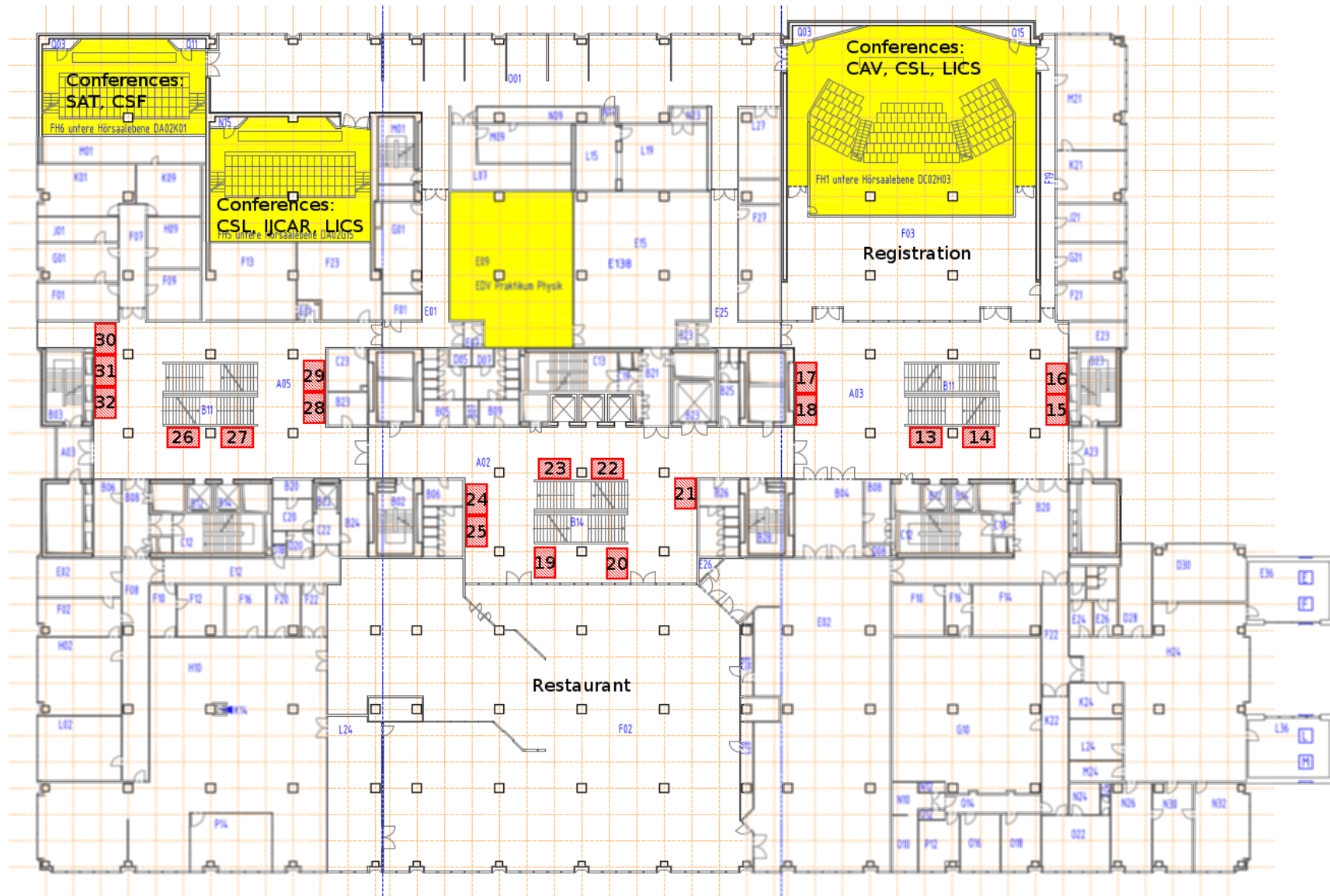
	July 14-17			July 19-22			1 Day
	<i>C</i>	<i>P</i>	<i>U</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>P</i>	<i>U</i>	
<b>Basic Stand</b>	1.600 €	1.200 €	800 €	1.600 €	1.200 €	800 €	–
<b>Add. Exhibit. Pass</b>	300 €			300 €			–
<b>Add. 6m<sup>2</sup> space</b>	1.100 €			1.100 €			–
<b>Visitor Pass</b>	–			–			75 €



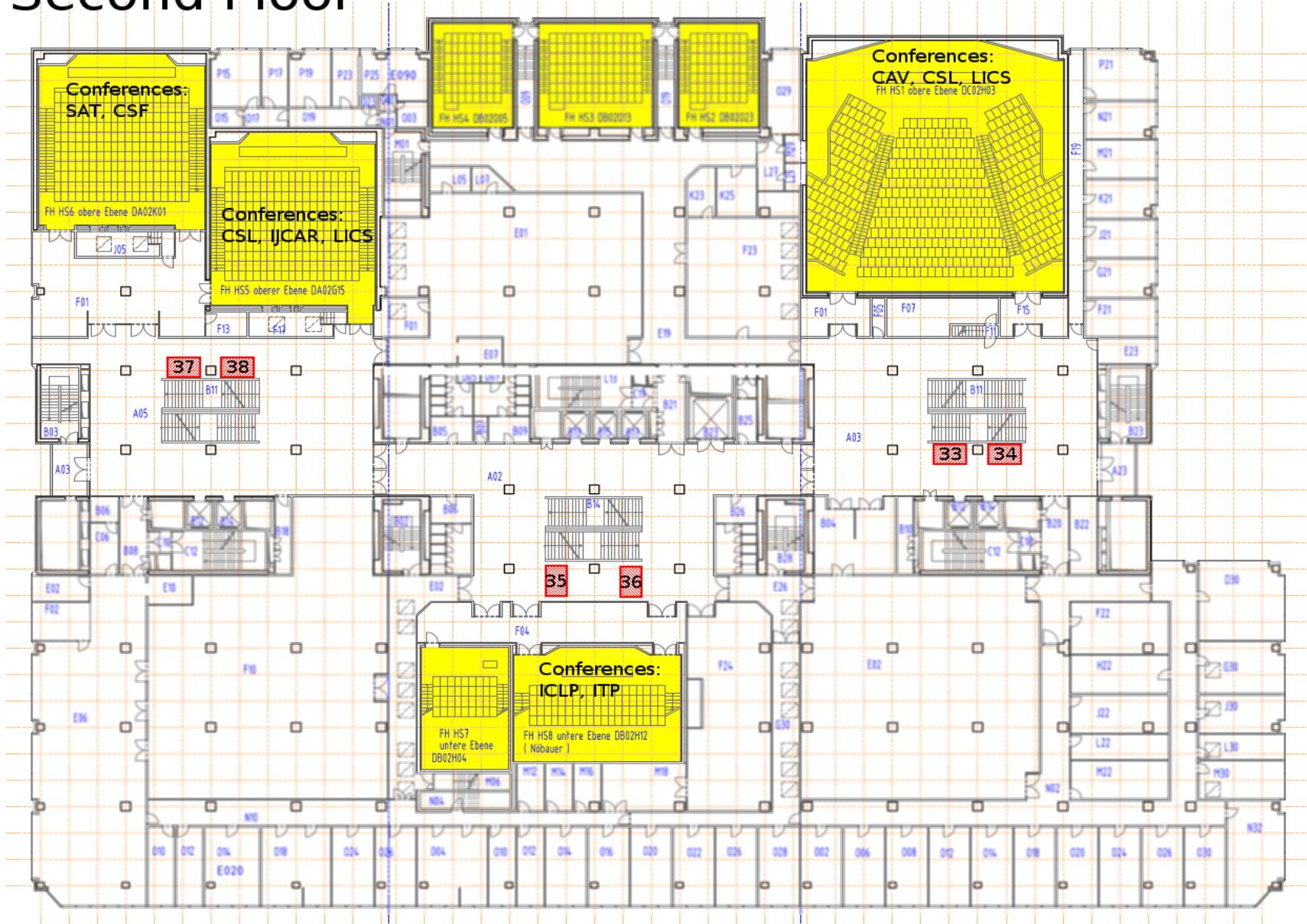
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# Second Floor



## APPLICATION AND CONTRACT FOR STAND SPACE

### **Request For Space:**

#### **Basic stand Type**

Exhibitor (please mark one):

Commercial       Academic or research institution       Publisher or non-profit organization

Time slot (please mark one):

July 14-17       July 19-22

Extras (number of):

Additional 6m<sup>2</sup> areas: \_\_\_\_\_

Exhibitor passes: \_\_\_\_\_

Visitor passes: \_\_\_\_\_

Other requirements (please contact the exhibition chair in advance):

\_\_\_\_\_

**Total amount** \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred booth(s) N°(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Second option: \_\_\_\_\_  
(according to floor plan)

Caption on booth cover (max. 20 letters) : \_\_\_\_\_

**Company:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Country:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Position:** \_\_\_\_\_

*On behalf of the Company, I consent and undertake to comply with the exhibition rules and my obligations to exhibit from the moment I sign this contract. I enclose a copy of the bank transfer for the amount agreed (100% of the space requested), made to: to "Vienna Summer of Logic", IBAN AT631200000686168212, BIC: BKAUATWW.*

*Signature & Company Stamp:*

**Please return the application form as soon as possible to:**

Daniel Weller  
Institute of Discrete Mathematics and Geometry  
Vienna University of Technology  
Wiedner Hauptstrasse 8-10  
A-1040 Vienna, Austria  
Email: [weller@logic.at](mailto:weller@logic.at)

*Please note that, since the Kurt Gödel Society is a non-profit organization, the prices above do not include taxes.*

## SPONSORSHIP APPLICATION

**Amount of sponsorship** (please write the total amount you will contribute):

\_\_\_\_\_

**Aim of the contribution:**

Generic Sponsorship: \_\_\_\_\_

We want to specifically sponsor the following item(s):

\_\_\_\_\_

Preferred booth(s) numbers according to the floor plan: \_\_\_\_\_

Second option: \_\_\_\_\_ No booth \_\_\_\_\_

(Key sponsorship levels: platinum, gold, silver and bronze include entitlement to the exhibit booth(s). for details, please refer to the sponsorship guide.)

**Company:**

Address:

Zip Code:

Country:

Tel:

E-mail:

**Contact Person:**

**Position:**

On behalf of the Company, I consent and undertake to comply with the sponsorship rules and my obligations to sponsor from the moment I sign this contract. I enclose a copy of the bank transfer for the amount above, made to: to "Kurt Goedel Society", IBAN AT741200051260235303, BIC: BKAUATWW.

Signature & Company Stamp:

**Please return the application form as soon as possible to:**

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