

## SCHLOSS HOFEN

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### **ARRIVAL** (<http://www.schlosshofen.at/ueber-uns/anfahrt/>)

SCHLOSS HOFEN, the striking Renaissance castle of the Counts of Raitenau, established in 1981 as an international center for science and education, is located on the outskirts of Lochau on the Austrian shore of Lake Constance between Bregenz and Lindau.

### Arrival by car

#### **From Austria and Switzerland:**

Take the Rheintalautobahn A 14 in the direction of Germany through the Pfänder-tunnel. Immediately after the Pfänder-tunnel, take the exit at Lochau-Hörbranz. Then turn left towards Lochau until you see an OMV petrol station on the right after about 800 meters. Diagonally opposite (on the left side of the street) the road in the direction of Eichenberg leads to SCHLOSS HOFEN (about 900 meters).

#### **From Germany:**

If you arrive via the A 96 (E 43) motorway, take the exit Lochau-Hörbranz just past the service area "Raststätte Bodensee". Turn left towards Lochau until you see an OMV petrol station on the right after about 800 meters. Diagonally opposite (on the left side of the street) the path leads in the direction of Eichenberg to SCHLOSS HOFEN (about 900 meters).

If you arrive via the A 96 motorway, the route to the castle depends on whether you have or want to purchase a motorway vignette. If you do not have a vignette, please leave the A 96 at exit Lindau. If you have or want to buy a vignette, then please continue on the A 96 to the border (here you can buy a vignette at the service area "Raststätte Bodensee") and take, if you are in possession of a valid vignette, the first exit Lochau - Hörbranz (before the Pfändertunnel). Then turn left towards Lochau and take the L1 (Hofriedenstrasse) to the OMV petrol station. There you turn left and follow the road in the direction of Eichenberg. After approx. 900 meters you reach Schloss Hofen.

## Parking

There are about 30 parking spaces within the castle walls and 60 parking spaces above the castle. From this parking area you have comfortable and direct access to the reception and the seminar rooms. Follow the road to Eichenberg and turn right after the castle.

The parking spaces in front of the castle are reserved for employees only.

## Arrival by public transport

If you arrive by train, then either get off at Bregenz or Lindau. From Bregenz you can reach SCHLOSS HOFEN by bus (direction Hörbranz, via "Hofen, Brantmann", stop Lochau Hofen, 5-minute-walk) or by taxi (5 km). If you arrive at Lindau train station, then it is advisable to take a taxi (8 km).

Please notice that it is not advisable to arrive at the train station in Lochau as there are no taxis available!

## Arrival by plane

- Zurich Airport (CH): train connection to Bregenz (about 2 hours), then taxi
- Airport Altenrhein (CH): airline bus to Bregenz train station (Rheintalflug, about 1 hour), then taxi
- Airport Friedrichshafen (D): train connection to Lindau (D) or Bregenz (about 1 hour), then taxi

**We look forward to welcoming you at SCHLOSS HOFEN and wish you a pleasant journey!**