



European Professors of Industrial Engineering and Management

Registration

- Professors of the EPIEM network, IEM Caring as well as the Students of ESTIEM will be **special guests** of the Austrian Association of Industrial Engineering and Management (WING).
- Please **register** for a potential presentation/ time slot on Friday 28th May 2021 by sending an email including your concept, topic of presentation etc. until the 30st of April 2021 to: [bernd.zunk\(at\)tugraz.at](mailto:bernd.zunk@tugraz.at)
- For **further information** about the EPIEM Conference 2021 in Vienna do not hesitate to contact: [bernd.zunk\(at\)tugraz.at](mailto:bernd.zunk(at)tugraz.at)

Venue

Vienna University of Technology

“Begleitraum Kuppelsaal“

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Karlsplatz 13, 4th floor

1040 Vienna, Austria

Organisation

Graz University of Technology

Institute of Business Economics and Industrial Sociology, Working Group “Industrial Marketing, Purchasing and Supply Management“

in cooperation with

Vienna University of Technology

Institute of Management Science, Human Centered Cyber Physical Production and Assembly Systems

14th EPIEM Conference 2021



Creating an
European IEM
Future:
Vision and
Strategy 2021+

Date: 27th & 28th of May 2021

EPIEM Vision

EPIEM is the **virtual space** and **intellectual home** of **mindful academics** of **European universities** working in the Management of Technology field and aiming to contribute to a **future-oriented** and **sustainable development** of a multi-cultural as well as globalized **European Society**.

EPIEM Network

EPIEM as a **collaborative European network of IEM professors** has the overall objective of fostering collaboration between IEM professors and universities across Europe in order to enhance the academic field of IEM.

The **objectives** of the network can be summarized as follows:

- Create a common and well-known understanding of the IEM field across Europe
- Develop and promote IEM academic education on a university level and share best practices
- Enhance cooperation between academia and industry
- Encourage the engagement of IEM community in joint researches
- Characterization of IEM professional demands
- Facilitate international education of IEM students

EPIEM – Quo vadis?

At the EPIEM Conferences 2018 in Graz and Bucharest the **“EPIEM Drive Group”** consisting of four European IEM professors - Prof. Anabela Alves/Minho, Prof. Carina Pimentel/Aveiro, Prof. Cristian Mustata/Bucharest and Prof. Bernd M. Zunk/Graz - took over the responsibility to develop the EPIEM organization as well as the network further.

Therefore, it would be great if interested Professors of Universities all over Europe would take the chance and visit the **13th EPIEM Conference in Vienna** and contribute to the future development of EPIEM.

Schedule

Day 1: Thursday, May 27th 2021

- **EPIEM Strategy Meeting:** How to make the next steps in EPIEM? (Start 8.30 a.m.)
- Parallel event: **Pre-Conference Workshop** with Prof. Banse, in German: www.wing-online.at (Start 8.30 a.m.)
- **Get together** in Vienna town hall together with the mayor of Vienna (7 p.m.)

Day 2: Friday, May 28th 2021

- **EPIEM Annual Meeting:** Presentations on specific EPIEM topics (in English) (Start 8.30 a.m.)
- **Conference Dinner** at a “Wiener Heurigen” at 6.30 p.m.

Day 3: Saturday, May 29th 2021

- Visit at the **pilot factory** of Vienna University of Technology, <http://pilotfabrik.tuwien.ac.at/en/> (Start 10 a.m.)