

Bregenz, Austria

Venue for the 11th International Conference on
Preimplantation Genetics Diagnosis



Formerly a Roman town named Brigantium, Bregenz Austria is today a thriving tourist destination where visitors can enjoy a fine mix of old and new.

Bregenz is the capital of the state of Vorarlberg, which is the westernmost Austrian state, and it graces the eastern shores of Lake Constance (Bodensee). Ascend to the top of 3,500-foot high mount Pfander on a clear day here, and you can see Germany and Switzerland. That should give you an idea of how close you are to those country's borders when you engage in Bregenz travel.

Fronted by central Europe's third largest lake and backed by rising mountains, Bregenz presents a wonderful setting, and visitors are encouraged to take in the views any which way they can. For those heading here in the winter, the nearby ski resorts of Lech and Zurs await you!



Bregenz Conference Center



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Summer music festival (Bregenzer Festspiele)

The Bregenzer Festspiele is world-renowned summer music festival in Bregenz centered around a stage on Lake Constance. Every second year a new opera is performed as the focus of the festival. The modern and from architectural side very interesting building is further well known for congresses and also for contemporary art performances. It plays an important role in the city and even in the James Bond movie "Quantum of Solace"!





Museum of Modern Art (KUB)

Since the opening of KUB (Kunsthhaus Bregenz) all over the world Bregenz is known as a special place for modern arts installations and exhibitions. Maurizio Catelan, Carsten Höller, Richard Serra, Jean Fabre and others were there in 2008. Roy Liechtenstein, Jeff Koons, George & George, However, not only the famous artists showing their work in KUB attract people looking for serious modern art, also the building it self planned and constructed by the famous architect Peter Zumthor is an eye-catcher. And further more you will find lots of famous examples for modern architecture in Bregenz and its surroundings.

Bregenz – Home of Wolford





SCHUBERTIADE
SCHWARZENBERG
HOHENEMS



Angelika Kaufmann Museum



Goethe called her in a letter to
Weimar "die ... vielleicht
kultivierteste Frau Europas"
["the most accomplished
woman in Europe"].





Lake Constance (Bodensee)

This spectacular freshwater lake borders Austria, Switzerland and Germany. The Rhine River flows through it. During a boat trip on the lake you get breathtaking views from one of the most charming areas in central Europe. This lake offers you many possibilities for swimming, sailing, surfing and fishing.



Around Bregenz



★ **Arlberg-Region**
St. Anton, Lech, Zurs
45min drive



★ **Davos, CH**
1h 30min drive



★ **Liechtenstein**
25min drive



1h 30min to Füssen

1h 15min to Munich



2h 30min
to Milano

★ **Bregenz, AUT**

→ 30min to St. Gallen
1h to Zürich



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