We are excited to announce the G.F.P. will host the next ICPS Conference from 24-26 May 2024 at Orangery of the Schönbrunn Palace in Vienna, Austria.

About the G.F.P.

The Gesellschaft für Fleischfressende Pflanzen im deutschprachigen Raum G.F.P. e.V. (Carnivorous plants Society for the German speaking countries) was founded in 1984 and has grown to more than 1100 members. Our members are mostly from Germany, Austria, and Switzerland with a few members from other European countries and overseas.

We are active with lots of larger and smaller meetings throughout the summer season. The society is also active in nature conservancy as well as in scientific projects. We regularly support Botanical Gardens with conservation projects like building artificial ponds for an Aldrovanda project (Botanical Garden of Bonn and Frankfurt), building showcases for carnivorous plants exhibitions (Stuttgart, Ulm), or creating/maintaining artificial bogs (Leiden). In the research field, we have funded research projects in Canada, Malaysia, and Australia.

The Conference

The Conference will coincide with our 40th anniversary which we would like to celebrate with all of you. The Orangery of the Schönbrunn Palace is a beautiful venue for this event. There will be a plant sale as well as many lectures on all three days. On Friday evening we will offer a joint evening event and of course there will be the usual conference dinner on Saturday. We will also do our best to offer some excursions after the conference.

We created a website where you can always find the latest information about the conference like the program and registration process. You can find it here: https://www.carnivoren.org/icps-conference-2024

We will also announce the website through the channels of the ICPS, the known forums, and our own G.F.P. channels.

Vienna is worth a visit alone. The town is full of history and offers plenty possibilities for sightseeing. Places like the Schönbrunn Palace, with the Orangery, the reserve gardens, the oldest zoo in the world, the Hofburg including the Hofreitschule, Belvedere Palace with the botanical garden, the Viennese Prater, and many more are well known and attract tourists from all over the world. This is your chance to visit this beautiful town and to learn something about the history of Austria.

Vienna can easily be reached by plane, train, or car.

Please don’t hesitate to contact us should you have any questions. We are happy to help!
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