

**FREE
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WIENER FESTWOCHEN

15 MAY TO 21 JUNE 2026

PREMIERES AND PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

21 April 2026 <i>Exhibition opening</i>	Hype and High Culture – 75 Years of the Vienna Festival (Wiener Festwochen) in Posters	MAK – Museum für angewandte Kunst
12 May 2026 <i>Exhibition opening</i>	Christoph Schlingensief: It's No Longer My Problem!	MAK – Museum für angewandte Kunst
13 May 2026	A Speech to Europe 2026 (Speaker: Anne Applebaum)	Judenplatz
15 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	The Best Play Ever – 75 Years Vienna Festival (Wiener Festwochen) (Milo Rau)	Halle E im MuseumsQuartier
15 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Das tragische Schicksal der Sonate Nr. 2 (Lina Majdalanie & Rabih Mroué) - pièce commune	VHS Brigittenau
16 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Myths of Everyday Life (Mattias Andersson)	Volkstheater Wien
16 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	The Day Before (Brigitta Muntendorf & Christiane Jatahy)	Odeon
17 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Wallden (Nesterval)	Augartenspitz
17 May 2026	Dancing Idiots (Thorsten Lensing)	Akademietheater
17 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	State of Faith (Inna Shevchenko)	Kirche St. Elisabeth Zur frohen Botschaft
from 17 May 2026 (every Sun.)	Mythical Ark Free entry, different acts every week	House of the Republic - Badeschiff, Sun deck
18 May 2026	The Voyage of the Sable Venus (Alice Diop)	Schauspielhaus Wien
19 Mai 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	An Evening with Patti Smith	Theater Akzent
20 May 2026	Voyage Into Infinity (Narcissister)	Halle G im MuseumsQuartier
21 May 2026	Patti Smith Quartet	Arena Wien
from 21 May 2026 (every Thu.)	Holy Spring Free entry, different acts every week	House of the Republic - Badeschiff
22 May 2026	Opening Vienna Festival	Heldenplatz
23 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Pentecost Play (Florentina Holzinger)	Wiener Eislauf-Verein
23 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Music Music - Histoire(s) du Théâtre VII (Trajal Harrell)	Volkstheater Wien
25 May 2026	السيرة الهلالية The Epic of Banū Hilāl (Bashar Murkus & Khulood Basel/Kashabi Theatre)	Theater Akzent

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27 May 2026	Block 16 (Cris Moreira)	Theater Nestroyhof Hamakom
29 May 2026	Repertório N. 1 (Davi Pontes & Wallace Ferreira)	MAK – Museum für angewandte Kunst
29, 30, 31 May 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Das Glaubenstribunal (Milo Rau)	Odeon
30 May 2026	Dark Noon (fix+foxy)	Halle G im MuseumsQuartier
31 May 2026	Vampire's Mountain (Philippe Quesne)	Volkstheater Wien
1 June 2026	Songs of Winter War (Opera Aperta)	Theater Akzent
2 June 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	9/11 Frames Per Second (An author theatre project)	Schauspielhaus Wien
3 June 2026	CASSANDRA (Marta Górnicka)	Akademietheater
5 June 2026	Бурята The Tempest (Robert Wilson)	Burgtheater
6 June 2026	Believing in Masks (Romeo Castellucci)	Halle G im MuseumsQuartier
7 June 2026	Juggle & Hide (Wichaya Artamat/Duck Unit)	Theater Nestroyhof Hamakom
10 June 2026	Chineke! Orchestra (Joseph Young)	Wiener Konzerthaus
10 June 2026	CLAP & SLAP (Agnietė Lisičkinaitė & Igor Shugaleev)	Kosmos Theater
11 June 2026	SEPPUKU. MISHIMA'S FUNERAL (Angélica Liddell)	Volkstheater Wien
11 June 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Parable of the Sour (Rébecca Chaillon)	Odeon
11 / 12 June 2026	RESISTANCE NOW! Crisis of democracy. Resistance through art?	House of the Republic - Badeschiff
12 / 13 June 2026	Academy Second Modernism - Summit	ORF RadioKulturhaus
13 June 2026	Academy Second Modernism - No More Excuses I	ORF RadioKulturhaus
13 June 2026	DORA or Who's Going To Stitch the Vests (Andreja Kargačín)	Theater Nestroyhof Hamakom
14 June 2026	Academy Second Modernism – No More Excuses II	ORF RadioKulturhaus
15 June 2026	Parsifal (Susanne Kennedy & Markus Selg)	Halle E im MuseumsQuartier
18 June 2026 <i>World premiere</i>	Doppelgänger/Doppelganger (Gob Squad)	Halle G im MuseumsQuartier
19 June 2026	埋火 Sleeping Fires (Kurō Tanino)	Odeon