



Places and topics from former meetings:

- 2016** **Vienna, Maha-Council** (large meeting), Sep 25 to Sep 28 (3 days); hosted by the ÖBR - Austrian Buddhist Union
 "Buddhist Inspiration in our Age of Crisis". Talks by
 Lama Shenpen "Mindfulness as the path to liberation"
 Ajahn Sundara "Mindfulness., different levels, mainstream & deep"
 Dario Doshin Girolami: "When blossom falls. A meditation course for grieving parents who lost their children"
 Lama Irene "Supported ending of Life - How do we as Buddhist teachers think and feel about that?"
 Kaikyo Sara Roby-Baranek: "End-of-life or assisted suicide"
 Sylvia Wetzel: Dark Night, Emptiness and Renunciation
 Marcel Geisser: Buddhism beyond "Ism"
 Yesche U. Regel, „Applying Buddhist compassion practices on social, ecological and other urgent matters" and a Tonglen-compassion meditation.
 Zarko Andricevic, Present crises in the light of Chan Buddhism
- 2015** **Germany, Berlin, Rigpa Zentrum Dharma Mati Berlin.** Sep 27 to Sep 30 (3 days); "The Person of the Teacher and her/his Responsibility and Impact on Society.
- 2015** **USA, Omega Institute, Western Dharma Teachers Gathering**
- 2014** **Germany, Hamburg, "Sharing Different Approaches to Key Buddhist Teachings and Practices"**
- 2013** **France, Karma Ling.** As it was a **Maha-Council** (large meeting) stretching over 5 days, three topics were at the centre of exchange and discussions. "Authority and Transmission", "Mindfulness in a Buddhist and in a Secular Context", "Creating Community".
- 2012** **Switzerland, Churwalden, "Uncovering the Buddha"**
- 2011** **France, Lerab Ling, "Exchanges on Tradition and Experience"**
- 2010** **Hungary, Velence, "Engaged Buddhism"**
- 2009** **UK, Bettiesfield, "Non-Sectarianism"**
- 2008** **Italy, Arco**
- 2007** **Netherlands, Cadzand,**
- 2006** **Spain, Barcelona**
- 2005** **Poland, Stettin**
- 2004** **Germany, Jaegerndorf, Haus Engl**
- 2003** **France, Strassburg**
- 1996** **?? Kamalashila Institut, Germany,** at Schloss Wachendorf, with Lama Denys Rinpoche, and some friends still known: Alexander Berzin, Simon Child, Zarko Andricevic, Kurt Krammer, Marcel Geisser
- 1993** **Dharamsala, Indien;** on Invitation for H.H. the Dalai Lama (Sylvia Wetzel, Fred von Allmen, Heinz Roiger ect.)
 Schloss Wachendorf

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