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IAML Austria continues to keep close connection with the Austrian Library Association VÖB (Vereinigung österreichischer Bibliothekarinnen und Bibliothekare). For several years VÖB had a Working Group on Music as a part of its Cataloguing Commission; in January 2007 an own Commission on Music in VÖB was founded. Many Austrian music libraries are both members of this new commission as of IAML Austria.

Since the last IAML conference (Göteborg) IAML Austria held two meetings:

The first meeting on October 17 2006 took place in the Arnold Schönberg Center Vienna. The Schönberg Center was founded 1998 and holds the estate of Arnold Schönberg; it is located in Palais Fanto in the city of Vienna. We were informed by Therese Muxeneder and Eike Feß on the rich holdings of the Center and especially on its comprehensive digital presentation: The manuscripts and letters by Schönberg now are available by internet. Furthermore during this session a new collection of examples of music catalogue entries was presented by Dorothea Hunger.

The second meeting, on 5 June 2007, was held in Salzburg. The group was invited by Manfred Kammerer, director of the University Library Mozarteum Salzburg. During the last years the University Mozarteum got a new building, including a new library; it is located in the main part of the University and offers all facilities of a modern music library. Ulrich Leisinger (Internationale Stiftung Mozarteum Salzburg) informed us on the history and the implementation of DME (Digital Mozart Edition, the digital version of the complete Neue Mozart Ausgabe). Thomas Leibnitz gave an overview to the history and practice of RILM work in Austria. (The minutes of this meeting are published on the IAML Austria homepage: [www.iaml.at](http://www.iaml.at).)

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