



„Der Fortgang der wissenschaftlichen Entwicklung ist im Endeffekt eine ständige Flucht vor dem Staunen.“

Albert Einstein

CENTER FOR TECHNOLOGY & SOCIETY

Encourage inter- and transdisciplinary cooperation.

What is the CTS? What is its goal?

We are an inter-university and inter-faculty cooperation platform of universities and universities of applied sciences: the Vienna University of Technology (TU Wien), the FH Campus Wien, the FH Technikum Wien and the University of Vienna.

We promote cooperation, innovation and interconnected research through, i.a. participatory approaches and critical thinking.

What makes the CTS so special?

Cooperation at eye level between universities of applied sciences and universities - unique in the Austrian educational landscape.

In our cooperations we combine technical and socially relevant challenges with the participation of non-academic stakeholders.

What has the CTS already achieved so far?

- Strengthened the cooperation between universities of applied sciences and universities
- Enabled socio-technological research through Kickstarters
- Created awareness of the necessity and importance of the interdisciplinary approach to innovation and research
- First return-on-investments through successful follow-up funding

Four universities have combined their efforts for this purpose. What to expect from this?

Multiplying Excellence & Quality - Through inter-university cooperation in research, education and exchange with society and the economy, social responsibility is shared and strengthened, in the transfer of knowledge and technology as well as in the support of continuing education and lifelong learning.

How is the CTS currently funded?

We are currently a BMBWF-funded project (until 2024).

TU Vienna has received this basic funding to set up the CTS, which is why the CTS core team is currently located at TU Vienna.

All higher education institutions support the CTS with in-kind-contributions.

How does the CTS promote research in concrete ways?

We realise inter- and transdisciplinary cooperations on questions of technical and socially relevant challenges (e.g. climate crisis, digital transformation, demographic change) with the involvement of non-academic stakeholders. These critical questions relate to the interface between technological development and social responsibility.

How can individuals or companies support CTS?

Through active participation of each individual in projects and events.

By manifesting the CTS through active financial and thematic partnership or a financial donation.

„Technology is nothing. What's important is that you have a faith in people, that they're basically good and smart, and if you give them tools, they'll do wonderful things with them.“

Steve Jobs

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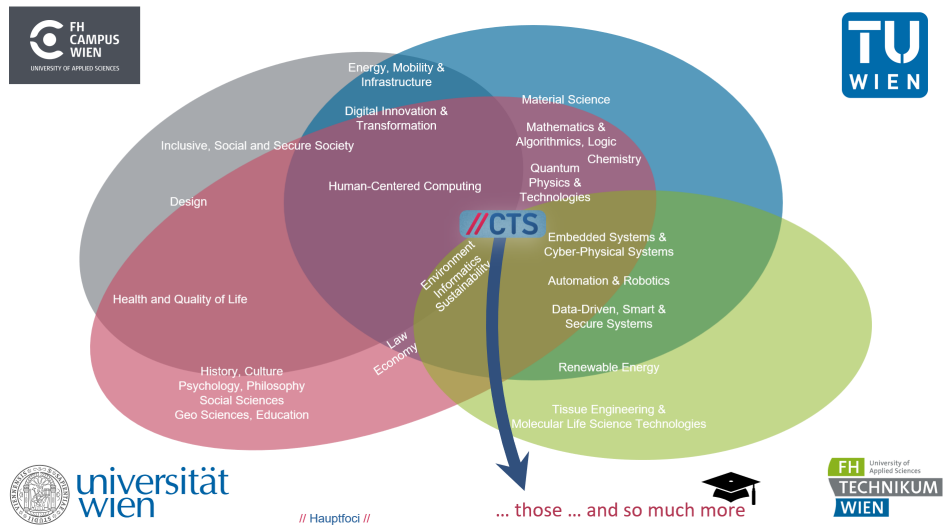


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Legal status	A project funded by the BMBWF
Year of foundation	2019
Worldview	We are politically neutral and committed to free and independent science.

Offers and services

Research in formats:
 Project and Innovation Development
 Preliminary Project Development
 Doctoral Colleges



Subsidies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In 2020 – 14, in 2021 – 9, in 2022 -3 projects were funded 55 applications - 26 projects funded 23 completed / 3 active Micro-funding around ~ 12000€. 6 project proposals supported: 4 successfully submitted, 2 successfully funded (FFG): Linking Care (LICA) & Mental e-Health
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Activities

Our achievements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increasing engagement between university institutions Connecting the disciplines 65 funded jobs Summer School 08/21 and 08/22
Team	Anna Franzkowiak, Hilda Tellioglu, Hayley Green, Rafael Vrecar, Noah Pfander, Tobias Kohn

Funding

Revenue	A project funded by the BMBWF
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