

AUSTRIAN SCREENWRITING SHOWCASE

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Austrian Screenwriting Showcase by Casino Theatre

Presented by the Austrian Trade Commission and Casino Theatre. The event is made possible with financial support from go-international, a joint initiative of the Austrian Federal Ministry for Economy, Energy and Tourism and the Austrian Federal Economic Chamber.

This Screenwriting Showcase spotlights Austria's most promising unproduced film and TV projects - many backed by established local production companies and funding. Created in collaboration with Casino Theatre, a Hollywood-based live talent showcase, the event offers a dynamic new way to introduce international content to the U.S. market.

Each project is brought to life through a 5-minute live performance by professional actors in character, giving industry guests an immediate, immersive sense of the story's tone and cinematic potential.

This event is part of NeueHouse's official cultural programming and held in Hollywood's iconic Studio A — home to historic recordings by I Love Lucy, Bob Dylan, and Janis Joplin.

A New Kind of Trade Show - Timed with AFM

Strategically aligned with the American Film Market (AFM), when global buyers and industry leaders are already in Los Angeles, the showcase maximizes visibility and deal-making potential for companies attending the showcase. Replacing traditional pitch sessions with live theatrical storytelling, it merges culture, commerce, and co-production in a way that's as emotionally engaging as it is professionally effective.

This is not just another market - it's a curated, high-impact experience designed to foster real industry connections and spark international collaboration.

Interested in collaborating on the Austrian Screenwriting Showcase?

Join us as a supporting partner and benefit from this perfect opportunity to present your company during the showcase — highlighting regional talent and gaining exposure to key industry figures from North America and Europe. Contact anders@locusent.com or losangeles@advantageaustria.org to explore possibilities.

FEATURED WRITERS AND PROJECTS

- Christoph Rainer & Senad Halilbašić – **REQUIEM FOR A ROBOT** (Feature Film)
- Jason B. Kohl – **ENLARGEMENT** (Dark Comedy Series)
- Maria Hinterkoerner – **VENUS** (Heist Comedy Series)
- Toni Weiss – **ROCK ME AMADEUS** (Animated Kids Series)
- Ulrike Schweiger & Carl Achleitner – **HEDY'S LULLABY** (Feature Film)

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