# Annual member report

## General Information

| Year | 2022 |
| Association | ÖRV – Berufsverband österreichischer Restauratorinnen und Restauratoren |
| Country | Austria |
| Webpage | https://www.orv.at/home |
| Email address | office@orv.at |
| Name of president | Susanne Beseler |
| Name of delegate | Sabina Simonic |
| No. regular members | 288 |
| No. associate members | SUM 62 (20 Corresponding, 13 Retired, 25 in Training, 4 Friends) |

## Professional Activity

**International activity** (meetings, visits, international projects...)

- **September 2022**: 2-days Symposium "Erzählungen - Beiträge zur Geschichte der Konservierung-Restaurierung" (Engl.: Narratives - Contributions to the History of Conservation-Restoration)

**Events related to the C-R profession** (lectures, meetings, workshops, exhibitions, etc)

- **May 2022**: Lecture on the structural reform in the Federal Monuments Office and related changes
- **June 2022**: A guided tour through the Austrian Parliament after the general renovation, afterward a come together with the restorers, project staff and colleagues from the Federal Office for the Protection of Monuments for a lively exchange of ideas and experiences
- **September 2022**: Symposium "Erzählungen - Beiträge zur Geschichte der Konservierung-Restaurierung" (Engl.: Narratives - Contributions to the History of Conservation-Restoration)
- **October 2022**: Guided tour of the construction site and restoration works at Villa Beer (1929-1931) build by Josef Frank und Oskar Wlach
- **November 2022**: 25th Austrian Conference of Restorers of Archaeological Soil Finds (together with Natural History Museum Vienna)
- **November 2022**: Guided tour of the Wien Museum construction site at Karlsplatz
- **November 2022**: General Assembly ÖRV
- **February 2023**: Lecture on the research project PHELETYPIA, a research Project on original daguerrotypes from the early period of photography
- **March 2023**: Guided tour through the largely original rooms of the Library of the Academy of Fine Arts Vienna
- **April 2023**: Guided tour "Seidengasse 20 - A stucco ceiling like a carpet", in the residential building designed by Hans Dworak (1907)
**Educational Implementation**

**May 2023:** Lecture with Robert Gamlin: “The Gamblin Conservation Colors”

**May 2023:** Symposium “Research and conservation of stained glass after 1800 in Austria, using the example of the Linz St. Mary's Cathedral”

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<th><strong>May 2023:</strong> Lecture: “Beruf, Berufung, Berufsverband” (Engl: Profession, Occupation, Association) for Students about Professional Associations (ÖRV, E.C.C.O., ENCoRE) and the importance of participation.</th>
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**Dissemination**

Promotional Activity (lectures, meetings, workshops, exhibitions…)

European Day of Conservation-Restoration

Open Studios at the Institute for Conservation-Restoration


Publication

**Other Activities**

**Comments**

At the General Assembly on 24.11.2022, the members elected Dipl.-Rest. Susanne Beseler as the new president. In addition, the entire Board resigned and was newly elected. With this decision, the terms of office of the Executive Board and the Presidency were again synchronised, so that in future all elections will be held every two years. Harmonising the timing of elections ensures that the Executive Board’s terms of office will be continuous in the future and allows the Executive Board to make longer-term plans without interruptions due to elections. In her inaugural speech, Susanne Beseler emphasised that she will work to continue and develop the work of the ÖRV.

Board Members are:

- Dipl.-Rest. Susanne Beseler
- Mag. Theresia Burkheiser
- Mag. Sabina Simonič
- Mag. Michael Formanek
- Mag. Andrea Hackel
- Mag. Barbara Rankl
- Mag. Elias Campidell
- Mag. Caroline Göllner
- Dipl.-Rest. Anna Boomgaarden
- Mag. Irina Marilyn Huller
- Mag. Ursula Huber