

SITE VISITS

Site Visit 1: AFB & DRZ

AfB is Europe's first non-profit IT company and creates numerous jobs for people with disabilities. AfB is a Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) partner, vendor and employer. At the Viennese location, the staff picks up decommissioned IT hardware from companies, deletes the remaining data in a certified fashion and refurbishes it for re-use.

The **DRZ** (Dismantling and Recycling Center) is a socio-economic enterprise run by „Die Wiener Volkshochschulen GmbH“. Through the refurbishment and recycling of used and waste electrical and electronic equipment, job-seeking people get the opportunity to return to a regular working life. The tour will take a look at the three work areas: Re-Use (inspections of over 20.000 items per year), manual dismantling (over 6 tons of WEEE per day) and trash_design (beautiful upcycling products made out of WEEE)

Site Visit 2: Carla Wien (Caritas)

Carla Wien is a socio-economic enterprise of Caritas Wien. The tour goes to carla Nord, one of two main locations in Vienna, where various operations take place: the biggest second-hand shop (4.000m²), eCommerce (for platforms like WIDADO), used mobile phone collection (Ö3 Wundertüte), carla Depot (high quality business furniture), distribution of donated goods to Caritas-facilities and Le+O (food distribution to 17 social amenities).