

Rapport d'activités des CN 2006

NC Activity Report Form 2006

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1. Information générale

1. General information

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Nombre the membres collectifs / individuels	Number of individual / collective members
13 individual members / 15 collective members	

Organisation et structure	Organisation and structure
The Austrian Road and Railway Research Association - FSV (Forschungsgemeinschaft Strasse, Schiene und Verkehr) provides the secretariat for the Austrian National Committee of PIARC.	

2. Conferences, seminaires, réunions des CT en 2006	2. Conferences, Seminars, TC meetings in 2006
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Organisation des CN: national/international	Organisation by NC: national/international
National follow-up on the results of the XII International Winter Road Congress in Turin 2006: On October 4th, a seminar with Austrian experts is planned, in order to discuss the main outcome of the Turin 2006 Congress for administrations at the governmental, regional and local level as well as for the Austrian companies and industry in that field. Preparation work is going on for the 6th ASTRAD Symposium on Road Management and Winter Maintenance, 18-19th April 2007, Wels, 90 exhibiting companies and more than 1000 professionals are expected	

Travail conjoint avec d'autres organisations nationales	Joint organisation with other national institutions
Tunnel Ventilation Conference, 15-17th May 2006 in Graz, joint organisation with FSV and Graz University of Technology More than 200 experts from 24 countries discussed various aspects of tunnel safety and ventilation as risk management, fixed fire suppression systems, operation and equipment, railway and metro tunnels and traffic management. Many members of the PIARC Tunneling Committee were involved in the sessions and gave presentations on the actual work of the committee and PIARC in the field of tunnel safety and operation. More information is available at http://vkm-thd.tugraz.at	

Travail conjoint avec d'autres CN	Joint organisation with other NC
A regional meeting of European National Committees took place in Vienna on 22nd May 2006. Representatives from Scandinavia, the Iberian peninsular and central Europe considered the various tasks of National Committees within the Association and their position in channeling international and national information. A report will be given at the Annual Conference of National Committees in Madrid, Wednesday 21st November 2006 and Thursday 22nd November 2006.	

Réunion des CT	TC meetings
TC 4.3 Road Pavements, 2 nd – 3 rd March 2006, Vienna TC 3.1 Road Safety, 24th-27 th April 2006, Vienna (joint seminar with Austrian experts and the CEDR Road Safety Group) TC 3.3 Subgroup Management of Road Tunnel Safety, 22 nd – 23 rd June 2006 TC 1.1 Road System Economics, 9 - 10 November 2006, Vienna	

3. Publications en 2006	3. Publications in 2006
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Publications nationales, rapports	National publications, reports
Presentation of a new folder of the Austrian National Committee www.fsv.at/piarc/pdf/OENC-Folder_2006_v5_en.pdf	

Articles dans Routes/Roads	Articles in Routes / Roads
Editorial of issue no. 331 by the president of the Austrian National Committee in his function as representative of NC at the Executive Committee	

Bulletin national ou revue des CN	National newsletter or magazine of NC
Publication of all important PIARC messages in the FSV aktuell , an Austrian supplement to the German Strasse and Autobahn / Strassenverkehrstechnik magazine (www.fsv.at)	

4. Soutien aux Premiers délégués	4. Support to First Delegate
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Concours des Prix AIPCR 2007	PIARC prize 2007 competition
A national competition (in conjunction with the national FSV) was organized and the winner forwarded to the international jury.	

Nomination des membres des CT	Nomination of TC members
Austria is represented in 17 of the 18 Technical Committees with 25 delegates	

Enquêtes et sondages	Surveys and questionnaires
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5. Congrès de l'AIPCR	5. PIARC Congresses
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Congrès Viabilité Hivernale, Turin 2006 (participation, résultats)	2006 Turin Winter Road Congress (participation, results)
Austria successfully took part in the congress and was represented by technical experts mainly from the national working group for winter maintenance as well as it hosted a national stand at the exhibition. The Austrian NC was in charge of coordinating the Austrian delegation and organising the national stand. A national follow-up is planned for October.	

Congrès mondial de la Route, Paris 2007 (participation, préparation)	2007 Paris World Road Congress (participation, preparation)
For the time being the kind of Austrian representation was discussed in the General Assembly of 2006. A final decision will be made within 2006, it is agreed that Austria intends to have a national stand at the Paris Congress. The Austrian NC is promoting the Call for Individual Papers for the Paris Congress within Austria. Austrian will prepare National Reports for all of the four Strategic Themes. The participation of Austria in the Historical Symposium will be organised.	

6. Autres activités en 2006	6. Other activities in 2006
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Assemblée générale, réunions avec les membres des CT, rencontres avec d'autres organisations nationales	General Assembly, meetings with TC members, meetings with other national organisations
A joint meeting with the National Road and Railway Research Association (FSV) took place on 14 March 2006, Austrian TC members were reporting latest news und research results from the international working groups. The General Assembly took place 21 June 2006. The yearly meeting of the board with the Austrian members of TCs is planned for late autumn 2006. The National follow-up of the Turin Winter Road Congress in October will be jointly organized with the National Road and Railway Research Association (FSV).	

Relations internationales	International relations
Regional meeting of European National Committees on 22nd May 2006 in Vienna with representatives from Scandinavia, the Iberian peninsular and central Europe. Separate meetings with National Committees of France, Hungary, Czech Republic, Congo and Germany, representatives of Korea, Baltic Countries and the Netherlands.	

Promotion de l'AIPCR	Promotion of PIARC
Publication of all important PIARC messages in the FSV aktuell, an Austrian supplement to the German Strasse and Autobahn / Strassenverkehrstechnik magazine Distribution of PIARC publications at national events and conferences Organisation of National Seminars	

Site Internet des CN	NC website
creation of a new design of the website http://www.fsv.at/piarc/index.html http://www.piarc.at (in preparation)	

Autres	Other business
The President of the Austrian NC acts as representative of all National Committees in the PIARC Executive Committee	

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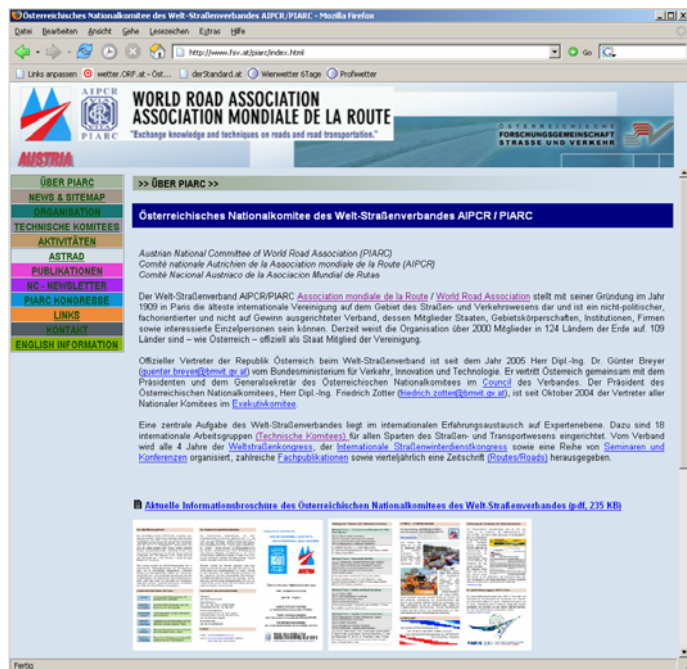
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Promoting the AIPRC/PIARC in Austria

In 2006 a new folder was created in order to supply information about the Austrian National Committee of AIPCR/PIARC. The National Committee's internet site was revised as well to provide latest information for the Austrian members of AIPCR/PIARC.

<http://www.piarc.at> (in preparation)

<http://www.fsv.at/piarc/index.html>



Meeting with the National Research Association, March 2006

In order to ensure the transfer of knowledge between international and national level a meeting of the Austrian National Committee, the Austrian members in Technical Committees and the National Research Association ([Forschungsgesellschaft Straße - Schiene - Verkehr](#)) was organized on 14th March 2006 in Vienna.

The Austrian members of PIARC Technical Committees reported on recent developments and results in their respective working groups.



ASTRAD SYMPOSIUM 2005

For the 5th time the ASTRAD-Symposium on Road Management and Winter Maintenance took place on 14th and 15th September 2005 in Wels, Austria. Over 90 exhibitors welcomed more than 1.000 professionals from the road management and road maintenance sector. The latest developments in equipment and technology for road operation and winter maintenance were presented at several technical sessions and in an exhibition area of 3000 sqm indoor and 5000 sqm outdoor at free admission for registered visitors.



www.astrad.org



XII Winter Road Congress in Torino 2006

The Austrian National Committee organized a national stand at the XII Winter Road Congress 27 – 30 March 2006 in Torino.

The Austrian National Committee is happy that it was able to take part in the Winter Road Congress in Torino. The Austrian delegation was composed of several experts from the national and municipal level. The stand of the Austrian National Committee was well visited, a lot of contacts with experts in the field of road management and winter maintenance could be made.

The results of the congress will be presented at a special seminar in autumn 2006 in order to ensure the knowledge transfer between national and international level. The event will be organized in cooperation with the National Research Association.

