



**6<sup>th</sup> International Ensemble- and Composers-Academy for Contemporary Music**

February 14th to 25th, 2009

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Dear friends of impuls,

just one more month to go till the 6<sup>th</sup> International Academy is "taking off" ...☺

The flyers and posters for impuls 2009 have just arrived from the printing-office and more than 80 participants have already signed up for the Academy, number growing ...

We would love having you with us in Graz in February, as participant or audience, live or in thoughts.  
Feel free to spread the news, come visit!

Many greetings

Ute Pinter

impuls . secretary-general

PS: Our newsletters can also be found on [www.impuls.cc/Press & Archiv](http://www.impuls.cc/Press%20&%20Archiv). You are welcome to pass on the information to friends and other people interested.

## 1. Flyer + Poster of impuls 2009 - have a look at our daily public programs

**Attached** please find the **impuls 2009-flyer and -poster**, giving you an insight look in the **various daily programs** taking place during and around the Academy. Please excuse that this advertisement-material only comes in German, but we do hope you will get at least an idea about the many activities planned through it.

## 2. impuls-Academy: last call for entries

Both **composition- and instrumental-classes** are already well booked with participants coming more or less from all over the world, from Australia and America to Asia and Europe.

There are **still residual places available** in most of the classes. So please, if you consider joining the Academy, **contact us** as quickly as possible.

Detailed **information** and **application form: [www.impuls.cc / classes](http://www.impuls.cc/classes)** as well as **lecturers**

## 3. impuls-Academy looking for percussionists, viola- and horn-players ...

Even though the Academy-classes are already well booked we are actually **still looking for more participants playing percussion, horn and viola**. Also one more **trumpet-player** would be fantastic. If you should be interested yourself, please get in touch with us as soon as possible. If not, maybe you know people, who could be interested in joining the Academy. We would really **appreciate if you could spread this info** and let other people know about it. Thanx!!!

## 4. impuls-Composition-Competition: update

We would like to thank all composers again, who have taken part in the impuls-Composition-Competition for 2011 (application ended back in November 2008). Far more than 100 composers from Australia and America to

Asia and Europe sent their material. As mentioned before a jury will discuss all the applications in February 2009 and then choose 4 composers for the impuls-commissions and the impuls-Composition-Workshop in 2011. We will certainly keep you informed about the Competition and decisions made again in March 2009.

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