



# Colombia Cultural News



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The cultural agenda is an initiative of the Embassy to share positive news that makes us proud about Colombian culture, activities organized by the Embassy and events of Colombian artists based in Austria or in our concurrences.

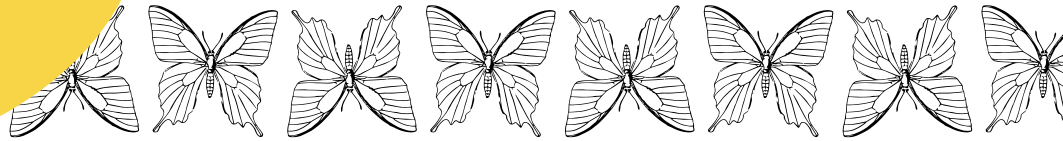
## OUR SPECIAL GUEST



Photo: Juan Manuel Vargas / EL TIEMPO

## Juan Gabriel Vásquez

The Colombian writer will be on tour in Austria in April. On April 26 he will be at the WeltMuseum in Vienna. Vásquez is recognized as one of the most important contemporary authors in Latin America. Do not miss all the activities that we bring you this month.



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# Juan Gabriel Vásquez Lectures

## Latin American literature in Austria

Juan Gabriel Vásquez, from Bogotá, is one of the most important contemporary narrators in Latin America. Vásquez achieved international success with his novel *The Informers*, Riverhead Books, (2013).

His literary work has been published in 16 languages, and has been awarded with the Alfaguara de Novela, the International IMPAC Dublin Literary Award, the Gregor von Rezzori Award, the Vargas Llosa Award, among others.

The Embassy of Colombia in Austria, the Lateinamerikaforschung Austria, the Austrian PEN Club and the Weltmuseum Wien have invited Juan Gabriel Vásquez to Austria to speak about his works in April.



Photos: Juan Manuel Vargas / EL TIEMPO

**26 April 2022, Vienna**

We invite you to listen to Juan Gabriel Vásquez at the Weltmuseum, Vienna. Moderator: Maria Teresa Medeiros-L. Time: 6:00 p.m. Talk in Spanish with German translation  
Free entry with a valid museum ticket



**REGISTER HERE, WE ARE WAITING FOR YOU!**

You can also listen to Juan Gabriel Vásquez at:

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**April 2022, Krems**

Festival Literature and wine [www.literaturundwein.at](http://www.literaturundwein.at)  
Place: Brunnensaal Stift Göttweig, Krems  
Hora: 19:30

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**April 2022, Krems**

La Matinée (with the writer Karl-Markus Gauss and the Germanist Klaus Zeyringer)  
Place: Literaturhaus NO  
Transflair, Krems [www.literaturundwein.at](http://www.literaturundwein.at)  
Time: 10:30

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**April 2022, St. Johann/Kitzbühel, Tirol**

Latin American literature/ Literaturverein St. Johann  
Moderator: Klaus Zeyringer

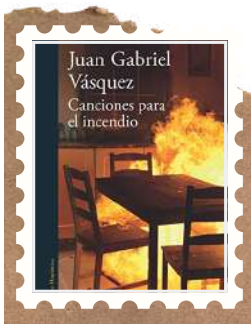
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**April 2022, Tirol**

Latin American literature in Innsbruck  
Place: Wagner Library (Wagnersche Buchandlung), Innsbruck

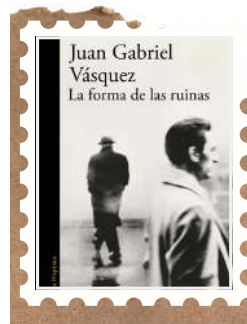


## Vásquez's books translated into German



### Songs for the fire

The characters in *Songs for Fire* are men and women touched by violence, from near or far, directly or only tangentially, whose lives are forever changed by a fortuitous encounter or by the action of incomprehensible forces.



### The shape of the ruins

What connects the assassinations of Jorge Eliécer Gaitán, whose death split Colombia's history in two, and John F. Kennedy? How can a crime that occurred in 1914, that of Colombian liberal senator Rafael Uribe Uribe, mark the life of a man in the 21st century? For Carballo everything is connected, and coincidences do not exist.

**BEFORE THE TALK, ENJOY A TOUR OF THE MUSEUM**

## Tour about Latin America at Weltmuseum

We invite you to participate in a tour of the Weltmuseum focused on Latin America.

On this occasion you will be able to listen to the tour in German with a Spanish translator. Remember to book your ticket, limited seats.

FIND MORE INFO. HERE



26, April 2022 17:00 (60 min)

Weltmuseum Vienna  
Meeting point: Säulenhalle




# CONCERT

## Following Gabo's footsteps, returns to Vienna


The Cervantes Institute, organizes the concert "Tras las Huella de Gabo".

It will be a musical-literary journey designed by the tenor Alejandro Escobar based on the cities and countries that influenced Gabo's work, from Aracataca to Mexico City.

 28, April 2022

 19:00

 Free entry

 Reserve here:  
cultvie@cervantes.es

 Ciclo Muzikzimmer,  
Instituto Cervantes

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### REPertoire

José Barros  
La piragua  
(1915-2007) (Colombia)      Astor Piazzola  
Vuelvo al sur  
(1921-1992) (Argentina)

Adolfo Mejía  
Cartagena  
(1905-1973) (Colombia)      Pablo Sorozábal  
La tabernera del puerto  
(1897/1988) (España)

Renato Rascel  
Arrivederci Roma  
(1912-1991) (Italia)      Antonio Machín  
El manisero  
(1924-1977) (Cuba)

Manuel María Ponce  
Serenata mexicana  
(1912-1991) (Mexico)      María Grever  
Te quiero, dijiste  
(1885-1951) (Mexico)

Carlos Gardel  
Mi Buenos Aires querido  
(1890-1935) (Argentina)      Leandro Díaz  
La diosa coronada  
(1928-2013) (Colombia)

Sebastián de Yradier  
La Paloma  
(1809/1865) (España)      Jose Alfredo Jiménez  
México lindo y querido  
(1926-1973) (Mexico)

Edith Piaff  
La vie en rose  
(1915-1963) (Francia)

**Do not miss it!**



## CULTURE COLOMBIA IS COMMITTED TO THE PROTECTION OF ITS ANCESTRAL CULTURE

Cumbia and Caribbean Route: an initiative, inspired by the cultural richness and the Disney movie 'Encanto'.

### ¡Travel to Encanto!

Have you dreamed of traveling through Colombia? This is your chance!. The Colombian government announced the launch of the 'Ruta de la Cumbia y las Músicas del Caribe', a cultural tourism project that invites you to travel more than 1,300 kilometers of the Colombian Caribbean, through the rhythm of its musical genres and cultural heritage. This route of drums and bagpipes covers 23 municipalities in the departments of Atlántico, Bolívar, Cesar, Córdoba, La Guajira, Magdalena and Sucre.

In the 'Ruta de la Cumbia y las Músicas del Caribe', all Colombians and foreigners will be able to learn about the sound memory and the great musical milestones, the heritage of the Colombian Caribbean, its fairs and festivals, its gastronomy, handicrafts, lutherie and ancestral knowledge, among others.

Come to know the regions, their traditions and contribute to the creation of opportunities for the communities through sustainable tourism.

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# EVENTS FROM OUR ARTISTS

## CONCERT

### Luis Hernández -Luque in Wiener Konzerthaus

8. April 2022  
19:30 to 21:30  
Wiener Konzerthaus Mozart Saal

The Colombian tenor Luis Hernández-Luque invites us to his presentation in which he will perform works of Colombian and Latin American folklore in the Mozart Hall of the Vienna Concert House (Wiener Konzerthaus). Under the direction of the Colombian David Ricardo Salazar.

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The Milat Foundation invites you to live the experience of a cultural journey through the Andes. The concert is a combination of rhythms originated in the South American Andes.

30. April 2022  
19:00  
Angerer Str. 14  
(VHS Florisdorf)



## Andean culture in concert

A journey through the music and culture of the South American Andes



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## FINEARTGALERIE

22. APRIL 19:00  
KONZERT  
CUATRO ESTACIONES  
Alejandra Torres & Roberto Quintero



Eintritt: € 25,-  
Wiener Strasse 10, 3133 Traismauer  
www.fineartgalerie.at  
Wir ersuchen um Reservierung

## Four Seasons

Alejandra Torres & Roberto Quintero

Alejandra Torres on violin and Roberto Quintero on percussion have the honor of presenting the collection of the four most renowned concertos by Italian composer and violinist Antonio Vivaldi in combination with Afro-Latin rhythms.

Are you ready to let yourself be surprised by these new musical experiences of the classic and the new?

22. April 2022  
19:00  
Fineart Galerie,  
Wiener Strasse 10,  
3133 Traismauer

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# New Ibero-American Photography in Bratislava

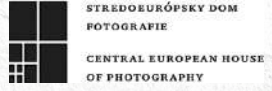


This exhibition was created and produced by the Vienna Ibero-America Club, the Embassies of the region in Vienna led by the Cervantes Institute. The exhibition has a sample of 36 photographs of approx. 27 contemporary artists from 17 countries.

Colombian artist Javier Vanegas will present his WÜIN project. Where he appreciates the environment with portraits of the Colombian peasant landscape. In "New Ibero-American Photography" you will be able to observe the result of the union of two continents, the reality of miscegenation, the quality of visual arts in Ibero-America.

 1-30, April 2022

 Central European House of Photography in Bratislava, Slovakia



## 23 APRIL Spanish language day at the UN

Celebrate with the United Nations the day of the Spanish language to raise awareness about the history, culture and use of Spanish as an official language.

This day also commemorates Miguel de Cervantes, novelist, poet and dramaturge

*El que anda mucho y lee mucho, ve mucho y sabe mucho.*

Miguel de Cervantes

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