

# ESM and Asset Management at the University of Vienna

The University of Vienna has rolled out digital services to more than 125 internal teams – from classic IT requests to approval workflows. With Jira Service Management and Seibert Solutions, the university has built a centralized platform for all departments.











## From IT support to the heart of digital operations

It all started back in 2016: First introduced within the university's own Atlassian team, Jira Service Management was later adopted by the Central IT Services team. Today, any department – whether in IT, teaching, or admin – can request their own service project. More than 125 teams are already doing just that.





Since rolling out Jira Service Management, over 125 project teams have realized the value of this product. We're now modeling workflows that simply weren't possible in other tools.

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### What makes the University of Vienna stand out?



#### User-driven growth

No top-down rollout. Teams adopt the platform based on real needs.



#### Wide range of use cases

Now used by 125+ teams across the university.



#### End-to-end consulting & implementation

Technical, strategic, and operational. From order approvals to helpdesks to clever automations.



# Use cases that show what's possible

The University of Vienna isn't just using Jira Service Management for typical IT tickets. What really stands out are the "non-standard" use cases – the ones outside of IT. That's where the system really shines, and Seibert becomes a valuable partner.

#### Real-life examples from campus

- Digital graduation process

  No paper, no lines. Students submit their graduation requests online. Departments process everything directly in their service projects.
- Fleet management

  Vehicles are booked and managed
  directly in JSM including roles, permissions,
  documentation, and notifications.
- Create Confluence spaces via form
  A simple JSM form triggers automatic
  space creation ready to use right away.
  Saves time and effort.

- Five-step approval workflows

  Travel requests, grants, or IT orders follow a clearly defined approval process no more chaotic email threads.
- Organized booking & external requests

  Book equipment, manage permissions,
  handle contacts all through user-friendly
  forms and structured workflows.







In our team, automatically creating a Confluence space via a JSM form has made service delivery a lot easier. In many programs, submitting final thesis documentation is now triggered through JSM – saving students a trip to the right office on campus.

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The Jira Service Management project at the University of Vienna makes one thing clear: Digitalization works – when it's understandable, scalable, and built around people's real needs. Today, more than 125 active JSM projects are up and running – and the number keeps growing. For an upcoming large-scale initiative, over 150 agents are already in the pipeline.

Thanks to the combination of smart configurations, the right add-ons, and close collaboration with Seibert Solutions, processes can be easily automated and scaled flexibly. A big plus: There's strong buy-in from both administrative and academic staff – mainly because the workflows are clearly structured and easy to use.



125+ active JSM projects – and growing

150+ agents planned for a new major project



Simple automation, flexible scaling



High acceptance across departments – thanks easy-to-understand workflows





Before Jira Service Management, a lot of our processes were handled manually. One person would email multiple others, wait for replies, forward responses... Now, thanks to JSM, we've been able to digitize and streamline many of the university's processes.

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#### Seibert

#### - more than just a consultant

From tool selection to custom workflows to integrations – the University of Vienna's Central IT Services team works hand in hand with our consultants. A new project for managing external users – with up to 200 agents – is currently in development. Jira Service Management is evolving into the university's central platform for even more departments.

#### This is how we collaborate:

- ✓ Weekly check-ins with dedicated contact people
- Support for new use cases with technical and methodological expertise
- Seibert takes on project management and workload distribution
- Training via the Seibert Academy and custom sessions





For more complex or unfamiliar topics – like integrations, for example – we're happy to bring one of our consultants along to the very first meeting with colleagues, so we have the best possible expertise on board from the start.

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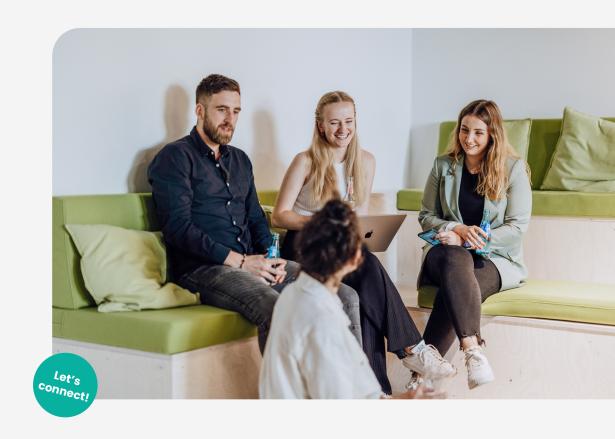






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