

**Film title**

The Tobacconist

**Tagline**

On a cigarette with Sigmund Freud in the 1930's  
Vienna

**Short synopsis**

Based on the international bestseller by Robert Seethaler: A tender, heart-breaking story about one young man and his friendship with Sigmund Freud during the Nazi occupation of Vienna.

**Long synopsis**

Seventeen-year-old Franz journeys to Vienna to apprentice at a tobacco shop. There he meets Sigmund Freud, a regular customer, and over time the two very different men form a singular friendship. When Franz falls desperately in love with the music-hall dancer Anezka, he seeks advice from the renowned psychoanalyst, who admits that the female sex is as big a mystery to him as it is to Franz. As political and social conditions in Austria dramatically worsen with the Nazis' arrival in Vienna, Franz, Freud, and Anezka are swept into the maelstrom of events. Each has a big decision to make: to stay or to flee?

**Technical information and credits**

Original title: Der Trafikant  
English title: The Tobacconist  
Year: 2018  
Country: Austria, Germany  
Language: de, cs  
Subtitles: cz  
Running time: 109 min  
Dostupnost: 12+

Genre: Drama, Historically, War  
Directed by: Nikolaus Leytner  
Written by: Nikolaus Leytner  
Edited by: Klaus Richter, Nikolaus Leytner  
Cinematography: Bettina Mazakarini  
Sound by: Matthias Weber

**Awards**

Austrian Film Awards - Nominee | Best Supporting Actor, Best Supporting Actress, Best Costume Design, Best Score - 2019

**Actors**

Simon Morzé, Bruno Ganz, Johannes Krisch

**Films partners**

