

# NORDSTERN FACTSHEET

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# NORDSTERN SHIP SPECIFICATIONS

Vessel name	Expo Star 1
Type	Exhibition ship
Home port	Duisburg
Current mooring	Westquai Basel

Dimensions	Length 88,48 m
	Width 11,40 m
	Height 7,80 m

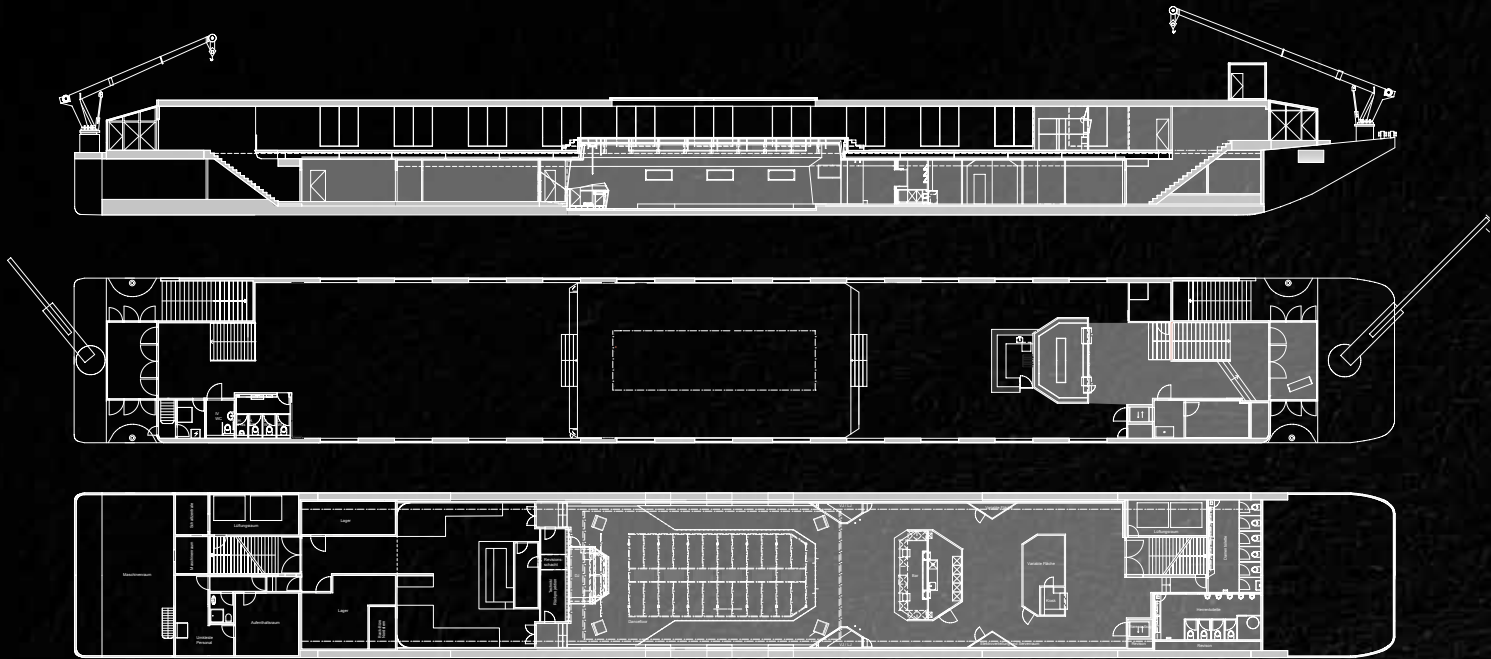
Load-bearing capacity	1'248 t
Tonnage	986 brt

Decks	Upper deck 745 sqm
	Middle deck 593 sqm
	Lower deck 530 sqm

Energy	Propulsion by push boat
	Generatores 2x 200 kVA
	Onboard voltage 380/220/24 V







# LOWER DECK CLUB

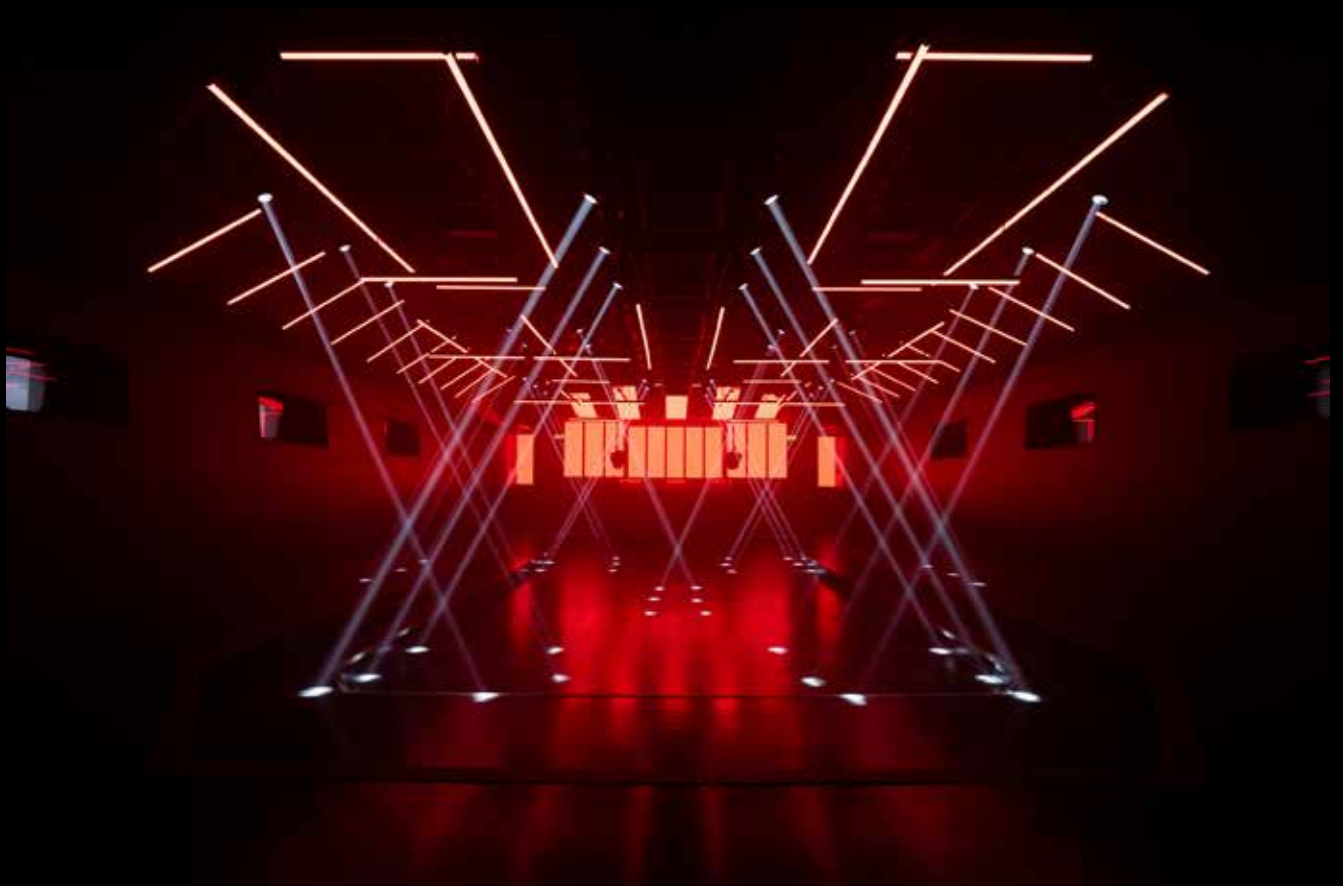
Floor space approx. 500 sqm  
Throughput capacity 800 pax

Fore part Entrance  
Restrooms  
Storagerooms  
Serverroom  
Front emergency exit of the club

Middle part Bar  
Clubspace

After part Lounge and bar  
Technical rooms  
Backstage  
Staff area  
Rear emergency exit of the club

Opening hours Fri & Sat from 11pm  
Thu from 11pm (1x monthly)



Since the new millennium, the Nordstern brand has been synonymous for magnificent clubbing for sophisticated urban people. Nordstern is an internationally superior connected hotspot of electronic music, a platform where the world's most respected genre artists live out their visions and perform their superior art - Nordstern is music, but Nordstern is also art apart from music and meeting place for DJs from all over the world.



Our sound system is a four-point system manufactured by L-Acoustics. It consists of 8x ARCS II speakers, two as a unit in each corner of the clubroom, and 6x SB28 subs on the ceiling spread across the length of the dancefloor. These are powered by four LA4Xs.









The DJ booth workspace measures 3.0 x 0.8 meters. The DJ monitoring consists of two L-Acoustics X15HiQ tops and two SB18 subs which ensure clean and loud monitoring. They are powered by two LA4X amplified controllers. Two simultaneous setups can be connected to our system, each with independent club and monitor levels.



Our PA has an output of 28'800 W RMS / 40'000 Watts peak. This provides adequate power for clean playback far beyond the legally permitted maximum sound level.

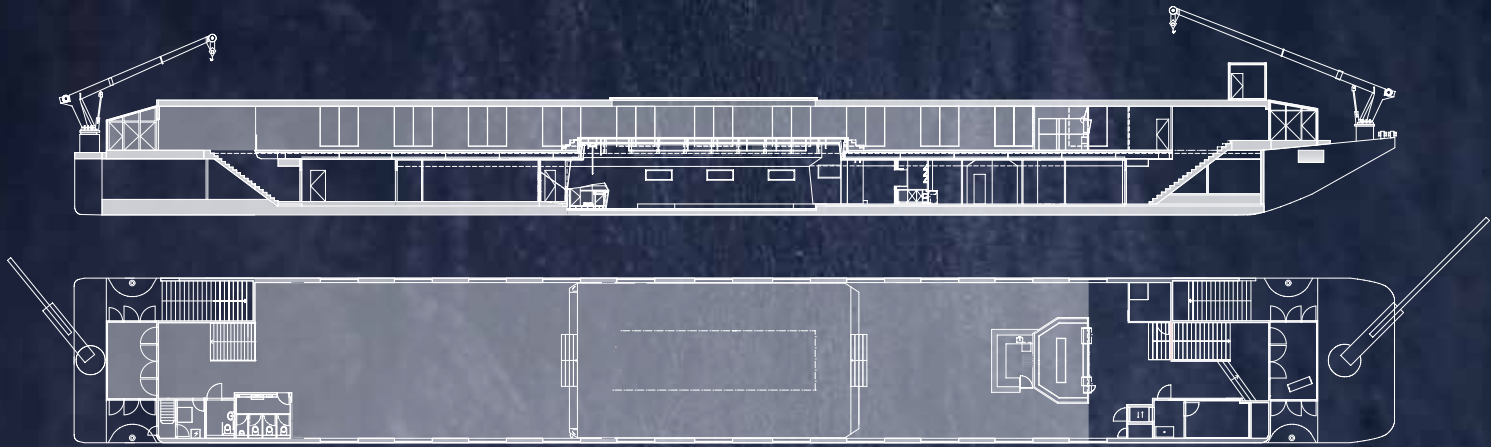






At the back of the club, directly adjacent to the DJ Booth is a spacious lounge with a bar. The lounge in the lower deck offers our guests the opportunity to linger with many seats and niches.





# MIDDLE DECK EVENT SPACE

Floor space approx. 600 sqm

Throughput capacity 700 pax

Fore part Entry and box office of the club

Front emergency exit

Wardrobe

Storage rooms

Event space front section

Temporary floor or rest area with bar

Middle part Event space middle section

After part Entrance area middle deck

Event space rear section

Restrooms

Rear emergency exit





The middle deck stretches over the entire length of the ship. A multifunctional room with integrated bar which can be used for a variety of happenings, from exhibitions to corporate events.

With its large windows and the skylight, which accounts for around a third of the ceiling area, the room is generously flooded with light.



„Alphamoderne“ exhibition by Lena Schramm  
(Galerie Kai Erdmann)



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„Aurora“ exhibition by Keiyo Art Gallery



„Undercurrents“ Exhibition by Mehdi Ghadyanloo

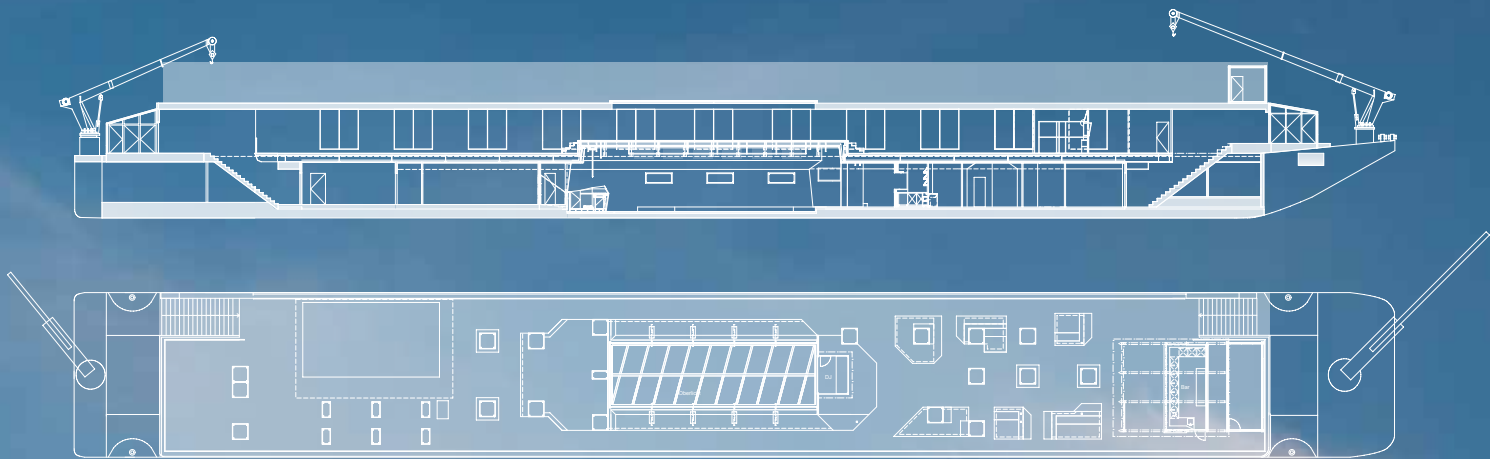


„Undercurrents“ Exhibition by Mehdi Ghadyanloo





„Middle deck“ exhibition by Tizian Aellig



# UPPER DECK BAR, KITCHEN & EVENTS

Floor space 700 sqm  
Throughput capacity approx. 600 pax

Fore part Cocktailbar  
Seated area  
Dancefloor

Midships part Reclining options

After part Kitchen  
Covered eating area  
Open eating area  
Lounge (separable)

Opening hours May – September  
Thu – Sat from 5pm till late



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# DECK57

Deck57 is the upper deck of the Nordstern ship and thus a unique place in Switzerland, where a summer location located directly on the Rhine and clubbing come together. This extraordinary combination will get the importance it deserves in the warm and hot months of this year: great music meets impeccable cuisine from different countries and this framed by an ambience that could not be more summery. Deck57 is a sunny and airy place for everyone, a magical location right on the water that excludes no one and invites everyone, for people who love modern design with urban gardening, good music, delicious and well-mixed drinks and sunsets. A place with a strong penchant for nightlife and the magic it brings, but also a melting pot for like-minded people and cultivated communication. First sip a delicious drink on Deck57, treat your stomach to something good, and then dive into the nightlife in the belly of the ship - without having to change addresses once.















# EVENTS



A large crowd of people is gathered at night, looking towards a stage. The stage features large, curved light displays with vibrant red and yellow patterns. Thick white smoke is being pumped out from the stage area, creating a dramatic atmosphere. The background shows silhouettes of trees against a dark sky. The word "APOLLON" is overlaid in large, white, sans-serif capital letters on the right side of the image.

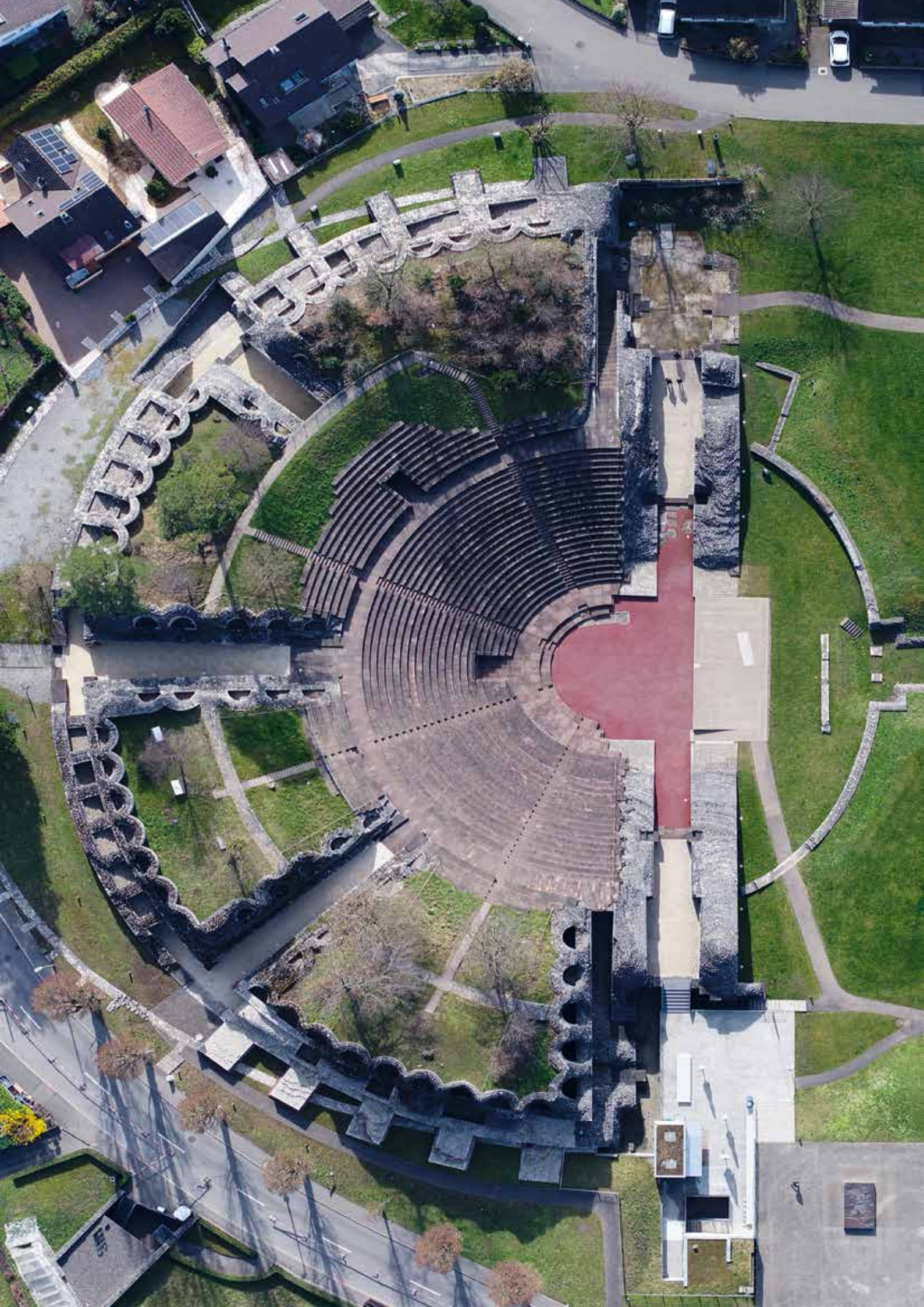
# APOLLON

Augusta Raurica and Nordstern unite for a summer night, in which a unique blend of electronic music and contemporary art is celebrated in an impressive ancient Roman theatre, a night that spans a viaduct between ancient culture and modernity.

#### Location:

The Roman colony Augusta Raurica (Latin: Colonia Augusta Rauricorum, "City of Augustus in the Land of the Raurici") is located approximately ten kilometers east of Basel, Switzerland, on the southern bank of the Rhine. It was officially founded in 44 BC and became the largest city in the region. Around 200 AD, about 10'000 people lived here. The civilian settlement lasted until around 280 AD.







A photograph of an outdoor event at Nordair. In the center, a woman with long braids, presumably a DJ, is performing. She is surrounded by a crowd of people, some of whom are raising their hands. The event is held under a wooden structure with hanging plants and string lights. The background shows a blurred view of the ship's deck and other guests.

# NORDAIR

Nordair is Nordstern with lots of fresh air and sunshine. Under this name, Nordstern hosts beautiful events on the upper, middle and lower deck of the ship. But not only there, but also away from its traditional address on the Rhine and gladly with experienced partners who have the same demands as Nordstern. In 2023, Nordair will cause a sensation like never before: outdoor events made by Nordstern, happenings that leave nothing to be desired visually, technically and – of course – artistically.





Events of the highest quality in all respects, exploiting all possibilities, taking into account the surroundings (whether mountain, beach or in the middle of the city) and conceived and implemented with the usual Nordstern dedication, whether at home or abroad.

The warm months of the year are just around the corner and so is Nordair, the Nordstern brand for events with lots of fresh air and sunshine and all this straight on the Rhine. Nordstern takes full advantage of its unique location on the river and at the harbor of Basel for Nordair and will also meet its high standards in terms of technology and artistic level, because where Nordstern is on it, there is also Nordstern in it - or just outside.



A large crowd of people is gathered outdoors at sunset. In the background, a wooden gazebo with a DJ inside is visible. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, golden glow. Large trees with green leaves frame the top and sides of the image.

# SUN.SET

Fondation Beyeler, Switzerland's most visited art museum, and Nordstern, one of the leading institutions for electronic music, have joined forces to create exceptional events combining contemporary art and electronic music.

#### Location:

The Fondation Beyeler is considered one of the world's most beautiful museums. Its location in the middle of Berower Park, with its old trees, water lily pond and its views of cornfields, grazing cows, vineyards, and the foothills of the Black Forest, is unique. The building was designed by Renzo Piano and is elegantly integrated into this cultural landscape in an ideal combination of nature, art, and architecture.





Featured international artists (A-Z):

Acid Pauli  
Adriatique  
Âme  
Carl Crag  
Damian Lazarus  
Dixon  
DJ Holographic  
DJ Koze  
DJ Tennis  
Dubfire  
Jamie Jones  
Jimi Jules  
Kevin de Vries  
Kiasmos  
Martin Buttrich  
Olympe  
Peggy Gou  
Recondite  
Seth Troxler  
Solomun  
Sven Väth  
Tale Of Us  
tINI





# ART.SET

art.set is a convergence of electronic music and art, ephemeral sounds and timeless masterpieces. At Fondation Beyeler, they blend into a multisensory experience that captivates music lovers and painting enthusiasts alike, blurring the boundaries between music videos and film concerts.

So far art.sets took place at Fondation Beyeler, Nordstern, Art Basel in Basel, Miami and Hongkong and Zurich mainstation.

## Past events:

2017 Frank Wiedemann (live)  
2018 Wolfgang Tillmans x Seth Troxler  
2018 Acid Pauli Live  
2018 Tobias Rehberger x Seth Troxler  
2019 Tobias Rehberger x Rirkrit Tiravanija x Dixon  
2019 Sarah Morris x Andrea Oliva x tINI  
2019 Ernesto Neto x Lost Souls of Saturn (live)  
2020 Tale Of Us x Georg Brecht Installation  
2021 Frank Wiedemann x Mathew Jonson (live)  
2021 DJ Tennis x Peter Doig  
2021 Dixon x Transmoderna  
2021 Adriatique x Auguste Rodin x Hans Arp  
2021 Ólafur Elíasson x Lost Souls of Saturn  
2022 Seth Troxler & Phil Moffa x Nocturne



2021 Frank Wiedemann x Mathew Jonson (live)



2021 Ólafur Eliásson x Lost Souls of Saturn



A large crowd of people is gathered at night for a festival or concert. In the background, a stage is illuminated with bright blue and green lights. A large screen above the stage displays a landscape image of mountains and a body of water. The crowd is seen from behind, filling the foreground and middle ground.

# MOVING CITY

It is said that dreams are meant to be real, so it starts as one. Everyone could be whoever they want to be. With the passing of time, it was understood that dreams are not just figments of imagination, but rather reflections of true desires and aspirations, waiting to be shared and lived with others.

Today, Moving City takes place together with every dreamer, embracing the celebration of our differences within a more vibrant, inclusive and unique city. With carefully curated lineups and stunning visual effects, Moving City transforms cities into radiating hubs where people come together and lose themselves in the sounds and visuals.





Moving City's premiere in 2022 was blessed with a 5-hour joyride by Solomun – one of the most iconic personas within the electronic music scene. Without a doubt an exclamation mark for a festival novice and definitely a highlight in Tirana's past summer diary.

On September 23rd 2023, at Tirana's main square – Parku Europa, Moving City will turn Albania's capital into a place to be explored and to challenge ourselves in new rhythms. Surrounded with evolving landmarks, this will be for sure a day with contagious enthusiasm, with legendary Sven Väth – a true propagator of a fantastic undiscovered sound, a generator of movements, a piece of modern contemporary culture, a time traveler like many of us, whose energy embodies perfectly the spirit of Moving City.



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