



Messe Erfurt GmbH Site Regulations

1. The exhibition site is located on private land. The owner is Messe Erfurt GmbH, Gothaer Straße 34, 99094 Erfurt, telephone +49 (0) 361 4000, which holds authority over the entire site, including the buildings. In addition to Messe Erfurt GmbH, the respective event organisers and appointed security companies are also entitled to hold authority over the premises. The site regulations apply to everyone entering the private premises of Messe Erfurt GmbH, whether on foot or by car.

2. During the official opening times of each event, visitors may only enter the exhibition site, including the buildings, with a valid entry ticket or pass issued by Messe Erfurt GmbH, whether on foot or by car. This also applies to those who can prove their right to be there in another way. Messe Erfurt GmbH's administrative headquarters are excluded. Admission to the private premises is only permitted for the times and buildings stated on the entry ticket or pass.

3. Upon entering the exhibition halls or site, every visitor is obliged to voluntarily present their entry ticket or pass to the stewards and security staff, and hand these over for inspection if requested to do so. Stewards and security staff are authorised to search people – with technical aids if necessary – to ensure that they do not pose a security threat as a result of alcohol or drug use, and are not carrying any weapons or dangerous or flammable items. The search extends to items being carried. Anybody unable to prove their right to be there and those obviously under the influence of alcohol or drugs or who present any other security risk will be excluded from the event and asked to leave the premises of Messe Erfurt GmbH. The same applies to those who have previously been banned. The entry fee will not be reimbursed.

4. Every visitor to the exhibition halls or site must behave in a manner that does not injure or endanger or impede or inconvenience others – any more than is avoidable under the circumstances. Visitors must follow instructions given by the police, fire brigade, stewards and security staff and emergency workers, as well as employees of Messe Erfurt GmbH.

Messe Erfurt GmbH does not tolerate extreme right-wing opinions. Stewards and security staff are therefore obliged to expel any visitors to the halls or site who are carrying or wearing flags, banners, clothing, badges or tattoos featuring symbols or slogans associated with anti-constitutional organisations. The same applies to any visitors who are carrying or wearing tattoos, clothing or badges that have been produced or distributed by or are aimed at target groups generally considered to be of an extreme right-wing opinion. This includes the brands "Thor Steinar", "Masterrace", "Landser", "CONSDAPLE", "Ultima Thule", etc. Messe Erfurt will also not tolerate anybody wearing or using any symbols or codes on its premises that are circulating and internally or externally prominent in the extreme right-wing scene, such as Code "28".

5. The facilities to which visitors have access must be treated with due care. Visitors must not access any of the remaining facilities or operate any equipment. Children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian or other equivalent supervisor at all times when visiting the exhibition site and halls. The only exception to this is events specifically organised for this age group – such as "Mega Rock in die Ferien", and only if there is a specific notice at the tills.

6. Exhibition stands may only be entered under supervision of the relevant stand personnel. Taking photographs on the exhibition site and in the halls is only permitted with the express consent of Messe Erfurt GmbH and the exhibitor.

7. Driving on the exhibition site is only permitted with the express consent of Messe Erfurt GmbH. Messe Erfurt GmbH shall only accept responsibility for the damage/destruction or loss of a vehicle if it is liable due to malice or gross negligence.

8. In particular, straying from designated paths and roads, accessing cordoned-off areas, climbing fences, barriers or similar without permission is not permitted, as is carrying weapons, weapon-like objects, microphone equipment and dangerous substances or bringing animals. If appropriate to the event being organised, Messe Erfurt may make an exception and allow dogs with a valid vaccination certificate to be brought onto the exhibition site. The use of bicycles, inline skates, skateboards, scooters, etc. during exhibition times, the distribution and displaying of advertising and informational materials and the sale or free distribution of items are all forbidden without the prior written consent of Messe Erfurt GmbH. Begging and hawking is forbidden throughout the exhibition site.

9. Visitors are not allowed to bring food and drink onto the Messe Erfurt premises.

10. For security reasons, Messe Erfurt GmbH's supervisory staff or appointed third parties are authorised to inspect the contents of vehicles, bags and similar containers and clothing such as coats, jackets and cloaks. Depending on the nature of the event, the carrying of bags and similar containers may be prohibited.

11. The supervisory staff's instructions must be followed. Anyone contravening the site regulations may be expelled and banned from the exhibition hall and/or site, without compensation. Any ban imposed by Messe Erfurt applies to all current and future events organised in the exhibition halls, CongressCenter and/or Messe Erfurt premises. To have a ban revoked, a written request must be submitted, stating the reason. A decision will be made within three months.

12. Anyone entering the exhibition site and using the halls do so at their own risk. Messe Erfurt GmbH shall not be liable for any damage of any kind caused by disregarding the prohibitions or requirements of these site regulations. Messe Erfurt GmbH shall not be liable for any personal injury or damage to property caused by third parties. Any accidents and damage must be reported to Messe Erfurt GmbH immediately.

13. If any photographs, film and/or video recordings are produced for advertising purposes by Messe Erfurt GmbH staff, event organisers or contracted companies on Messe Erfurt premises, these recording activities must not be obstructed or otherwise impaired. Everyone entering the Messe Erfurt GmbH premises or present on its site shall be informed of the photography, filming and video recording on the exhibition site. By entering the exhibition site, those appearing in such recordings thereby consent to the said recordings being used for both reporting and advertising purposes.

14. As a rule, smoking is not permitted in the Messe Erfurt GmbH building. This also applies to e-cigarettes, e-shishas, etc. Smoking is only permitted in the specially designated and signposted smoking areas outside of the building.

15. Fireworks may only be lit with the prior written consent of Messe Erfurt GmbH. The same applies to any source of fire.

16. The use of drugs and excessive consumption of alcohol is prohibited on the exhibition site.

17. Messe Erfurt GmbH operates CCTV in all the halls and indoor and outdoor car parks on the exhibition site.

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