

Salon 2012

The background of the poster features a stylized, high-contrast image of a harbor crane. The crane's lattice structure is rendered in dark brown and black tones against a light blue background. A large, cylindrical spool of wire is suspended from the crane's cables, positioned centrally. The overall aesthetic is industrial and graphic.

**17th International Exhibition
of Decorative Painting
March 22nd to the 25th**

www.salon2012.de

Hamburg and the Harbour



view to St. Pauli

Welcome to Hamburg

The 2012 Salon will be located in a beautiful museum near the city center, named Hamburg Museum. Everything is organized and consolidated, as we Germans say: "under one umbrella".

The hotels are less than five minutes walking distance and the city's famous harbor is nearby.

This major landmark will provide Salon's theme, "Hamburg and the Harbour".

The cranes, the containers, the freighters and the jetties are all part of the vista around the River Elbe, which runs right through the town. Lake Alster, its tributaries and the River Elbe give the impression that Hamburg is governed by water. It will amaze you to learn that our town has more bridges than Venice, Amsterdam, and London combined.

The ancient tradition of Merchant Guilds is a feature of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg.

The Hamburg Museum as well as many of the merchant houses are built of brick, the typical architectural building block of Hamburg.

The exhibition will take place from 22nd - 25th March 2012.



Schedule

Wednesday, March 21 - 11am to 5pm - Salon participants arrive at the Hamburg Museum - registration and show installation.

Thursday, March 22 - 9.30am opening with guests - 10am to 5pm exhibition and demonstrations, common mural, conferences and lectures. - 8pm opening dinner

Friday, March 23 - 10am to 5pm - exhibition and demonstrations, common mural, conferences and lectures. 11am group photo

Saturday, March 24 - 10am to 5pm - exhibition and demonstrations, common mural

Sunday, March 25 - 10 am to 6pm - exhibition and demonstrations, common mural
6 pm taking down exhibition (also possible monday morning between 10 and 10.30am)
8pm closing dinner

Lunchtime thursday to sunday at 1pm at Café Fees in the Hamburg Museum

For all information (time schedule, lectures and payment) visit: www.salon2012.de



The hamburgmuseum

Holstenwall 24 - 20355 Hamburg - Germany

www.hamburgmuseum.de

The Hamburg Museum is situated in the middle of the park "Planten und Bloomen", the museum is dedicated to the history of the city in all its many facets.

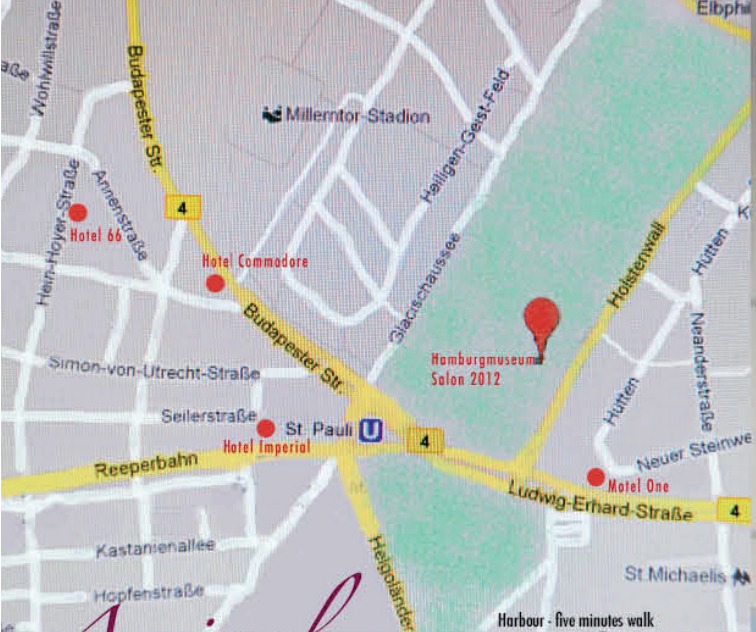
The building was constructed according to the design of the architect Fritz Schumacher between 1914 and 1922. The Salon, both the exhibition (max panel size: 2m x 1m) and the demonstrations, will take place in the sheltered inner courtyard of the museum (see picture).

Lunch will be held in the Cafe, in the Hamburg Museum.

During the Salon we will have free access to the main exhibit of interior design samples and displays from various historical periods.

You'll find details, sponsors and the latest information about the Salon on our websites:

www.salonforever.com - www.salon2012.de



Arrival

The Salon is located in the middle of Hamburg, one can reach nearly everything by foot, bus or underground.

From the Hamburg airport, take the S-Bahn S1 to the Station „Landungsbrücken“. Change there in the underground U3 in direction „St. Pauli“ (one stop). From there, walk to the hotels and the museum in less than 5 minutes.

For those, coming with the train stopping at the main station (Hauptbahnhof), take the underground U 3 to „St. Pauli“.

If travelling by car: Follow the signs to the city (Centrum) and Altona/St. Pauli.

The best Hotel for parking is the Motel One, they have an underground garage.

Post Salon - Berlin

Post Salon will be a tour of Berlin - the capital of Germany and one of the most historical and beautiful cities in the world.

Schedule

Monday March 26 12.30 pm depart from the Hamburg Museum. Travel to the Museum Bossard - guided visit and teatime at the colourful historical arthouse built in 1912. From there, travel to Berlin -Alexanderplatz (East-Berlin)

Tuesday March 27 11am visit the television tower with a magnificent panoramic view over the roofs of Berlin. After, we'll have a small lunch, walk to the „Museumsinsel“ (Location of five of the most splendid museums in Berlin) and visit the Alte Nationalgalerie (Old National Gallery). With the preservation of the building's historic design, it has been possible to take advantage of the most modern standards of exhibition technology and gain additional exhibition space to include the collection of the Galerie der Romantik (Gallery of Romanticism) in Berlin's Schloss Charlottenburg (Charlottenburg Palace).

H2 Hotel Berlin Alexanderplatz

To reserve your room please contact the hotels directly by 13 February 2012.

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Prices per night and room incl. breakfast: single: 69,00 €, double: 85,00 €

If less than 30 participants, the event will be cancelled.