18–21 Feb. 2027

art karlsruhe

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Opening Hours

18 – 20 Feb. 11 am – 7 pm

21 Feb. 11 am – 6 pm

Tickets

Get the best price online, before and during art karlsruhe. Secure your ticket in advance and avoid waiting times at the fair: art-karlsruhe.de/en/visit/tickets

Guided Tours

What are the highlights of art karlsruhe? What are the insider tips? Explore the entire fair or focus on one specific theme. Our art and art-market experts offer accessible, personal, and well-informed guided tours through the fair. Full details: art-karlsruhe.de/fuehrungen

after art

After the art is before the party! art karlsruhe celebrates art. From the official opening party to the "after art" party, "Kunstrauschen", and "gallery:night". And not only on the fairgrounds, but throughout the city. For all locations and dates, visit: art-karlsruhe.de/programme

ARTIMA art meeting



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Award Ceremonies

LBBW academy:square Award — preview — Wed., 17 Feb.

for the most promising academy:square position

art karlsruhe Prize — Thu., 18 Feb.

award for the best one:artist show

Loth Sculpture Prize — Fri., 19 Feb.

sponsored by L-Bank for the best sculpture:square

fair for classical modernism, post-war & contemporary art

art karlsruhe continues to evolve: more compact, more rigorously curated, and with a clear focus on quality. The redesigned hall layout enhances orientation and creates new contexts for established artistic positions and current trends spanning classic modern art, the post-war era, and contemporary art. We invite you to discover tendencies and topics, to chat with gallerists, and to experience and acquire art in a trustworthy setting.



Sculptures have comprised art karlsruhe's installative centre ever since the inception of the fair. Displayed on spacious plazas, these three-dimensional presentations go beyond the scope of a traditional trade-fair booth, create impressive accents, offer pleasant surprises, and help define art karlsruhe's visual identity. In partnership with L-Bank, the ninth Loth Sculpture Prize will be awarded in 2027 to honour the most compelling sculptural installation.

re:discover



Rediscover powerful artistic statements: re:discover's unique format focuses on artists whose careers were interrupted and aims to give their work the visibility and recognition it deserves on the art market. Get to know an outstanding selection of artistic positions that are well worth rediscovering. re:discover is presented in collaboration with the Federal Association of German Galleries and Art Dealers (BVDG).

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paper:square

Dedicated entirely to the artistic medium of paper, paper:square is an ideal starting point for young collectors and a must-visit destination for aficionados of paper. Selected galleries present works created with, on, or from paper, thus showcasing this material in all its artistic facets.

academy:square

You'll find the next generation here. Graduates from Baden-Württemberg's three art academies present their current artistic ideas and explore themes of future relevance in the curated, high-quality showcase of academy:square. A prize will be awarded to the most compelling entry, which will be acquired for the LBBW collection. The presentation is developed in collaboration with Monopol and LBBW.

start:block

How do I begin collecting art? Visitors can find artworks recommended by our participating galleries at start:block. Each of these pieces embodies an ideal starting point for art collecting: accessible, diverse and thoughtfully selected.

special exhibition

IT'S A MATCH! – and ten of Baden-Württemberg's most significant private and corporate art collections confirm that fact. The German state's vibrant art-collecting scene comes to art karlsruhe with a selection of high-calibre artworks. Some of them will be shown to the public for the very first time at this year's special exhibition, which highlights the power of collaboration, sharing, and personal passion that impels collectors and initiators.

forum karlsruhe

In forum karlsruhe, you will find the institutions, venues, and projects that shape Karlsruhe as a city of art. The focus in 2027 is on participatory presentations by the UNESCO City of Media Arts, the Karlsruhe University of Arts and Design (HfG), and the ZKM | Centre for Art and Media.



How to future-proof an artistic estate? Questions surrounding the preservation, visibility, and appreciation of an artist's legacy are not only relevant for gallery owners, but resonate throughout society as a whole. In a practical and forward-looking way, re:frame shows how artistic estates can be managed with responsibility, sustainability, and success.

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