





... right in the heart of Europe

LANDSCAPE PARK DUISBURG NORTH

## DUISBURG

- Duisburg situated in the Rhine-Ruhr Metropolitan Region
- 15th largest city in Germany (488.000 inhabitants)
- 20 % population loss in the last 35 years/ 10 % in the next 15 years
- Around 150 years of industrial development formed today's urban structure
- Since the 70s decline of industries – beginning of structural change
- Largest and most modern steel production site in Germany
- Largest inland port in Europe



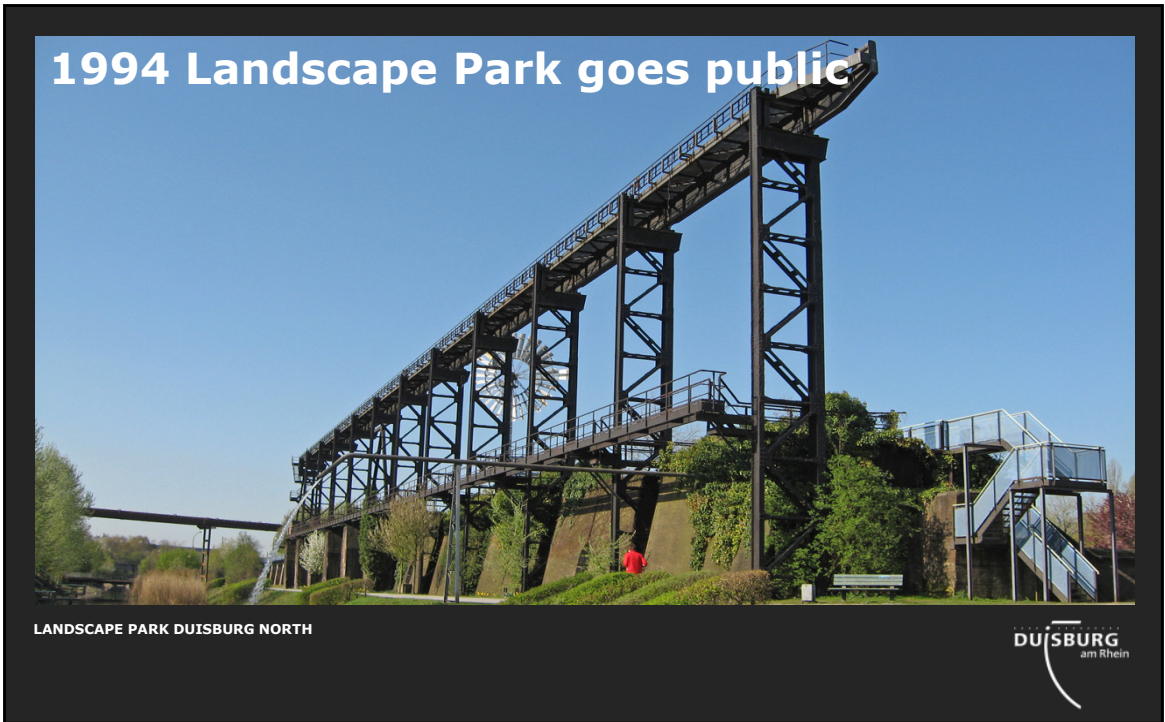
## Melderich Ironworks (1901 – 1985)



aerial photo 1976

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**1997 Founding of Landscape Park  
Duisburg Nord GmbH**



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**2001 - 2003 Opening of the Visitors' Centre  
and the restaurant; Youth Hostel and  
Training centre; Conversion of the Blower  
House Complex and Casting House into  
multi-functional events venues**



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**"The park is not a park in the common sense, not easy to survey, not clearly arranged, not recognizable as a whole. According to its situation amidst chaotic agglomerations and infrastructure lines, it appears as a torn figure with numerous different aspects."**

Prof. Peter Latz 2004 (Winner of Landscape Architects competition/ planning and realisation of the Landscape Park)

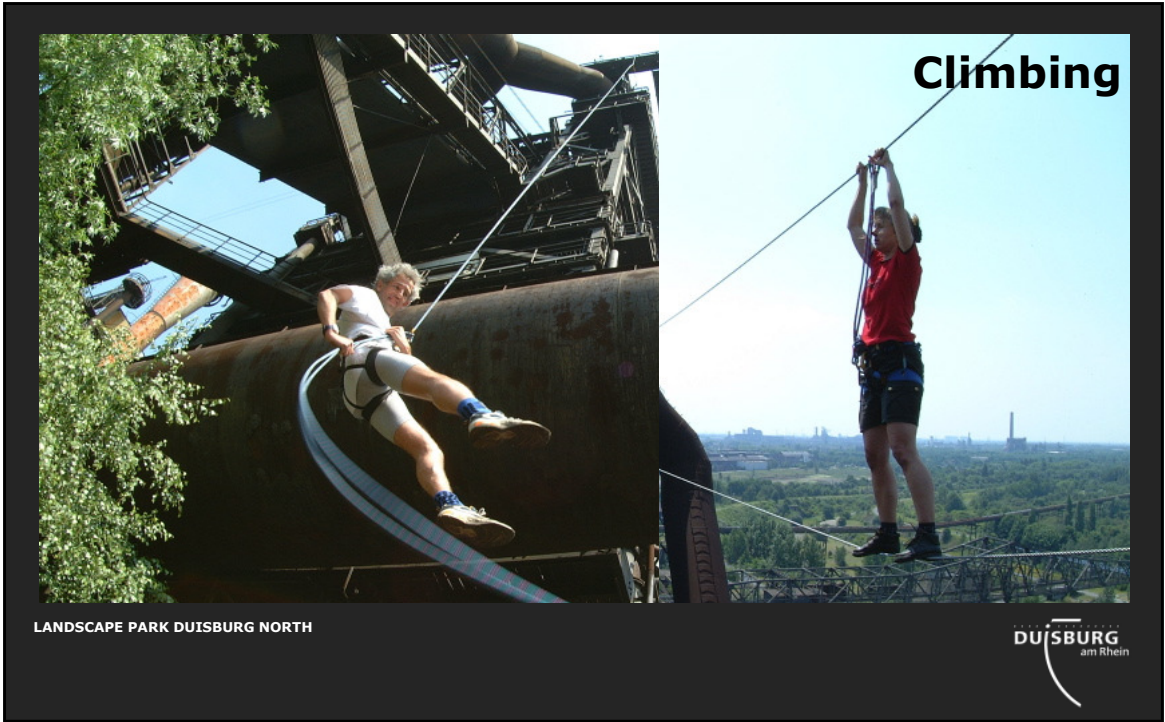
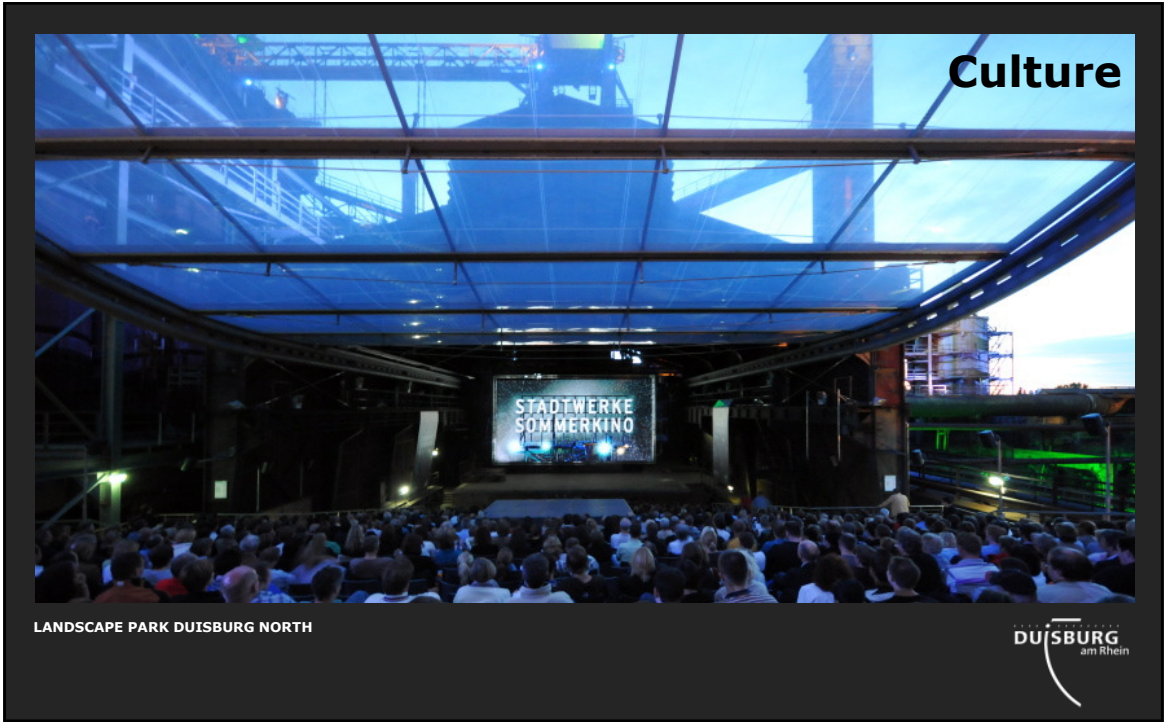


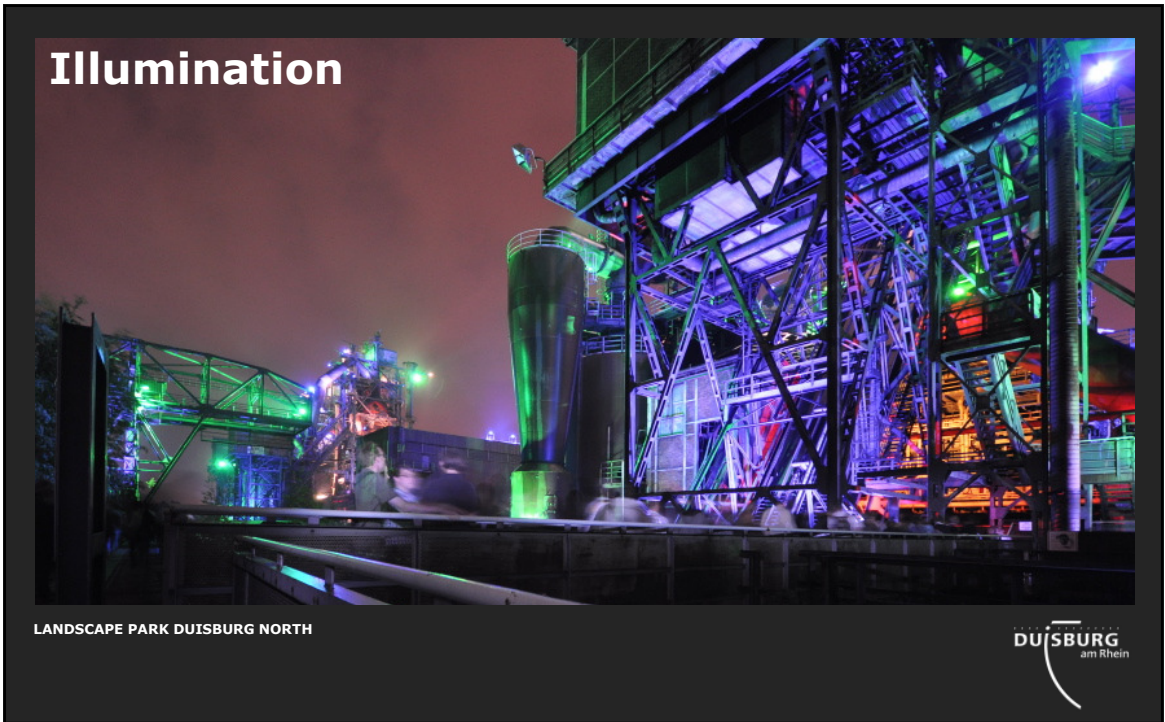
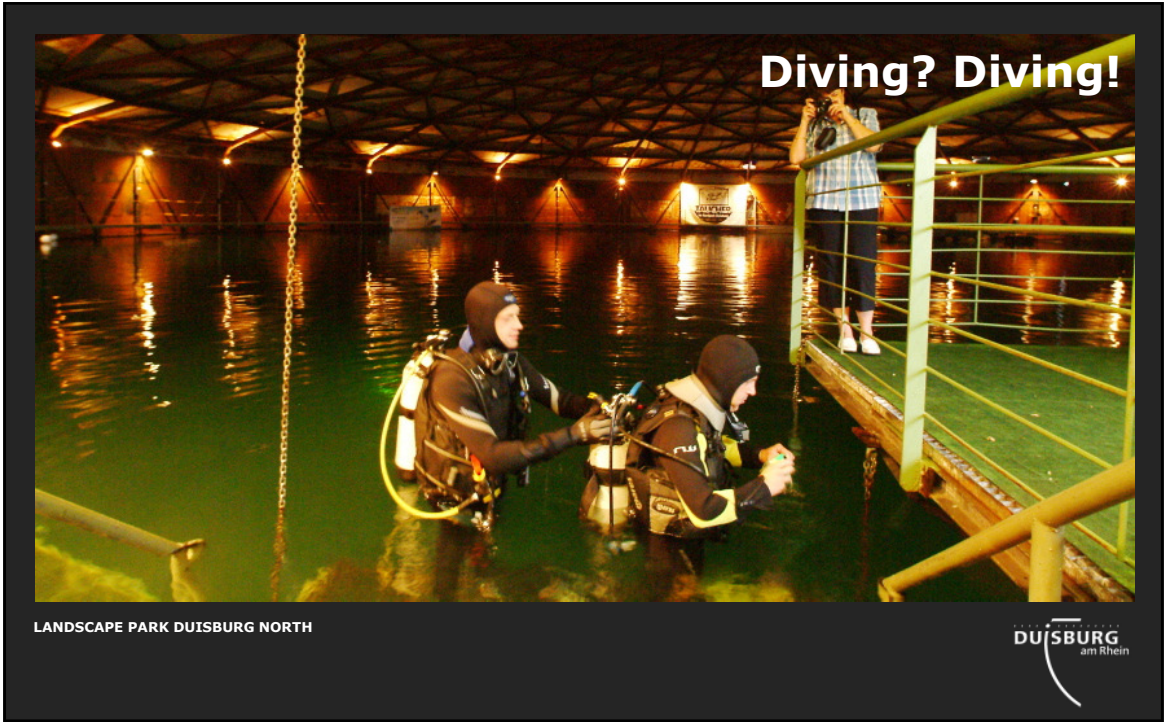
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## Illumination



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## Growing Number of Visitors p.a.



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145 Mio. Euro Investments since 1994

5.5 Mio. Euro p.a. Operation & Maintenance

Funding { (State) 1.4 Mio Euro p.a.  
 (Regional) 0.4 Mio Euro p.a.  
 (Local) 1.0 Mio Euro p.a.

2.7 Mio. Euro p.a. Financial resources obtained by park management

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The Park Leisure & Sport Culture & Events Information for Events Organisers Architecture & Nature Dates



### Blast furnace complex

*In the Landscape Park Duisburg Nord the combination of nature, industrial heritage and a fascinating light show creates a unique experience.*



*Light installation: Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and on Bank Holidays as night falls.*

Restaurant Hauptschalthaus

Event Preview

Ruhr Piano Festival

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**... AND THERE ARE MORE STORIES!**

