



# 30<sup>th</sup> EUREGIO CERAMICS MARKET

13 & 14 SEPTEMBER 2025

**TÖPFEREIMUSEUM RAEREN VOG**  
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# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

<b><u>DATES:</u></b>	<b>Saturday, 13 September 2025</b> <b>Sunday, 14 September 2025</b>
<b><u>SETUP:</u></b>	Friday from 06:00 p.m. (after the road closure) Saturday from 06:00 a.m.
<b><u>OPENING HOURS:</u></b>	from 10:00 a.m. to 06:00 p.m. on both days
<b><u>LOCATION:</u></b>	Töpfereimuseum Raeren Burgstraße 103, B-4730 Raeren (around the Raeren Castle)
<b><u>CATCHMENT AREA:</u></b>	Euregio Meuse-Rhine   Area Brussels – Liège – Maastricht – Aachen – Cologne – Düsseldorf – Ruhr area
<b><u>DIRECTIONS:</u></b>	motorway E40 (Liège-Cologne) – exit no. 39 (Eynatten) follow the signs MUSEUM
<b><u>STAND SIZE:</u></b>	minimum: 3 metres front space maximum: 3 metres stand depth <i>No rental of ready-made stands possible!!!</i>
<b><u>STAND FEE:</u></b>	25 EURO per running metre of front space
<b><u>APPLICATION:</u></b>	<b>Deadline: 1 March 2025</b> <i>Please fill in the online registration form or send your application by post or email.</i>
<b><u>CONFIRMATION OF PARTICIPATION:</u></b>	no later than 1 April 2025
<b><u>EUREGIO CERAMICS PRIZE:</u></b>	Parallel to the Euregio Ceramics Market, the Töpfereimuseum Raeren VoG organizes every year the <b>Euregio Ceramics Competition</b> . The following prizes are awarded:  - 1 <sup>st</sup> prize: purchases by the museum worth 750,- euros (2024: Murielle Hansotte) - 2 <sup>nd</sup> prize: purchases by the museum worth 550,- euros (2024: Imants Ancāns) - 3 <sup>rd</sup> prize: purchases by the museum worth 350,- euros (2024: Sonja Top) - Audience award: purchases by the museum worth 350,- euros (2024: Jolanda Nabben)

*Further information regarding the Euregio Ceramics Market and the Euregio Ceramics Competition can be found in the General Terms and Conditions.*

# GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

## **1. ORGANISER**

**1.1.** The Euregio Ceramics Market is organised by the Töpfermuseum Raeren VoG, based at Burgstraße 103, B-4730 Raeren (Company No. BE0423 154 283).

## **2. DATES**

**2.1.** The Euregio Ceramic Market takes place annually on the second weekend of September.

**2.2.** In cases of force majeure, the organiser reserves the right to postpone or cancel the event, without participants being entitled to compensation.

## **3. CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION**

**3.1.** Ceramists wishing to participate in the market must submit their application to the Töpfermuseum Raeren VoG by 1 March of the respective year. An application form is available for this purpose, which must be accompanied by a detailed CV and photos of their works (approved for publication).

**3.2.** Applications can be submitted by post (Burgstraße 103, B-4730 Raeren), by email (info@toepfereimuseum.org), or via the museum's website (www.toepfereimuseum.org). Only complete applications will be accepted.

**3.3.** The organiser reserves the right to select exhibitors based on the applications submitted. The decision is final and cannot be contested. The artistic quality, technical execution, and innovative nature of the works will be the primary evaluation criteria.

**3.4.** The number of participants is limited to around 80 ceramists. Unsuccessful applicants will be placed on a waiting list and contacted in case of a cancellation.

**3.5.** Exhibitors must comply with all international tax and social security laws, as well as trade regulations, and provide the relevant documents to authorities upon request. The organiser accepts no responsibility or liability for legal violations by exhibitors.

## **4. STAND ALLOCATION AND SETUP**

**4.1.** The market takes place in the courtyard and entrance of Raeren Castle, in the car park opposite the castle, and along Burgstraße. Stand locations are allocated by the organiser.

**4.2.** Stands can be set up on Friday evening from 06:00 p.m. (after the road closure). Alternatively, setup is possible from 06:00 a.m. on Saturday morning.

**4.3.** Each exhibitor must have their stand fully set up by 10:00 a.m. on both market days and keep it open until 06:00 p.m.. Stands cannot be dismantled before the official end of the market at 06:00 p.m. on Sunday.

**4.4.** Stands must not exceed 3 metres in depth. The minimum front space is also 3 metres.

**4.5.** No rental of ready-made stands is available. Exhibitors must bring their own tents, tables, etc., and arrange them as they wish.

**4.6.** Power supply is available upon request via the application form.

**4.7.** Subletting, transferring, or otherwise assigning a stand or part of a stand, even free of charge, is not allowed without prior written consent from the organiser.

## **5. STAND FEE AND PAYMENT TERMS**

**5.1.** The stand fee is 25 euros per running metre of front space and must be paid by 1 June to the Töpfereimuseum Raeren VoG account: IBAN BE17 7311 1725 8221 – BIC: KREDBEBB – Stand fee KERAMA + year and exhibitor's name.

**5.2.** All bank or other transaction costs are borne by the participant.

**5.3.** Confirmation of participation is only effective once the stand fee is received. If payment is not made by the deadline, the organiser reserves the right to allow a substitute candidate to participate. Exceptions may be arranged by mutual agreement.

**5.4.** In the event of non-participation or withdrawal by the exhibitor, the organiser is not obligated to refund the stand fee.

## **6. LIABILITY AND INSURANCE**

**6.1.** Exhibitors transport and present their goods at their own risk. The organiser is not liable for any personal or material damage, even during public attendance.

**6.2.** The market area is not guarded overnight from Friday to Sunday. The organiser accepts no responsibility for damage to materials, goods, and/or vehicles of exhibitors, regardless of the cause, including theft, attempted theft, fire, accidents, or vandalism. Exhibitors and their insurers waive any claims against the organiser for such damages.

## **7. SALES**

**7.1.** Revenue from sales during the market belongs entirely to the exhibitors.

**7.2.** The organiser does not guarantee any sales figures, visitor numbers, or profits.

## **8. ADVERTISING AND PUBLICITY**

**8.1.** The organiser undertakes general promotion of the market (posters – flyers – advertising in specialist journals and newspapers – radio spots – web/social media). Advertising is aimed mainly at an euregional audience and is distributed through various channels.

**8.2.** Posters and flyers to promote the market will be provided to exhibitors free of charge upon request.

## **9. IMAGE, COPYRIGHT, AND PERFORMANCE RIGHTS**

**9.1.** Exhibitors agree that photos, work descriptions, logos, videos, or other materials submitted as part of their application may be used by the organiser for promotional purposes without restrictions or time limits. This applies across all media (e.g., print, social media, website, etc.). The exhibitor guarantees they own the copyright and usage rights to the submitted materials and that no third-party rights are violated. Should there be any infringement, the exhibitor will indemnify the organiser against all claims.

**9.2.** The organiser reserves the right to take photos, videos, and other recordings of exhibitors, their stands, works, and visitors during the market. These may be used by the organiser for documentation and promotional purposes, including on the website, social networks, and digital and print media. By participating, exhibitors consent to the use of such recordings. If exhibitors or visitors do not agree, they must inform the organiser in writing before the event.

## **10. EUREGIO CERAMICS COMPETITION**

**10.1.** Alongside the market, the Euregio Ceramics Competition is held annually, awarding four prizes in the form of purchase awards.

**10.2.** The 1<sup>st</sup> prize of 750,- euros is determined by the exhibitors themselves, using a voting sheet distributed on Saturday morning. The 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes of 550.- and 350.- euros, respectively, are awarded by a jury, made up of representatives of the Töpfereimuseum Raeren VoG or persons nominated by it. The jury's judgement will be based on the artistic quality, technical execution, and the innovative nature of the works. Further important criteria are coherence with regard to the development of a contemporary ceramics collection and other needs of the museum. The audience prize of 350.- euros is determined by the market visitors, who also receive a voting sheet on Saturday.

**10.3.** All ceramists participating in the Euregio Ceramics Market and who have paid the stand fee are eligible to enter the competition.

**10.4.** The results will be evaluated on Saturday evening. The announcement of the prize winners will take place on Sunday at 11:00 a.m. on the market grounds. Detailed results will be communicated to each exhibitor in writing.

**10.5.** The prize money will be paid out and the works to be purchased will be selected during Sunday afternoon.

**10.6.** The prize winners will have the opportunity to present their works in a joint special exhibition in the following year. The exact date and further details of this exhibition will be communicated in good time.

**10.7.** Appeals against the competition results are not permitted.

## **11. FINAL PROVISIONS**

**11.1.** By participating in the market, exhibitors agree to the General Terms and Conditions.

**11.2.** Any amendments or additions to these terms must be made in writing.

**11.3.** Should individual provisions of this agreement be or become invalid, the validity of the remaining provisions shall remain unaffected.



# APPLICATION FORM

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## 1. PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME\*:

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FIRST NAME\*:

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ARTIST NAME | WORKSHOP:

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FULL ADDRESS\*:

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PHONE\*:

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EMAIL\*:

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WEBSITE:

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FACEBOOK:

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INSTAGRAM:

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IN WHICH LANGUAGE WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CONTACTED?\*

GERMAN

DUTCH

FRENCH

ENGLISH

WOULD YOU LIKE TO RECEIVE FURTHER INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS BY POST OR EMAIL?\*

POST

EMAIL

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## 2. STAND DETAILS

DESIRED STAND SIZE\*:

 3 M 5 M 4 M 6 M

DO YOU REQUIRE A POWER CONNECTION FOR YOUR STAND IN CASE OF PARTICIPATION?\*

 YES NO

TYPE OF CERAMICS PRODUCED - BRIEF DESCRIPTION:\*

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POSSIBILITY TO DEMONSTRATE A SPECIAL TECHNIQUE DURING THE MARKET?

 YES NO

IF YES, WHICH ONE?

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## 3. ATTACHMENTS

Please attach your CV and 3-5 photos of your works to this application form and send your application by 1 March 2025 at the latest by post or email to:

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