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idd cologne is building on the success of its 2026 premiere with its 'urban-only' concept

Interior design week strengthens Cologne's position as an international hub for the residential, workspace and contract sectors

Like in 2025, this year's idd cologne will take place in an 'urban-only' format from 27 to 31 October. With ORGATEC held from 27 to 30 October at Cologne's exhibition grounds, Cologne will, for the first time, host a comprehensive trade fair week showcasing modern working environments, contract solutions and high-quality residential interior design, whilst creating new synergies for the international interior and design industry.

From 27 to 31 October 2026, the urban industry event for premium interior design will take place at Design Post Köln, at machwerkhaus köln and the participating showrooms and stores throughout the city of Cologne.

"Over recent weeks, we have held in-depth discussions with partners, exhibitors and industry representatives. A clear desire was expressed that idd cologne should be held as an 'urban-only' event. Companies from the residential sector wishing to focus on hospitality will still have the opportunity to exhibit in Hall 10.2 at ORGATEC," explains Alexander Caspari, Senior Manager Trade Fair, idd cologne. "We are excited to combine the strengths of both formats through this new arrangement. It will allow us to create a shared platform that will deliver additional reach, new networking opportunities and valuable synergies for the entire interior design industry."

A wealth of interior design expertise brought together in Cologne

The new schedule marks the first time that three key areas of the industry have been grouped together in this way - workspace, contract and residential. While ORGATEC focuses on the modern working world and spaces used for professional purposes as the leading international trade fair for these sectors, idd cologne showcases high-quality interior design concepts for private living spaces. By hosting the two events side by side, Cologne will offer a broad spectrum of products, services and inspiration, bringing together different target groups and stimulating fresh ideas and momentum for all aspects of interior design.

Urban concept remains central to idd cologne in 2026

With its urban focus, idd cologne is once again bringing creativity and premium interior design right into the heart of the city. The event format will again include the renowned Design Post Köln, the machwerkhaus köln and a number of independent showrooms and retail partners across Cologne. High-end home living



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and the latest interior design trends, materials and design concepts will take centre stage. The result is a platform for inspiration, brand presentation and face-to-face dialogue. idd cologne's clear focus on the residential market makes the event highly relevant for premium interiors brands, trade visitors and design-conscious private visitors alike.

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Members of the public are welcome

Design-oriented private visitors will have access throughout the entire event period to Design Post Köln, machwerkhaus köln, as well as participating showrooms and stores across the city of Cologne.

Further information on idd cologne 2026 and the participating brands will be published shortly at: www.idd-cologne.com/en/press/press-releases/press-releases-of-idd-cologne/.

Koelnmesse - Global Inspiration for Living, Contract and Public Spaces

Koelnmesse is the world's top trade fair organiser for the areas of Living, Contract and Public Spaces. Leading international trade fairs such as ORGATEC, interzum, FSB, aquanale and spoga+gafa come together at the Cologne trade fair location to form renowned and established industry meeting points. This strong portfolio is further enhanced by imm cologne and idd cologne, both of which are also held in Cologne. These fairs comprehensively represent the interior and design segment, the furniture and interior construction industries' supplying sections, the kitchen world, all topics for the modern working world, garden lifestyle as well as modern work environments, the garden lifestyle, public spaces, sports and leisure facilities, along with saunas, pools and wellness centres.

Beyond that, Koelnmesse is strategically expanding its portfolio in international growth markets. The imm brand family includes imm india and IFFINA+ powered by imm cologne in Indonesia. The ORGATEC brand has established a global footprint with ORGATEC Tokyo, ORGATEC India, and ORGATEC WORKSPACE Saudi Arabia. The international presence of the interzum brand extends to interzum guangzhou, interzum bogota, interzum jakarta, and the interzum forum italy. The FSB brand is also internationally active, with the FSB Sports Show Riyadh and the FSB Forum Italy in Bergamo. Furthermore, the portfolio features La Feria De Diseño Medellín powered by idd cologne in Colombia

Further information: www.idd-cologne.com/en/trade-fair/portfolio-worldwide/

The next events:

spoga+gafa - The world's biggest garden and BBQ trade fair, Cologne 22.06. - 24.06.2026

imm india - The Business Platform for Furniture and Interiors in India, New Delhi 01.09. - 03.09.2026

La Feria De Diseño Medellín powered by idd cologne - The Meeting Point for the Interior Design, Architecture and Lifestyle Scene in Latin America and the Caribbean, Medellín 10.09. - 12.09.2026

ORGATEC WORKSPACE Saudi Arabia - Saudi Arabia's Premier Trade Event for Workspace Solutions, Riyadh 13.09. - 15.09.2026

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