

# Facts about Dokk1

## The building

- Area in m<sup>2</sup>: 30,000 (11,000 m<sup>2</sup> on Level 3, including rentable office spaces)
- Dimensions: 100 x 100 m.
- Cost: DKK 1.4 bn for the building (including the parking facility, which cost DKK 550m, funded by Realdania By & Byg)

## Facilities

- 68 PCs available to the public
- Seating for more than 1,100 people (including the halls, meeting rooms, café etc.)
- 650 of these places are in open areas
- Large and Minor Hall with room for 70 and 250 people respectively. Externally, these halls are clad with stained American walnut laminate. Donated by the A.P. Møller and Chastine Mc-Kinney Møller Foundation
- Meeting room: seat 32 people respectively
- 2 teaching rooms: seats 16 and 24 people
- 1 Reading Room
- 15 oases - spaces for relaxation or events
- 2 labs with access to water
- 1 room for nursing mothers and 1 room for eating
- The Ramp, with five activity levels
- The Box - space for play activities

- 6 study rooms
- Public computers
- 1 café with seating for 112 indoors and 120 outdoors
- 24 toilets, including 4 accessible toilets
- Underground parking facility with room for about 1,000 vehicles. Retrieval time: 2 minutes at the most. 20 parking hoists
- 160 cloakroom boxes, 48 on Level 2, 112 on Level 1

## Opening hours

- Dokk1 is open 8-22 on weekdays and 10-16 at weekends. The Library and Citizens' Service have separate opening hours

## Works of art

- Magic Mushrooms (Elmgreen & Dragset, 2015). An anonymous, universal upside-down metropolis
- The Gong (Kirstine Roepstorff, 2015). 7.5 m long and 0.5 cm thick bronze tubular bell. Weight 3 tonnes
- Poseidon (A-kassen, 2017) Bronze sculpture standing at Hack Kampmanns Plads

## Programme

- Between 80 and 100 events per month

## **Sustainability**

- 2,400 m<sup>2</sup> of solar panel array on the roof
- Seawater cooling system
- Most of the lighting in the building is LED

## **Accessibility**

- Accessible toilets
- Ramps between levels
- Lifts between levels
- Handicap parking
- Acoustic warnings for the deaf or hard of hearing
- Teleloop

## **Playground**

- The playground is called The Globe - a voyage of discovery around the whole building
- Donated by The Herman Salling Foundation
- 440 m long
- The Eagle has a wingspan of 6 m
- The Bear is 7 m tall
- The Playground is made by the company 'Monstrum'

## **Users**

- 3,600 users a day on average (2015-16)
- 10% of all visitors are serviced by the Citizen's Services
- 1,3 m visitors during the first year

## **Staff**

- The library (including the technical running of Dokk1): 78 staff and 42 book shelvers
- Citizen's Services: 134 staff

## **Partnerships**

- More than 100 agreed partnerships
- Dokk1s partnerships help generate about 60% of Dokk1s total events programme

## **Occupants of the building**

- The Main Library
- Citizens' Services
- European Capital of Culture 2017
- ITK
- Administration
- Urban Mediaspace - project secretariat
- Aarhus City Archives
- DokkX
- Center for Innovation in Aarhus
- 13 commercial tenancies on Level 3

## **Media collection**

- 220,000 books
- 80,000 other types of media
- Total: 300,000 media items
- Lending statistics, Dokk1: average number of items per month, 46,000