



Launch of a

SCULPTURE COMPETITION **2025 – 2026**



SCULPTURE COMPETITION & GENERAL CONDITIONS

The Municipality of Steinfort, in conjunction with Aktikulti a.s.b.l. has the pleasure to announce the launch of the seventh sculpture competition.

Place:

The sculpture will be placed on the site «Op der Berk» near the Mirador at the place of the DINO sculpture, which it will replace.



Subject, material:

The artwork must showcase the site while respecting its cultural and natural aspects.

A free and playful work that engages with this elevated, accessible location and inspires the imagination.

The artwork must be able to withstand adverse weather conditions over the long term.

Budget:

A budget of € 30.000 will be made available to the winner of the competition, by the Commune of Steinfort, in order to cover the costs of the material, time and transport, including pedestal and fixation.

This sum will be paid in two parts:

- 50% at the beginning of the work
- 50% upon completion of the work

An additional budget of up to €10,000 is allocated to the artist to cover exclusively the costs of transporting and installing the work. This amount does not apply to the creation of the sculpture. Transport must be included in the estimate and schedule provided by the artist. Furthermore, the Municipality of Steinfort will not provide its technical services for the installation of the work.

The artist undertakes to respect the contract and the deadlines established between the Municipality of Steinfort and the artist.

Registration:

The interested artist will have to apply in writing by the 31st of May 2025 to the following address:

Aktikulti a.s.b.l. – ELSEN A. 4, rue des Prunelliers L-8447 Steinfort e-mail: inscription@aktikulti.lu

The registration form and the general conditions of the competition, some of which are laid out here, are also available at www.aktikulti.lu.

Form of the project:

All participating artists will be required to present a detailed dossier with the following:

- Detailed plans of the sculpture and how it will be positioned on the designated site
- Precise information as to how it will be fixed to the ground
- Dimensions of the sculpture and materials used
- Project Plan (sketch) of the sculpture in a DIN A1 format
- The necessary utilities required i.e. electricity, water etc.
- A model of the proposed work of art

The dossier and the model must be handed in at the cultural centre «Al Schmelz» in Steinfort by the 3rd of July 2025.

Please contact Mr Olivier Frédéric by mail olivier.frederic@steinfort.lu

The artists must pick up their models at the end of the exhibition of the projects.

If the artist wishes his model to be returned by post, the costs need to be paid in advance and the organiser will not accept responsibility, should any damage occur during transit.

The Jury and presentation of the project:

All the projects will be exhibited in the cultural centre «Al Schmelz» in Steinfort on the 5th and 6th of July 2025.

The artists will be invited to present their works to the jury if they so wish. This however is not obligatory. On Saturday afternoon, the 5th of July 2025, the jury will decide which project has won and which artist will be awarded the contract.

The Jury will be composed of seven members made up of the following:

- Two representatives of the Municipality of Steinfort
- A member of the consultative Commission of Cultural Affairs and Tourism of the Municipality of Steinfort
- A member or delegate of Aktikulti asbl
- Two professional artists
- A Forester

Installation:

The works involved in installing the sculpture at the site must be completed by the end of July 2026.

Should you need any additional information regarding the project, please contact the following two people:

-For the Municipality of Steinfort:

Technical questions concerning place and installation

M. Alain Kieffer <u>alain.kieffer@steinfort.lu</u>

- For Aktikulti a.s.b.l.:

Administrative questions concerning organisation and inscription

Annemie Elsen <u>annemie@vo.lu</u>

Planning:

End of March 2025	Announcement of the contest in
	the Press
31 st of May 2025	Last day of registration for the
	artists
3 rd of July 2025	Handing in of all projects
5 th of July in the morning	Optional presentation of projects
	by the artists in front of the Jury for
	their deliberation
5 th and 6 th of July 2025	Exhibition of all projects at the
	Cultural Centre «Al Schmelz» in
	Steinfort and announcement of the
	winner
31st of July 2026	Final installation of the work
Summerdream 2026	Inauguration of the sculpture



2008 - Héichuewen

Artistes : Lukas Arons et Peder



2010 - DECALAGE

Artiste : Philippe Gourier



2013 - LOFTBALLON

Artiste : Hélène Dom



2016 - DE MËNSCH, L'ÊTRE HUMAIN

Artiste: Yvette Gastauer-Claire



2018 - EPI

Artiste : Paul Mathey



2024 - GrenzGras(s)

Artiste : Gérard Claude



I, the undersigned,



REGISTRATION FORM

would like to register my participation in the sculpture competition organised by the municipality of Steinfort.		
Personal Details		
First name:		
Family name:		
Street and number:		
Postcode and Town:		
Country:		
Tel:		
Mail:		
The piece of art will be created in line with the General Conditions of the competition 2025-2026 as laid out by the Municipality of Steinfort. I hereby declare that I have read and accepted the conditions.		
Date:		
The Artist (name and signature):		
Please send the registration form by the 31 st of May 2025 to:		
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