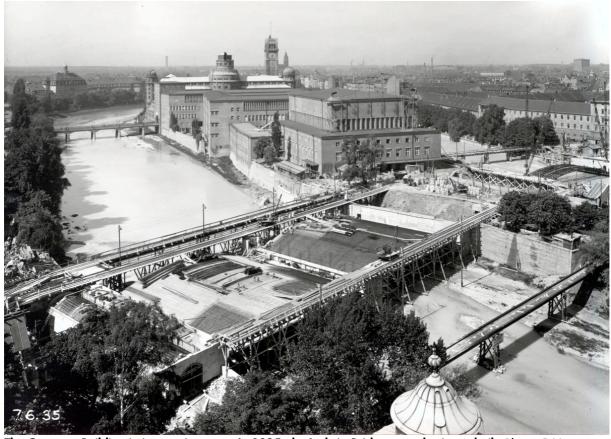


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From Congress Hall to Forum of the Future



The Congress Building in its opening year. In 1935, the Ludwig Bridge was also just rebuilt. Photo: DM

The eventful history of the building at the Ludwig Bridge

Sample space in a prime downtown location: The Forum building on Ludwigsbrücke has a turbulent past, is currently being given a new lease of life, and is heading for a modern future in and for dialog with society. A brief overview of the building's history and prospects:

| 1928 | Laying of the foundation stone |
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| 1932 | Completion of shell |
| 1935 | Opening of the hall building for congresses, scientific lectures |
| | (with experimental demonstrations), concerts, banquets and festivities. |
| 1944/45 | heavy damage by incendiary and demolition bombs during the |
| | Second World War |
| 1945 | First use from December by the U.S. military government under |
| | the name "Jubilee Hall" (sports and variety events) |
| 1946 | January: Reopening. The income from the rental should help |
| | finance the reconstruction of the entire museum. |
| 1955 | The forum is fully restored. In the following decades |
| | it is used as a venue for concerts (from classical to rock and pop), |

congresses, fashion shows and festivals.



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| 1989 | Decision to privatize and transform the building into the |
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| | "Forum of Technology" (with planetarium and Imax cinema) |
| 1992 | November: Opening of the "Forum of Technology" |
| 2001 | Renaming to "Amazeum" |
| 2003 | Renaming to "Forum am Deutschen Museum" |
| 2005 | End of the Imax era. In the fall, opening of Munich's first digital cinema |
| | (from 2007 also with 3D technology) |
| 2010 | Cessation of cinema operations due to unprofitability, closure of the event areas |
| | July: Repurchase of the building by the Deutsches Museum |
| 2015 | December: Cabinet decision for a new concert hall in the factory district |
| 2016 | Preparation of an interim use |
| 2017 | March 4: Opening of the event space with the Munich Creative Business Week. |
| | End of April: Opening of the new gastronomy areas (Blitz Restaurant and Club) |
| 2018 | Opening of the "TUMLab Forum" |
| 2022 | Opening of the "Forum of the Future": an open experiential, creative and |
| | discussion room for knowledge transfer and technological social dialog; |
| | regular events, exhibitions, actions are planned. |
| 2025 | Opening of the Future Box |

Event spaces and rooms in the Forum of the Future:

Level -1:

- AI Factory of the Munich Institute of Robotics and Machine Intelligence at TUM

Level 0:

- Future Box
- Experience Center (700 square meters).
- Blitz Club
- Blitz Restaurant with beer garden
- Posthof (open air yard)

Level 1:

- Streaming Dome in the former planetarium for up to 300 people
- Former Imax cinema with up to 330 seats
- TUMLab Forum (about 150 square meters)
- TUM AI.Factory (30 office workstations)