# LARGE SPACES

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# LARGE-SPACE SOLUTIONS FROM BRUNNER

# The Brunner story started with a chair designed for large spaces over 40 years ago.

1977: It was back in the days of municipal incorporation. Every time a group of communities joined together, the authorities built a community hall. All those community halls needed furniture.

And so Rolf Brunner set off in a second-hand VW camper van, trundling from meeting to meeting, committee to committee. He discovered not only that chairs were needed, but also what they had to be able to cope with.

The maxim "To make the impossible possible" was followed even back then. And this was when he decided to found his own company.

**Brunner is owned solely by the Brunner family.**

Founders Helena and Rolf Brunner take a hands-on approach to running the company together with their sons Dr Marc and Philip Brunner.

# Our values

**Premium quality – Made in Germany**

Our production processes bring together modern and traditional manufacturing methods, with the aim of always achieving the very best result.

Individual components can be repaired or replaced easily if necessary. We can supply **spare parts for ten years guaranteed.**

**Headquarters in central Europe**

All of our products are manufactured in Rheinau in Germany. Every year, some **500,000 chairs** and **100,000 tables** are produced at our factory.

We employ more than **540 members of staff** around the world.

**Own fleet**

All our products are professionally delivered within Germany using our own branded lorries.

Qualified Brunner fitters are on hand to set up the furniture on arrival.

# For us, perfect ergonomics is a mere formality.

When designing our products, we place great emphasis on a practical combination of functionality and aesthetics and we always focus on the needs of users. All of our products therefore have their own design features but with one thing in common: They are made to make people feel comfortable.

- Optimum seat height and seat depth
- Three-dimensional seat shell with lumbar support
- Various upholstery options available
- Armrest with a nice, grip-friendly feel
- Handle bar or grip hole in the back
- Comfortable knee roll

**User-friendly handle bar** for easy manoeuvring.

**Ergonomically shaped knee roll** to avoid pressure points, optimise blood circulation and offer comfort even during longer periods of sitting.

# Ultimate quality and durability

We create furniture of the highest quality, which is the perfect synthesis of functionality and aesthetics.

None of our new products go into series production without being extensively tested on our machines first.

- Premium materials
- Reliable screw connections in the shell
- Built-in stacking protection components
- Fabric covers tensioned, not glued

Our quality management system is **DIN EN ISO 9001** certified.

Our products undergo official safety testing in line with **DIN EN 16139**.

# Sustainability at Brunner

Brunner is aware that nature is an irreplaceable supplier of raw materials. That's why we also accept responsibility in terms of ecology – by handling limited resources carefully.

Brunner has been awarded PEFC certification. Our wood comes from local, ecological forestry sources with the relevant certification.

Most of our materials have the TÜV seal confirming that they have been tested for emissions and harmful substances.

Material testing includes compliance with strict limits on chemicals, VOCs and other harmful emissions.

The majority of our fabrics are certified according to Oeko Tex Standard 100 or the EU Ecolabel.

Our production processes meet strict ecological guidelines in accordance with DIN ISO 9001 and DIN ISO 14001.

We use state-of-the-art technology, such as the UV-hardening water-based varnish system.

# We furnish large rooms in these types of venues...

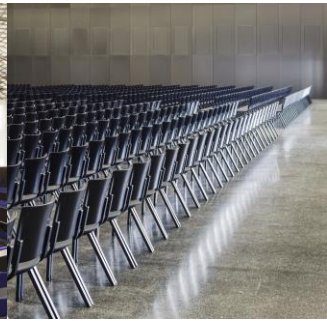
**Churches and monasteries**

**Event venues**

**Concert and community halls**

**Town halls**

**Conference centres**



**Exhibition halls**

# REQUIREMENTS

# Large spaces are a blank canvas that can be redesigned for every occasion. The formula for success varies widely.

As the market leader in furnishing large spaces, we are not only aware of the requirements – we meet them without fail. With all the boxes ticked when it comes to safety, hygiene, durability and lightness, our furniture makes life at events so much easier.

- Option to be stacked vertically and set up to save space
- Compliance with dimensions specified in the Regulations on Places of Assembly (VStättVO) (customisation available)
- Panic-safe linking
- Compliance with fire protection regulations
- Optional row and seat numbering
- Robust, easy-care materials

Our commitment to always offering exactly the right solution means that we also develop custom-made products for our customers.

# Who knew hygiene could be so stylish?

Pathogens can spread unbelievably quickly in crowded public places. That's why surfaces need to be easy to clean and resistant to disinfectant in these venues. The ever-increasing requirements for hygiene, materials and handling are met in every way possible.

- Disinfectant-resistant surfaces
- Antibacterial powder coating
- Invisibly fixed
- No unnecessary joins or crevices
- High-quality UV-hardening water-based varnish system resistant to disinfectant, alcohol and chemicals as per DIN 68861 1 B

**A-chair**

This range features a continuous shell shape that flows beautifully into the base without any gaps for dirt to get trapped in.

# Fire protection in practice

In case of fire, furniture can greatly affect the development of smoke and fire and can therefore literally be a matter of life and death. We meet the increasingly stringent fire protection requirements with smart product solutions that are tailored to the specific space and potential risks.

We only use materials that comply with the minimum fire protection regulations for our furniture without upholstery.

**This ensures compliance with the DIN 66084 P-a or P-b fire protection standard applicable to contract furniture without upholstery.**

**Use of tested materials**

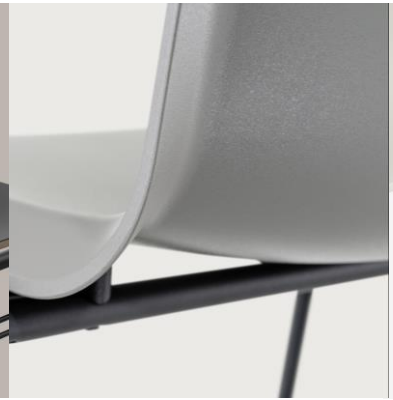
- Flame-retardant varnish in accordance with DIN 4102 B1
- Bases made from non-flammable steel tube or aluminium
- Wide range of fabrics certified in line with DIN 4102 B1
- Optional padding made from non-flammable fire protection fabric

# MATERIALS AT A GLANCE

# Variety of materials

**Wood**
High-quality beech veneer, finished with solvent-free water-based varnish. Variety of stain colours also available.

**HPL**
Shells laminated with HPL. Structured surface that is easy to clean and highly durable.



**Plastic**
Shell made from high-quality polypropylene. Non-slip matt surface. Easy to clean and highly durable.

**Metal**
Chromed surfaces that are easy to clean.

Antibacterial, scratch-resistant **powder coating**. Free from volatile organic compounds and toxins.

**Fabric covers**
Extensive Brunner standard range for various upholstery options.

# Our fabrics from the basic collection

When visitor traffic is high and furniture is often set up in different configurations, the covers need to be able to withstand a lot. This is precisely what our colourful basic collection was created for.

- Smooth or non-slip fabrics
- Wipe down or wash at up to 60°C
- Disinfectant-resistant
- Flame-resistant in accordance with DIN 4102 B1, EN 1021 Part 1+2
- Robust and durable with a friction cycle rating of up to 100,000
- Certified according to Oeko Tex Standard 100 or the EU Ecolabel
- Fabrics made from recycled materials

# Innovative mesh material

dark black * graphite black * grey melange *

ocean red melange leaf

*Limited colour selection

The high-quality mesh material used for our chairs with a mesh back comes in two different versions. The mesh moulds perfectly to the body, whilst still holding its tension.

We rely on a special production process to create this material. First the mesh is fastened into a plastic frame that goes all the way around. Next, it is heated up, causing the mesh to contract until the required tension is achieved.

- Transparent look and pleasant feel
- Breathable
- Robust and hard-wearing
- Extremely easy to clean
- Also available in a flame-retardant version (B1) with an antibacterial finish (PERFORM* mesh)

**hero plus**
**with mesh covering**

# OPTIONAL FEATURES

# Our range of accessories and equipment

Smart extra features take our furniture to a whole new level.

**Seat and row numbering**

**Row linking device**

**Linking device for tables**

**Removable armrests**

**Storage and transportation systems**

# Seat numbering: quick, efficient, simple

It must be possible to adapt large spaces such as exhibition halls and conference centres as quickly and efficiently as possible. Seat and row numbering is almost always necessary.

Here at Brunner, we have been working to perfect our seat numbering solutions for over 30 years, with the ultimate aim of making your events easier.

**Multiple solutions:**
From practical methods for seating plans that rarely change to electronic solutions for quick numbering.

# Contactless numbering with numera evo

With numera evo, the contactless evolution of our electronic seat numbering system, now you can number hall seating configurations flexibly, intuitively and faster than ever before.

The robust and maintenance-free seat number does not need its own power supply. In case of damage, it can be replaced there and then.

- High-end, battery-free HD display (e-paper display technology)
- Large selection of logos and customer-specific layouts
- Intuitive use from a handheld device
- Matching row numbers

**Fits right in anywhere:**
In wood, plastic and fully upholstered shells, upholstery liners and our mesh material.

Battery-free

Maintenanc e-free

Contactless

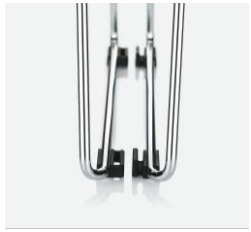
User-friendly

# Chairs neatly arranged with row linking devices

Brunner offers a wide variety of row linking devices for chair-to-chair, armchair-to-armchair and alternating configurations.

Our **patented panic-safe row linking device** can withstand any type of commotion and, in an emergency, prevents tripping hazards that block the escape route.

**Detachable row linking device**



**Row linking device in glider**

**Row linking device built into multifunctional element**

**Frame linking**

**Built-in row linking groove**

**Bar row linking device**

**Extensible row linking device**

# Our table linking systems

We offer universal and model-specific linking devices for tables that can be locked, hooked or clipped in for a flawless, fixed tabletop installation.

**Linking device for tables with a bar and matching fitting**

**Linking device for tables with a bracket and matching fitting**

**... and many more solutions!**

# Optional armrests for full flexibility

Large spaces can be set up extremely efficiently thanks to flexible armrests and row linking devices. Simply click them in and use the lever under the seat to remove them again – no tools required.

The lever is easy to reach from the front and side even when the chair is stacked, which saves time when the seating needs to be reconfigured.

There is a separate storage and transportation trolley for armrests and row linking devices to keep everything neat, tidy and close to hand.

**hero plus with removable armrests**

**Various possible combinations:**
Chair-to-chair, chair with armrests-to-chair with armrests, chair with armrests-to-chair and bench by positioning the flexible new armrests on the outside.

# Our storage and transportation systems

Space is a precious asset in large rooms that also need to offer open areas depending on the event. That's why Brunner has designed its chairs for large spaces to be stacked away. Storage and transportation trolleys are also available for various chair types and stacking heights.

Brunner tables for large spaces remain within easy reach too thanks to the model-specific transportation trolleys. Clever folding mechanisms with intelligent stacking bumpers enable space-saving and careful vertical or horizontal stacking of tables.

**Moving made easy:**
The storage trolley for fox 1024 can hold up to 40 chairs at once.

# LARGE-SPACE SPECIALISTS

# Chairs for large rooms at a glance

Our solutions for large rooms are modular so they can be adapted to every situation.

With options like electronic seat numbering, row linking devices and panic-safe linking, the design possibilities are endless.

**A-chair**

**alite**

**first place, first line, first class**

**fox**

**hero, hero plus**

**linos**

**tool 2**

# Folding tables at a glance

With all the boxes ticked when it comes to safety, durability and lightness, our tables make life so much easier.

They can be assembled, converted and disassembled in no time and moved around with ease using the compatible transportation trolleys. And they hardly take up any space when they're in storage.

**4more**

**basic**

**trust**

# A-chair

The modular all-rounder with a one-piece look

- Vertical stacking for up to 15 chairs
- Frame made from die-cast aluminium or plastic
- Shells made from plastic or shaped wood
- Different version: Armrest and frame cast in one piece
- Shell and frame can be separated and recycled
- Optional row linking device (including detachable version)

# alite

A light and sustainable stacking chair

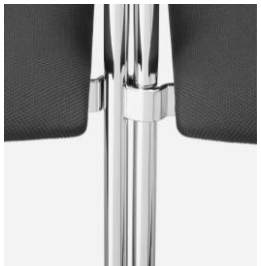
- Vertical stacking for up to 15 chairs
- With stacking protection on the back legs
- Ergonomically shaped seat and back rest
- Ultra-light weight of around 5 kg
- Universal row linking device built in
- Extremely long-lasting with the option to replace individual components
- Fully recyclable

# first place

Works horizontally, vertically, everywhere

- Vertical stacking for up to 15 chairs
- Row linking chair for linking of any versions with or without armrests
- Comfortable shell with ergonomic, three-dimensional shape
- Seat shell made from moulded beech plywood or plastic
- Various upholstery versions available
- Armrests with black plastic cover
- Lightweight model in the range (starting at 6 kg)

**What makes first special?**
All models come with the option of frame linking.



# first line

Chairs with armrests for vertical stacking

- Vertical stacking for up to 12 chairs
- Innovative row linking chair with armrests
- Armrests with plastic cover
- Comfy, ergonomic shell shape with innovative folding mechanism
- Seat shell made from moulded beech plywood or plastic
- Various upholstery versions available

**What makes first special?**
All models come with the option of frame linking.

# first class

Frame-linking stacking chair

- Stacking for up to 8 chairs
- Integrated interlocking frames
- Comfy, ergonomic shell shape with innovative folding mechanism
- Shell made from moulded beech plywood or in various upholstered versions
- Black plastic armrests

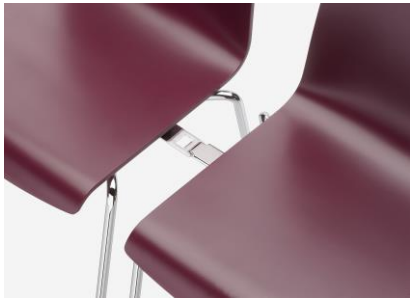
**What makes first special?**
All models come with the option of frame linking.

The frame is linked by the interlocked base parts and the front cross-brace.

Additional fixed or mobile connecting elements are not needed.

# fox

Stacks high – and keeps its promises



- Vertical stacking for up to 20 chairs depending on the model
- Ergonomic seat shell made from moulded beech plywood or plastic
- Varied design options with different shells available
- Many extra functional features (grip hole, design cut outs, row linking groove, extensible row linking device and lots more)

# hero

A stacking chair in a class of its own

- Vertical stacking for up to 20 chairs
- Self-centring stacking
- Multifunctional element (MFE) allowing for self-centring stacking and protection of the metal parts
- Three-dimensional seat shell made from bonded laminated beech wood or plastic
- Shell also available with HPL lamination
- Invisibly fixed
- Optional row linking device, also available in a panic-safe version

# hero plus

Multifunctional element ticks all the boxes

- Vertical stacking for up to 20 chairs
  (chairs with or without armrests can be stacked together)
- Innovative multifunctional element (MFE) allowing for the linking of armrests and an optionally integrated panic-safe row linking device
- MFE plus protecting against scratches and noise
- Row linking device for different configurations: chair-to-chair, chair with armrests-to-chair, chair with armrests-to-chair with armrests
- Seat shell made from bonded laminated beech wood or plastic, in a version with the seat and back as separate elements and also available with a mesh back
- Ergonomic shell shape
- Optional flexible armrests that can be attached and row linking devices that can be removed without tools

# hero plus with mesh

Transparent, sturdy, lightweight

- High-quality mesh covering that is breathable and flexible yet retains its shape
- Mesh covering also available in a flame-retardant version (B1) with an antibacterial finish
- Robust, glass-fibre reinforced, circumferential plastic frame providing an ergonomic knee roll and a handle bar on the back

# linos

One concept – countless possibilities

- Stacking for up to 10 chairs
- Available as a four-legged chair and sled-base chair
- Three-dimensional seat shell with a dip and ergonomically shaped knee roll
- Seat and back made from moulded beech plywood or plastic with various upholstery options also available
- Row linking device in glider or extensible row linking device

# tool 2

Lightweight and versatile chair for large spaces

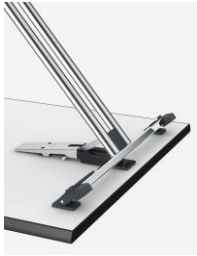
- Vertical stacking for up to 15 chairs
  (chairs with or without armrests can be stacked together)
- Integrated stacking bar
- Alternating row linking with optional panic-safe row linking device
- Four-legged chair with seat shell made from wood, HPL or plastic
- Also available with upholstery liner, comfort upholstery or full upholstery
- Armrests made from PUR or metal with the option of a wooden top layer or soft-grip-surface

Armrests perfectly aligned with the frame **to avoid the risk of fatigue when sitting**.

# basic

Functional folding table with plenty of features

- Innovative STS stability system
- Low-noise, low-maintenance and wear-free Brunner folding mechanism
- Durable APK Air-Protect edge
- High-quality table top surface
- Three frame options
- Functional accessories (linking device for tables, suspension devices, panels and various gliders)



**STS stability system:**
Folding mechanism with three-point bearing and diagonal brace.

**Low stacking height:**
105 mm as standard

(Thicker table tops will have different stacking dimensions.)

# trust

Well-equipped folding table with four-legged frame

- Range of lightweight universal tables
- Traditional four-legged frame
- Clever mechanism for easy handling
- Space-saving storage and option to stack thanks to retractable table legs
- Three frame options
- Convenient accessories (linking device for tables, suspension devices, panels, casters)

Optional casters in one frame side part **for added flexibility**

# 4more

Large flap with lots happening below

- Four-legged folding table with a statement design
- Slimline chromed legs
- Virtually invisible traverse under-frame with concealed folding mechanism enabling use of thin table tops
- Practical one hand mechanism for opening without use of a lever, with integrated fail-safe mechanism
- Discreet stacking bumpers that lift automatically when the frame is opened
- Optional Flow edge flush with the table legs

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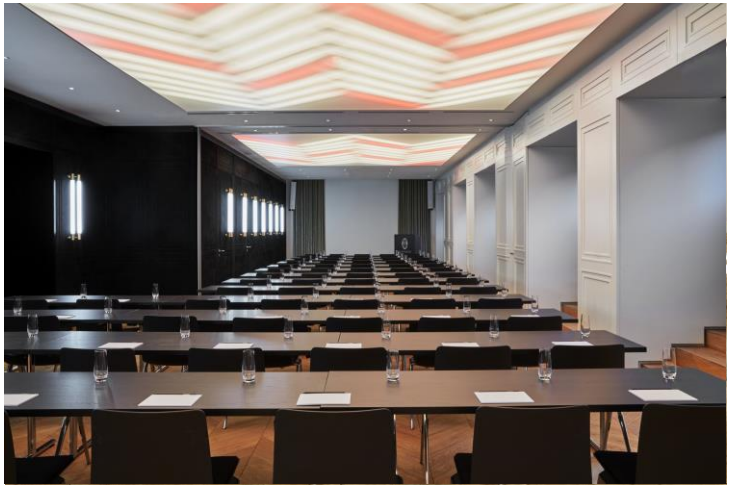

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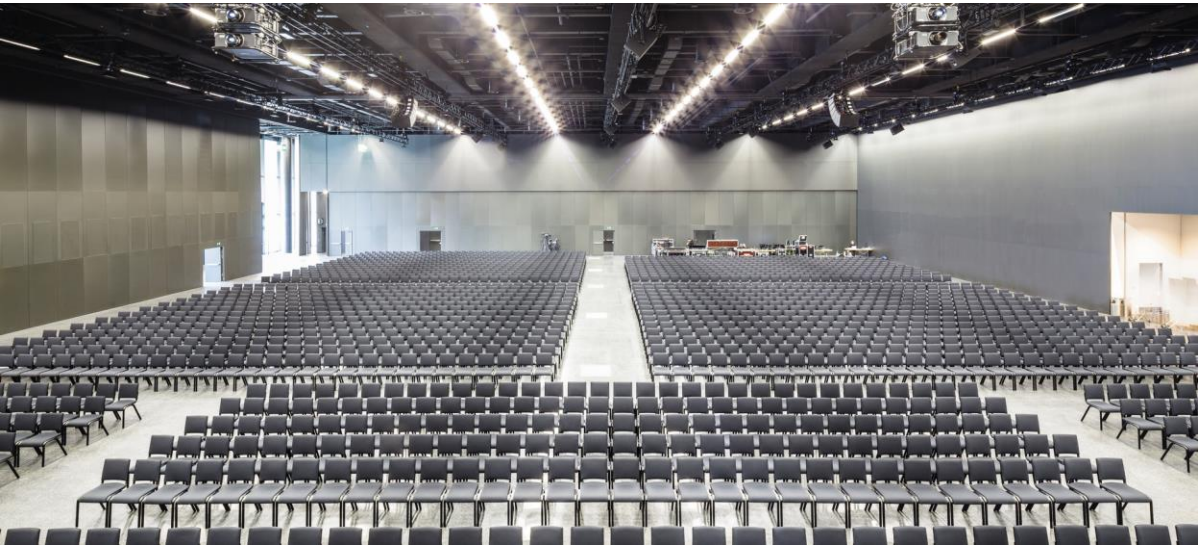

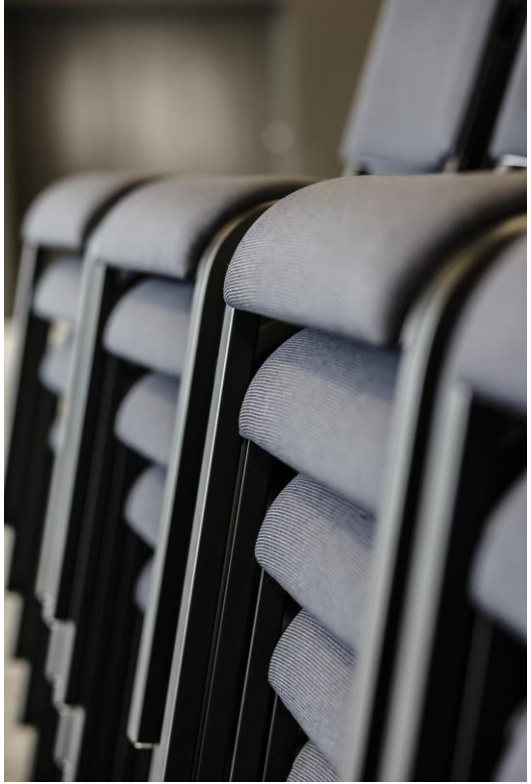

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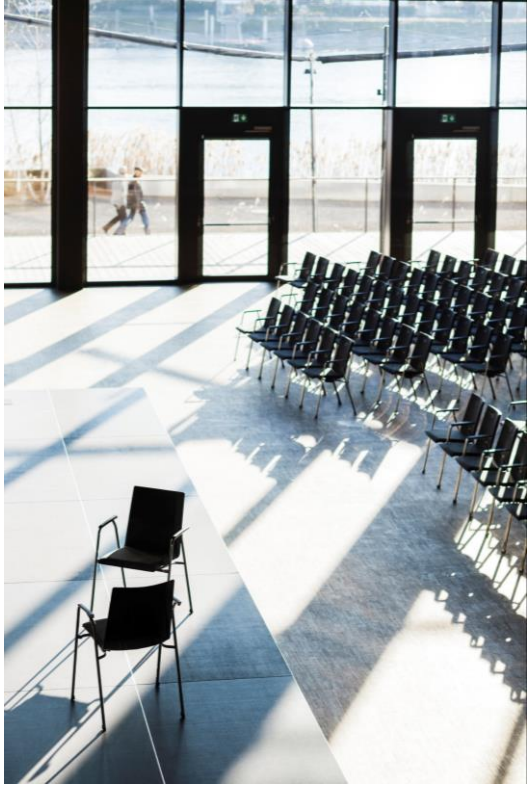

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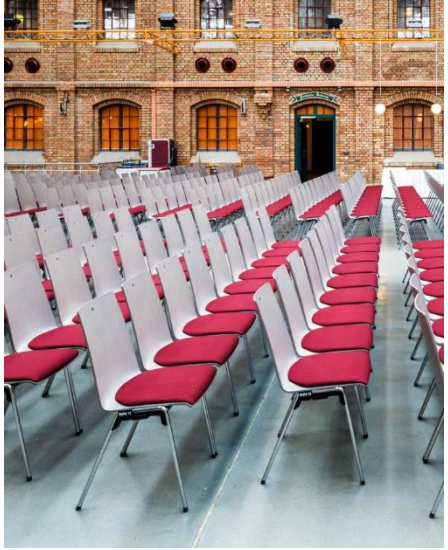

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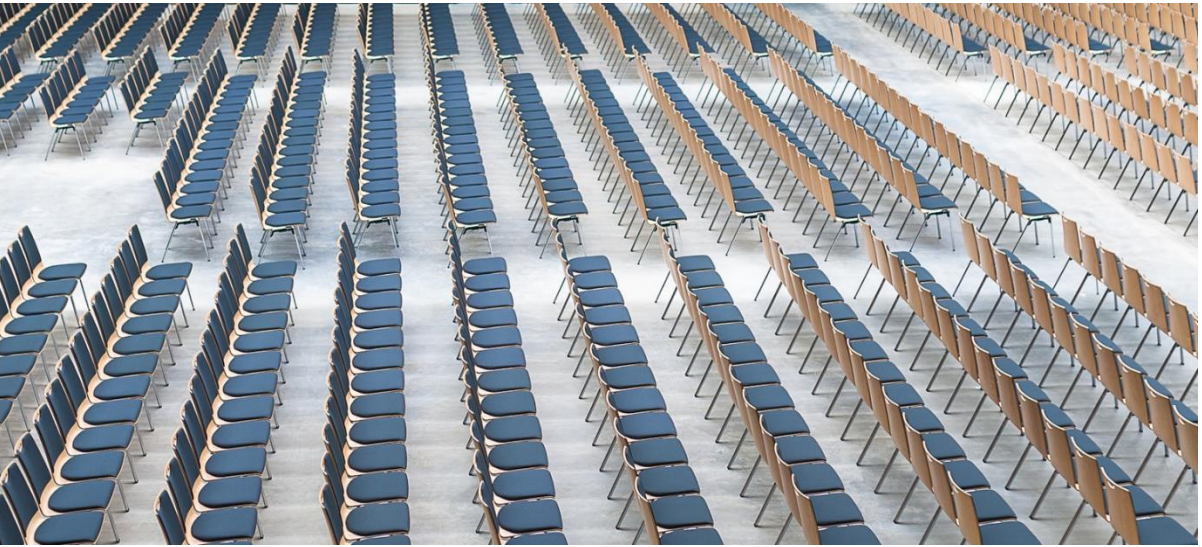

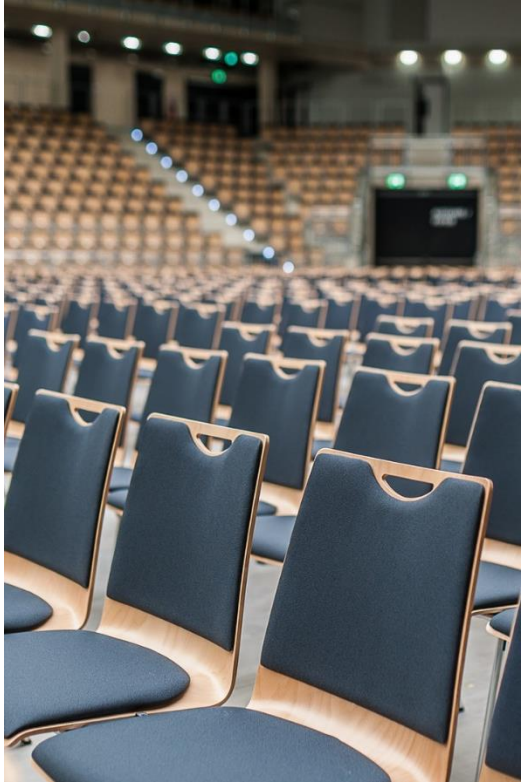

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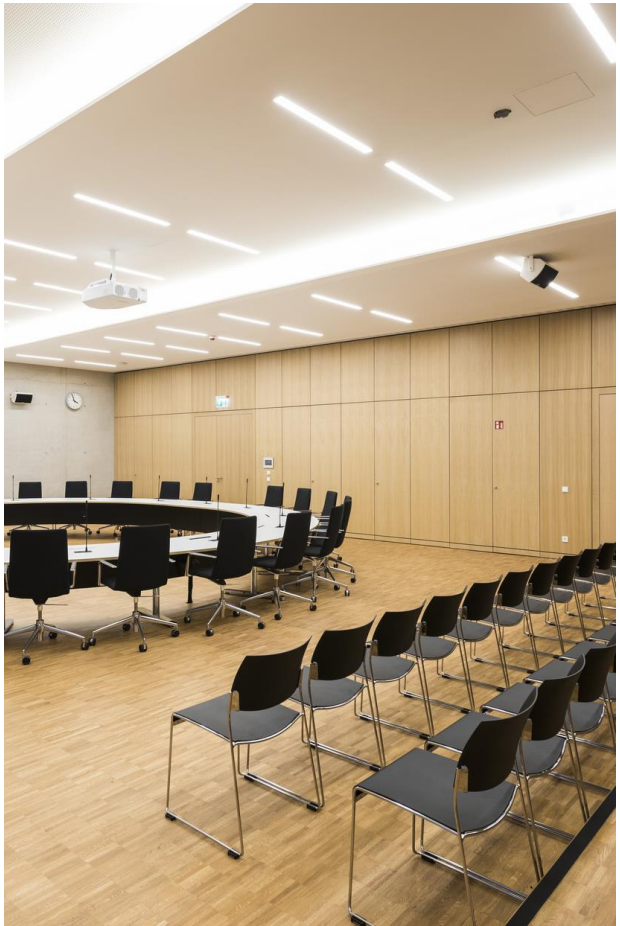

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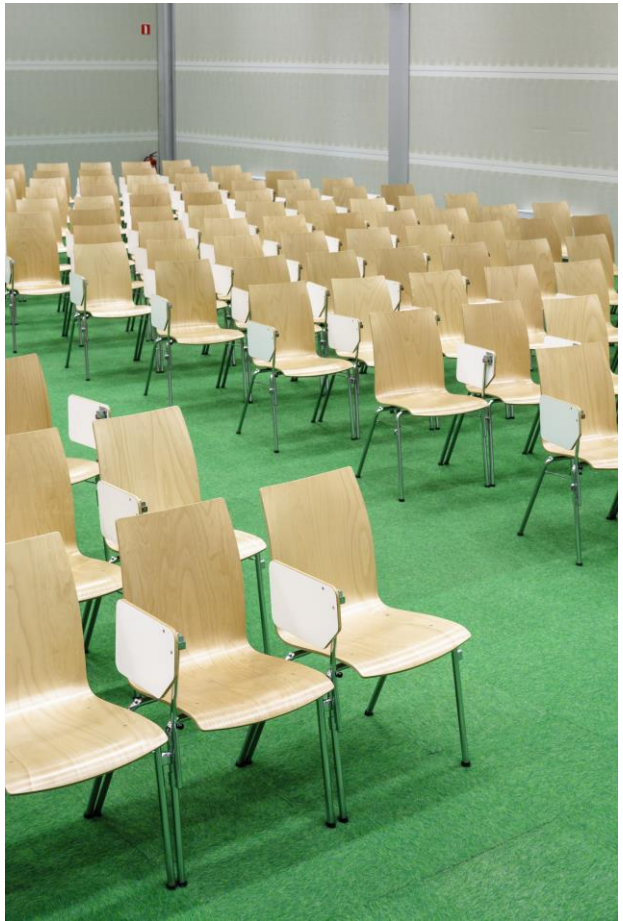

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