



## **MINILAND: Discover the World playfully in LEGO Format**

Neuschwanstein Castle, the Reichstag in Berlin, Venice, the Hamburg harbour Switzerland, the Netherlands, and the the Burj Khalifa have one thing in common: they are all located right next to each other in MINILAND – the centrepiece of LEGOLAND Deutschland Resort. Famous German, European and international constructions are the heart of the nine adventure worlds at the Park in Günzburg, and the LEGO Star Wars™ MINILAND Model Display even offers guests glimpses of far-off worlds and galaxies. More than 25 million ordinary LEGO bricks were assembled by model designers to construct this part of the Park.

### **Life in MINILAND**

The scenes in MINILAND are constructed with great attention to detail and made even livelier by animation. Cars and trams travel the roads, ships sail the rivers and work goes on at the buildings and construction sites. People stroll through the streets or sit in street-side cafés. Everything here is made from LEGO bricks – from more than 25 million to be exact. There is no cheating in MINILAND, as everything is made from standard LEGO bricks, just the amount which were used by the model designers are not standard. In many of the scenes, visitors can actively influence what is happening using buttons or a joystick, for example to control a crane or to lift off an hot-air ballon or helicopter - always accompanied by the typical background sounds. Evening is a special time in MINILAND, when the lights and lanterns go on in the streets and houses of this small world, the Allianz Arena lights up in club colours, and the nightlife begins.

### **MINILAND Areas**

In MINILAND, it is just a few steps from the Reichstag in Berlin and the Brandenburg Gate to the St. Mark's Square in Venice or the skyline of Frankfurt. Just turn around to see the huge High Five. Here, park guests will be totally flabbergasted, as five of the highest skyscrapers of the world made of more than 400,000 LEGO bricks on a scale of 1:150 are displayed there. Among other things the guests can marvel at the Burj Khalifa and the One World Trade Center. And on the way to Switzerland you can also see Sissi and King

Ludwig dancing the waltz in the Throne Hall at Neuschwanstein Castle and you can also drop by and have a look at the landing bridges in the Hamburg Harbour and marvel at the windmills in the Dutch landscape. In addition to all the terrestrial constructions, visitors to MINILAND will be able to experience plenty of intergalactic fun: the LEGO *Star Wars* Model Display with key scenes from the first six *Star Wars* films and the animated TV series *Star Wars: The Clone Wars*™. Along to this, there are also life-size models of Darth Vader and Darth Maul as well as the Jedi Master Yoda.

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**Note to editors:**

The LEGOLAND Deutschland Resort was opened on 17 May 2002 in the Bavarian town of Günzburg and is one of the most popular amusement parks in Germany. Information on the LEGOLAND Deutschland Resort can be found at [www.LEGOLAND.de](http://www.LEGOLAND.de). Tickets and accommodation packages can also be booked online at this address.

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