

SCANDIC HOLMENKOLLEN PARK



Welcome to Scandic Holmenkollen Park

Perched high above the city like a palace out of a Norwegian fairy tale, it offers stunning views over the city and the surrounding landscape. A magical place for a family holiday, and a unique conference venue, the hotel is just 15 minutes' drive from Oslo city centre.



The oldest part of the hotel dates from 1894 and is timber-built in the 'dragon' style of the mediaeval Norwegian 'stave' churches. Here you will find our first-class restaurant «De Fem Stuer», as well as comfortable lounges and a range of banqueting and conference rooms, all named after famous Norwegians. The largest of our 38 well-equipped meeting rooms – the Saga Hall – can host up to 800 delegates. The hotel also offers modern SPA facilities, a gym and an indoor swimming pool.



Located close to the Holmenkollen Ski Stadium and Ski Museum and with direct access to wonderful skiing, walking and cycling country, the hotel offers superb opportunities for recreation and relaxation in the Heart of nature, yet close to the city.

Conference in Oslo – Extraordinary opportunities

Just woken up to the knowledge that you and your company have undertaken to organise a demanding conference? Relax! Scandic Holmenkollen Park can offer some of the Norwegian capital's most modern, most technologically up to date and flexible conference facilities.

Seven guests or 750? Funky or formal? Low-key or lavish? An evening meeting or an exhibition lasting several days, requiring 1,000 m² and vehicle access?

You will find all you need 350 m above the city centre and even further removed from life's day-to-day trivialities, in a truly convivial atmosphere. Our 38 meeting rooms and halls are ready to welcome you and your event. Together they meet every imaginable demand and requirement, and all are equipped with the very latest telecommunication solutions.

And around the framework you yourself have chosen, more spectacular surroundings are literally on the doorstep: the natural beauty of the neighbouring forest and the truly fabulous views over Oslo and the fjord!



Hotel rooms with a great night's sleep - guaranteed!

Our 343 hotel rooms and suites, many named after famous Norwegian sporting legends, are divided into the following categories: Standard, Superior, Deluxe, Junior Suites and Suites.

But as inviting as our rooms are, don't forget to take a look out of the window - the lights and the views are amazing! Overwhelmed by the multitude of lights from Oslo, as well as neighbouring Nesodden and Bærum, one of our youngest guests exclaimed: "Mummy, how many countries can we see from here?"

Here is one last piece of advice about getting to sleep. Note how incredibly quiet it is when you go to bed; it is so quiet that you can hear the city's other hotel guests counting sheep...

All rooms come with clean fresh air, comfortable beds and crisp linen.



Activities - Challenges for playful people

At Scandic Holmenkollen Park you will find activities no other hotel in Oslo can offer: Four pole-pushes, a 90-metre ski jump and a Super-G turn away from the hotel lies the Holmenkollen Ski Jump, the Ski Museum and the beautiful Holmenkollen Chapel. Here you will find some of Oslo's biggest tourist attractions, and a wealth of opportunities.

The ski jump is the jewel in the Holmenkollen sports arena's crown. More than a century old, it has been rebuilt 14 times, and is today a modern facility with a fantastic view - rising 417 metres above sea level! We offer activities of every sort, from the simple to the nail-biting. Abseil from the top of the ski jump, try your hand at the biathlon (skiing and shooting combined) or snowball throwing, enjoy a barbecue or dinner. Why not stage your own mini-Olympics (summer or winter), featuring events of your choice, for your colleagues or business associates?

The Ski Museum opened in 1923 and is the world's oldest of its kind. Exhibits include equipment from Fridtjof Nansen and Roald Amundsen's polar expeditions. The museum is the perfect place to start an evening event, with before-dinner aperitifs. It can be followed by a recital in the Holmenkollen Chapel - with a torchlit stroll between the venues. This, of course, is just one of a host alternatives.



KEY FACTS ABOUT OSLO

- Oslo Airport has direct flights to 112 cities worldwide
 - Stockholm-Oslo: 1 hour
 - London - Oslo: 2 hours
 - Paris - Oslo: 2,2 hours
 - Rome - Oslo: 3 hours
 - Moscow - Oslo: 2,5 hours
 - New York - Oslo: 7,5 hours
- It takes only 19 minutes from the airport to downtown Scandic Holmenkollen Park. From the airport to the hotel it takes 40 minutes by car.
- Compact capital with 650,000 inhabitants.
- Oslo is located between the forest and the end of the 62-mile Oslo fjord which has over 40 islands.
- The Nobel Peace Prize is awarded annually in Oslo. According to Nobel's will, the Peace Prize is to go to whoever "shall have done the most or the best work for fraternity between nations, for the abolition or reduction of standing armies and for the holding and promotion of peace congresses".
- The city was founded in 1000 AD, and later in 1048, King Harald III established a trading place in the town.
- The city of Oslo is considered to be in the south of Norway, and yet, it is on the same latitude as Alaska in the US and St. Petersburg in Russia.
- Oslo has been the capital of Norway since 1814 and occupies 454 square kilometers, 242 of which are forests.
- Inspiration for an eco-friendly stay. Green Oslo comprises the bits and parts of the city that take particular care of the people here and our surroundings. It is run with idealism and enthusiasm by people and enterprises who work towards a healthy environment.
- The city is home to Norway's King Harald V and Queen Sonja and The Royal Palace.
- Tourist attractions in the city includes; the National Museum of Art, Architecture and Design, the Norwegian Opera and Ballet, the National Theatre, the Norwegian Museum of Cultural History, the Viking Ship Museum and the Vigeland Sculpture Park.
- A historic landmark in the Norwegian consciousness, Holmenkollen embodies more than a century of skiing competitions. Inside the ski jump is the Holmenkollen Ski Museum, the oldest of its kind in the world. The museum presents over 4,000 years of skiing history, Norwegian polar exploration artifacts and an exhibition on snowboarding and modern skiing. The observation deck on top of the jump tower offers panoramic views of Oslo.
- Oslo was the home of cultural mavericks that include; Edvard Munch, Gustav Vigeland and Henrik Ibsen.
- It's actually very likely that Vikings did not use helmet at all. Only three helmets have ever been uncovered, the Viking helmet is sadly a legend.

