

SYSTEM 2000
KUBUS II

Funke
Mediengruppe,
Essen



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CLIENT:
FUNKE MEDIENGRUPPE,
Essen
ARCHITECT:
AllesWirdGut, Vienna
**WORKPLACE
PLANNING:**
Combine, Munich

**PARTITION WALL
SYSTEMS:**
System 2000
DOOR SYSTEMS:
AR40 and AR100
aluminium-frame doors
**ROOM-IN-ROOM-
SYSTEMS:**
Kubus II



Exclamation mark

FUNKE MEDIENGRUPPE's Funke Media Office (FMO) is located in the centre of Essen. Designed as a space to nurture creativity, the new company HQ is more than just an office building. With conference rooms and office space, it also houses a range of public areas with restaurants, event venues, a retail units and a nursery.

The building complex is an exclamation mark among other urban developments thanks to its silver media tower contrasting the other black structures of the complex.

The site which is around 37,000 square metres, the media complex provides its roughly 1000-strong FUNKE staff with an atmosphere which promotes both creativity and teamwork.



Perspective, vision, trust

The conference area in the reception is made of glass walls from the double glazed System 2000, which, in places measuring up to 4 metres in height.

Flush-fit 100 mm aluminium-frame doors fulfil the very highest standards of acoustic insulation and confidentiality. The system incorporates easy to use touchpanels with which rooms can be reserved.

Team offices, as well as café and meeting areas in the core zones were all created using floor-to-ceiling glass walls, many meeting F30 specifications.



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Flush-fit doors
floor-to-ceiling
glass walls

Highlights – from the traditional to the modern: The true-to-original office design is reminiscent of founder Jakob Funke's office, whilst Germany's biggest media wall shows all of the latest news.



Discretion in open space areas

More than 60 Kubus modules are distributed across the various floors of the Funke Media Office and provide employees in the media complex with the opportunity to carry out meetings and make phone calls in peace and discretion. Thanks to double glazing and the effective acoustic surfaces inside the Kubus II modules, they fulfil the highest of requirements for sound insulation. Thus the Kubus models are ideal for use in the open-space concept which has been implemented throughout the building. The minimalist design with flush bonded glass ensures a clean, simple aesthetic.



Good atmosphere

The Kubus II Meeting room-in-room system is the larger variant of the Kubus II and is intended for concentrated working as well as for meetings with several people and for video conferences. It integrates ventilation, lighting, acoustic absorption and cooling.



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