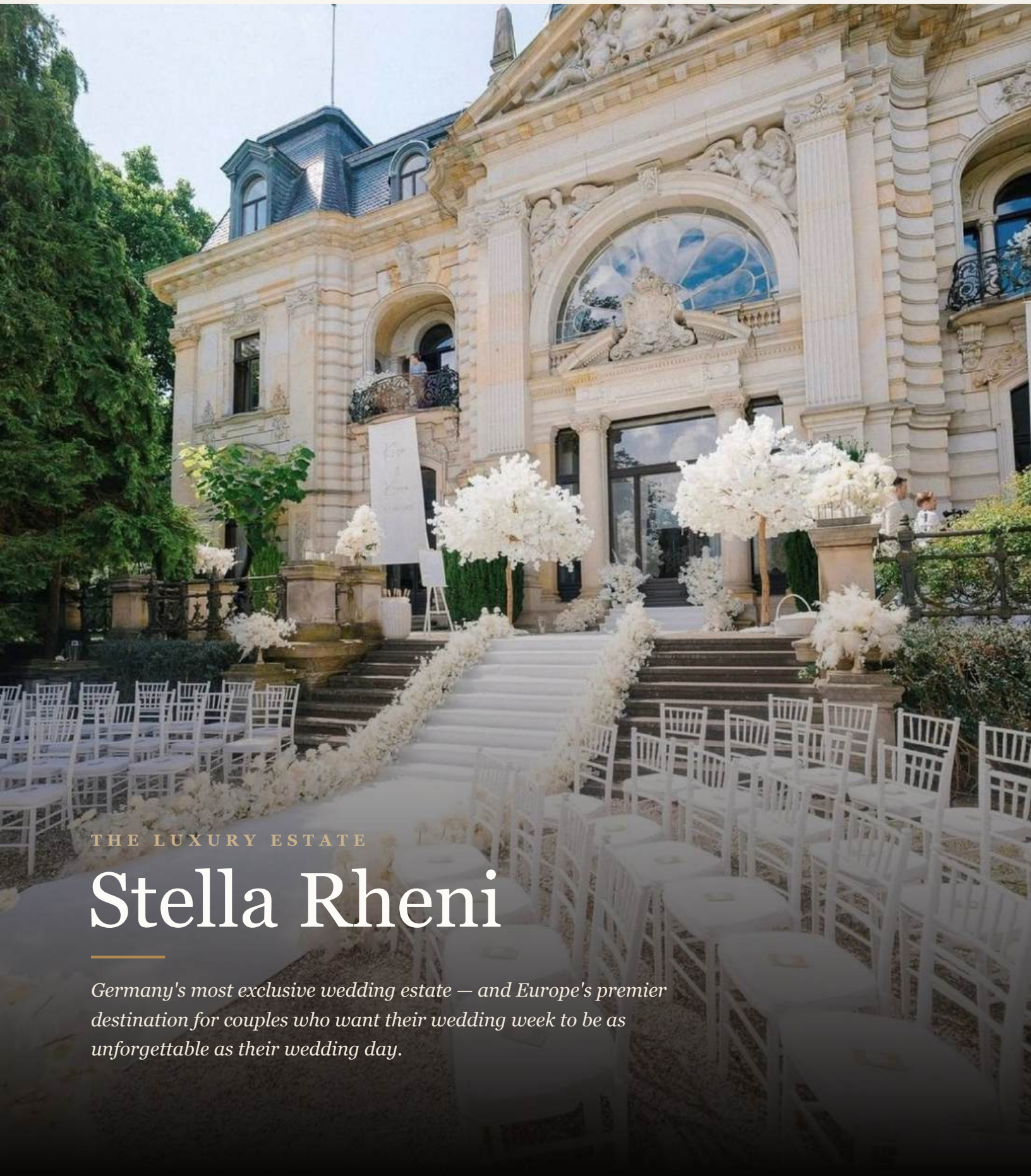


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WEDDING AWARD WINNER



THE LUXURY ESTATE

Stella Rheni

Germany's most exclusive wedding estate — and Europe's premier destination for couples who want their wedding week to be as unforgettable as their wedding day.

The Only Estate of Its Kind in Germany

“The most beautiful moments in life are not the ones when you breathe, but the ones that take your breath away.”

— Rainer Maria Rilke, who stayed at Stella Rheni in 1906

In Bonn’s prestigious Bad Godesberg district, framed by 50,000 square meters of private parkland and a sweeping view across the Siebengebirge, stands Villa Stella Rheni — the “Star of the Rhine.” Built at the close of the 19th century as the summer residence of the distinguished von der Heydt family, it is one of Germany’s great architectural treasures, and it is available to exactly one couple at a time.

The villa’s Bismarck Tower rose in 1898 for an international chess tournament that drew visitors from across Europe. From 1927, its halls filled with the life of a Jesuit boarding school. Rilke was only one of many notable guests to have stayed within these walls. Since 2006, the entire estate has stood under monument protection — history you can not only visit, but celebrate inside of.

What makes Stella Rheni truly singular is exclusivity itself: the estate, its grounds, and every room are reserved for your wedding and no other event, on your day. It is this rare promise that makes the villa one of the most beautiful — and most exclusive — wedding addresses anywhere in Europe.



Why Couples Travel the World for This Address

100%

EXCLUSIVE USE
OF THE ESTATE

50,000 m²

PRIVATE
PARKLAND

220

GUESTS AT THE
CELEBRATION

22

GUESTS HOUSED
ON-SITE

One estate, one wedding, one day. Every other venue in the region hosts multiple events on a busy Saturday. Stella Rheni hosts yours — alone.

From 50 to 220 guests — always the perfect size.

Celebrations of up to 220 guests find their place here, with 50 to 140 the ideal range. Thanks to the estate's ingenious modular room concept, a party of 50 feels just as perfectly at home as a celebration of more than 150 — the villa adapts to your guest list, never the other way around.

A ceremony chronology built for storytelling. Your celebration flows from the Siebengebirge terrace, to the aperitif in the park, to dinner beneath the dome, to dancing in the library — each space directly connected, so the day never breaks stride.

Award-recognized excellence. Winner, LUXlife Global Wedding Awards — Most Exclusive Wedding & Events Venue, Germany. Winner, LUXlife Hospitality Awards — Most Exclusive Event Venue, Germany.





THE CHRONOLOGY OF YOUR CELEBRATION

Ceremony. Aperitif. Dinner. Dance.

01

Terrace

Vows exchanged on the Siebengebirge Terrace, framed by Germany's storybook hills.

02

Park

Champagne and canapés among 50,000 m² of private gardens.

03

Dome Hall

Dinner beneath a hand-restored 19th-century dome.

04

Library

Dancing and drinks until the early hours.

EFFORTLESSLY REACHED, ENDLESSLY REWARDING

Getting Here — Closer Than You Think

Stella Rheni sits in Bonn — in the very heart of Europe, one of the continent's best-connected regions, and remarkably close for a destination wedding.

Frankfurt Airport (FRA)

Germany's largest international hub, with direct connections worldwide

~45 min

by high-speed rail

Cologne Bonn Airport (CGN)

The closest airport to the estate

~20 min

by car

Düsseldorf Airport (DUS)

Extensive long-haul connections

~55 min

by car

Guests can land in Frankfurt in the morning and be sipping welcome champagne in the park by afternoon. It is this rare combination — global accessibility with total, storybook privacy — that makes Stella Rheni Europe's leading destination wedding estate.

VIP shuttle service: we are happy to arrange private transfers for you and your guests — from the airport, your hotels, or wherever your celebration begins and ends.



A Wedding Week Worth Flying For

Stella Rheni lies idyllically — dreamlike parkland, complete privacy — yet in the heart of Europe, within one of the continent’s largest metropolitan regions. For guests extending their stay, the Rhineland offers a week of experiences found nowhere else, and even Paris, Amsterdam, and Brussels are within easy reach.

Bonn — Just minutes away: Beethoven’s birthplace and West Germany’s capital from 1949 to 1990, with riverside promenades, museums, and a quietly grand old-world charm.

Cologne — 30 minutes away: the soaring twin spires of Cologne Cathedral, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, the cobbled lanes of the Altstadt — and a pulsating metropolis of many facets, famous for its Kölsch joie de vivre and, arguably, the best beer in the world.

Siebengebirge & Drachenfels — Visible from the estate’s own terrace: the legendary “Seven Mountains,” crowned by the romantic ruins of Drachenfels Castle.

The Ahr Valley — 30 minutes away: one of Germany’s oldest wine regions, its steep vineyard slopes made for an afternoon of tastings.

The Moselle Valley — Only around 90 minutes away: the fairytale villages of Cochem and Beilstein, hilltop castles and terraced vineyards straight out of a storybook.

A wedding week — Together, these destinations turn a wedding into a wedding week — reason enough for guests to make the trip, and stay a while longer.



A Complete, Carefree Celebration

Every wedding at Stella Rheni is built as a complete, carefree package — refined catering, an unlimited drinks package, a bespoke decoration concept, and attentive service before, during, and after your celebration, all coordinated by our team from start to finish.

The arrangements on the following pages are exemplary starting points; every menu, room, and detail can be tailored to your vision.

Individually yours: every celebration at Stella Rheni is designed and quoted individually. **We gladly communicate our current rates and arrangements on request** — simply get in touch at stella-rheni@metz-event.de.

EVERY ARRANGEMENT INCLUDES

- Round or square tables, Chameleon chairs, bar and bistro tables, lounge furniture, terrace sunshades
- Cleaning, utilities, and high-speed WiFi
- Unlimited drinks package — aperitif, sparkling wine, table wines, draft beer, soft drinks, hot drinks
- Fine table linen, damask napkins, porcelain, cutlery, and crystal glassware
- Attentive, dedicated service and kitchen staff



Your Ceremony Above the Seven Hills

The Siebengebirge Terrace at Stella Rheni offers one of the most romantic ceremony backdrops in Germany. Because the entire 50,000 m² estate is reserved exclusively for you, your ceremony unfolds in complete privacy — there is no more intimate setting for the moment you say “I do.”

Civil AND symbolic — both are at home here. As a contractual partner of the Bonn registry office, legally binding civil ceremonies can generally be held on-site on Fridays and Saturdays until 5pm. Free and symbolic ceremonies are equally possible, and we are happy to introduce couples to independent wedding officiants.

Every ceremony includes a classic setup of white vintage chairs and aisle carpet, with decoration tailored to your concept — from an ocean of flowers to a sculptural wedding arch.



Ceremony setups are arranged individually around your concept — we gladly share details and rates on request.



WEDDING ARRANGEMENT

“Elegant”

SALAD & ANTIPASTI

“Edible Landscapes” salad bar, three dressings

Arugula with mozzarella, peach carpaccio, Serrano ham, pine nuts, lime vinaigrette

Grand antipasti and tapas bar · Vitello tonnato

Mixed smoked fish selection with dips · Finger food (shrimp skewers, green crespelle)

Fresh-baked breads, butters, and sophisticated dips

MAIN COURSE

Corn-fed chicken supreme with rosehip sauce

Jack’s Creek Wagyu roast beef, herb-crusted, red wine shallot sauce

Pan-seared zander with Riesling foam

Rosemary potatoes · Gnocchi Piemontese

Farfalle, confit cherry tomato & pine nut ragout

Tomato-fennel vegetables · Zucchini roulade with feta and sun-dried tomato

DESSERT

Trio of mousse · Crème brûlée & panna cotta variations · Raspberry trifle



Includes the menu above and all services on page 7. Prices gladly on request.



WEDDING ARRANGEMENT

“Le Rotisseur”

BBQ BUFFET

Fresh gourmet salad bar, three dressings · Grand antipasti and tapas bar
Orange-fennel salad · Purple potato salad, lime mayonnaise, black olives
Mediterranean pasta salad with grilled vegetables
French crespelle with ratatouille · Mini quiche lorraine
House barbecue sauces · Bread specialties with butter and dips

FROM THE BEEFER 800°

Rib-eye steak “Agua de Ojo” · Sashimi tuna

FROM THE GRILL

Corn-fed chicken · Duroc sirloin steaks · King prawns · Gourmet sausages
Chili-honey potato skewers · Provençal vegetable skewers

DESSERT

Raspberry cheesecake trifle · Chocolate brownie in a glass · Passion fruit mango sorbet



Includes the menu above and all services on page 7. Prices gladly on request.



WEDDING ARRANGEMENT

“Perfection”

ON THE TABLE

Fresh-baked breads, butter varieties, sophisticated dips

SERVED APPETIZERS

Shrimp or poulard skewers, two pestos · Mini vitello tonnato

Antipasti selection · Arugula, toasted pine nuts, parmesan, raspberry vinaigrette

MAIN COURSE BUFFET

Fried monkfish fillet with curry-saffron sauce

Jack's Creek Wagyu beef fillet, herb-crusted, port wine truffle jus

Pink-roasted duck breast, orange-pepper sauce

Rosemary potato triplets · Green porcini risotto

Tagliatelle in tomato butter · Papaya-pepper-shallot vegetables · Mediterranean vegetable pan

DESSERT BUFFET

White chocolate mousse with tonka bean · Blueberry crumble · Marinated berries on curd mousse



Includes the menu above and all services on page 7. Prices gladly on request.



WEDDING ARRANGEMENT

“Deluxe”

SERVED MENU

Fresh-baked breads, butter variations, sophisticated dips

Mini sheep's cheese schnitzel with anchovy-lime topping, baby spinach

Sashimi tuna carpaccio with home-smoked duck breast, marinated wild herb salad

Gratinated scallops with mornay cream, seasonal risotto

US beef flank steak, chimichurri, truffled fries macaire, snow peas, glazed carrots

DESSERT BUFFET

Chocolate cake with a melting heart, served in a jar

Passion fruit mango sorbet, fresh mint, apple julienne

New York cheesecake



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FANTASTIC DECORATION

Every Detail, Designed Around You

Our decoration team designs with individuality and precision. Every wedding at Stella Rheni includes a dedicated planning session at our in-house decoration exhibition, held annually each March, where your concept and wedding design are shaped together.

An example concept: guest tables styled with hydrangeas, roses, and carnations in elegant vessels, colored pillar candles, and rose petal accents — bistro tables and buffet styled to match.

From a single statement arch to a complete transformation of park, terraces, and halls — your decoration concept is designed, styled, and executed entirely in-house, perfectly matched to the villa's architecture.

Decoration concepts are designed and quoted **individually** — from the guest tables to the last rose petal. We gladly share example concepts and rates on request.



OPTIONAL ADDITIONS

- Decorative seating chart with table numbers
- Decorated wedding arch
- Wedding table with opulent floral arrangement
- Rose petal baskets
- Bridal bouquet & boutonniere
- Floral arrangements for the restrooms



LATE NOVEMBER TO DECEMBER

Winter Wonderland Weddings

When winter settles over the Rhineland, Stella Rheni transforms into a winter fairytale: a candlelit aisle winds between illuminated fir trees, lanterns glow across the terraces, and the villa's warm halls welcome your guests in from the crisp evening air.

Say “I do” beneath the winter night sky — with fireworks above the park, outdoor heaters and blankets for your guests, seasonal winter menus from our kitchen, and dancing beneath the dome until the early hours.

Every Winter Wonderland wedding includes a bespoke seasonal decoration concept — from the forest of lit trees to the last candle — styled by our in-house decoration team.



ON-SITE ACCOMMODATION

Your Private Boutique Hotel

The estate's upper floors have been transformed into what may be the most beautiful holiday home in the world — 10 individually furnished boutique guest rooms across more than 500 m², sleeping up to 22 guests.

- 1 twin-room suite with luxury bathroom (1st floor)
- 2 twin-room panoramic suites with balcony and scenic views (1st floor)
- 4 twin rooms (1st floor) · 2 twin rooms (2nd floor)
- 1 family room, double bed and bunk bed, sleeps 4 (2nd floor)
- Bride's room with balcony for getting-ready · Gentlemen's lounge with pool table and TV
- Breakfast lounge · 3 bathrooms across both floors

The in-house accommodation — including breakfast buffet for up to 22 guests — is a **mandatory part of every wedding booking**. Rates gladly on request.

Hosting more than 22 overnight guests? Numerous hotels — from boutique to five-star — are available in the immediate vicinity of the estate. And of course, we take care of your shuttle service between the hotels and Stella Rheni.



Optional Services

- Indoor ambient lighting — 10 LED spots and illumination of the historic dome
- Outdoor ambient lighting — around 30 LED spotlights across park and terraces
- Reception finger food, classic or deluxe
- Midnight snack and candy bar
- Digestif, long drink, and cocktail packages
- Resident DJs and live vocalists
- Mirror photo booth
- Spectacular fireworks displays above the park
- **Wedding drone show** — individually staged against the panorama of the Siebengebirge
- Established network of cake ateliers, photographers, videographers, partner hotels, and shuttle services

All optional services are designed and quoted **individually** — we gladly communicate our current rates on request and tailor every detail to your celebration: stella-rheni@metz-event.de

From the first enquiry to the last dance, your celebration is coordinated by one dedicated in-house team — one contact, one standard, no detail left to chance.





WHERE MEMORIES ARE BORN



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