

## Did you know?

The Foundation *Mines of Rammelsberg, Historic Town of Goslar and Upper Harz Water Management System*, in short: Foundation for UNESCO World Heritage in the Harz, works to support the preservation and presentation of the World Heritage Site of the same name. Because of the many museums, locations and archaeological landscape features spread over a huge area, this task is a big challenge for a non-profit-making foundation. The operation of the World Heritage Information Centres, to which admission is free of charge, also generates substantial costs.

According to the World Heritage Convention, cultural heritage is the priceless and irreplaceable property of the whole of humanity. In this spirit, we would like to thank all those who support the UNESCO World Heritage in the Harz - also financially.

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You can find a video clip about the  
World Heritage Information Centres  
at: [www.welterbeimharz.de/weiz](http://www.welterbeimharz.de/weiz)



## LOCATION WALKENRIED

### How to get there

Steinweg 4 | 37445 Walkenried

The World Heritage Information Centre is located directly opposite the entrance to the Cistercian Museum Walkenried Monastery.

### Opening times

Tuesday - Sunday and public holidays 10:00-17:00 and 31st December 10:00-15:00, Closed on Mondays and 24th December

### Contact

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In the same building you can find:

### Tourist-Information Gemeinde Walkenried

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## LOCATION CLAUSTHAL-ZELLERFELD

### How to get there

Bornhardtstr. 16 | 38678 Clausthal-Zellerfeld

The entrance to the World Heritage Information Centre is located in the Upper Harz Mining Museum.

### Opening times

Daily 10:00 - 17:00, closed on 24th and 31st December

### Contact

Tel. 05323 98950 | E-mail: [info@bergwerksmuseum.de](mailto:info@bergwerksmuseum.de)

## LOCATION GOSLAR

### How to get there

Markt 1 | 38640 Goslar

The World Heritage Information Centre is located in the historic Town Hall directly on the marketplace in Goslar.

### Opening times

Daily 10:00-17:00, closed on 24th and 31st December as well as 1st January

### Contact

Tel. 05321 78060 | E-mail: [stadtfuehrungen@goslar.de](mailto:stadtfuehrungen@goslar.de)

### Guided tours

Friday / Saturday 13:45

The historic Town Hall is also the location of the

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### Good to know:

 Town bus number 809 ("World Heritage Shuttle")

connects 13 stops on a 10 km route between the Imperial Palace, Rammelsberg Mine, Broad Gate and St. Jacob's Church.

You can get on, for example, at the bus stop, "Brusttuch", which is very close to the World Heritage Information Centre.

The bus runs every 30 minutes, 365 days of the year.

**Please note:** Admission is free of charge at all three Information Centres and they are barrier-free.

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## WORLD HERITAGE INFORMATION CENTRES CLAUSTHAL-ZELLERFELD WALKENRIED GOSLAR

NEW!

Your starting point for the original settings  
of the UNESCO World Heritage  
in the Harz







## Glückauf and welcome to the World Heritage Information Centres!

The Information Centres for the UNESCO World Heritage Site *Mines of Rammelsberg, Historic Town of Goslar and Upper Harz Water Management System* inform you about the UNESCO World Heritage in the Harz in fascinating exhibitions. They provide an overview of the numerous museums and publicly-accessible historic landscape features that are spread over an area of 200 square kilometres. The UNESCO World Heritage in the Harz is one of the most diverse UNESCO World Heritage Sites in Germany.

The World Heritage Information Centres are your ideal starting point for discovering the original settings in the World Heritage. They offer you a wealth of information on what is available for tourists and present the World Heritage locations near to the respective Information Centre in more detail. We are pleased to invite you to visit the World Heritage Information Centres in Walkenried, Goslar and Clausthal-Zellerfeld before you set off on your journey of discovery through the World Heritage.

## Short exhibition tour

At first, you approach World Heritage from a global perspective: Discover the importance of the worldwide UNESCO World Heritage Sites as the mutual cultural awareness of mankind and find out about the criteria under which the UNESCO World Heritage in the Harz was adopted into the World Heritage List. The Harz World Heritage ensemble is regarded as a masterpiece of human achievement and in a particular period of human history had a decisive influence on technical and cultural development as well as shaping the landscape.

The content of the exhibition is presented in an interesting way through touch-displays and graphical presentations. An impressive photo wall demonstrates the relationships between the well-known and less-known World Heritage locations and the World Heritage in the Harz. Portrait photos of people from around the world make clear that World Heritage is the property of everyone and connects people with each other across borders.

### Multimedia journey through 3000 years of cultural history

The exhibition continues with a regional look at the World Heritage and mining region Harz with its more than 3000 years of cultural history. Architecture and settlements, mining, changing landscapes and water management – all these themes are directly connected.



### Discover the diversity of the World Heritage

Be amazed at which buildings, landscape features and water engineering systems, both above and below ground are part of the World Heritage ensemble in the Harz. These include the underground and above-ground installations at the Rammelsberg and the Historic Town of Goslar, which was heavily influenced by mining.

You can discover further elements of the World Heritage in the Upper Harz Water Management System around Clausthal-Zellerfeld with its more than 300 km pond and ditch system, at Grube Samson mine in St. Andreasberg, the Monastery at Walkenried, the 19-Lachter-Stollen in Wildemann, Knesebeck Shaft in Bad Grund as well as the Ottiliae Shaft and Kaiser Wilhelm II Shaft in Clausthal-Zellerfeld.

The highlight of the World Heritage Information Centres emphasizes the interplay between nature, culture and technology: a 3D landscape model with a seven-minute film projection presents you with a birds-eye overview of the entire World Heritage in the Harz, its underground dimensions and centuries of history.

Taking a local perspective the focus is on the World Heritage locations in the immediate vicinity of the World Heritage Information Centres. In Walkenried these are Walkenried Monastery, directly



opposite the Information Centre, Grube Samson mine in St. Andreasberg and the Oderteich pond in the middle of the Harz National Park. In Goslar, the Rammelsberg Mine, the Historic Town of Goslar with its Imperial Palace and historic Town Hall as well as the Auerhahn Cascade are presented in more detail. In Clausthal-Zellerfeld the regional focus is on the complex system of ponds, ditches and tunnels of the Upper Harz Water Management System. Audio stations vividly explain what you can discover there.

### With your individual roadmap through the World Heritage

Before you start your journey through the authentic World Heritage locations, you can put together your own individual route using a media terminal. It offers a lot of information on what is available for tourists and provides an overview of current events. Whether possible activities for bad weather, barrier-free locations or events for the whole family – you can decide. You can print out your own "roadmap" or load it digitally onto your smartphone.

**You are welcome –  
the UNESCO World Heritage in the Harz is waiting for you!**

