

The Nietzsche-House

and the Nietzsche Documentation Centre



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Few authors have influenced the 20th-century philosophy as much as Friedrich Nietzsche (1844-1900) did. He spent most of his childhood and youth in Naumburg. His mother, Franziska, had moved to this town with her children in 1850, after her husband - a lutheran priest - had died.

His mother's house remained the center of Friedrich Nietzsche's life. That's true for the time he went to the nearby boarding school, Schulpforte, after having won a scholarship; that was also the case for the time of his studies in Bonn and Leipzig and even for the time when he was living in such faraway places as in Switzerland, France and Italy.

After 1890, when Nietzsche had gone into a kind of walking coma, his mother took him out of the asylum in Jena and nursed him devotedly at her home for the remaining seven years of her life. His sister Elisabeth founded here in 1893 the Nietzsche-Archiv. In 1897 she transferred her deranged brother to Weimar, where he died in 1900. The permanent exhibition at the Nietzsche-House documents the life of the philosopher, enhanced by special exhibitions on a multitude of Nietzsche-related topics.



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Opening hours:

From tuesday to friday
from 02 pm to 05 pm
saturday and sunday
from 10 am to 05 pm

Tickets:

4,- euros/ 3,- euros (with
discount)

Free entry for persons up to
18 years
and for pupils

Nietzsche

Documentation Centre:

Open throughout the day by
prior arrangement.



The Nietzsche Documentation Centre (NDC) celebrated its official opening on October 10th, 2010. More than 450 architects participated in a international public competition. The chosen project was assigned to the architectural office Kirchmeier Graw & Brück in Weimar. The town of Naumburg (Saale) carried out the work where the Foundation Friedrich Nietzsche is based today.

As a Documentary Centre specialized on Friedrich Nietzsche the main task consists of enriching the comprehensive collection of the Nietzscheana. The NDC completes its collection steadily in order to make it available for scientific investigation. The range of the NDC's activities includes scientific congresses, meetings, concerts, workshops, debates, reading sessions and exhibitions. Other cultural promoters are cordially invited to rent the NDC for their own events. Feel free to use the Archives, the Library and the OPAC of the Nietzsche Documentation Centre! Browse the following web sites: www.nietzsche-portal.eu, www.friedrich-nietzsche-stiftung.de and www.nietzsche-gesellschaft.de. Visit also the Nietzsche-House. It is connected to the Nietzsche Documentation Centre. Both houses represent a "site of memory".



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