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EPIC ARMOURY[®] GATHERING

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COPENHAGEN**

GATHERING GUIDE

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WHY THE EPIC ARMOURY GATHERING?

So that you can explore an unparalleled opportunity to network with an international community of passionate LARPerS, industry influencers, and professionals, learn from guest speakers sharing their specialties and passions. Discover what's new at Epic Armoury, and get a sneak peek at our exciting new products; we have created the Epic Armoury Gathering.

But it's not just about learning and networking. It's also about having fun. Enjoy good food, drinks, workshops, competitions, and games with attractive prizes. In a safe space, where we can form a community that values knowledge, fosters creativity, and embraces the joy of connecting with fellow LARPerS.

Our vision is to create a recurring event where role-players can gather to inspire each other across cultures and boundaries.

The Epic Armoury Gathering is something entirely new, and we are committed to building your trust and exceeding your expectations. Your support is vital to us, as we strive to create a Gathering that resonates with your desires and expectations. Our team is working to deliver an experience that holds exceptional value, and we eagerly anticipate learning from you to shape the upcoming events together.

Join us at the Epic Armoury Gathering - celebrate, learn, and share.
We can't wait to welcome you!

WHAT TO EXPECT?

An exceptional opportunity to **peek behind the scenes** of Epic Armoury and be the first to see an entirely new collection of LARP gear, but not only that. We have planned **an immersive welcome adventure, exciting workshops and keynotes about LARP, a delightful selection of foods accompanied by refreshing beverages (beer and wine included), games with glittering prizes, legendary loot, a fashion show revealing a new collection of LARP gear, a costume contest, an after party and more!**

Note: Ticket sales end at 11:59 am on August 11th, 2023.

TICKETS

Tickets cost 250€ (1875 DKK / 275 USD / 225 GBP). Attendees must be at least 16.

WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Access to all the activities
- A lootbag with Epic Armoury products with a value of over 250€
- Food (vegan options available), soft drinks, beer and wine



WHERE AND WHEN?

The Epic Armoury Gathering will take place from **15:30 CEST** on the **1st of September 2023**, at Epic Armoury, Kornmarksvej 12, 2605 Brøndby, Copenhagen, Denmark.

The opening speech will be at 17:00 – so be punctual. Even wizards can be late!

HOTEL

There are many options for accommodation in the Copenhagen Area. However, we have negotiated an excellent deal with **Glostrup Park Hotel**: use the voucher code “**Ironfortress**” to get a **Comfort Room for 650 DKK (≈ 87 EUR)** or a **Business Twin Room for 850 DKK (≈ 114 EUR)** per night. Breakfast is included in the rate. *The special price is valid until July 31st.*

HOTEL ADDRESS
Glostrup Park Hotel
Hovedvejen 41
2600 Glostrup

TRANSPORT

We recommend using the **Rejseplanen app** (in English) to travel on public transport.

To get to Epic Armoury from Copenhagen Airport: Take the train towards “Østerport”, get out at “København H” (Central Station). From Copenhagen Central Station, take the B-train towards “Høje Taastrup”, get out at “Glostrup St.” At Glostrup St. take bus 22 towards “Glostrup St. Brøndbyvester”, get out at “Kornmarksvej”.

TIME	TITLE	DESCRIPTION
15:30 - 16:45	Arrival	Attendees register and experience an immersive arrival adventure.
16:45 - 17:30	Eat & Greet - Welcome speech	Grab a drink, eat a bite and mingle with us and the other guests.
17:30 - 18:15	Character Keynote with Gabriele Stazi and Mick Hart	Epic Armoury design Universes, characterization, and how to use props and costuming to inspire your character creation process and background story.
18:15 - 18:30	Gathering Game	Use your special edition dice to participate in the Gathering Games.
18:30 - 19:15	Warrior Workshop with Søren Ravn Stadsholt and Peter Roland Christensen	Learn about historical combat, LARP combat and the value of leadership and teamwork.
19:15 - 19:30	Break	For using the troll potty ;)
19:30 - 20:00	LARP Combat Ethics Debate with Søren Ravn Stadsholt and Peter Roland Christensen	Søren and Peter will lead a debate about the take-aways from the Warrior Workshop.
20:00 - 20:15	Gathering Game	Will you compete as a team? Or flee with all the loot?
20:15 - 20:45	Special Guest Speaker: Zan Campbell CEO, Fell & Fair	Learn about the finer points of storytelling and the importance of costume design.
20:45 - 21:00	Break	For using the rogue chamber pot ;)
21:00 - 21:45	Create the magic: blockbuster larps with Alessandro from Chaos League	Learn how to create successful Blockbuster larps are created and how to engage people to buy tickets for your larps.
21:45 - 22:15	Design in Distress with CEO René Vendt and Lead Designer Tiim Välimaa	How do Epic Armoury products make it from the drawing board onto the shelves? And get a look at some sneak peeks of concepts and products still in the making.
22:15 - 22:30	Gathering Game	The final face-off - don't forget to use your game potions!
22:30 - 23:00	Design Collection World Launch	Witness the premiere world launch of a new Epic Armoury collection that our designers have secretly worked on for a long time.
23:00 - 01:00	Loot Bags, After Party & Costume Contest	Mingle and make new friends amongst fellow LARPerS and LARP professionals. The winner of the costume contest will also be announced. Soft drinks, beer and wine are included. Cocktails at an extra charge.

This schedule is subject to changes.

KEYNOTES & WORKSHOPS

WARRIOR WORKSHOP - Experience Warrior Training with Søren Stadsholt and Peter Roland Christensen. This is a workshop for some sophisticated reflection, but mostly for hands-on exercise, led by experienced Vikings. You'll learn about historical combat, LARP combat and the value of leadership and teamwork.

DESIGN IN DISTRESS - Join René Vendt (CEO) and Tiim Välimaa (head of production) to perceive fascinating insights into the journey Epic Armoury products undertake from the drawing board to the store shelves. Discover the benchmarks our products must pass and the roadblocks they overcome along the way. Prepare for exclusive sneak peeks of concepts and upcoming products, as well as a glimpse into the gear that didn't quite make it into our shop. It's an opportunity you won't want to miss!

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER: ZAN CAMPBELL - Zan, the visionary founder of Fell & Fair, emerges as a true pioneer in bringing quality medieval and fantasy costume design to the community. Not content with merely captivating the imagination through clothing, Zan also founded the Weekend Warrior Experience, an awe-inspiring venture that transports adventurers to the wondrous world of medieval fantasy, allowing them to become heroes in their own epic tales. With a relentless dedication to craftsmanship and a boundless spirit of adventure, Zan ignites the fires of imagination and invites us all to embark on extraordinary journeys through time and myth.

CHARACTER KEYNOTE - Learn from Mick Hart, our content creator, and Gabriele Stazi, our costume designer with vast experience from the film industry, as they present our design universes and lead a discussion on roleplaying and how you can use props and costuming to inspire your character creation process and background story. Whether you're a seasoned player or just starting out, they hope to offer valuable insights into how you can take your roleplaying game to the next level.

DESIGN COLLECTION WORLD LAUNCH - You will witness the premiere world launch of a new collection that our designers have secretly worked on for a long time. This is the very first time that Epic Armoury will release a full design collection, with weapons, armour, clothing, and accessories all created to be worn as a stunning ensemble.

COSTUME CONTEST

Showcase your creativity and skill in creating a costume that truly embodies your character. Whether you're a seasoned LARPer or just getting started, this is your chance to shine. All participants are welcome to wear their best costume and join in the fun, but of course this isn't mandatory. The winner will be decided by popular vote from participants during the event, and will then be finalised by an Epic Armoury jury. The winner will be presented during the after party and will receive an amazing Epic Armoury prize!

LOOT BAG & DICE GAMES

Every attendee will receive an opulent loot bag with Epic Armoury gear, valued at more than 250€. The loot bag will include a **special edition weapon from the new collection that will be launched** during the event, as well as a large **Limited Edition D20**, amongst other goodies.

Your D20 will serve as a key instrument in bountiful dice games played amongst the attendees, giving you a chance to win a number of prizes!

AFTER PARTY

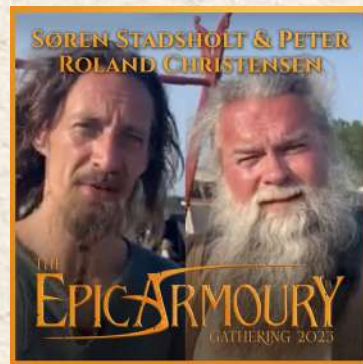
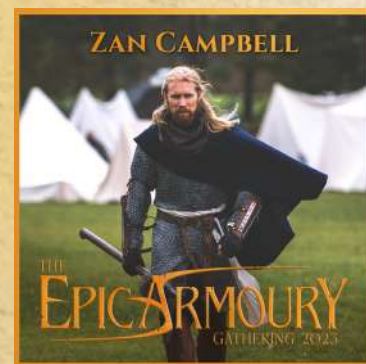
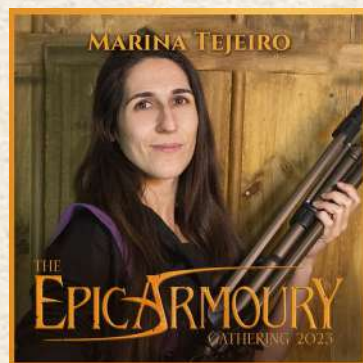
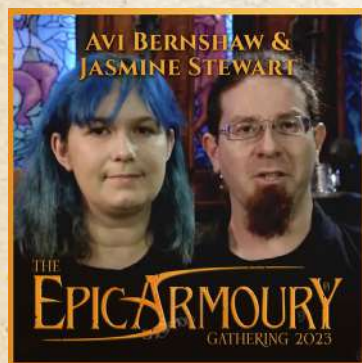
Lively and engaging, the afterparty promises to be a great time with plenty of opportunities to mingle and make new friends amongst fellow LARPerS. Stick around and enjoy the great company, share your experiences and tips, and perhaps even get inspired for your next LARP character. We have even hired a warehouse goblin to show you some (debat-ably) good dance moves!

Soft drinks, beer and wine are included. Strong alcohol will be served at an additional cost.

The after party will last until midnight.

SPECIAL GUESTS

Meet our special guests who have flown in from all around the world. Rub shoulders with famous LARP influencers, seasoned LARP store professionals, and talented LARP organizers. Just like at a convention, but without the queues! Engage in meaningful conversations, gain valuable insights, and unlock a world of networking.



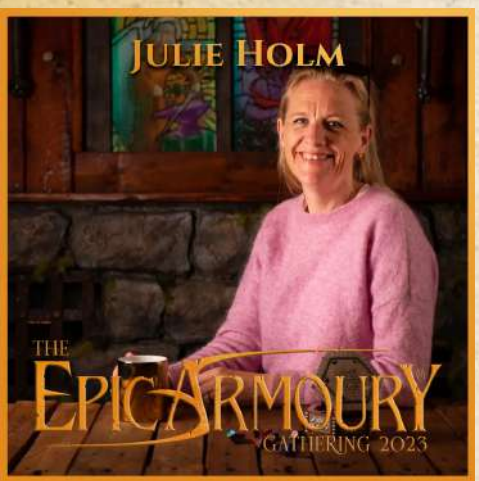
We will welcome:

- Zan Campbell, Fell & Fair (USA)
- Alessandro Giovannucci, Chaos League (Italy)
- Avi Bernshaw and Jasmine Stewart, Of Science and Swords (Australia)
- Steven Smith, Larp Gear (Japan)
- Marina Tejeiro, Rawblade (Spain)
- Ana Trenzano Cabezas, makeup artist (Spain)
- Arenz Vetterfolk, LARPer (Spain)
- Issabel, cosplayer, LARPer (Poland)
- Paolo Manzini, LARPer (Italy)
- Søren Stadsholt and Peter Roland Christensen, professional Vikings (Denmark)
- Steve, Hefty Yeti (UK)

[Read more about them on our website.](#)

EPIC ARMOURY STAFF

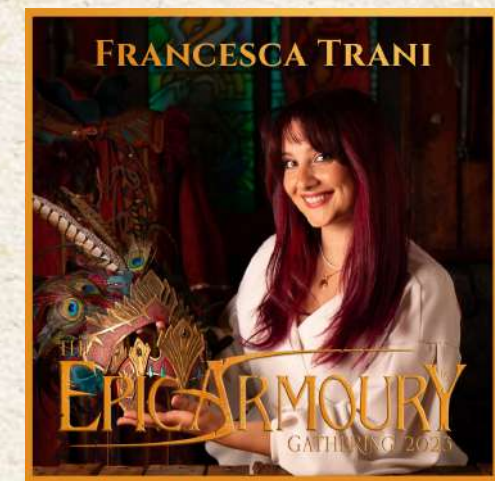
Many members of our staff will be present to meet you. They are the passionate individuals behind the Epic Armoury products. Engage in insightful conversations about LARP gear, design, photography, and more. Whether you have questions, seek advice, or simply want to connect with fellow enthusiasts, our team is eager to meet you, to share their expertise, and to exchange ideas. [Read more about them on our website.](#)



Costume Designer



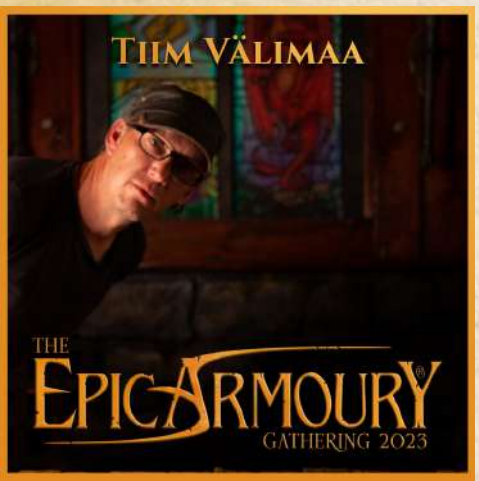
Costume Designer



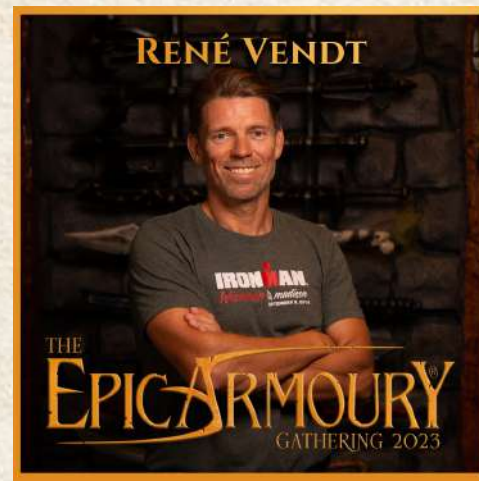
Costume Designer



Photographer



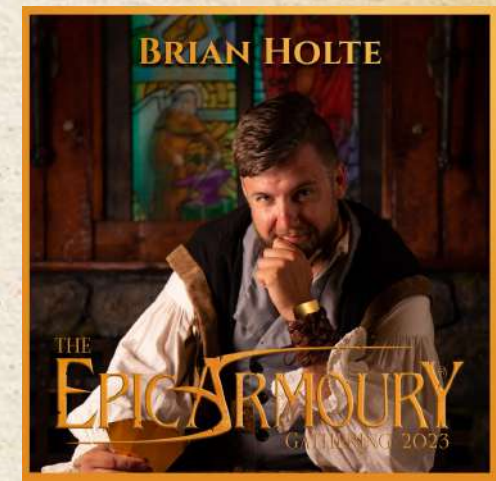
Head of Production



Founder and CEO



Storyteller



Customer relations

ACCESSIBILITY

We value inclusivity and strive to create an accessible environment for all attendees at the Epic Armoury Gathering. The Iron Fortress can be made accessible to wheelchairs but please note that we do not have a dedicated handicapped accessible bathroom. Inside the venue, the lighting will be adequate for clear visibility. There may be intense lights as well as loud music during the fashion show and the after party.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us:
info@epicarmoury.com / +45 65 91 97 02

IS IT A LARP?

No, the Epic Armoury Gathering is more like a convention than a LARP. However, we do have an immersive journey planned for our attendees. This does not require any dressing up, but you are welcome to do so.

DO I NEED A COSTUME?

Costumes are not a requirement but we'd love to see you in your LARP gear! If you do wear a costume then you can join the costume contest and maybe win an awesome prize!

CONDITIONS

- Participants must be at least 16 years upon attendance, and acting as a minor's guardian is not permitted.
- Participants younger than 18 years upon attendance will not be served alcoholic beverages.
- Participants agree to have their email addresses signed up for the Epic Armoury Gathering 2023 Newsletters, which will provide practical information before and after the event.
- Participants purchasing tickets on behalf of other ticket holders will receive an email with information for all participants and thus be responsible for distributing tickets to other ticket holders. The additional information field, containing allergies and special needs, is not included as this is classified as sensitive health information according to the European General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).
- Participants can cancel their tickets and receive a 50% refund of the ticket price until July 31st, 2023. Refund requests will not be accepted after this date. Also, note that bulk orders on three or more tickets are not eligible for a refund. This is done to prevent resale at inflated prices as only 150 tickets are for sale.
- Participants may resell their tickets privately but must inform Epic Armoury of the new ticket holder's first name, surname, email address, date of birth, country of residence and menu preference. By doing this, the new ticket holder also accepts these terms and conditions. Caution is advised as fraud is common in private ticket transactions.
- Participants cancelling their tickets, providing information about a new ticket holder or making other enquiries must write to our customer support at info@epicarmoury.com. Please write "EAG23" at the beginning of the email subject field. Replies through other channels are not guaranteed.
- Participants are only entitled to receiving a loot bag upon physical participation during the event. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of the loot bag.
- If the event is canceled due to force majeure or unforeseen circumstances, ticket holders will be provided with a full refund for their ticket(s).
- Ticket sales end at 11:59 am on August 11th, 2023.
- We reserve the right to change or modify these terms and conditions without prior notice.

CONTACT

Mail: info@epicarmoury.com / Phone: +45 65 91 97 02 / We are open from Monday to Friday, 09:00 - 16:00 CET