



# The Hemmersdorf POP Festival is currently looking for a Production Manager, Working Students and Interns (m/f/d)

#### **PRODUCTION MANAGER**

## June - mid October 2025 | Annually | Full-time

- Plan and prepare the festival production in collaboration with the promoter and artistic director
- Oversee and coordinate the complete festival in synergy with all involved
- Manage key areas such as artist care, artist village, shuttle together with technical and artistic direction
- Organize setup and teardown, infrastructure, venues, safety concepts and personnel scheduling

# **WORKING STUDENT – Communications (DE-FR-EN)**

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- Lead communications on a local, regional, national and international level print, online, radio
- Coordinate social media marketing from announcement to after-movie
- Lead the ticketing department including ticket sales and managing the volunteers

#### **WORKING STUDENT – Artist Care**

### June - mid October 2025 | Annually | Full-time

- Lead the artist care department and coordinate the volunteers
- Host and support artists, handle hotel bookings, shuttle logistics, paperwork and artist's merchandise
- Assist the production manager and act as the extended arm of the artistic director

#### **INTERN**

### June – mid October 2025 with opportunities throughout the year

- Assist in all areas of festival production
- Support the daily work of the concert agency Hotellounge ica
- Assist the production manager, artistic director and technical director of the festival

### What You Should Bring

- A strong interest in current music trends (Modern Jazz / Neo-Classical / Indie-Pop and others)
- Flexibility, resilience, and a sense of responsibility
- Organizational talent and ability to work independently
- A structured, detail-oriented and solution-focused approach
- Excellent German & English skills French is also required for the Communications position

#### **A Plus**

- Driver's license (Class B)
- Prior experience in the live music sector ideally at a festival

#### We Offer

An inspiring and multifaceted role in a small, passionate team. You'll gain deep insight into all aspects of live music production, cultural work in rural areas and the orchestration of unique events. The environment is dynamic – rooted in village life yet radiating with international spirit.





#### Start:

All working times and durations are relatively flexible – we're happy to work with you to find the best fit for everyone.

# Please send your application as a PDF to: info@hotellounge.de

#### Hemmersdorf POP Festival – A Cultural Beacon in the Heart of Europe

Festival Dates: October 9–11, 2025

Since 2019, the Hemmersdorf POP Festival has taken place annually in the municipality of Rehlingen-Siersburg in Saarland, Germany. A hand-curated boutique festival with a big impact – where neoclassical, modern jazz, and indiepop meet in bold, genre-defying crossovers. Here, the boundaries between "high" and "popular" culture dissolve, giving rise to a space for sonic artistry at the highest level.

The festival crosses borders – held over two days in Hemmersdorf and one day in the neighboring French village of Guerstling – and embodies Franco-German bilingualism, reaching audiences throughout the predominantly French-speaking Greater Region of Saar-Lor-Lux. It is a gathering place for all generations, where villagers, regional visitors, and global guests come together to experience music in its purest, most attentive form. It is a celebration of music – and of a region ripe for discovery.

Honored as a cultural flagship of Saarland, the festival will be funded by the Saarland Ministry of Economic Affairs from 2025–2027. The Hemmersdorf POP Festival stands as a shining example of the value of culture in rural areas. It boosts the region's attractiveness, brings international attention, and enriches the cultural tapestry of the Saargau – Saarlouis district – Saarland – Moselle department – and the entire Greater Region.

The festival also nurtures local talent, offering a platform for creativity and community. More than a music festival, it is a catalyst for dialogue, a springboard for new ideas, and a glowing proof that world-class art can emerge and resonate from the heart of the countryside.

Previous editions have featured concerts recorded in audio and video by SR Kultur Radio. Live recordings have aired on national radio and found their way to the ARD Mediathek, SR TV, Deutschlandfunk Kultur, and the European Broadcasting Union (EBU).

### Artists who have performed at the Hemmersdorf POP Festival include:

Pascal Schumacher (LU) | Niklas Paschburg (DE) | Rachael Dadd (UK) | Tiny Ruins (NZ) | Raoul Vignal (FR) | Studnitzky (DE) | Hundreds (DE) | The Glücks (BE) | Chapelier Fou (FR) | Hania Rani (PL) | Echo Collective (BE) | Thala (DE) | Douglas Dare (UK) | Laura Masotto (IT) | Simon Goff (UK) | Eydís Evensen + String Quartet (IS) | Echo Beatty (BE) | Ajimal (UK) | Adrian Crowley (IE) | 5K HD (AT) | Lou Agathe (FR) | Niels Frevert (DE) | Dobrawa Czocher (PL) | A.S. Fanning (IE) | The Brums (BE) | JFDR (IS) | Flèche Love (CH) | Beatrice Melissa (FR) | Marcel (BE) | Lisa Morgenstern + Ensemble (DE) | The Irrepressibles (UK) | Alicia Edelweiss (AT) | Anne Müller (DE) ...