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Ropecon is organized on 28th-30th July 2023 in Helsinki Expo and Convention Center

The role-playing game event Ropecon is organized in Helsinki Expo and Convention Center on 28th–30th July 2023 already for the 30th time. In the year 2023 the theme of Ropecon is Past and Present. The event offers a diverse programme selection to roleplayers and people interested in role-playing of all ages.

"The already 30th Ropecon theme celebrates both past and present! Ropecon has grown together with its community from a small-scale event to one of the biggest events in Helsinki Expo and Convention Center. Ropecon keeps growing every year, which only tells us that the interest towards e.g. role-playing, board games, card games and other forms of gaming is not getting less. Keeping that in mind we will gladly be carrying the torch for our lively community also in the future!" says the main organizer Antti Pollari.

Guests of Honor 2023 Roman Lappat and Shut Up & Sit Down

Ropecon's guests of honor this year have been chosen to be the Massive Voodoo blog founder and pioneer of miniature painting Roman Lappat, and Shut Up & Sit Down board game review show representatives Quintin Smith, Matt Lees and Tom Brewster.

Roman is the founder of a blog called Massive Voodoo and a pioneer in miniature art and modeling. Born and raised in Augsburg, Germany, Roman has made miniature art and been a full-time teacher of the field since 2009.

Massive Voodoo blog spreads the joy and beauty of miniature art globally.

Roman runs miniature painting courses all around Europe, offers private lessons in his hometown and helps miniature painters online.

Shut Up & Sit Down is, according to their own words, "the world's best and biggest board game review show". They have offered – often simultaneously – both the most intelligent and crazy funny criticism in the field of board games for over 10 years. And because board games are going strong and the designs are evolving and becoming better than ever, they have no intention of quitting.

Ropecon 2023

Europe's biggest volunteer-powered role-playing convention Ropecon is held for the 30th time at Helsinki Expo and Convention Center 28th–30th July, 2023. The three-day event brings together both role-playing game enthusiasts as well as professionals of the field, and offers a diverse set of programmes. The organization behind the convention is Ropecon Ry, which aims to promote and develop the Finnish role-playing, card, board and miniature game hobbies.

Media accreditation

The form for media accreditation can be found on Ropecon's website. The online form is accessible until 27th July, 2023. During the course of the event weekend (28th–30th July, 2023) regarding accreditation issues the communications coordinator should be contacted directly.

Links

Ropecon: https://ropecon.fi

For media: https://ropecon.fi/medialle/

Media's accreditation form: https://forms.gle/oQgfCja3ij5E9kLt7

Press pictures: https://www.flickr.com/photos/ropeconmedia/albums/72157662048730757

Academic seminar: https://ropecon.fi/ohjelmat/akateeminen-seminaari/

Guests of Honor: https://ropecon.fi/ohjelmat/kunniavieraat/

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