



AED STUDIOS



THE DESTINATION FOR YOUR CREATION



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Welcome

AED Studios stands out as one of Europe's largest and most ecological film studios. Nestled amidst forests and bodies of water, this facility blends seamlessly into its natural surroundings. It offers a wide array of modern amenities tailored to support any project, no matter how ambitious.

AED Studios leads by example in sustainability, equipped with 1.5 megawatts of solar panels, 1.4 megawatts of battery storage, an electric vehicle fleet, a 500,000-liter rainwater recovery system, and the world's largest ARRI LED light set. Its proximity to necessary audiovisual equipment minimizes transportation needs, further reducing its environmental footprint.

Conveniently located opposite a train station, AED Studios provides excellent connectivity to Brussels and Antwerp Airport, facilitating easy travel to major cities worldwide.

At AED Studios, personalized care and a commitment to outstanding service are at the forefront, ensuring the smooth execution of your project. With its strategic location and comprehensive in-house capabilities, AED Studios is the ideal venue for your next film project.

Glenn Roggeman

CEO AED group

As a father of three, one of my key objectives when purchasing the studios was to enhance our environmental responsibility. I aimed to reduce our carbon footprint, potentially achieving carbon neutrality. We've equipped the facility with 7,000 light fixtures, all upgraded to energy-efficient LED technology. We've transitioned our heating from gas to electric systems as well. Additionally, we generate our own power using 1.5 megawatts of solar panels and 1.4 megawatts of battery capacity.

We hold the largest ARRI LED lighting inventory in the world, including an extensive range of SkyPanels (from S30C up to S360C and X), Orbiter, and the complete M-series. Additionally, we feature our in-house brand Luxibel, which offers a comprehensive selection of soft light fixtures. This extensive lighting capability ensures we can meet any film project's specific needs while maintaining our commitment to energy efficiency and sustainability. Located just 10 miles away is one of the world's largest equipment parks for electricity cables and rigging motors, enabling us to respond swiftly to any need.

Let's work together for a better future.



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We have successfully transformed our location into one of the world's most comprehensive, modern, and eco-friendly sites. Now, our focus is on raising awareness about our existence and values. We also invite you to visit our studios to see firsthand the sustainable foundation we're building for the future.

BLACK BACKDROPS



SEPERATED BACKSTAGES



SECURED ACCESSIBLE GATES



TECHNICAL CEILINGS



Black box soundstages

Stage floor

45 - 3.000m² (480 - 32.292ft²)

Fully equipped

Black backdrop
Heating system
ARRI LED lighting
Rigging/technical ceiling

Backstage area

Catering
Seperated
Internet access
Live studio feed
Privacy & security

Power supply

Until 3 x 2.400 Amp

Out of our 25 venues, nine are soundstages varying in size and height. Each stage is fully equipped with diverse heating and electrical systems, various types of rigging ceilings, black backdrops, and state-of-the-art technical equipment. This setup allows us to meet nearly any requirement and offers flexibility to support your creative process. The loading docks are easily accessible and connect directly to the studios through centrally located gates.

Each studio features direct access to separate, integrated backstage areas, ensuring that every production has its own entry to maintain privacy and security. The comfortable backstage areas are equipped with internet access and a live studio feed: a perfect space to relax, enjoy a drink, read your script, or prepare for your performance.

The AED Studios staff is committed to ensuring that your team enjoys a pleasant and productive stay.



The largest, heated, indoor water tank in Europe

AED Studios features one of Europe's largest indoor water tank stages, with the capability to heat water up to 31°C (88°F) for the comfort of talent and crew during underwater shoots. The 22-meter-high water tank is fully blacked out, enabling the use of green screen technology in both wet and dry areas. Additionally, the tank includes an adjustable hard top, allowing

for flexible setup configurations to meet specific shooting requirements.

At AED Studios, we are at the forefront of incorporating advanced audiovisual technology. A sophisticated double filtration system ensures that the water is crystal clear, ideal for achieving the highest quality underwater shots.

Hardtop on watertank
Available

Backstage & Large production
Next to studio

Large beam load
Up to 70 ton

Stage floor
3.000m² (32.292ft²)

Water tank surface
875m² (9.418ft²)

Water tank depth
4m (13ft)

Water temperature
Up to 31°C (88°F)

Height to ceiling
22m (72ft)

Double filter
Crystal clear water

Power supply
3 x 1.200 Amp powerlock

ARRI LED LIGHTING



1,5 MEGA WATT SOLAR CAPACITY



SOLAR POWERED CHARGING



LARGE BATTERY PARK



Ecological film production

- Hotel rooms on site
- 1.4 mega watt battery capacity
- 1.5 mega watt of solar panels
- Heat pumps
- AED Eco label
- Electric carfleet
- 7.000 LED lights
- Air heat recovery
- Centralized assets
- Rainwater recovery
- Intelligent transportation
- Advanced building insulation

Think green



AED Studios is committed to minimizing its ecological footprint. With a focus on sustainability, the studio features the largest solar panel and battery pack installation in the film industry, underscoring its dedication to "green" initiatives. By transforming the site into a state-of-the-art facility that integrates environmental elements into its design,

AED Studios not only preserves the natural features of the location but also enhances its unique character.

Choosing AED Studios for your film production means opting for a sustainable future.



Color grading room

Behind the scenes

Specialized companies housed at our facility are committed to delivering a comprehensive, one-stop shop experience, tailored to meet each client's unique needs. Our on-site offerings include advanced grading rooms, a virtual production studio, state-of-the-art audio mixing rooms, dedicated SFX areas, top-tier visual effects artists, shading offices,

as well as cutting-edge CGI, CG, VR, and 3D animation facilities. With all these resources readily available, everything you need is within easy reach. The AED Studios team is always on hand to facilitate your projects by connecting you with our expert partners on-site, ensuring a seamless and efficient production process.

Menu à-la-carte

- Editing
- Visual effects
- Virtual Production
- Audio mixing
- Screen facilities
- Water diving experts
- Professional stunt teams
- Preview- & colour grading
- CGI, CG, VR & 3D animation
- Support by the AED Studios team
- Etc...

COLOUR GRADING



GREEN KEY



AUDIO MIXING



WATER DIVING EXPERTS





Step into a new reality

Shoot your next feature film, commercial, TV show, or corporate event in the largest LED volume studio in the Benelux. Our cutting-edge facility leads in pioneering the next generation of digital experiences, leveraging the latest in virtual, augmented, and mixed reality technologies to create immersive and unforgettable experiences. Step into a new reality where your imagination comes to life!

Whether it's a feature film, a commercial, a documentary, or a broadcast shoot, our

Virtual Production studio is equipped to handle a diverse range of projects. Our team of experienced designers, developers, and content creators will collaborate with you to fully grasp your vision and bring it to life in ways you never thought possible. We can transport your audience to any location, real or imagined, immersing them in a world of your creation.

Stage floor

552m² (1.811ft²)

Height to beams

7,3m (23.9ft)

LED stage

16 x 4,5m curved background

10 x 6m ceiling

5 x 2m dolly (2pcs)

Floor available upon request

Processors & 4K routing

Trussing & rigging

Lighting, audio & camera

Available upon request

Crew on site

Producer

Technical director

Media server operator

Tracking specialist

UE artist

LED screen supervisor

VIRTUAL PRODUCTION



EXTENDED REALITY STUDIO



CORPORATE LIVESTREAM STUDIO



ON-SITE EQUIPMENT



AED GYM



ACCOMODATION



PRIVACY



HELIPAD



At your service

Assistance on demand

- Childcare
- Car service
- Hospitality
- 42 hotel rooms
- Security & privacy: fences + cctv
- 17 short stay apartments
- Medical & VIP helicopters
- Gym with personal trainer
- International film network

Thanks to the renowned Flemish hospitality, the AED Studios team is well-versed in providing the level of discretion and privacy necessary for a safe and welcoming environment. Our facility boasts 42 hotel rooms and 17 short-stay apartments that guarantee a comfortable visit, further enhanced by childcare services and a top-notch gym equipped with a personal trainer. Security is a paramount concern at AED Studios; we maintain vig-

ilant readiness to respond immediately to any situation on set.

AED Studios is unique as the only complex in the world capable of taking immediate action within seconds of any event on set. With our strong and international network of film professionals, we cater to all aspects of production, ensuring your stay is as seamless and convenient as possible.

One stop shop

The facilities at AED Studios are fully equipped to support your production needs. With a strong customer focus, AED Studios takes every request seriously, ensuring a service-oriented approach that fosters a pleasant and transparent dialogue among producers, clients, and the AED team.

Spanning 5,000 square meters, our versatile warehouses are designed to adapt to various needs, serving as costume storage, sewing facilities, prop shops, woodwork-

ing workshops, and painting areas. We also provide on-site machinery, make-up and production rooms, and even an AED store for 'set consumables'. Centralization and flexibility are at the core of our operations.

Developed based on feedback from productions and industry experts, our facilities allow you to keep your production process centralized and flexible, accommodating your specific requirements without any obligations.

Centralization

- Make-up and dressing
- Production offices
- 5.000m² flexible warehouses
- AED Store for consumables
- Machinery on demand
- Costume storage
- Wood workshops
- Prop-shop areas
- Sewing facilities
- Painting areas

FLEXIBLE WAREHOUSES



MACHINERY



AED STORE



SEWING FACILITY





Food for thought

One of the standout features of AED Studios' multifunctional offerings is the on-site restaurant and catering service. Our kitchen delivers fresh, daily cuisine tailored to suit both VIPs and crew members across any budget. An experienced catering team stands ready to meet your culinary needs with exceptional skill and care.

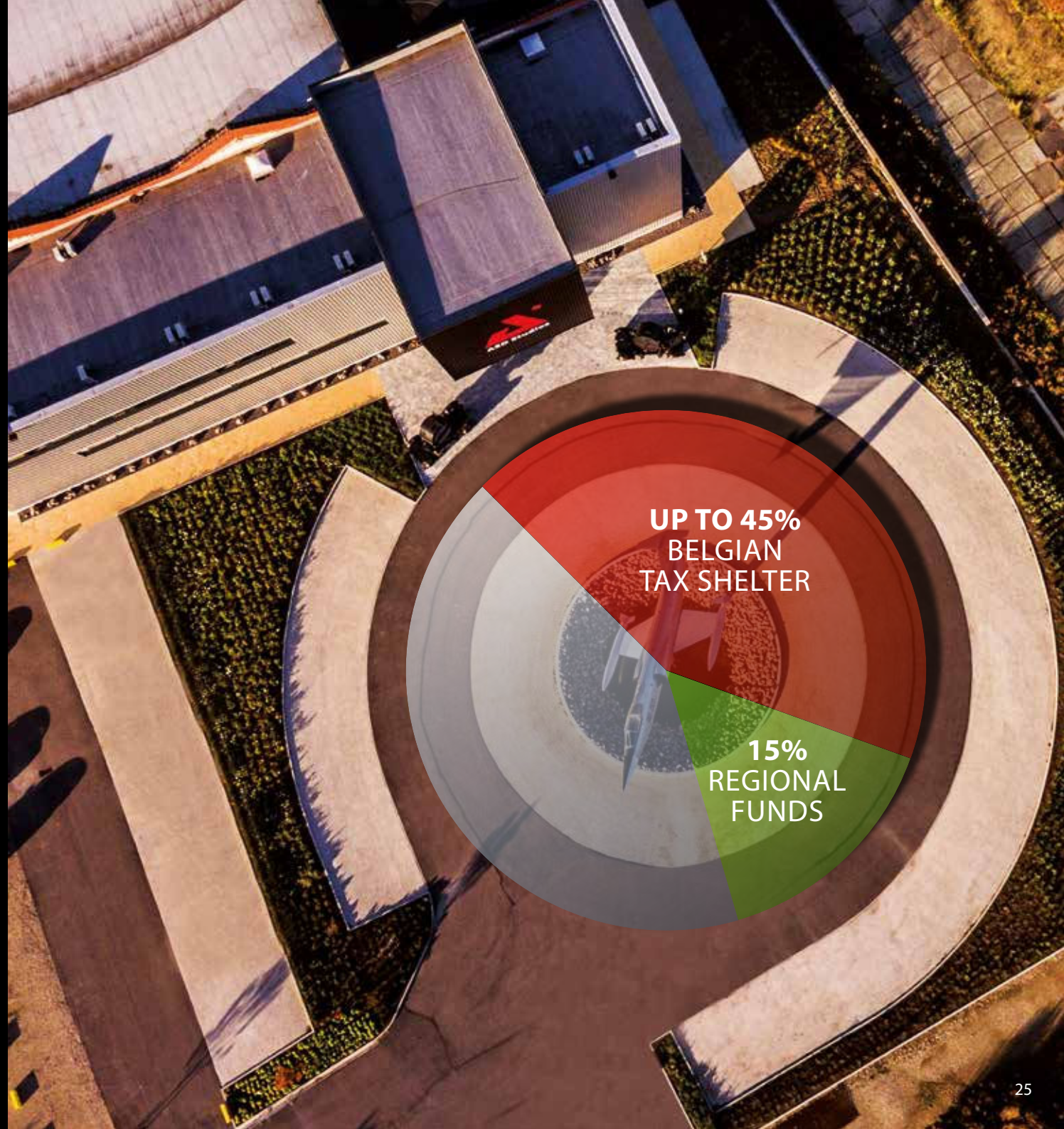
Set against a backdrop of lush greenery, the restaurant features a tastefully designed interior and an inviting outdoor terrace. Enjoy your meal while taking in the serene environment. Additionally, we offer the flexibility to create a private atmosphere for a select group, perfect for exclusive previews of your upcoming productions on screen.

Financial incentives

Professional Belgian producers are a tremendous asset when it comes to leveraging the unique benefits available in Belgium. The country offers three distinct types of financing for film and media projects:

- **The Belgian Tax Shelter:** This tax incentive allows you to finance up to 45% of the expenses incurred within Belgium. It's designed to encourage production activities by reducing the taxable income of the investing company.
- **Regional Funds:** Institutions such as Screen Flanders, Screen Brussels, and Wallimage offer significant financial support. While these funds are not automatically granted, they can contribute up to €400,000 to a single project, depending on its scope and impact.
- **Public Funds:** Entities like the VAF (Flemish Audiovisual Fund) and Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles selectively participate in project financing, providing crucial support to selected productions.

By strategically combining these financing options, you can cover over 60% of your production costs in Belgium. This robust support system makes Belgium an attractive location for filmmakers looking to maximize their budget efficiency.



Discover Belgium

The Belgian film industry offers several unique selling points that make it a compelling choice in a highly competitive global market. These include a generous tax shelter system, a skilled and experienced local cast and crew, a variety of local funding options, and diverse filming environments. At AED Studios, you have the flexibility to shoot scenes depicting modern urban settings, contemporary landscapes, medieval towns, historical backdrops, the streets of New York, or even desert terrains—all within close proximity. The ability to quickly change from one distinct setting to another simply by turning the camera is a remarkable advantage.

Another significant benefit is Belgium's accessibility. Centrally located in Europe, Belgium offers strategic logistical advantages. AED Studios is optimally situated with excellent connections: a train station directly in front of the studios and major airports in Brussels and Antwerp just minutes away. Additionally, with daily flights to major cities worldwide and an on-site helipad, AED Studios is not only a serious contender in the international market but also a destination ripe for discovery by filmmakers around the globe.

Belgium, the heart of Europe

Industrial & agricultural landscapes
Medieval churches & castles
Modern & historical cities
Unique palaces

Train

London & Paris: 100 min.
Antwerp & Brussels: 19-37 min.

Helicopter

London & Paris: 90 min.
Antwerp & Brussels: 7 min.

Airplane

Max. 60km to 4 intl. airports

CHURCHES & CATHEDRALS



HILLS AND RIVERS



IMPRESSIVE CASTLES



HISTORICAL CITIES



Showreel

RENEGADES
Steven Quale



PARADE'S END
Susanna White



KURSK
Thomas Vinterberg



A QUIET PASSION
Terense Davies



I KILL GIANTS
Anders Walter



RAID DINGUE
Dany Boon



IRON SKY - THE COMING RACE
Timo Vuorensola



DE PREMIER
Erik Van Looy



THE FIFTH ESTATE
Bill Condon



DOMINOO
Brian De Palma



GRACE OF MONACO
Olivier Dahan



STATE OF HAPPINESS
Maipo Film



BAPTISTE
BBC



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Rémi Bezançon





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