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Well connected

- In the heart of Europe
- Easy to reach
- International airport
- Luxair (national airline)
- Flights to many European capitals
- Highspeed train from Paris

Did you know?

The only Grand Duchy in the world

- Representative democracy with a constitutional monarchy
- Grand Duke Henri
- Three official languages (Luxembourgish, French & German)
- Multilingual : English widely spoken





Population

Very multicultural

615,000 inhabitants in Luxembourg

→ 52% Luxembourgers

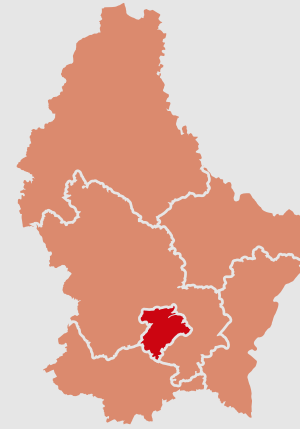
120,000 inhabitants in Luxembourg City

→ 70% non-Luxembourgers

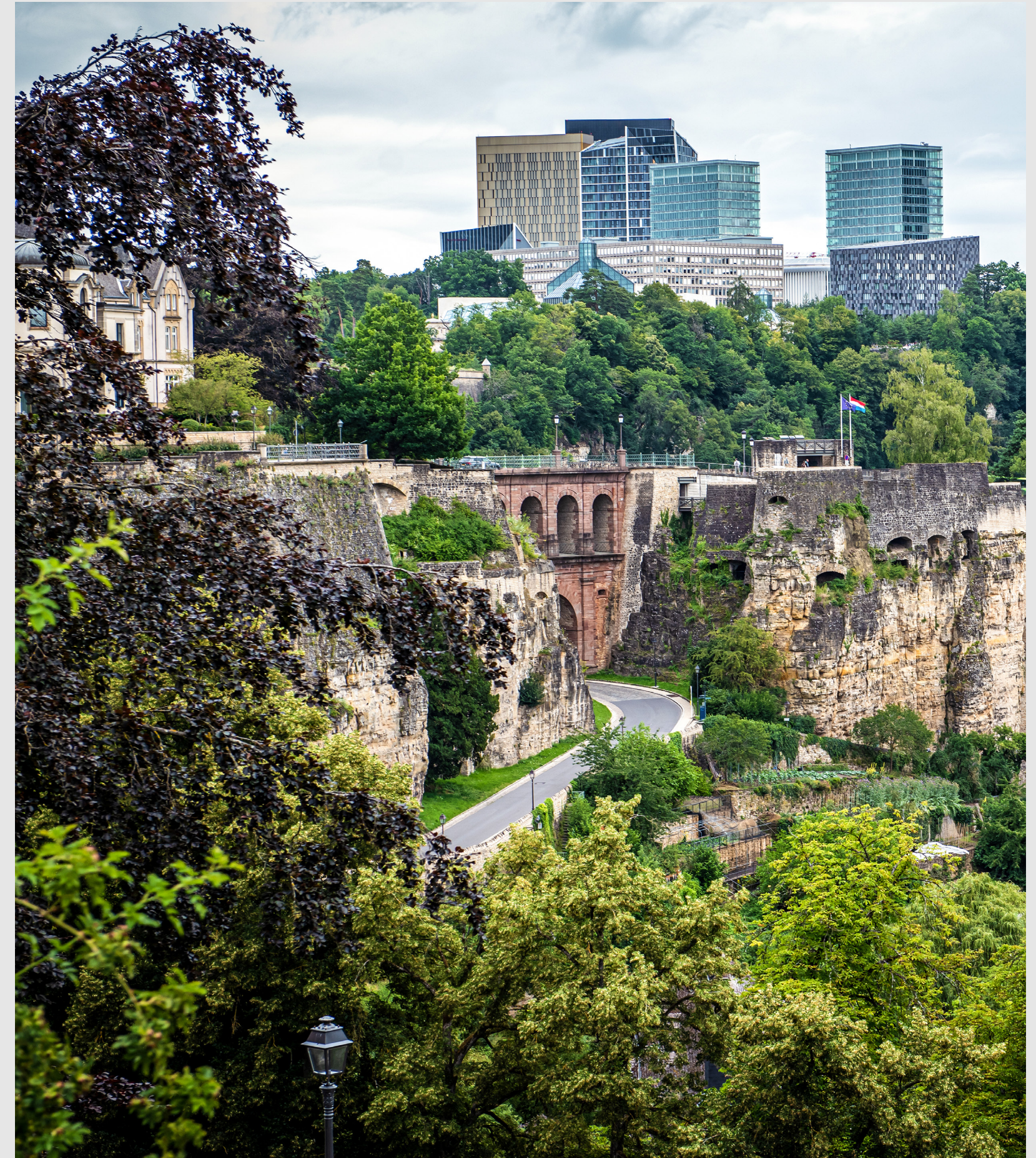
— Did you know?

CENTRE OF LUXEMBOURG

- Capital City & City of contrasts
- Old quarters & fortifications, UNESCO
- Modern architecture
- Kirchberg - EU institutions, banks
- Business meeting & events
- Airport : 20 min. by public transport (free)



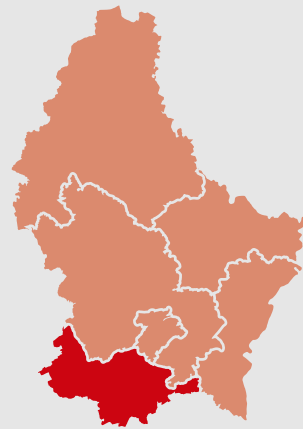
Luxembourg City

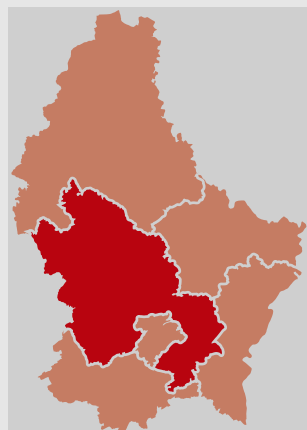


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SOUTH OF LUXEMBOURG

- Former industrial and mining region
- Industrial heritage
- Belval - blast furnaces
- Leading research centers
- University
- Mountain bike trails
- UNESCO Biosphere Reserves



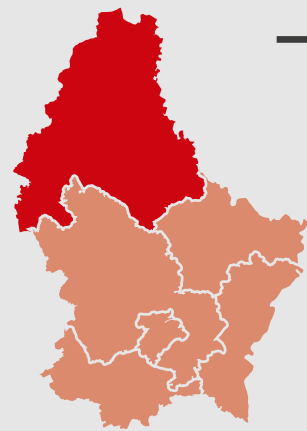


WEST & CENTRE OF LUXEMBOURG

- Valley of the 7 castles
- Hiking & biking
- Archaeological sites
- Fantastic panoramic views
- Folklore events

_Guttland

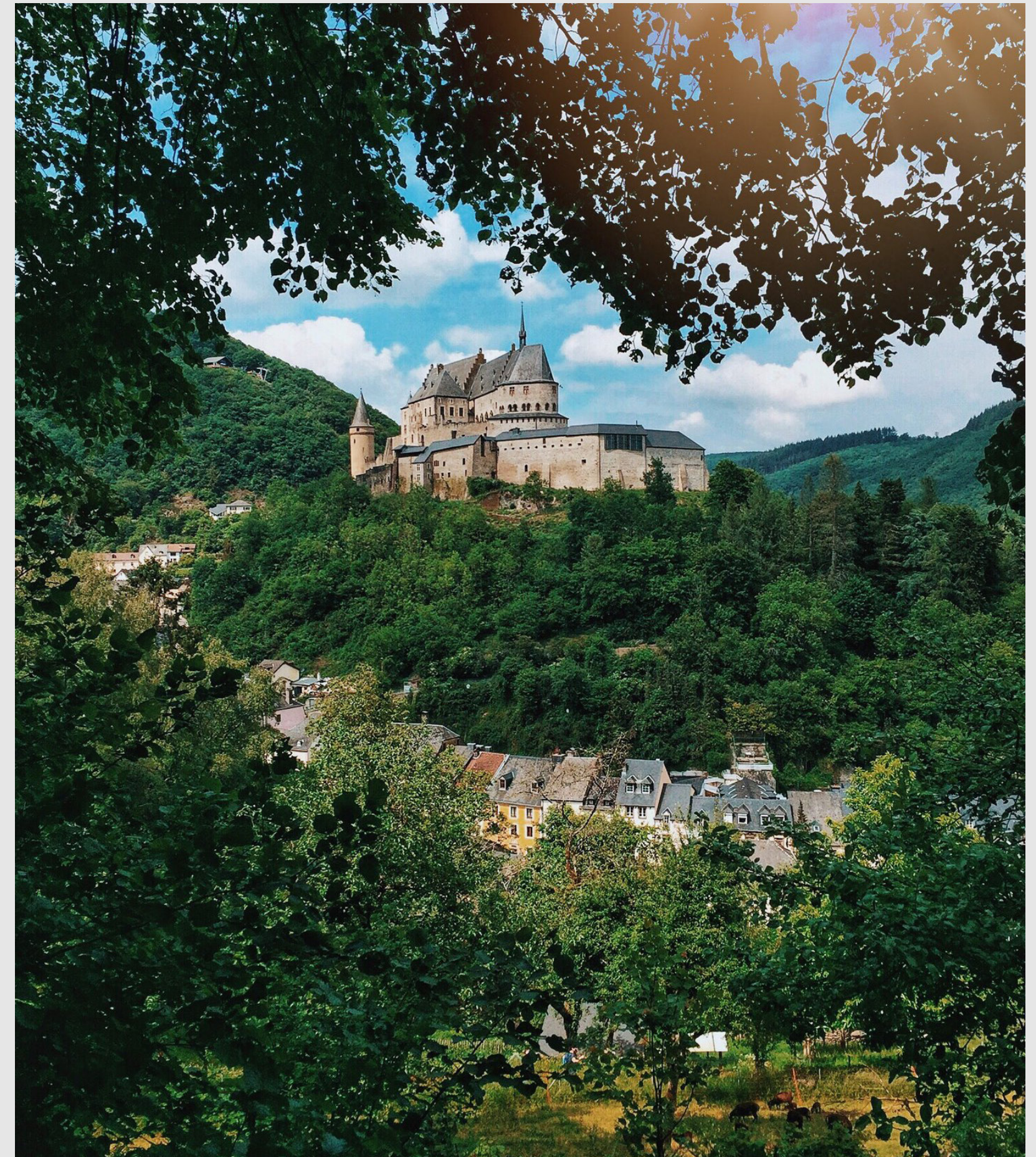




Éislek

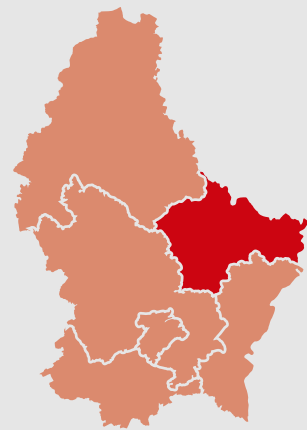
NORTH OF LUXEMBOURG

- Picturesque valleys & plateaus
- Widely untouched nature
- Hiking & mountain biking
- Castles
- Medieval villages & towns
- Fantastic panoramic views

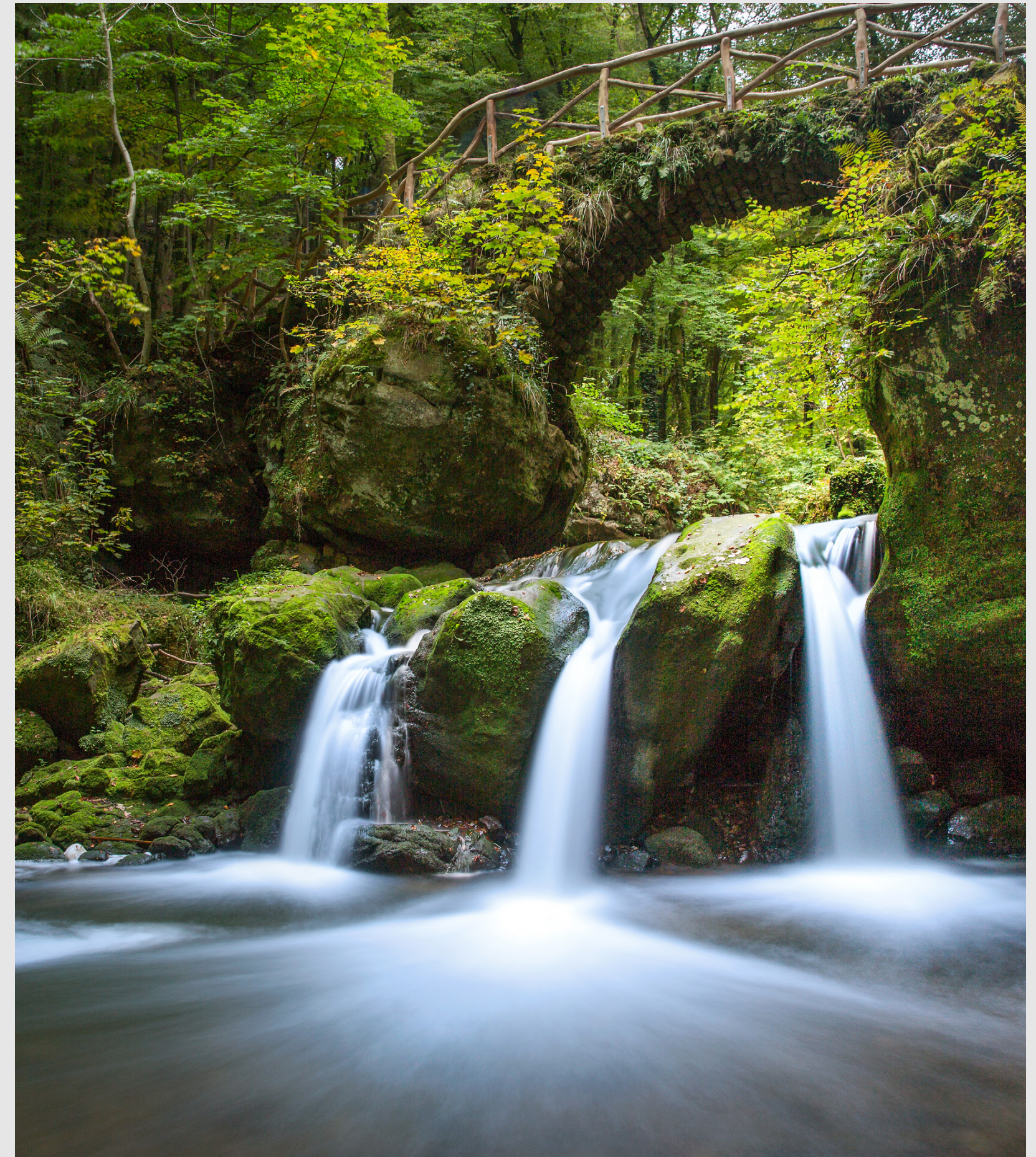


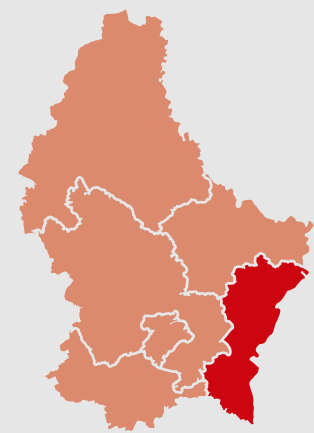
EAST OF LUXEMBOURG

- Luxembourg's Little Switzerland
- Hilly and rocky landscapes
- Castles
- Mullerthal Trail : Leading Quality Trails - Best of Europe
- Schiessentümpel
- Echternach - oldest town of Luxembourg



Mullerthal

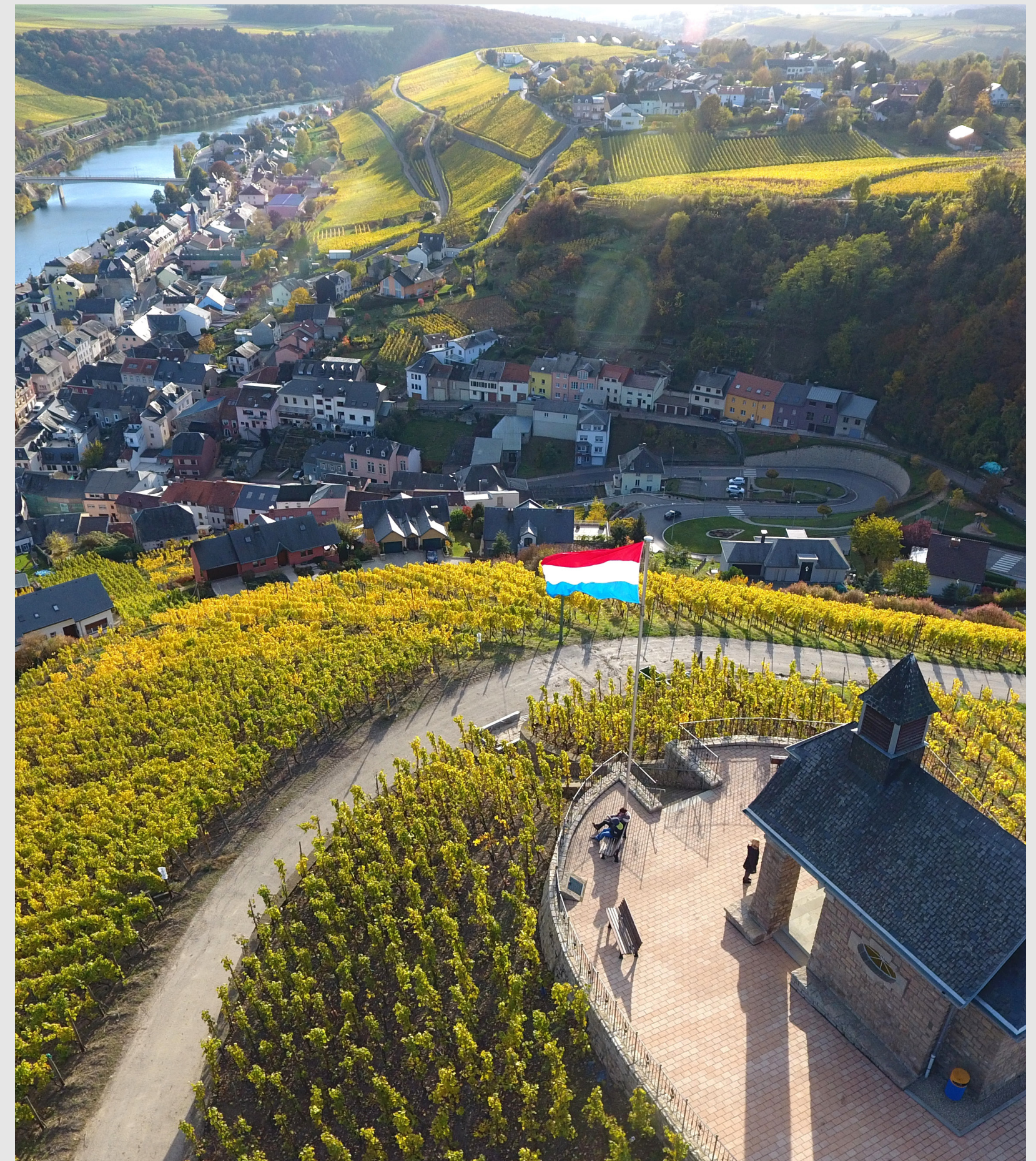




Moselle

EAST OF LUXEMBOURG

- Moselle river
- Famous wine region
- Vineyards & wine cellars
- River cruises
- Schengen (Borderless Europe)



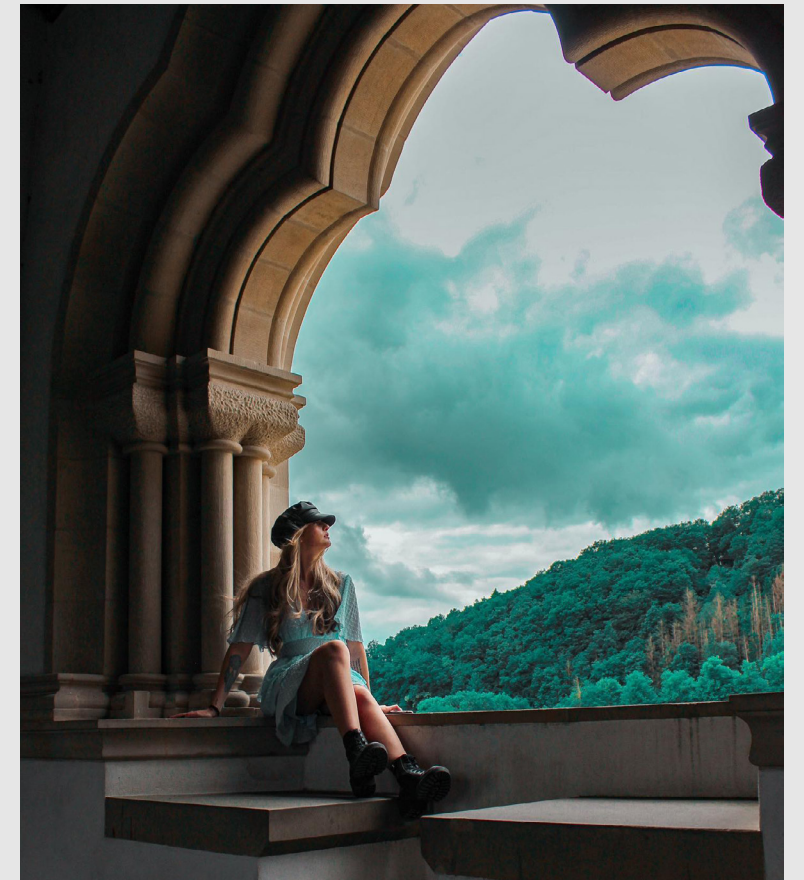


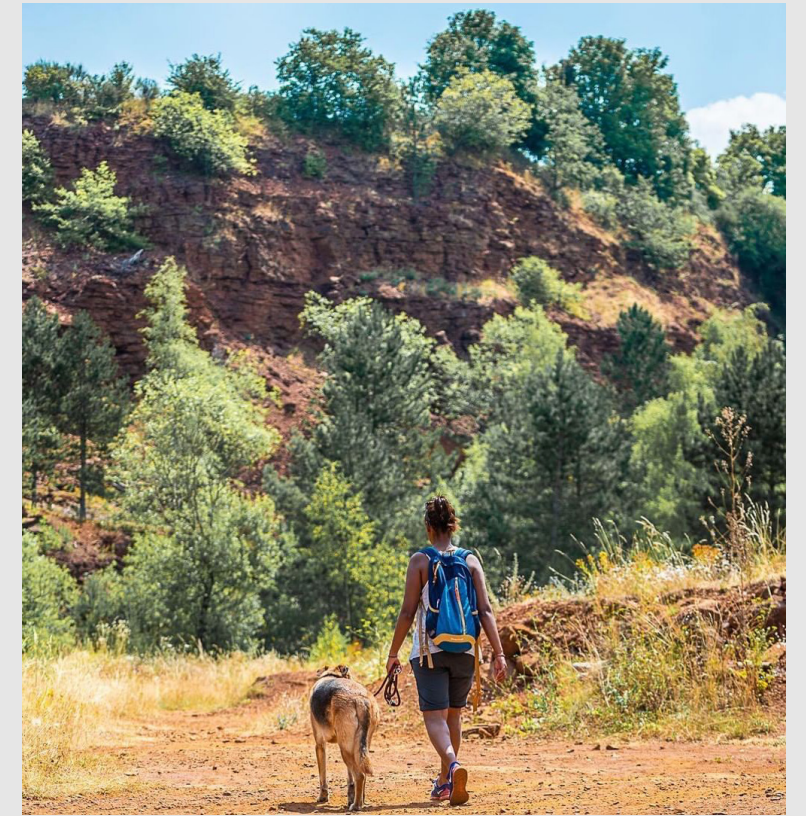
- A small village in Luxembourg
- The treaty of Schengen - 1985
- European Museum Schengen

— Schengen

Castles

- 76 castles and/or ruins spread over the country
- Medieval festivals
- Castle hotels (Château d'Urspelt ****s)





- ➔ Leading Quality Trails - Best of Europe (Mullerthal Trail, Escapardenne & Lee-Trail)
- ➔ More than 600 km cycling trails
- ➔ 700 km mountain bike tracks

Hiking & Biking



- 9 Michelin starred restaurants
- Luxembourgish cuisine: combination of German heartiness and French finesse



— Gastronomy



__Wine

- Moselle wine region
- Wine cellars & wine tasting
- Crémants & white wines



Hotels

→ 228 international and picturesque hotels in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg





Escapardenne Trail

158 KM LONG HIKING PATH THROUGH THE NORTH OF LUXEMBOURG





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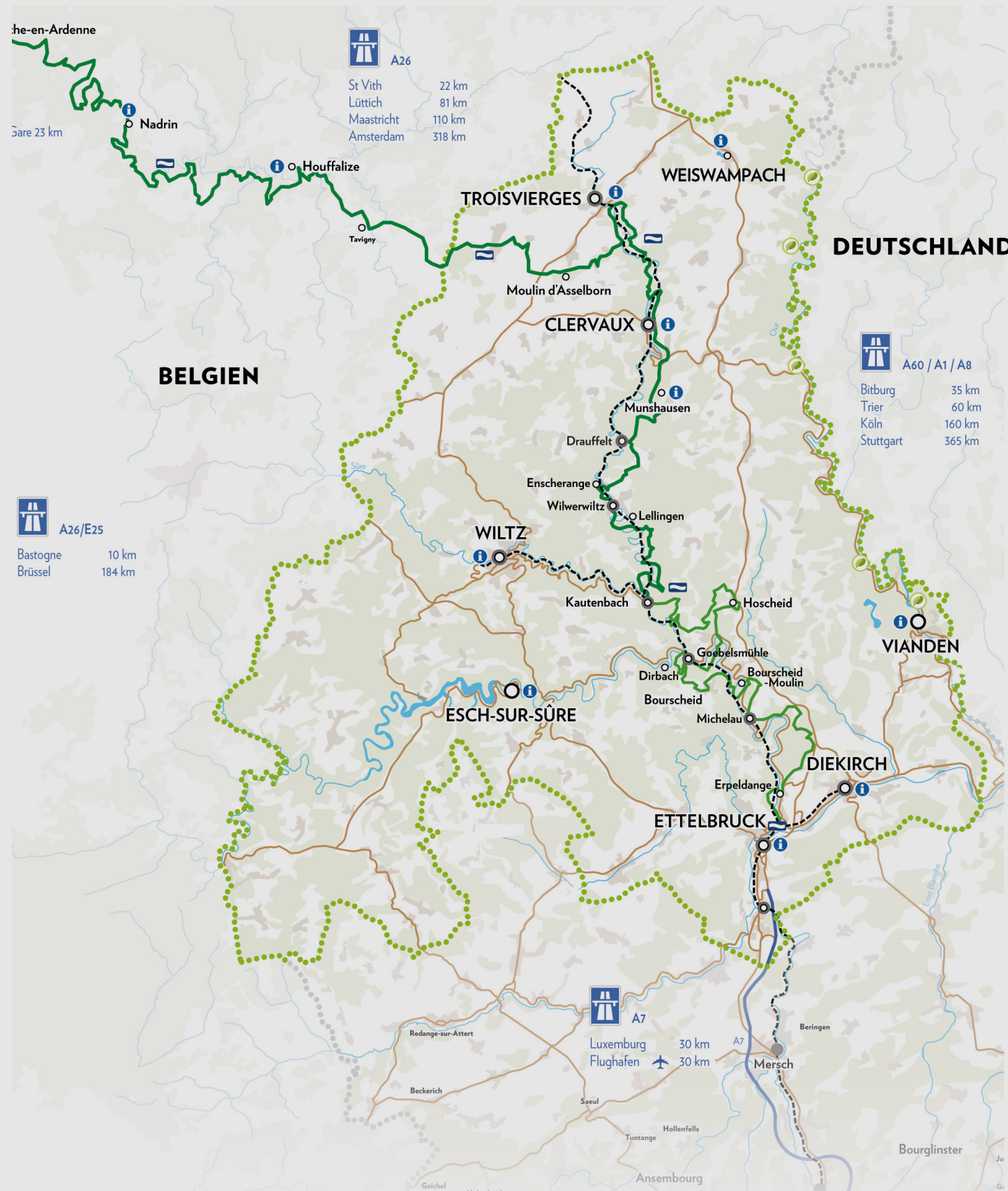
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Cross-Border trail from Ettelbruck (LU) to La Roche-en-Ardenne (BE)
→ 158 km in total

Divided in two trails:

1. Lee Trail 52 km (Ettelbruck – Kautenbach)
 2. Eislek Trail 106 km (Kautenbach – La Roche-en-Ardenne)
- Divided into 8 daily stages (LT:3 / ET:5)
 - Integration of accommodation possibilities (Hotels & Campings)
 - Easy access to free public transport
 - Leading Quality Trails – Best of Europe

Escapardenne Trail



__Lee Trail–52 km

Divided into 3 daily stages:

1. Ettelbruck – Bourscheid-Moulin
2. Bourscheid-Moulin – Hoscheid
3. Hoscheid - Kautenbach

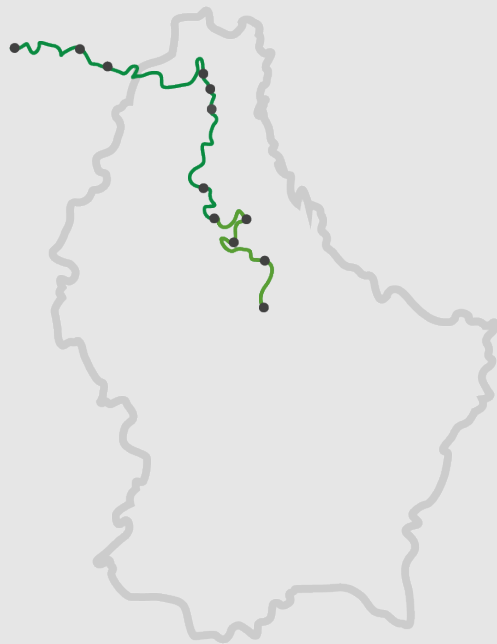
- More than 2000 m positive height difference
- For sporty hikers seeking for adventure

What is a “Lee”

- "Lee" is the luxembourgish word for the typical mountain ridges that can be found in the Éislek Region

Escapardenne Lee Trail Hiking Package

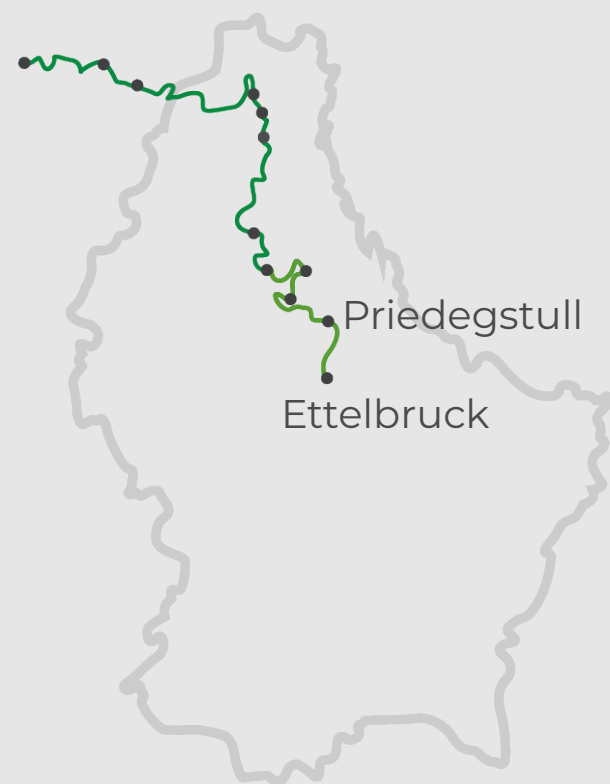
- Integration of hotel companies (hiking without luggage)



___Lee Trail: Stage 1

Ettelbruck –Bourscheid-Moulin

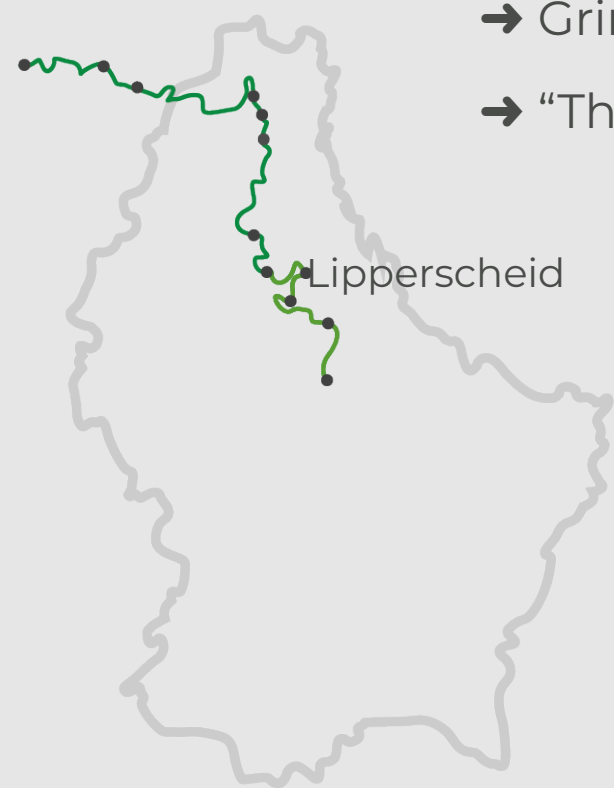
- Length: 17,8 km / 05:30
- Vertical gain: 727 m
- Starting in Ettelbruck at the main station



___Lee Trail: Stage 1

Ettelbruck – Bourscheid-Moulin

- Length: 17,8 km / 05:30
- Vertical gain: 727 m
- Gringlee Viewpoint
- “The best view comes after the hardest climb”

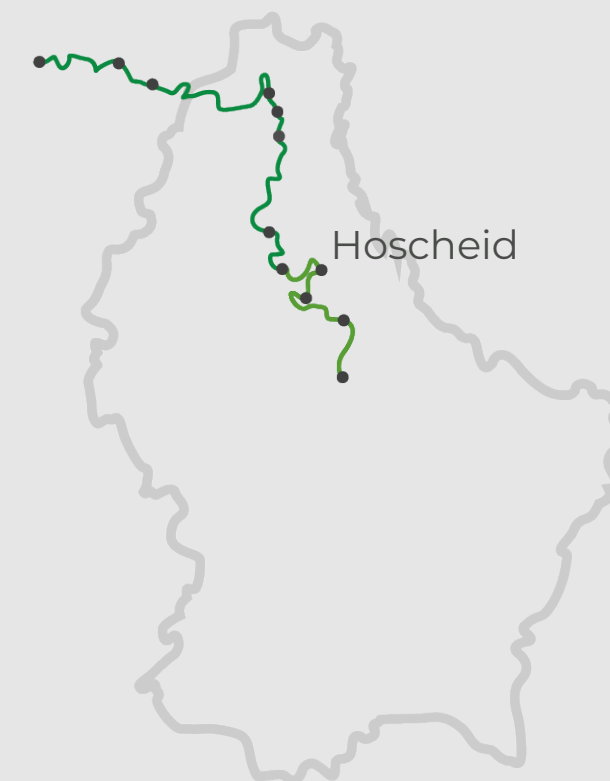
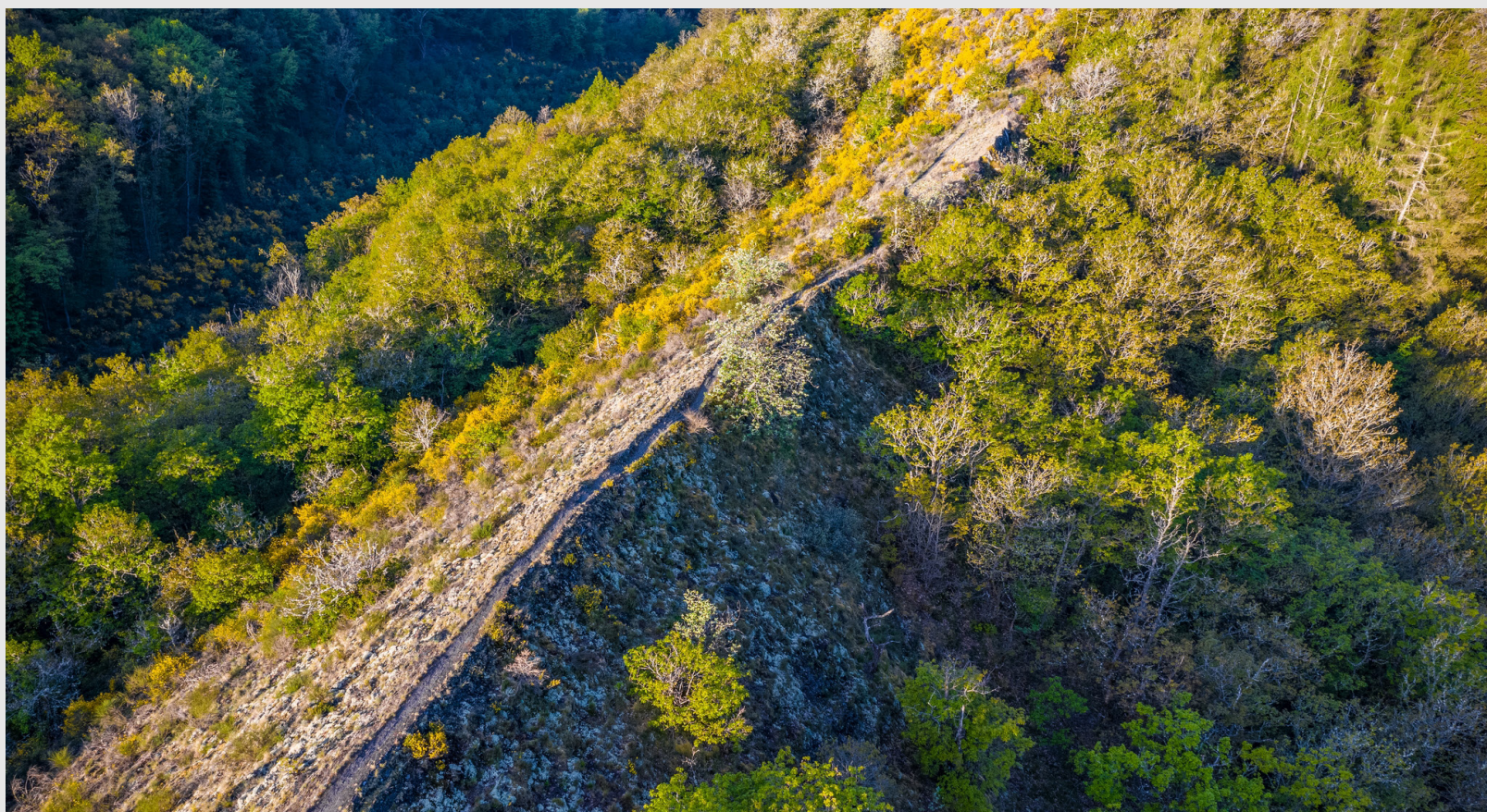




___Lee Trail: Stage 2

Bourscheid Moulin – Hoscheid

- Length: 19,3 km / 06:00
- Vertical gain: 850 m
- Molberlee, a mountain ridge with a total length of 500 m



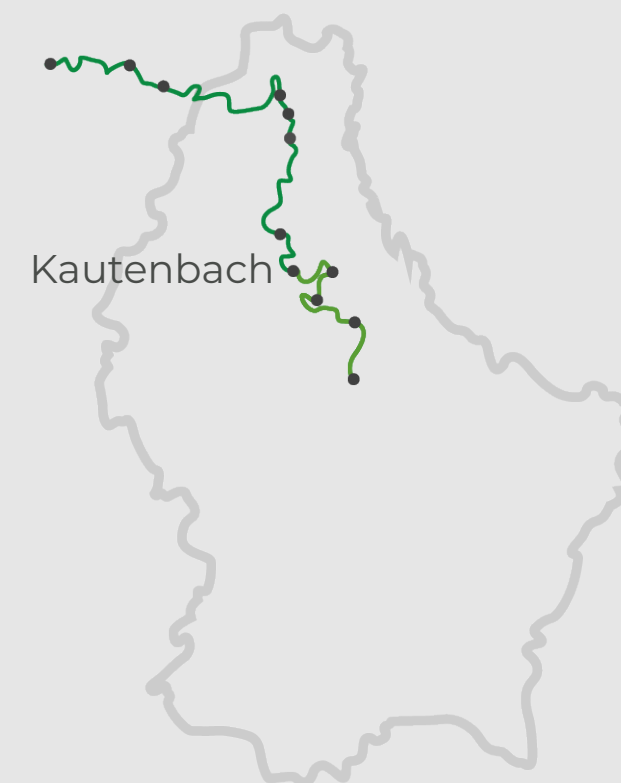


___Lee Trail: Stage 3

Hoscheid – Kautenbach

→ Length: 14,6 km / 04:30

→ Vertical gain: 528 m

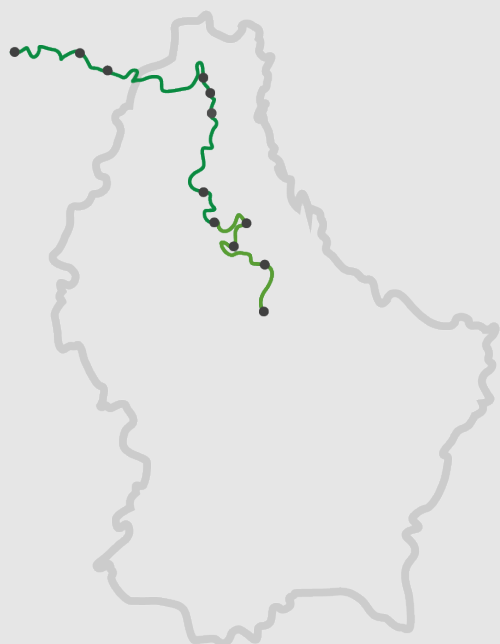


—Eislek Trail–106 km

Divided into 5 daily stages:

1. Kautenbach – Clervaux
2. Clervaux – Asselborn
3. Asselborn – Houffalize
4. Houffalize – Nadrin
5. Nadrin – La Roche-en-Ardenne

- Cross-border hiking trail
- Almost 3000 m positive height difference
- For sporty hikers seeking for adventure





—Eislek Trail: Stage 1

Kautenbach – Clervaux

- Length: 24,8 km / 07:10
- Vertical gain: 995 m
- Schüttbourg
- Town of Lellingen

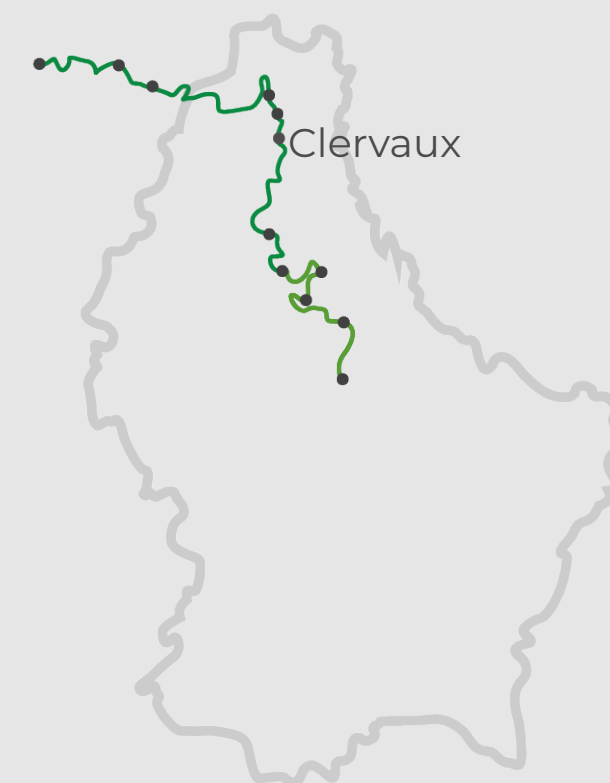




—Eislek Trail: Stage 1

Kautenbach – Clervaux

- Length: 24,8 km / 07:10
- Vertical gain: 995 m
- Abbey Saint-Maurice of Clervaux





Exhibition "The Family of Man"

UNESCO World Documentary Heritage

- Photographic exhibition
- Curated by Edward Steichen
- First displayed at the Museum of Modern Art (MoMA) in New York
- Permanent home at Clervaux Castle

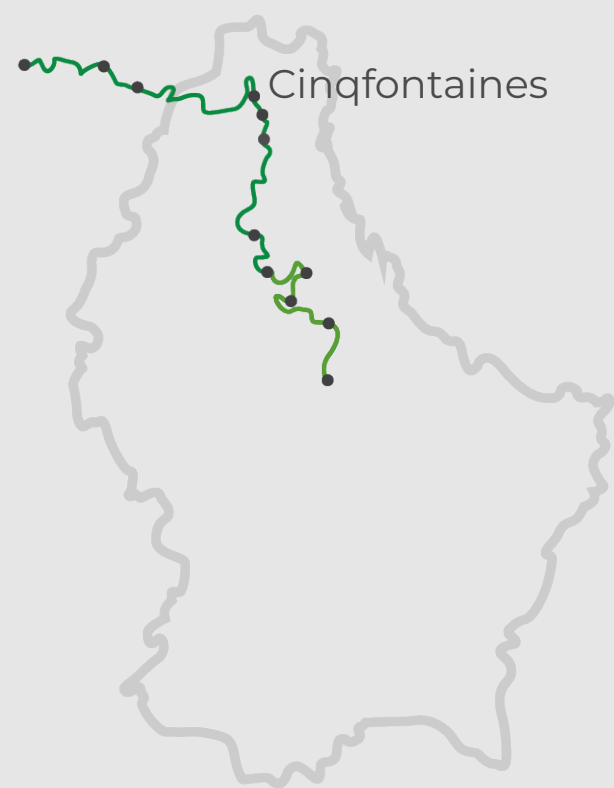


—Eislek Trail: Stage 2

Clervaux – Asselborn

→ Length: 19,6 km / 05:40

→ Vertical gain: 495 m



Asselborn – Houffalize

→ Length: 20,4 km / 05:30

→ Vertical gain: 143 m

Houffalize – Nadrin

→ Length: 23 km / 07:00

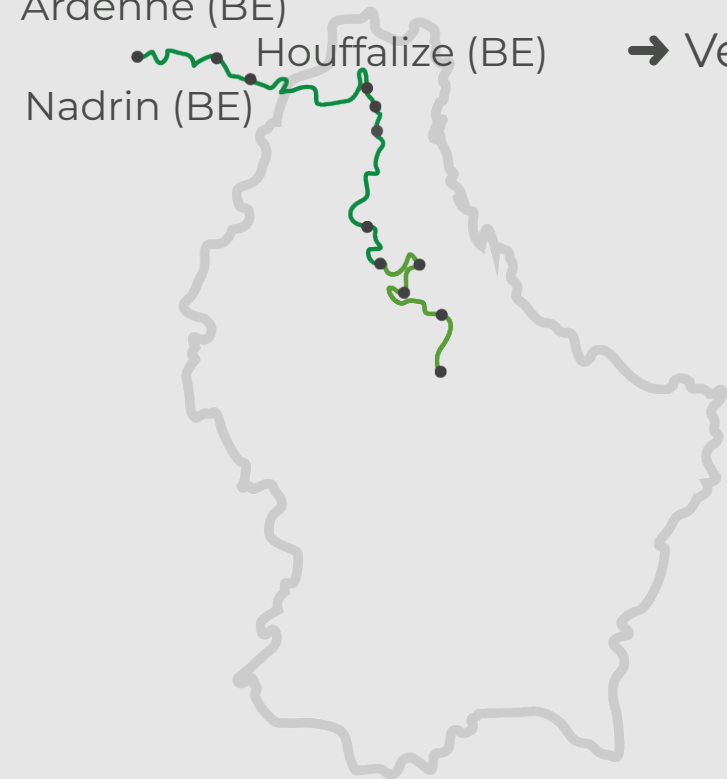
→ Vertical gain: 678 m

Nadrin – La Roche-en-Ardenne

→ Length: 18 km / 05:30

→ Vertical gain: 776 m

La Roche-en-Ardenne (BE)
Houffalize (BE)
Nadrin (BE)



Äddi & Merci

Thank you for your attention, we would be pleased to welcome you in the north of Luxembourg!



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The Mullerthal Trail & Mullerthal Region





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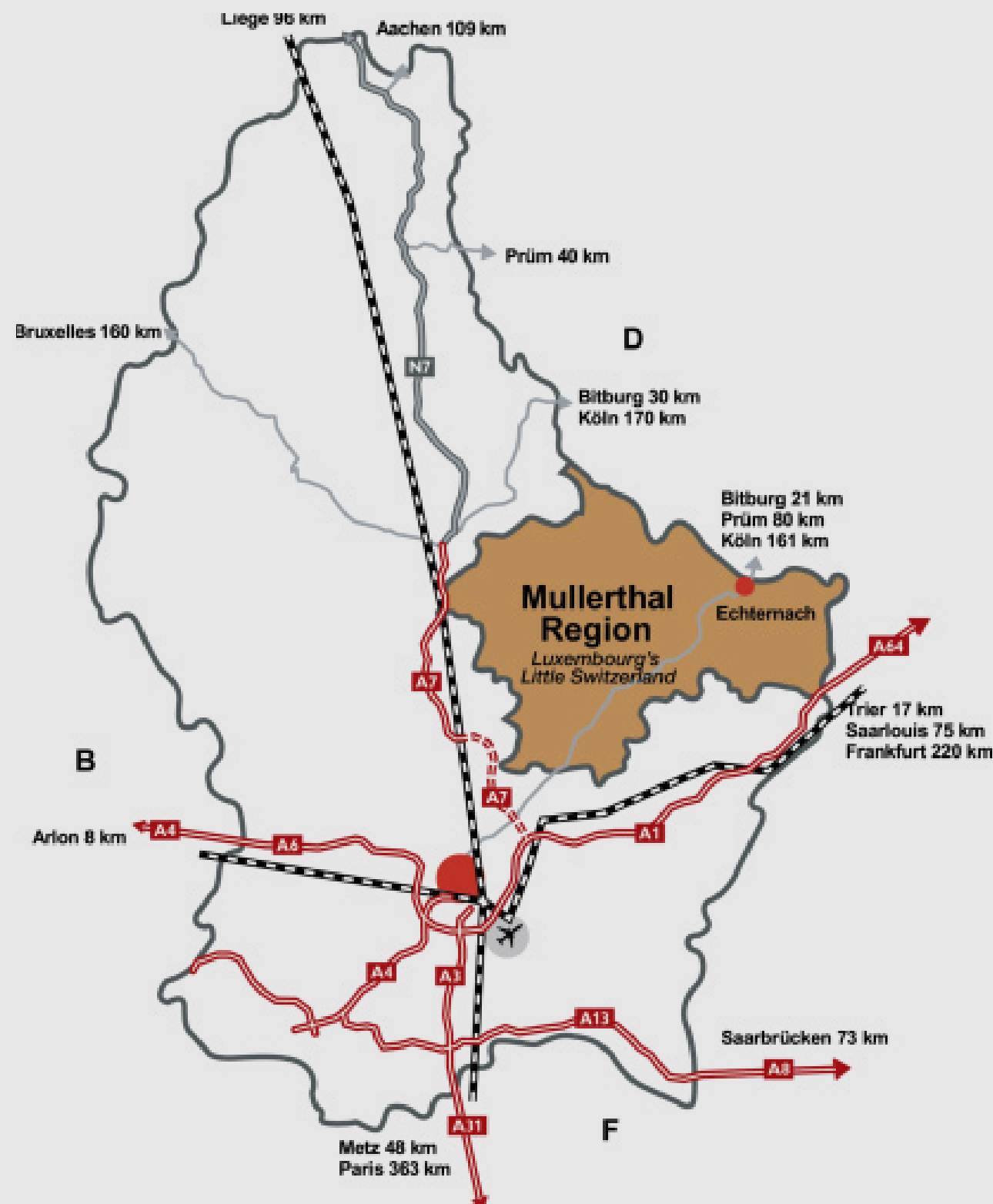
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—A bit of history

- The region is set in the East of Luxembourg near the German border
- For 200 years, people have come to hike and admire the extraordinary sand stone rockformations that were created 200 million years ago
- The Regional Tourist Office of the Mullerthal Region was created in 2007:
 - Development of the Mullerthal Region as a region of tourist attraction
 - Promote the Geopark & support the efforts to obtain the UNESCO Global Geopark label



Concept of the “Mullerthal Trail”

- Some 20 years ago, hiking paths of the region did no longer correspond to the demands of the modern hiker
- With the European programme called LEADER (support of rural areas)
- New hiking concept for a long-distance regional hike
- Mullerthal Trail, 112 km, set up in **3 Routes of 36 km, 38 km & 38 km**
- All the local hiking paths were transformed into circular & hiker-friendly tracks



—“Mullerthal Trail” Route 1

On **112 km**, the Mullerthal Trail leads through the varied landscapes of the Mullerthal Region - Luxembourg's Little Switzerland

→ **Route 1: 36 km** change of landscapes typical for the region



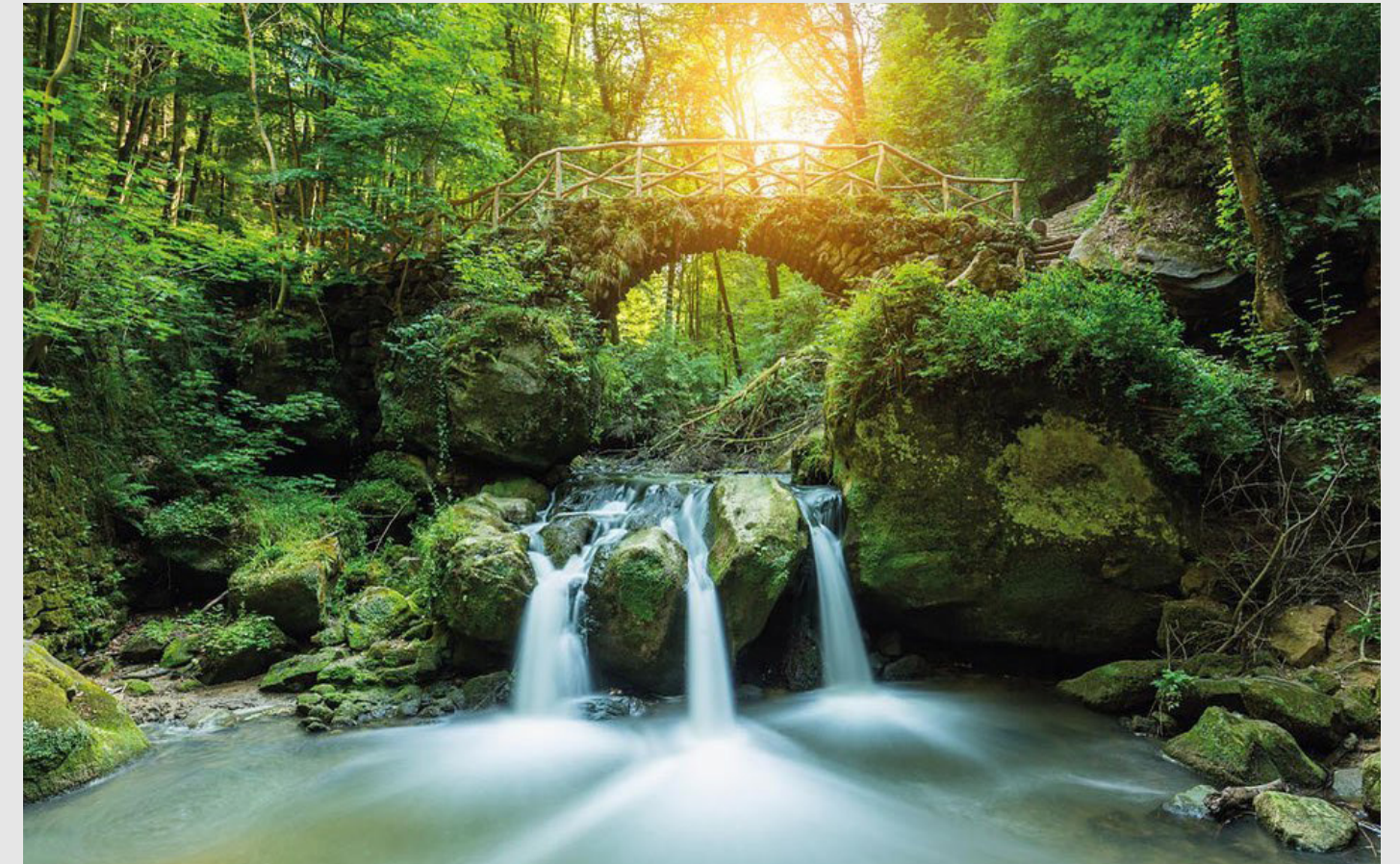
“Mullerthal Trail” Route 2

→ **Route 2: 38 km** leads through the heart of Luxembourg’s Little Switzerland and brings you to spectacular rock formations



____“Mullerthal Trail” Route 3

→ **Route 3: 38 km** is characterized not only by the rocks but by enchanting stream valleys and romantic castles.





____“Mullerthal Trail” ExtraTours & other hikes

- ➔ ExtraTour A: 22 km
- ➔ ExtraTour B: 13 km
- ➔ ExtraTour C: 9 km
- ➔ ExtraTour D: 31,5 km

“Mullerthal Trail”

Leading Quality Trails – Best of Europe

- Since 2014, the Mullerthal Trail has been a Leading Quality Trail - Best of Europe (LQT)
- LQT's are among the best hiking routes in Europe, certified according to high standards set by the European Ramblers Association
- Some characteristics of Leading Quality Trails:
 - Natural paths, impressive landscapes, picturesque towns, cultural sights, distinct signposting, luggage transport along the trail, accommodations, continuous accessibility to the trail, etc.





Naturpark
Mëllerdall
Geopark

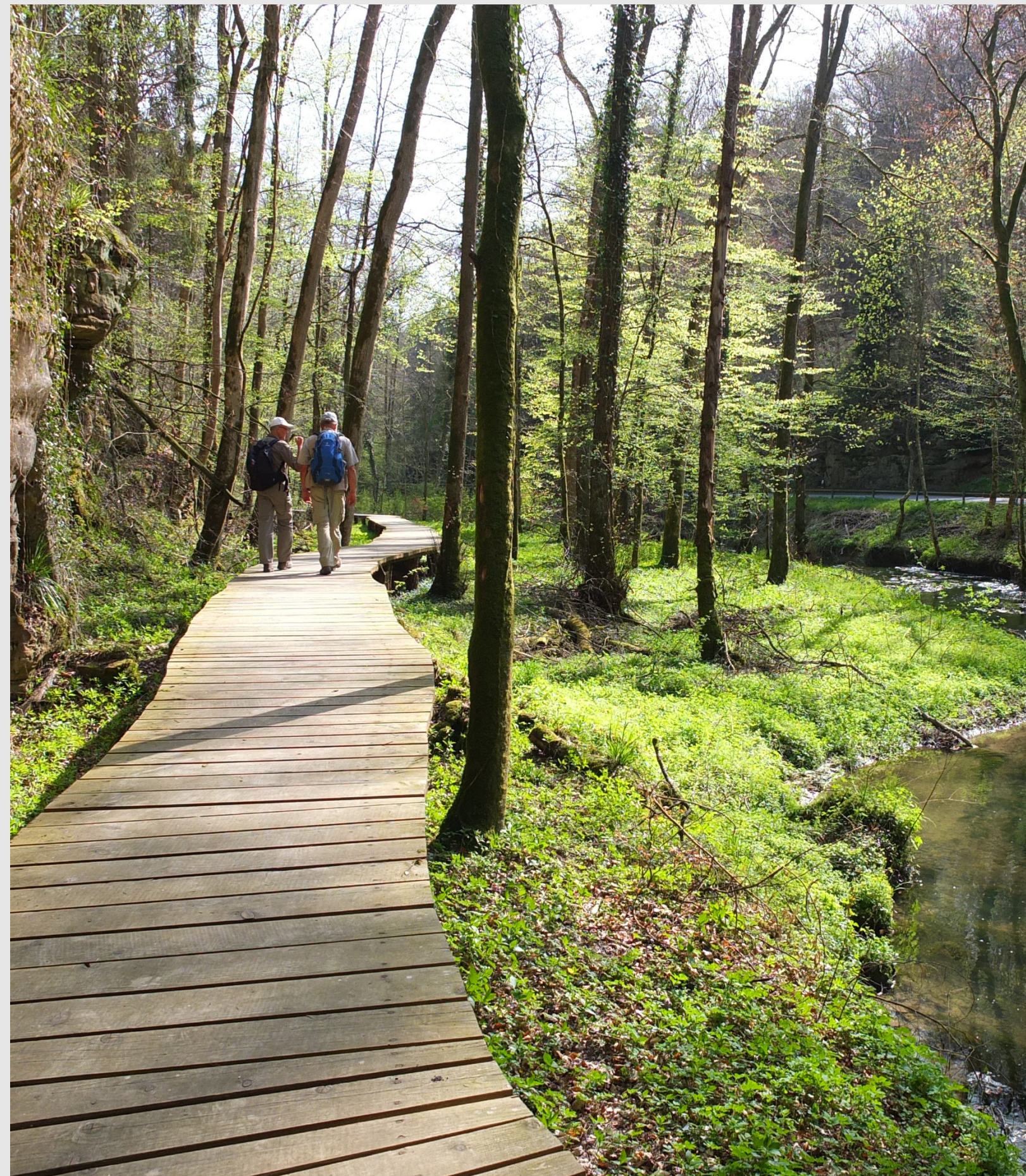
—Natur- & Geopark Mëllerdall

- UNESCO Global Geoparks: regions with a geological heritage of international importance
- In geoparks, geology helps to sensitize the population to the environment and to strengthen the regional identity.
- International network of the UNESCO Global Geoparks
- In autumn 2020, the Natur- & Geopark Mëllerdall will submit its new candidacy for the UNESCO Global Geoparks program

—Testcenter & Best of Wandern cooperation in Mullerthal

Rent everything in the Testcenter & Best of Wandern

→ Hiking shoes, headlamps, nordic walking poles, jackets and backpacks, baby carriers, wooden hiking poles, extra light trekking umbrellas, GPS devices with mapping software, binoculars, hiking trousers and jackets, snow shoes and compasses.



Mullerthal Trail Partners



Hiker friendly businesses that can be accommodations, tourist offices or touristic attractions

Conditions that must be fulfilled:

- Short distance to the Mullerthal Trail
- Individual hiking suggestions and tour advice
- First aid kits including blister plasters, tweezers
- Hiking map material for sale

For accommodations:

- Diverse and healthy hiking breakfast
- Trays for hiking boots in or in front of the rooms
- Facilities for cleaning and drying hiking clothes & equipment
- Short-term accommodation for a single night
- Pick-up and delivery service to and from the hike
- Packed lunches to take away
- Thermos flask filling with tea or coffee

Currently: 29 Mullerthal Trail Partners

Thank you for listening!

We would be pleased to welcome you in the Mullerthal Region,
Luxembourg's Little Switzerland!



Moselle Region





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Moselle Region

Distance to Luxembourg City: +/- 20km (+/- 30 min.)

- The Moselle river: 42 km (Schengen - Wasserbillig)
- Natural border between Luxembourg, Germany and France
- Characteristics: only wine growing region in Luxembourg (about 1300ha of area under cultivation), river, orchards, forests
- 9% surface area -> +/- 230 km²



— 3 Dream Loops in Luxembourg

The "Saar-Hunsrück Dream Loops"

Dense network of **111 fantastic premium circular trails** in the region between Moselle, Rhine, Saar, and Nahe:

- Hiking at highest level
- Active and recreation-seeking hikers
- High quality walking circuits:
 - narrow nature-oriented paths
 - impressive stone formations
 - idyllic water courses
 - breath-taking panoramic look-out points with truthful boundless views
- Well signed in both directions





3 Certified Circular Hiking Paths on the Luxembourg Moselle

- ➔ Manternacher Fiels | Manternach
- ➔ Wine and Nature Path Palmberg | Ahn
- ➔ Schengen without Borders | Schengen
- Different cultural and natural landscapes
- Protected nature areas
- Medium-classified (Difficulty 2)

— Schengen without Borders

7,7 km | 3H00 | Hm: 420 | Difficulty 2
European Museum

- Winegrowing village of Schengen – synonym for a borderless Europe
- Famous because of the signing of the “Schengen Agreement” in 1985.
- Protected nature area Strombierg
- Winegrowing village of Contz-les-Bains (FR)
- Magnificent views into the Moselle valley, steep vineyards, broad panoramic views in the direction of Saarland in Germany and Lorraine in France



Schengen grenzenlos
Schengen sans frontières





Wine & Nature Path Palmberg

9,0 km | 3H30 | Hm: 309 | Difficulty 2

**First class quality of our Luxemburgish wines and
Crémants**

- Steep shell lime cliffs of the Palmberg
- Glorious views of Ahn & into the Moselle valley
- Protected nature area with a population of older box trees (Palm = box tree / -berg = hill)
- Meadows full of wild orchids
- Valley of Donverbach with its waterfalls and canyon forest



Wein- und Naturpfad Palmberg

—Manternacher Fiels

9,6 km | 3H00 | Hm: 276 | Difficulty 2

Nature conservation centre A Wiewesch

- Protected nature reserve Manternacher Fiels
- Orchards & impressive canyon forest
- Gigantic rock strata along the Michelslay
- Passages through the narrow Kerbtal of the Schlammbach
- Extraordinary panoramic views on the Lelliger Plateau
- A vineyard in the middle of the forest
- Stair steps of the old vineyard
- Rated at 92/100 experience points by the German Hiking Institute



Manternacher Fiels



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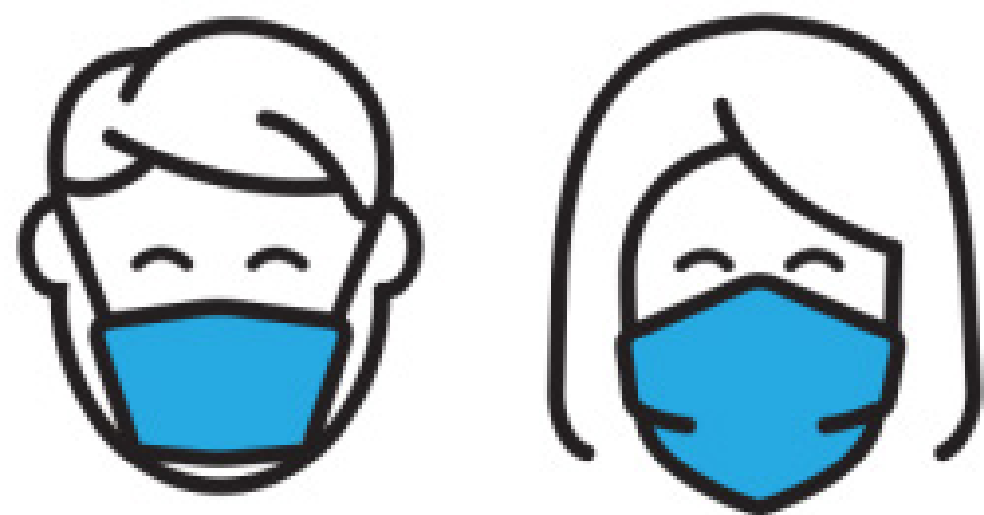
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→ More information: movewecarry.lu





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— COVID-19 update

- Well-being and safety are top priorities
- Tourist sites have reopened
- Label - Safe to Serve
- More information at covid19.lu



— See you soon in Luxembourg!



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