

## HIGHLIGHTS 2025

# "WIRKSAM. Networks of the Hohenzollern Women in the Late Middle Ages"



The nation-wide project "WIRKSAM. Women's Networks in the House of Hohenzollern in the Late Middle Ages" invites you to immerse yourself in a world of princesses!

From July 2025 to summer 2026, exhibitions and events at ten historical locations from Berlin to Mantua will showcase a network of women that overcame boundaries, starting with Cadolzburg Castle, the ancestral seat of the Franconian (Hohen-) Zollerns and the Brandenburg electorate. The spirited, intelligent and self-confident ladies of this important ruling dynasty rebelled against their assigned roles, ultimately influencing the political, cultural and social map of the 15th century. They not only shaped history, but continue to inspire today!

### Exhibition venues of the Bavarian Palace Administration are:

- [Cadolzburg Castle](#): Elisabeth of Bavaria (1383-1442)
  - Exhibition: „A woman in power!“ (31.07-19.10.2025)
- [Burmuseum Burghausen](#): as a place of education for Elisabeth of Bavaria and as a place of tangible architecture for women and their court
  - Exhibition: "Women and their domain at court" (17.09.2025-14.12.2025)
- [Neuburg Palace](#): Margarethe of Brandenburg (1413-1465)
  - Exhibition: "Marriage bonds – disempowering or empowering women?" (06.12.2025-01.03.2026)
- [Tausnitz Castle](#) in Landshut: Princely marriages in the late Middle Ages
  - Exhibition: "Princely weddings – networks for the future" (01.05.2026-02.08.2026)

### Tickets:

- Precise arrangements regarding ticketing, for example reservations, are made by the administration of the respective sight
- The regular admission prices of the respective sights apply
- Tickets are sold on site at the respective ticket offices. A separate ticket for the exhibitions is not required

### On-site process:

- You will find information on the project and the individual exhibitions over the course of the year ([Cadolzburg](#) during spring 2025, [Burghausen](#) during summer 2025, [Neuburg](#) during autumn 2025 and [Landshut](#) during winter 2026) on the websites of the sights and on the [website of „the Hohenzollern places“](#)
- The regular opening hours of the sights apply. At Cadolzburg Castle, there is a „long Thursday“ on selected days with extended opening hours and a frequent special programme
- There is a free tour in all the sights that you can walk through to see the special exhibition. We recommend planning approx. 1 hour per exhibition. Guided tours in German are offered on selected dates. Guided tours for groups (including foreign languages) can also be requested
- The information texts in the exhibitions are available in German and English



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