



Störmer Murphy and Partners

We are an established architectural practice, recognized for our award-winning portfolio of successfully completed commissions with a wide range of typologies, scales and budgets. With our dedicated, design-driven team, we place a strong focus on research and innovation, grounded by decades of hands-on building experience. We believe that good design is sustainable design – not only by creating robust, durable buildings with a responsible choice of materials and use of natural resources, but also by shaping unique places with strong identities and a long-lasting cultural significance. There is no one-size-fits-all strategy for this – we are driven by the passion to create.

Our practice was originally founded in 1990 as Jan Störmer Architects, followed by a decade of partnership with Will Alsop as Alsop & Störmer Architects. Since 2009 we are Störmer Murphy and Partners, and in our 30-year history, we have implemented more than 50 sophisticated cultural, administrative and hotel buildings, won numerous national and international competitions and been awarded a number of architectural prizes. Our project portfolio ranges from the refurbishment of heritage-listed buildings to new designs, from interior fitouts to town planning, from feasibility studies to general contractor activities. We plan hotels, office and administrative buildings and are equally experienced in residential construction and the planning of exhibition and cultural buildings. We welcome every new challenge!

dates and facts

partners

Kasimir Altzweig, Martin Murphy and Jan Störmer

associate partners

Tomas Kraus, Achim Schneider and Hanns-Jochen Weyland

location

Michaelisbrücke 1, 20459 Hamburg, Germany

timeline

1990 - 2000	Alsop & Störmer Architects
2000 - 2005	Jan Störmer Architekten
2005 - 2009	Jan Störmer Partner
2009 - 2021	Störmer Murphy and Partners Kasimir Altzweig, Holger Jaedicke, Martin Murphy, Jan Störmer
since 2022	Störmer Murphy and Partners Kasimir Altzweig, Martin Murphy, Jan Störmer

staff

- 3 partners, 41 staff, of those 35 architects

current projects (selection)

- timber high-rise tower ROOTS, Hamburg
- district centre Freiham, München
- ConneXion Office building, Hamburg

completed projects (selection)

- hotel and residential tower „Konrad“, Hamburg
- hotel „The Fontenay“, Hamburg
- office building „Zeisehof“, Hamburg
- office and residential buildings „Intelligent Quarters“, Hamburg
- Helm AG headquarters, Hamburg
- mixed-use quarter „Eastside Estate“, Frankfurt
- ADAC Hansa e.V. headquarters, Hamburg
- hotel Kloster Haydau, Morschen
- DKV-Plus headquarters, Cologne
- SIDE hotel, Hamburg

partners



Kasimir Altzweig / Dipl.-Ing. Architekt BDA

Kasimir Altzweig started working with Jan Störmer Architekten in 2001 and has been a partner in our office since 2018. Between 2006 and 2011, he was professor of design at the Detmold School of Architecture. In 2019, he became a member of the Association of German Architects (BDA) Hamburg. In addition to implementing our ambitious projects, he is responsible for the competition department. Kasimir Altzweig is a member of various expert juries and regularly lectures on the work of Störmer Murphy and Partners.



Martin Murphy / Architekt RIBA

Martin Murphy has been a partner of Störmer Murphy and Partners since 2004. Born in the UK, he studied in London and Madrid before coming to Germany as an architect in 1992. Martin Murphy is a member of the Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA) and is involved in various advisory boards focusing on sustainability. In addition to working on national and international competitions and realising our sophisticated projects, he regularly participates in conferences and juries. In addition, he lectures on the work of Störmer Murphy and Partners as well as on current topics in the construction and real estate industry.



Jan Störmer / Dipl.-Ing. Architekt

After studying in Bremen, Hamburg, Delft and London, Jan Störmer founded his firm Hamburg Design GmbH für Architektur, Industrie und Graphik Design in 1970, and a further two years later the architectural group me di um, Hamburg. In 1990, he joined forces with Will Alsop to form Alsop & Störmer Architects. After Holger Jaedicke became a partner in 2002 and Martin Murphy in 2004, they have been operating under the name Störmer Murphy and Partners since 2009. Jan Störmer's best-known buildings include Hotel Fontenay, the SIDE Hotel, the office building at Sandtorkai 8 and the Berliner Tor Center.

awards and prizes

Timber high-rise ROOTS, Hamburg

- MIPIM Award – Finalist category Best Futura Project 2021

Hotel The Fontenay, Hamburg

- Architekten- und Ingenieurverein Hamburg – Building of the year 2019
- BDA Hamburg Architektur Preis – special mention 2018

Germanischer Lloyd headquarters, Hamburg

- AIT Office Application Award – prize „Best Workplace“ 2011

Altonaer Museum, Hamburg

- Architekten- und Ingenieurverein Hamburg – Building of the year 2010

Kühne und Nagel Center, Hamburg

- BDA Hamburg Architektur Preis – special mention 2008

DKV-Plus headquarters, Cologne

- Kölner Architekturpreis – special mention 2006
- AIT Office Application Award 2006

office building Sandtorkai, Hamburg

- BDA Architektur Preis Hamburg: 1st prize 2005

SIDE Hotel, Hamburg

- Architekten- und Ingenieurverein Hamburg – Building of the year 2001
- BDA Hamburg Architektur Preis – 1st prize 2002
- Fachkonferenz Hotelforum München– Die Hotelimmobilie: 3rd prize 2002

Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe, Hamburg

- BDA Hamburg Architektur Preis – 3rd prize 2002

Stadtlagerhaus, Hamburg

- Parksystem Otto Wöhr GmbH – Renault Award for Traffic Design 2001
- BDA Hamburg Architektur Preis – 3rd prize 2002
- Bund Heimat und Umwelt in Deutschland (BHU) – prize „Protection and preservation of historic buildings“ 2002

sustainability

We are intensively committed to the sustainability of our projects. Almost without exception, our current and recently completed buildings have been awarded a DGNB certification. We have many years of expertise in sustainable construction – as early as the „DKV+ Head Office“ project in Cologne, completed in 2005. Here, we were able to implement an ecologically and economically optimised energy concept, which, in addition to the use of photovoltaics and green roofs, also included an innovative ventilation concept. Mechanical air conditioning could be almost completely dispensed by utilizing a thermally activated cooling system and natural ventilation.

selected certified projects



DKV+, Köln (2005)



timber high-rise Roots
Hamburg (under construction)
Hafencity Platinum Ecolabel
KFW 55 standard



district centre Freiham
Munich (under construction)
DGNB Gold



Zeisehof
Hamburg (2018)
DGNB Gold



Intelligent Quarters
Hamburg (2018)
DGNB Gold



Fleetinsel Kontor
Hamburg (2017)
DGNB Gold