



MAJOR RESTRUCTURING OF THE TOULOUSE STADIUM

Toulouse, France

Major restructuring of the Toulouse Stadium for Euro 2016.

At the heart of urban renewal

The Toulouse Stadium was built between 1936 and 1950 by architect Montariol. Surrounded by an oval concrete enclosure, it is part of the city's architectural heritage. It is located on the Ramier Island, right in the heart of Toulouse, in the middle of the Garonne River. The stadium, along with the aquatic complex, is a key element of the future urban park of the city. This green lung of the island contributes to the establishment of the future Grand Parc Garonne project, enhancing the river. The arrival of the tramway on the island and the vast urban development project mentioned will lead to a redefinition of the stadium's access points. Specifically, it is planned to modify the stadium's enclosure by creating a true East forecourt, integrated into the perimeter. The West access will also be redefined, allowing for better management of the increased flow of spectators from this side.

Interior restructuring for Euro 2016

The restructuring of the stadium is envisioned in preparation for Euro 2016. The project aims to bring the stadium into compliance with UEFA regulations, ensuring a capacity of 33,455 comfortable, secure, and evenly distributed seats. To achieve this, the lower stands, built in 1984 where the velodrome once stood, will be demolished and rebuilt in compliance with the "functional and technical program" – with a stand depth of 72 cm, a visual rise coefficient of 8 cm, and seats with 30 cm high, lift-up backrests. Four large openings will be made in the northeast and northwest corners for the north stand. The upper stands, built in 1936, will be preserved. The existing fixed-back seats will be replaced with new lift-up seats (...)

Client
City of Toulouse

Program
Major restructuring of the Toulouse Stadium with development of a balcony and restructuring of the lower tier of the stands. New capacity: 40,000 seats for football/rugby, 50,250 seats for events. Compliance with EURO 2016 standards.

Surface
10,000 m²

Cost of Work
65,000,000 € ex-tax

Status
Delivered in 2016

Patrimony Sport Stadium

