



Our strategy is clearly not about establishing a museum-like industrial landscape, but about composing a landscape with already existing elements. This concept consciously includes historical and current developments and signs in a credible manner and offers surface and room for future developments and purposes – open to interpretation and offering a pragmatic dysfunction.

Since 2005 the long-term concept of development by maintenance goes hand in hand with the gradual realization of the elements of Zollverein Park. Over a relatively long period, the forbidden zone step by step develops to a park which is ready to get explored.

Zollverein Park keeps its unique selling point by the high-contrast interacting bet-

18: Southern part of track boulevard – a garden for the Ruhr Museum in the former coal washery © Thomas Mayer, 2014
 19, 20: Viewpoint at coking plant © Claudia Dreyße, 2014
 21: Ringpromenade and viewpoint at southern part of coking plant © Claudia Dreyße, 2018
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 25: Viewpoint on an old coal chute in the track boulevard © Claudia Dreyße, 2014

