Nuuks Plads

KBM 3846, Indre Nørrebro Kvarter, Anna Sogn, Sokkelund Herred, Københavns Amt

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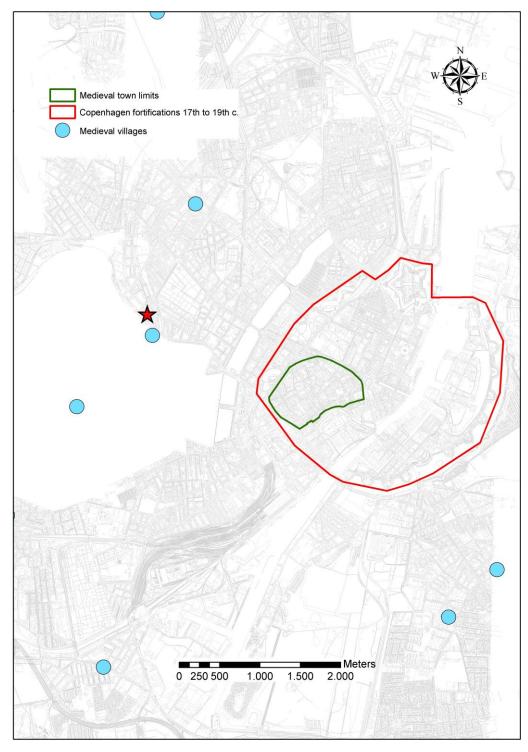


Figure 1. Nuuks Plads (KBM 3846). Location of investigation site (red star).

1 Results

On the occasion of establishing a Cityring subway station at Nuuks Plads, next to Landsarkivet, Jagtvej 10, Copenhagen, Museum of Copenhagen was supposed to conduct watching briefs as archaeological pre investigations (Fig. 1, 2, Tab. 1). However, due to insufficient communication the excavation of the site was conducted without any archaeological supervision.

The excavation site was located c. 400 m north for the former medieval village Nyby (Fig. 1). There have been no earlier archaeological observations in the immediate vicinity. Jagtvej is one of the oldest streets in the Nørrebro area, originally used by hunting societies at the Frederiksberg castle, which was erected in 1703.

The Landsarkivet building was designed by architect Martin Nyrop (1849–1921) and erected in 1893. In 1963 it was partially converted and enlarged after design by architects Eva and Niels Koppel.

Archaeological investigations at Nuuks Plads might have revealed information on the oldest history of this part of Copenhagen. However, any remains on the site were likely to have been severely damaged by the construction work related to the erection of the Landsarkivet building, and therefore probably of low archaeological significance.

1.1 Technical and administrative data

Kulturstyrelsen j. nr	2010-7.24.02/KBM-0015
KBM ID and internal case ID	KBM 3846, case ID 1979
County	Copenhagen
District	Sokkelund
City	Copenhagen
Area	Indre Nørrebro
Parish	Anna
Duration of field work phase	-
Museum archaeologists	-
Area (m²)	2 700 m ²
Volume (m³)	-
Coordinate system	DKTM 3
Height system	DVR 90
X-coordinates	1173996–1174081
Y-coordinates	649812–649876
Construction work by	C.G. Jensen A/S
Developer	Metroselskabet (Metro Company)

Table 1. Nuuks Plads. Technical and administrative data.

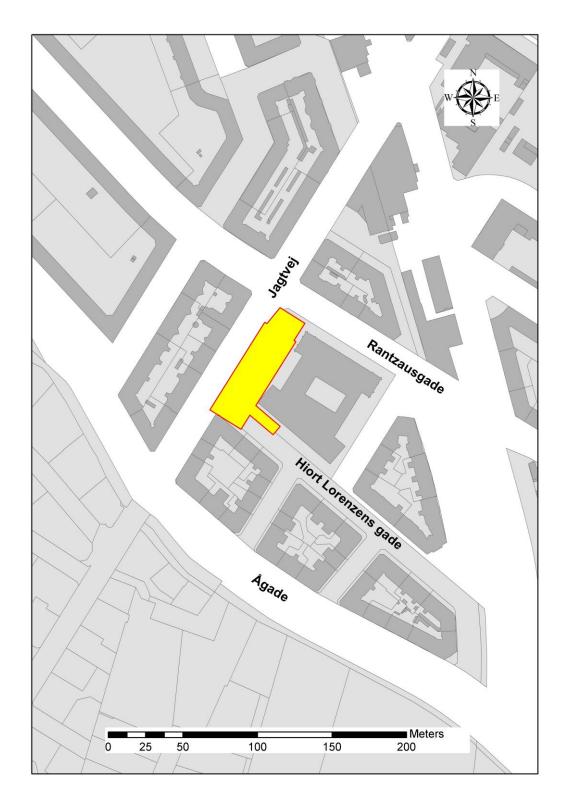


Figure 2. Nuuks Plads. Main trench.

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