



Press Kit  
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## 2025: Enter in the world of the GNS2 Nocturne

### A subtle statement of authority

There is a kind of power that doesn't shout—it lingers in the shadows, steady and composed, much like the **GNS2 Nocturne's** golden precision.

Time, when cloaked in black and rose gold, becomes more than measurement—it becomes **presence, elegance, and silent intention.**

It is in the stillness of night, in the gleam of soft lamplight, that the GNS2 Nocturne comes to life—an instrument of time, and a **symbol of timelessness.**

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#### **PRESS INVITATION**

*You are cordially invited to make an appointment to  
discover the GNS2 Nocturne - Watches and Wonders 2025  
at the GENUS Booth, on the Mezzanine Level*

*Watches and Wonders Geneva - from Tuesday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, through Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025*



## A symbol of power, elegance, and timeless stakes

GENUS unveils the GNS2 Nocturne, a timepiece forged in the spirit of exclusivity, subtle authority, and timeless masculinity. From the world of high stakes deals to the hushed elegance of private clubs, the Nocturne resonates with men who command quiet respect. Encased in lustrous 18K rose gold of 4N color, paired with a black crocodile leather strap, and crowned with hand-hammered rhodium and golden details, it reflects discreet influence and cultivated taste.

At its core lies GENUS' signature mechanical poetry: three golden arrows circle the periphery to mark the passing hours, while a second set sweeps along the patented "8-path" evoking the unbroken rhythm of infinity as they measure the minutes.

A watch for the few who move in the shadows of influence and navigate the corridors of power, where every gesture is measured and every second counts.

### The GENUS DNA

## A watchmaker rewriting the rules of time

Since its inception, GENUS has defied the norms of traditional Swiss watchmaking, by crafting timepieces that rethink how we experience time. Co-founded by Sébastien Billières, a Master Watchmaker with a passion for complex mechanical systems, GENUS creates watches that abandon hands in favor of dynamic, fluid displays.

The GNS2 Nocturne embodies this philosophy with a patented movement: golden arrows glide effortlessly along both a peripheral track and a central infinity loop, revealing the hours and minutes in continuous, mesmerizing motion.

The in-house 260Rh-2 caliber, assembled in the brand's Geneva workshop, powers this kinetic spectacle of 278 components and delivers an impressive 50-hour power reserve. Each arrow, each track, each meticulously hand-finished surface embodies the independent spirit of GENUS, where every creation is both a technical marvel and a philosophical meditation on the passage of time.

### The Art of Subtle Power

## Where design meets the world of high-stakes elegance

GENUS' choice of colors and textures for the Nocturne evokes an atmosphere of restrained opulence. A palette of rose gold, black, and silver conjures images of vintage luxury—private poker tables, mahogany-panelled lounges, and whispered negotiations where fortunes shift.

The rose gold arrows and screws shimmer discreetly against the backdrop of the matte black movement base and pair of black tens-of-minutes dials, recalling the sharp contrast between shadow and golden lamplight. The silvery-colored, hand-hammered half-moon dials, with their golden angles, evoke the soft glow of a hidden treasure chest or the polished chips sliding across a velvet casino table.



GENUS draws inspiration from the Art Deco elegance of the roaring twenties—Gatsby's era, where refined tastes met unspoken power. The GNS2 Nocturne is not a flamboyant statement; it is quiet dominance, echoing the thrill of clandestine games and the world of private affluence.

The Creator's Vision

## Sculpting elegance through mechanics

For Sébastien Billières, each GENUS creation is a canvas for exploration, pushing the interplay between form and mechanics to new heights. The Nocturne maintains the slim, sculptural curves of the GNS2 case, of 18K rose gold of 4N color to balance lightness with presence.

The open case back offers a privileged view of the 260Rh-2 movement, where satin-brushed bridges, polished bevels, and impeccable finishing tell a story of meticulous craftsmanship. From the oscillating balance wheel to the complex network of wheels and pinions, the caliber reflects GENUS' passion for building horological architecture.

This is a timepiece where the front and back are united by the same narrative: a story of balance, subtle beauty, and mechanical mastery that invites collectors to immerse themselves in GENUS' independent, uncompromising world.

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We invite collectors, enthusiasts, and members of the press to discover the GNS2 Nocturne in person at **Watches and Wonders 2025**. Join us on the **Mezzanine level** to explore the piece, feel its presence, and speak with the team behind its creation. For appointments or further information, please contact us at [contact@genuswatches.swiss](mailto:contact@genuswatches.swiss). We look forward to welcoming you into the world of GENUS.

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## Technical Specifications

# Behind the intricate world of the GNS2 Nocturne

**Beneath its elegant surface, the GNS2 Nocturne is powered by a refined mechanical heart.** Each component has been meticulously designed, hand-finished, and assembled in-house, reflecting GENUS' unwavering commitment to precision and craftsmanship. Below, discover the technical details that give this timepiece its unique identity and performance.

## Case

<b>Material</b>	18K rose gold, 4N color
<b>Thickness</b>	13.3 mm
<b>Diameter</b>	43 mm
<b>Crystals</b>	Domed "glass box" sapphire crystal on the dial side; open view case back with sapphire crystal – both crystals with anti-reflective coating
<b>Crown</b>	18K rose gold 4N color with G-E-N-U-S letters in relief around its circumference provide winding grip
<b>Water resistance</b>	~3 ATM (equivalent to 30 meters)

## Caliber

<b>Caliber</b>	260Rh-2, hand-wound, manufactured in the GENUS workshops in Geneva. The movement is divided into two parts: one dedicated to energy generation and transmission; the other to energy distribution and regulation
<b>Components</b>	278
<b>Jewels</b>	26 rubies
<b>Frequency</b>	2.5 Hz (18,000 vph – vibrations per hour)
<b>Power reserve</b>	Approximately 50 hours
<b>Regulating organ</b>	Swiss lever escapement, variable inertia balance wheel

## Time Display Complication

<b>Hours</b>	3 free-moving elements, arrows glide along the display complication's periphery
<b>Minutes</b>	3 free-moving elements, arrows following a figure-eight track (patent pending)

## Strap & Buckle

<b>Material</b>	Alligator strap, with folded edges and top stitching
<b>Buckle</b>	Pin buckle of 18K rose gold, 4N color, engraved with the GENUS logo

## Price

**Suggested Retail Price** CHF 84'000 without VAT