

ABOUT OUR WORK

We can look back on four thousand years of building culture. In this tradition mankind creates spaces where he finds his physical and psychological needs reflected, meaningful spaces that act as ambassadors of a cultural inheritance, spaces that define localities and captivate us with their spatial and tactile qualities.

Why, then, should we create rooms to be as transparent as possible, rooms that tell us, as soon as we enter them, that we are outside again!"

Creating a locality is absolutely crucial to our projects. To do that, architecture does not have to be reinvented by force. Instead, we try to learn from the long tradition of building without falling into historicism.

For us it is all about defining localities and creating rooms with a winning spatial and tactile capacity. To make this possible we analyze and question the qualities of existing buildings and transport them into a modern formal language; the well-known then appears in a new light.





OUR OFFICE

Our office was founded in 1979 and currently has about 50 employees. For the entire duration of the work process we work in small teams to generate a high level of intensity and identification with our projects.

Besides dealing with ongoing projects, regular participation in competitions is essential to our work. Aside from being a chance for a new commission, it is an occasion for a stimulating and profound examination of a present-day challenge.

Sketches showing a first general concept, a precise analysis of the area and working models are all essential steps.

Among the competitions won in recent years are the Volkstheater in Munich, the dialogicum, the Historical Museum in Frankfurt a.M. and the Municipal Museum in Stuttgart. Also the Annex to the Württemberg State Library in Stuttgart, School Annex and Housing, Cologne-Lindenthal, the Art Museum in Ravensburg, the Diocesan Curia and archive in Rottenburg and the Hospitalhof in Stuttgart are all important projects for us which were acquired by competition.

Our projects are mainly realized in the fields: Office buildings, authority and adminstration, leisure and sports, health and education, culture and church,, housing, industry as well as urban planning.



EXECUTIVE BOARD

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SELECTED PROJECTS

2025. Bertha-Benz-Schule in Sigmaringen 2024. Grundschule auf FRANKLIN in Mannheim 2023. Sparkassen-Zentrale in Weil am Rhein 2022. Verwaltungsgebäude Plochingen 2021. Musikzentrum Plochingen • Münchner Volkstheater 2020. Erweiterung Württembergische Landesbibliothek Stuttgart 2019. dialogicum - dm-drogerie markt Unternehmenszentrale in Karlsruhe 2017. Stadtmuseum im Wilhelmspalais Stuttgart • Historisches Museum Frankfurt 2015. Sparkasse Ulm 2014. Hospitalhof Stuttgart 2013. Diözesanarchiv und Bischofshaus Rottenburg • MIK Museum Information Kunst in Ludwigsburg **2012.** Kunstmuseum Ravensburg 2011. Temporärer Amtssitz des Bundesverfassungsgericht in Karlsruhe • Rathaus in Brackenheim • Gästehaus Marbach • Büro- und Geschäftshaus in Karlsruhe 2010. Platzgestaltung und Umbau Tiefgarage Staatstheater in Darmstadt • Bildungszentrum Bestehornpark in Aschersleben 2009. Kloster Hegne Marianum, Zentrum für Bildung und Erziehung in Allensbach 2008. Duale Hochschule in Lörrach 2007. Büro- und Ausstellungsgebäude Feco-Forum in Karlsruhe • Haus der Kirche in Heilbronn • Rathaus in Eppingen • Amtsgericht Pforzheim 2006. Büro und Geschäftsgebäude "Das Weiße Haus" in Stuttgart • Sanierung und Erweiterung des Hessischen Staatstheaters in Darmstadt 2004. Schüler- und Lehrerwohnungen Landesgymnasium in Schwäbisch Gmünd 2003. Berufsschule in Heilbronn 2002. Erweiterung Grund- und Hauptschule mit Werkrealschule und Sporthalle in Ostfildern 2001. Katholisches Gemeindezentrum St. Antonius in Stuttgart 2000. Salem International College in Überlingen 1999. Tagungszentrum Katholische Akademie in Stuttgart-Hohenheim 1997. Hauptverwaltung der EVS (EnBW) in Stuttgart 1994. EKZ Bürogebäude und Lagerhalle in Reutlingen 1991. Finanzamt mit Behördenkantine in Reutlingen 1990. Ortsvermittlungsstelle Stuttgart







