

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Curriculum Vitae Corinna Menn, Education

2000	Degree in architecture, ETH Zurich, Prof. Hans Kollhoff
1994–2000	Architectural studies, ETH Zurich
1999–2000	Architectural studies, Graduate School of Design, Harvard University, Cambridge MA, USA, ETH exchange programme
1996–1997	Internship with Prof. Hans Kollhoff, Berlin and Prof. Klaus Theo Brenner, Berlin
1987–1994	Graubündner Kantonsschule Chur
Born	August 1974 in Chur, Switzerland

Professional Practice

since 2002	Own architectural practice in Zurich / Chur Founder and proprietor; core activities in design and planning of modernisations and new buildings for public and private clients
2001–2002	Project architect with Herzog & de Meuron Architekten, Basel

Expert Advisory Activities

since 2019	Urban Planning Advisory Board Dornbirn, Austria
since 2010	Building consultancy for the municipalities of Tujetsch and Ilanz, Grisons, Switzerland
2007–2008	Architectural consultancy for the engineering structures of the Rhätische Bahn, Grisons, Switzerland

Jury Activities

since 2003	Expert juror in numerous architectural competitions for public and private developers in Switzerland
since 2010	Juror in national and international architectural and art prize awards

Engagement in Professional Associations

since 2021	Member of the administrative board of the Schweizer Baumuster-Centrale Zurich (SBCZ)
since 2019	Member of the Federation of Swiss Architects (FSA), Zurich section
2009–2015	Vice President of the Swiss Society of Engineers and Architects (SIA), Gisons
since 2003	Member of the Swiss Society of Engineers and Architects (SIA), Gisons section

Awards

2018	Arc Award 2018, Schweizer Baudokumentation, nomination, office building Unterstrasse, St. Gallen
	Seismic Award 2018, SBE, special mention, office building St. Gallen
2017	Die Besten 2017, Hochparterre, recognition, office building St. Gallen
2014	Gute Bauten Graubünden 2013, prize, modernisation Chesa Gabriel Samedan
	best architects 15 in Gold, prize, modernisation Chesa Gabriel Samedan
2010	best architects 11, prize, row housing Tamins
2007	Prix Acier, Stahlbau Zentrum Schweiz, recognition, viewing platform Flims
2005	Cultural Sponsorship Prize of the City of Chur
2001	2nd Heinrich Hatt-Bucher-Preis, prize, diploma thesis, ETH Zurich

Teaching

2021-2023	Guest lectureship in architecture and design, ETH Zurich, Department of Architecture, Design Studio Bachelor 3rd year and Master and Master's Thesis
2018-2019	Guest lectureship in architecture and design, University of Liechtenstein, Design Studio Bachelor 3rd year
2009-2010	Guest lectureship in design and construction, Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Design Studio Bachelor 2nd year
since 2008	Guest critic at numerous national and international architectural schools

Lectures

Selection of Academic and public lectures

2023	“Place - Structure - Fragment”, lecture, Accademia di Architettura, Mendrisio	2011	“Recent Work – A Model of Thinking”, guest lectureship Charles Pictet, EPF Lausanne
2022	“One Building. Failure is an option”, Ringvorlesung Department of Architecture, ETH Zürich	2010	“dialoghi in equilibrio”, brief lecture with civil engineer Andrea Pedrazzini and discussion, International Institute of Architecture, Morcote
2020	“Vom Suchen und (Er)Finden”, project lecture, Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts	2009	“Interdisziplinäre Arbeiten – Projekte und Bauten”, lecture, SIA Winterthur “Suche nach der architektonischen Verankerung – fünf Projekte”, lecture, BSA Central Switzerland branch, Lucerne “Bauen in fremdem Kontext”, lecture and discussion, Röntgenraum Zurich
2019	“Strategien der architektonischen Verankerung”, project lecture, Architekturforum Passau, D “Masswerk von Raum und Tragstruktur für das St. Galler Stickereiquartier”, presentation, Betonforum, Betonsuisse, ETH Zurich “Mehrschichtigkeit und Mehrfachsinne”, lecture, guest lectureship Roger Boltshauser, ETH Zurich “Stratégies de l’implantation architecturale”, lecture, Maison de l’architecture, Geneva	2007	“Recent Work – Three Projects Focused on the Aspects of Landscape and Structure”, Faculty of Architecture, Norwegian University of Science and Technology (NTNU), Trondheim, Norway “Architekturberuf – eine Frage des Geschlechts?”, Frauenkulturarchiv Graubünden, Chur, lecture commemorating the 75th birthday of architect Monica Brügger
2018	“Stratégies de l’implantation architecturale”, symposium Matière suisse, hepia Geneva “Bauten und Projekte”, project lecture, Architekturforum Glarus “Hoch mineralisch”, presentation, Schweizer Baumuster-Centrale Zürich (SBCZ)		
2016	“Strategien der architektonischen Verankerung”, project lecture, Architekturforum Thun		
2015	“Typologie und Massstab: Ordnung der Teile zum Ganzen”, project lecture, Professorship Luca Selva, FHNW Basel “Dialoge im Gleichgewicht”, lecture with civil engineer Andrea Pedrazzini, Professorship Joseph Schwartz, ETH Zurich		
2012	“Präparat Bergsturz: Plattform Conn”, presentation, Bern University of the Arts and Bündner Naturmuseum, Chur		

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Selection of Projects and Buildings

2023- ongoing Housing development Waldau, Flawil, housing, with Mavo Landschaften, private

2022- ongoing Aare-Brücke, Solothurn, with dsp and ingegneri SPP, SBB

2021- ongoing Restaurant Caumasee, Flims, Municipality of Flims
Lift facility Tierpark Dählhölzli, Bern; project, Tierpark Bern

2020- ongoing House by the forest, Chur, private

Balmbrücke Meiringen, with Basler Hofmann, Canton Bern

2019- ongoing Conversion and expansion Marienburg works site, Thal, with Müller Illien
Landschaftsarchitekten, private

2018- ongoing Sundgrabenbrücke Beatenberg, with Soling und Bänziger Partner, Canton Bern

2018 Apartment housing Calandastrasse, Chur, Wohnbaugenossenschaft der Stadt
Chur

2017 Office building Unterstrasse, St. Gallen, with Mark Ammann and Ingegneri
Pedrazzini Guidotti, Asga Pensionskasse

Aarebrücke Bypass Thun, with Bänziger Partner, Canton Bern

Modernisation Rätia business premises, Davos, with Ingegneri Pedrazzini Guidotti,
private

2016 Urban development study Chur West, Steiner AG

2015 Walkway Sitterviadukt, St. Gallen, with Bänziger Partner, City of St. Gallen

2014 Housing Schlossbongert Haldenstein; feasibility study, private

Wohnen am See, Schmerikon, with Mark Ammann; project, Municipality of
Schmerikon

2013 Modernisation Chesa Gabriel, Samedan, private

Extension of a listed house, Jona; project, private

2012 Renovation and extension Grossacker school, St. Gallen; feasibility study, City of
St. Gallen

2011-2012 Extension Ostschweizer Kinderspital, St. Gallen, intensive care unit, with Sven
Schönwetter; project, Stiftung Ostschweizer Kinderspital

2009 Modernisation Walserhaus, Avers Cresta, private

2008 Row housing Forellenstube, Tamins, Heinrich Schwendener-Stiftung

Apartment buildings in Faqra, Mount Lebanon, Lebanon; project, private

2007 Renovation Splügen school complex, Municipality of Rheinwald

RhB-Brücke Zizers, with Chitvanni and Wille, Rhätische Bahn

2006 Homes for the disabled, Scharans, Stiftung Scalottas

Viewing platform Conn, Municipality of Flims

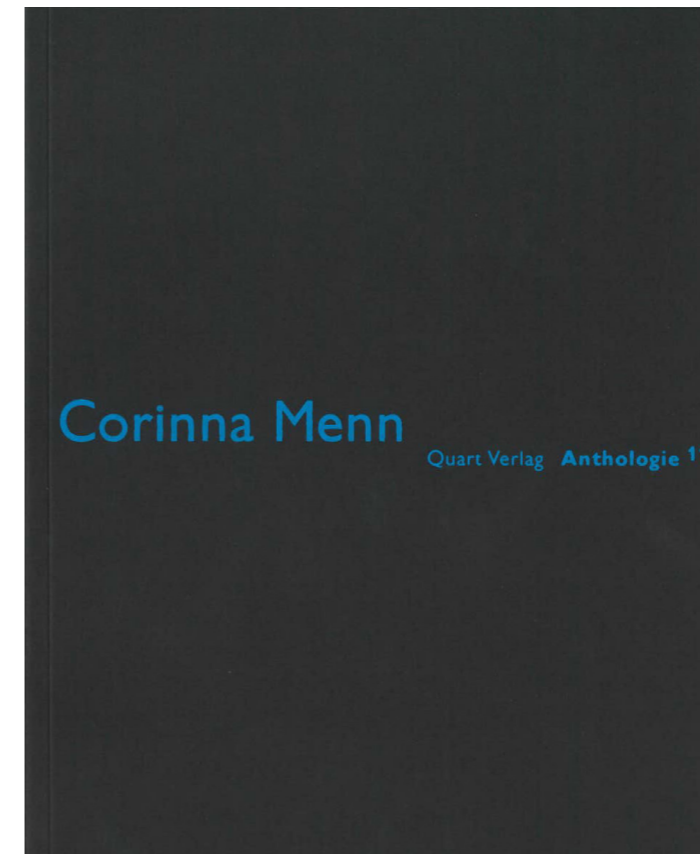
2005 Double kindergarten Mettlen, Opfikon; project, Municipality of Opfikon

Selection of Competition Entries and Study Commissions

2023	Housing development Waldau, Flawil, study commission, with Mavo Landschaften, 1st prize	Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Clinic, Basel, competition
2021	Aare-Brücke, Solothurn, competition, 1st prize, with dsp and ingegneri SPP Bus parking garage and administration building, Herisau, study commission, with Joseph Schwartz	Railway station area Süd, Wattwil, competition
2020	Laboratory building, St. Gallen, competition Cooperative housing Flurstrasse, Zurich, competition Lift facility Tierpark Dählhölzli, Bern, competition, 1st prize	2011 Extension Capanna di Sciora, Val Bondasca, Bondo, study commission Community hall renovation, Samedan, study commission
2019	Restaurant Caumasee, Flims, competition, 1st prize	2010 Extension Ostschweizer Kinderspital, St. Gallen, intensive care unit and wards, competition, with Sven Schönwetter, 1st prize Parceggio Pubblico, Soglio, competition, with Ingegneri Pedrazzini, 3rd prize Mythenquai lido, Zurich, competition
2018	Conversion test planning Marienburg works site, Thal, with Müller Illien Landschaftsarchitekten, recommendation for further elaboration Office building Energie 360°, Zurich, study commission, with Mark Ammann Walkway Oberstockenweg, St. Gallen, study commission, with Bänziger Partner, 1st prize	Conversion theatre space Lyceum Alpinum, Zuoz, study commission
2015	Swissprinters works site, Zofingen, study commission, with Jan Henrik Hansen	2009 Kindergarten extension Puoz school complex, Samedan, competition Thurbrücke Ebnat-Kappel, competition, with Bänziger Partner, 2nd prize Plessur-Halde passageway, Bündner Kantonsschule, Chur, competition R. Nussbaum AG training centre, Trimbach, competition
2014	Modernisation Rätia business premises, study commission, Davos, with Ingegneri Pedrazzini Guidotti, 1st prize Apartment housing Calandastrasse, Chur, study commission, 1st prize Extension Marthaheim apartments for the elderly, St. Gallen, competition Nuova Capanna Monta Bar, Capriasca, competition Vogelsang cooperative housing development, Winterthur, competition, with Mark Ammann	2008 Modernisation Chesa Gabriel, Samedan, study commission, 1st prize Aarebrücke bypass Thun, competition, with Bänziger Partner, 1st prize Auditorium Plantahof Agricultural College, Landquart, competition, 2nd prize Bodmer residential scheme for the elderly, Chur, competition
2013	Wohnen am See, Schmerikon, study commission, with Mark Ammann und Mavo Landschaften, 1st prize Renovation and conversion Zil school complex, St. Gallen, study commission Office building Unterstrasse, St. Gallen, competition, with Mark Ammann and Ingegneri Pedrazzini, 1st prize	2007 Extension Pädagogische Hochschule, Chur, competition
2012	Pedestrian connection, Frauenfeld, study commission, with Ingegneri Pedrazzini, 1st prize	2006 Win-a-House, design for a single-family house, study commission Westend Pedestrian Bridge, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, competition, with Prof. Christian Menn
		2005 Viewing platform Conn, Flims, competition, with Prof. Christian Menn, 1st prize
		2004 Renovation Splügen school complex, competition, 1st prize Double kindergarten Mettlen, Opfikon, competition, 1st prize
		2001 Homes for the disabled, Scharans, competition, 1st prize

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Selection of Publications

2021 Susanna Koeberle, "Bergell: Aufzeichnungen eines Territoriums", swiss-architects.com, September 30 2021

Andrea Pedrazzini, *Stahlbetontragwerke: Massiv, robust, bewehrt* (Munich: Edition Detail, 2021)

2019 Mario Rinke (ed.), *The Bones of Architecture: Structure and Design Practices* (Zurich: Triest, 2019)

Köbi Gantenbein, Jürg Grassl and Philipp Wilhelm, *Bauen in Davos: Ein Führer zu zeitgenössischer und historischer Architektur* (Zurich: Hochparterre, 2019)

"Der Instinkt für einfache Ausdrucksformen geht verloren", interview, *Modulor*, 6 (2019)

Philippe Meyer and Julia Voormann, "Identification d'une architecture", *FACES*, 76 (Autumn 2019)

Hubertus Adam, "Konstruktion im Kontext", *db – Deutsche Bauzeitung*, 153, no. 5 (May 2019)

Architektinnen: Ein Oral History Projekt, interview, Oral History Archiv, gta, ETH Zurich, 2019

2018 Patrick Morcolli, "Fusion parfaite", *Seismic Award 2018/ Hochparterre* (2018)

Clementine Hegner-van Rooden, "Ästhetische Effizienz", *Tec 21*, 36 (2018); and in *Ingenieurbaukunst* (2017/2018)

Marko Sauer, "Das Geschäftshaus als Teil des Hangs: St.Gallen und der Beton", *Modulor* (2018)

Eva Stricker, "Entfaltung der reinen Struktur", *werk, bauen + wohnen*, 105, no. 3 (2018)

Andrea Pedrazzini, "Gefaltete Deckenplatten aus Spannbeton", *DETAIL Structure*, 1 (2018)

Daniel Walser, "About a Younger Generation of Architects in Grisons", *WA – World Architecture*, 2 (2018)

2017 Axel Simon, "Chicago in der Ostschweiz", *Hochparterre*, 11 (2017)

Clementine Hegner-van Rooden et al., "Teil eines Kontinuums", *Tec 21*, 42–43 (2017)

Chris van Uffelen, *Rough Past Meets New Design* (Salenstein: Braun Publishing, 2017)

2016 Christiane Nill and Lionel Henriod (eds.), *Let's Play* (Bern: Till Schaap Edition, 2016)

Architektur, die [fem.], *Baukultur ist auch weiblich!*, *Archithese*, special issue no. 2 (2016)

"Brücken: Die Eleganz eines räumlichen Fachwerks", *Steeldoc*, 2 (2016)

2015 Nathalie Herschdorfer (ed.), *Stadt Land Berg: Neue Architektur in der Schweiz* (Zurich: Niggli, 2015)

2014 *Fallbeispiele Engadiner Haus*, catalogue, Wahlfach Meisterkurs Konstruktion Professur Andrea Deplazes, ETH Zurich (2014)

Best Architects 15 Award, catalogue (2014)

Auszeichnung Gute Bauten Graubünden 2013, exhibition and catalogue (Bündner Heimatschutz, 2014)

Oliver Lowenstein, "Graubünden's New Generation Comes of Age", *Blueprint Magazine*, 332 (2014)

2013 Köbi Gantenbein, Ludmila Seifert and Ralph Feiner, *Bauen in Graubünden: Ein Architekturführer zu 100 zeitgenössischen Bauten* (Zurich: Hochparterre, 2013)

2011 Pep Avilés, "Preservation, Ideology and Culture. 4 casos. Theaterraum Zuoz", *Quaderns*, 263, no. 3/4 (2011)

"Corinna Menn, Viewing Platform Conn", *a+u*, 1: *Swiss Sounds: Architecture in Switzerland 2000–2009* (2011)

2010 Bjørn N. Sandaker, Arne P. Eggen and Mark C. Cruvellier, *The Structural Basis of Architecture* (London and New York: Routledge, 2010)

“Theaterraum Lyceum Alpinum Zuoz”, *Hochparterre Wettbewerbe*, 4 (2010)

2009 *Anthologie 11: Corinna Menn*, monograph (Lucerne: Quart, 2009)

Köbi Gantenbein, Marco Guetg and Ralph Feiner, *Himmelsleiter und Felsentherme: Architekturwandern in Graubünden* (Zurich: Rotpunktverlag, 2009)

“Gesamtschule in Splügen”, *DETAIL*, 9 (2009)

“ARCH/SCAPES. Die Verhandlung von Architektur und Landschaft/ Negotiating Swiss Architecture and Landscape”, *Schweizerisches Architekturmuseum*, 4 (2009)

“Informations- und Schulungshaus Nussbaum in Trimbach”, *Hochparterre Wettbewerbe*, 2 (2009)

“Graubünden’s New Architectural Generation”, *Fourth Door Review*, 8 (2009)

“Hörsaal auf dem Plantahof in Landquart”, *Hochparterre Wettbewerbe*, 1 (2009)

Philip Jodidio, *Architecture Now! 6* (Cologne: Taschen, 2009)

2008 “Costruire il Paesaggio Alpino – Architettura dei Grigioni”, *archi*, 5 (2008)

Alejandro Bahamón, Alex Campello and Anna Vicens Soler, *Intervenciones Arquitectónicas en el Paisaje* (Barcelona: Parramon, 2008)

2007 “New Architecture in the Grisons”, *WA – World Architecture*, 4 (2007)

“Swiss Performance 07”, *archithese*, 1 (2007)

Christoph Baumberger, “Segler über der Schlucht”, *werk, bauen + wohnen*, 94, no. 1/2 (2007)

Exhibitions

2021 *Bergell - Aufzeichnungen eines Territoriums*, exhibition of student works in Bondo, spring 2021, Studio Corinna Menn ETH Zurich

2019 *Female Architects and their Way of Doing Architecture*, exhibition Architekturgalerie München BUNKER, curated by Carmen Wolf

The Bones of Architecture. An exhibition on Design Practices, exhibition Garage Sul, Lisbon, curated by Mario Rinke

2016 *Schweizweit*, S AM Basel, exhibition and catalogue

2013 *Lueginsland: Architektur mit Aussicht*, S AM Basel, exhibition and catalogue

Wenn Haltung Raum bildet: Junge Architektur aus Graubünden, Stadtgalerie Chur / Architekturforum Zürich / Hochschule Luzern, exhibition, curated by Daniel Walser

2012 *Präparat Bergsturz, Konservierte Bewegung*, Bündner Kunstmuseum Chur, workshop and exhibition model

2007/2008 *ARCH/SCAPES: S AM 4*, Swiss contribution to the Architecture Biennale Sao Paulo, S AM Basel, exhibition and catalogue

2007 *Schweizer Stahlbau Prix Acier 2007* (steeldoc 03+04), catalogue and exhibition

2005 *Werdende Wahrzeichen*, Gelbes Haus Flims and Hochparterre, exhibition and catalogue
