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Events Project Work: «The Vertical City» «Die vertikale Stadt»

Focus Lectures

— Monday, April 15th, 9.15 am Monday, Mai 6th, 9.15 am Teaching room C403

Study Trip to Great

Focus Structure is cooperating with the In-depth Module to organise a Study Trip to London-Manchester. The themes incude Postmodernism and New Brutalism.

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The Vertical City



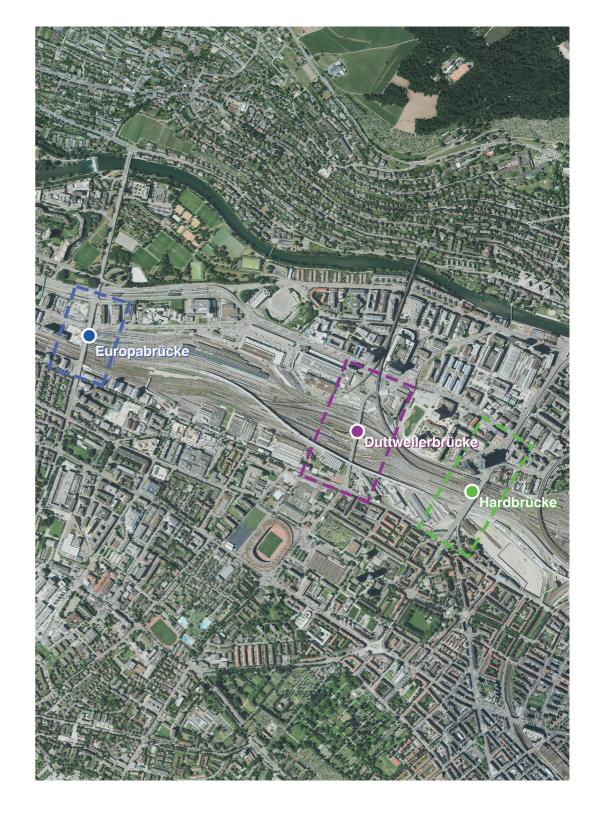
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"from the Tower of Babel onward, the fantasies of builders have been vertical rather than horizontal." Ada Louise Huxtable

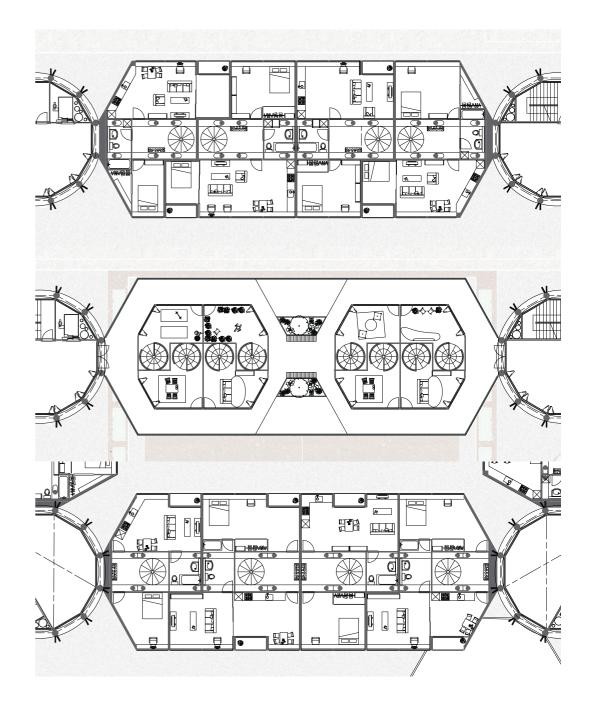
structure transfer Under the title structure transfer, we explore questions concerning relevant problems of civil society and heighten the students' awareness of and responsibility to our environment.

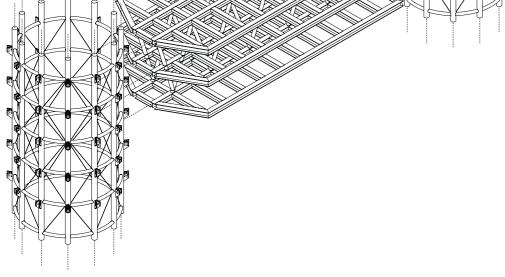
Infrastructure as landscape: not just another parking lot In the Structure focus, we will develop scenarios for the vertical city accordingly and realise them in a concrete high-rise project. We will design spatial structures that make it possible to stack, layer and even pile up different uses. The structure of access will play a crucial role here as well the bearing structure and the infrastructure.

Three building sites are available for selection: they are all located in Area 1 of the high-rise guideline of the City of Zurich. Building heights are in principle not restricted in this area. The building sites relate to the bridges crossing over the track area (Hard Bridge, Duttweil Bridge and Europa Bridge). High-rises in these locations have the potential as bridgeheads to greatly influence the look of the city. The initial situation is an urban neighbourhood with a good mixture of use, where people dwell, work and live. There are such neighbourhoods in Zurich and in other cities, but traditionally they are structured horizontally. We want to explore whether a mixed urban spatial programme can be developed vertically. We are not setting minimum or maximum heights. We will, however, have intense discussions about height and density. The theme is thus relevant not only to town planning and architecture but also to civil society.

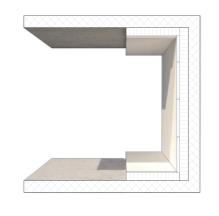








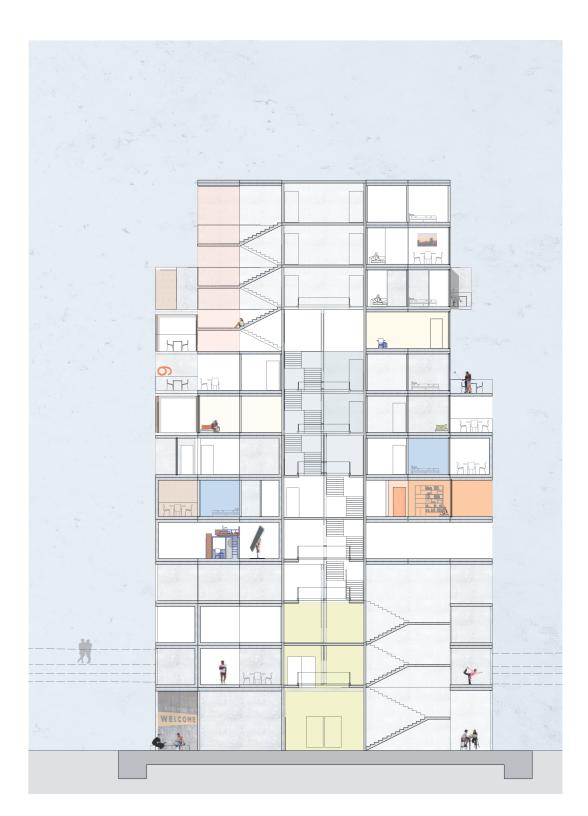
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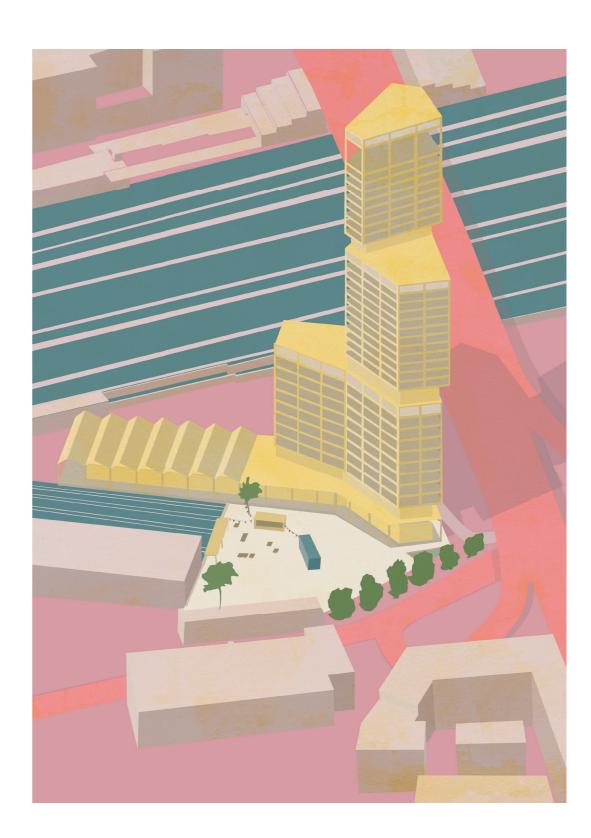




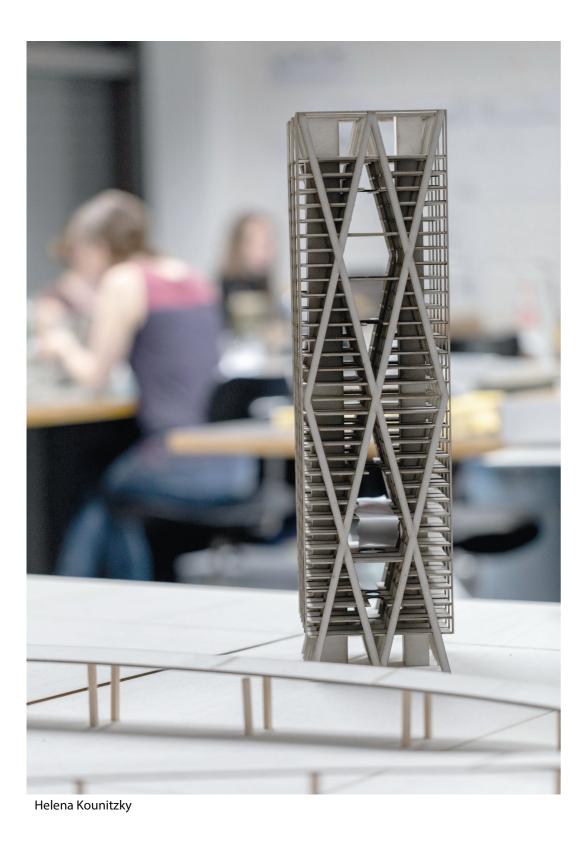
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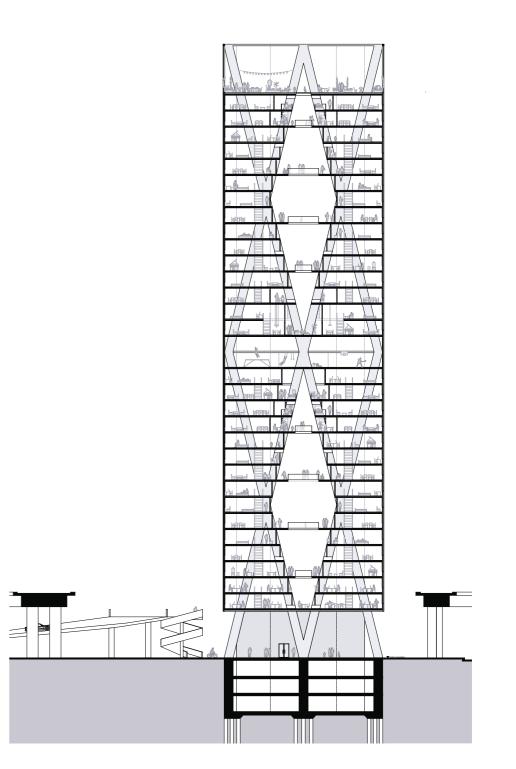




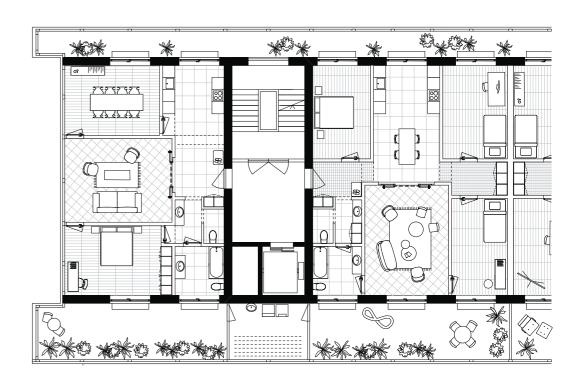








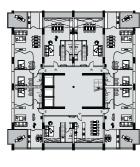


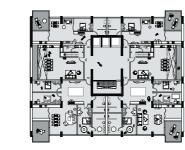


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