Swiss Summer School

02 reading the territory

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The SwissSummerSchool is organized by the Swiss Association of Schools of Architecture and represents, in the form of a week of projects, a new educational format and a platform for discussion, common to all schools of architecture.

Due to its topography, Switzerland is characterized by diversity in the smallest spaces. Its natural conditions intersect with the facets of cultural positions on the environment. As architects, our role today is, more than ever, to think globally and act locally. In homage to Lucius Burckhardt's Strollology, the SwissSummerSchool 02 focuses on the conscious perception of the environment, the reading of traces, the desire to understand. Questioning and critical discourse become a tool for forming one's own attitude. In teams of students and architects from different schools, a trip takes place around Lake Geneva, in search of questions and answers to the Anthropocene era.

Conditions of participation
National and international students of architecture are eligible for participation after prior application (3 DIN A4 pages work sample, 1 DIN A4 page CV digital as a PDF, 5 MB maximum). Participation fee is CHF 250.–; accommodation for tent and one meal per day are provided. Participants will receive 2 ECTS credit points.

Applications are from the 1st June to 25th June.
Send your application to: summerschool@architekturrat.ch
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EPFL Lausanne
ETHZ Zürich
OST St.Gallen

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4 themes, 6 nights in tent, 7 days, 157 km cycling, 60 students