

Campus and Park at Jungfernsee, Potsdam

Waiting for a park

Client | PHF Projektmanagement und Baubetreuungsgesellschaft GmbH, Objektgesellschaft Campus am Jungfernsee GmbH

Architecture | Ortner & Ortner, Berlin

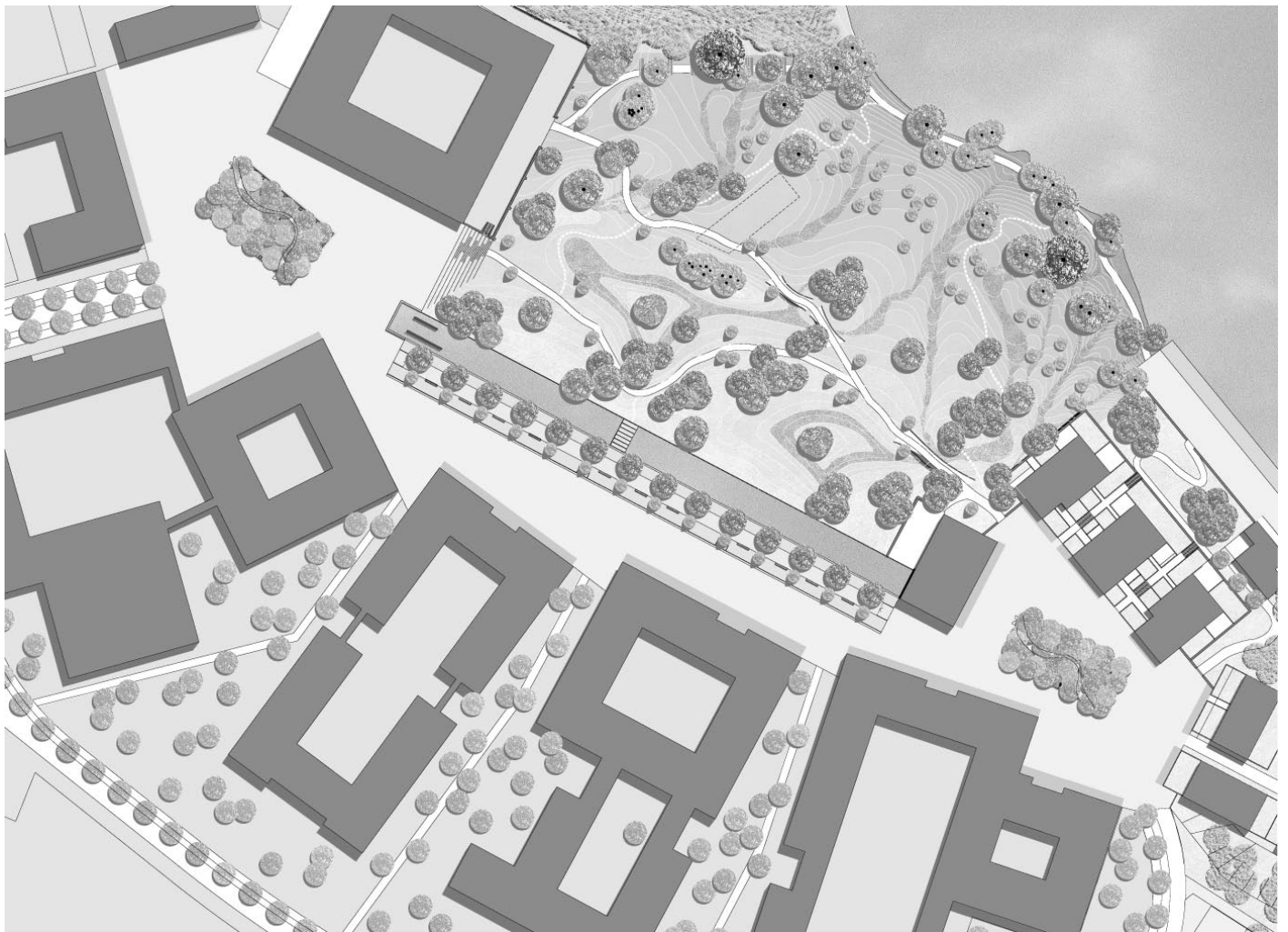
Period | 2002–2004

Work stages | The 2002 two-step realization competition, step 1: 1st prize (ex aequo), step 2: 1st prize; preliminary project phase, project phase

Area | Promenade: 2'100m , Square: 17'500 m , Park: 22'700 m

The architecture developed for the campus on Jungfernsee more or less follows and reproduces the historically evolved situation. The landscape architecture and design of the squares and the promenade linking them do not aim conclusively to continue this given situation. Squares and promenade alike are understood and defined as „inserts“, that is, as integrated opposition that so to speak legitimises the independent variation of the buildings along the edge of the site.

The two squares and the promenade not only express the essence of the Jungfernsee environs – namely the adjacent forest and the lake –, but also represent an interpretation of their urban counterpart: the long water basin next to the promenade is designed as an oversized fountain, the close spacing of the trees in the centre of the two squares as a condensed park.



plan view

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Promenade connecting the squares



cross sections