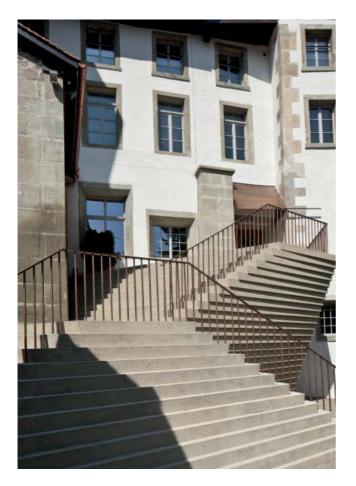


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The former Augustin priory was converted in order to accommodate the cantonal and administrative Courts under a single roof.

The existing structure had been altered in 1918 to house the significant weight of the cantonal archives. These additions were later demolished. In addition to renovation and internal transformation works, the existing entrances were enhanced with a monumental staircase in the courtyard and a lift shaft permitting pedestrian access from the foot of the cliff on which the structure is built.

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Construction project management

DATE | COST 2011-2012 CHF 13 million

DIMENSIONS Floor area 2,100 m2 Gross volume 14,500 m3