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The cities in which we live need a new formula. After 100 years of functional separation, living and working have to come together again. But the densified city as we build it actually, disintegrates further into its components. The urban, the architectural and the social mix cannot be achieved. What we need is a new architecture for integrative concepts. What we need are more fraying edges.

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- Critic of Architecture, Architect and Urban Planner, editor of 'Bauwelt' magazine since 1995. Since 2010, deputy editor-in-chief of the magazines 'Bauwelt' and 'Stadtbauwelt'
- Lectures and publications, many of these on the subject of residential housing and city transformation from the 1950s to the present. Curator of the international Bauwelt Conferences since 2014: 'Generation Stadt' on urban density and housing (2014), 'Zukunft Energiewende' on climate change in the city (2015), 'Produktive Stadt' on a new comprehensive understanding of urban mixity (2016)
- Responsible editor of the corresponding issues of Stadtbauwelt, Co-publisher of 'Public Spheres', a book about the current changes in public spaces in Europe taking the European competition as an example
- 2008 - 2014: Co-author of the expert reports commissioned for the LIN office in Paris/Berlin regarding the International Urban Consultancy Group for the future Development of the Paris Metropolitan Area – 'Grand Paris'
- Member of many architectural and urban development juries among others, juror in the 'Grand Prix d' Urbanisme' 2005-2008, the French award for urban planning
- Member of several European juries (E8-2006 in Germany, E9-2008 in Spain, E10-2010 in France, E12-2014 in Austria, E14-2017 in Norway)
- Member of the scientific committee of European Germany (since 1999). Member of the Schelling-Price Committee, distributing the only international Price for Architectural Theory in Germany

