Short Projects 2nd Trimester

# Projects for Banská Štiavnica

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### **Annotation**

All works presented in this documentation were part of the second Trimester organised by one of the three Schools of the International Master of Landscape Architecture (IMLA), the Weihenstephan University of Applied Sciences, South - Germany.

The aim is to give an overview over all five projects worked out for the Slovakian City of Banská Štiavnica.

So, all works were shortened and missing parts or sentences were marked by brackets " [...] ".

Each work contains an imprint were more information about authors and sources can be found.

# **Project Facts**

2nd Trimester I 25th May till 31th July 2009

Exkursion Slowakia I 15th June till 28th June 2009

1st week in Weihenstephan I introduction and workshops

2nd week in Slovakia I Bratislava, Banská Štiavnica

First Presentation in Banská Štiavnica City Council I 26th June 2009

Final Presentation I 30th June 2009

Assignments finish I 21th August 2009
Final Presentation
Documentation of each project

### Location

Banská Štiavnica (German: Schemnitz; Hungarian: Selmecbánya). It is a small and charming city consisting of five districts which are situated in the West Carpathian Mountains. The city is located in the south part of Slovakia; in the so called Pohronie Region. In 1993, it was designated as cultural UNESCO World Heritage.

Inhabitants (2006): 11.000

Area: 46,74 m<sup>2</sup>

Population density: 228 in/km<sup>2</sup> Altitude: 600 m above see level

Geographical information: 48° 28' N, 18° 54' O

Website: www.banskastiavnica.sk



# History

Gothic times, Renaissance, Mining Academy, Austrians and Hungarians, Turks and the gallery-system of Glanzenberg are some terms which formed the history of the city. Banská Štiavnica was the most important mining city in Slovakia since the 13th century. The excavation of gold and silver forms the economical, social and political development for centuries and also influences the appearance of the city.

Besides, this goes along with outstanding engineer and scientific work which can be seen in the city itself and its near surrounding. So, the city is designated as UNESCO World Heritage under the title "Historic Town of Banská Štiavnica and the Technical Monuments in its vicinity".

# Important monuments and historical sites

The surrounding landscape is characterised by a high percentage of forest and grassland.

There are less agricultural and farming activities which could cause problems to keep the ecologically valuable land open in the next decades.

Typical for Banská Štiavnica is the mixed and fragmented structure: Well developed traffic routes are connected with small paths, restored buildings are locate next to degenerated ones, the historical centre flows into an amazing landscape, World Heritage stands in contrast to derelict panel housing and run-down Roma settlements.

The Calvari Mountain is the most important site with its baroque church on its concise top.











Linking the urban context

# Golden and Silver Corridor

# HAND IN HAND project

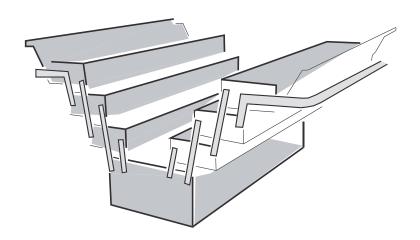


A NEW IDENTITY FORTHE LOCAL ROMA COMMUNITY IN BANSKA STIAVNICA Short project - IMLA 2009 - sofia lopez. denise ascione. christoph dankers.



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# Strategic Toolbox for Banská Štiavnica





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Turning the outside in

Turning the inside out

Possibilities of sanitation measures in the city of Banská Štiavnica

# **Imprint**

Documentation of five projects concerning the 2nd Trimester of the International Master of Landscape Architecture (IMLA) | Summer 2009.

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