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Valle di Muggio. Survey



Introduction

While teaching at ETH Zurich in the 1970s Aldo Rossi set some of his students the task of surveying the historical centre of Zurich. Meticulously, over several months, they drew a plan of the ground floor spaces of the building fabric of the old city. Years later, working with Eraldo Consolascio and Max Bosshard, Rossi undertook an extensive study of Ticino which resulted in *La costruzione del territorio: uno studio sul canton Ticino* (The construction of territory: a study on the canton Ticino), published in 1979. Both offer a conceptual basis in which to understand the materials produced by the students of Studio Sergison at the Accademia di Architettura, Mendrisio.

For each of the seven settlements that form the Valle di Muggio – Bruzella, Cabbio, Campora, Caneggio, Casima, Monte and Muggio – students produced a plan following the method used by Aldo Rossi's students, and following the example set by their study of Ticino, carefully documented each settlement through drawings in section and elevations, sketches and extensive photography.

As a whole, this work is a snapshot of the condition of this territory today and it forms the basis for the strategy plans and individual proposals the students have produced.

As always, in our studio we believe that it is necessary to understand the character of a place and the way it has developed a specific approach to building in order to propose appropriate solutions that build on local traditions and conventions.

Project sites

1 Muggio	Giada Walzer Estelle Gagliardi Elsa Labouré Alex Farina
2 Caneggio	Valentina Roncoroni Martina Penati Angela Monterisi Sara Mantovani Filippo Dal Lago
3 Cabbio	Valentin Sanchez Justin Rellstab Olivia Chimenti
4 Bruzella	Giulia Mauri Pietro Falchi Martina Bertani Sophie Agne
5 Casima	Chiara Maisto Daniele Boschese Manon Arduino
6 Monte	Giusy La Licata Jai Yoon Kim Gauthier Füllemann
7 Campora	Beatrice Zago Francesco Tudino





1 Muggio

Giada Walzer
Estelle Gagliardi
Elsa Labouré
Alex Farina



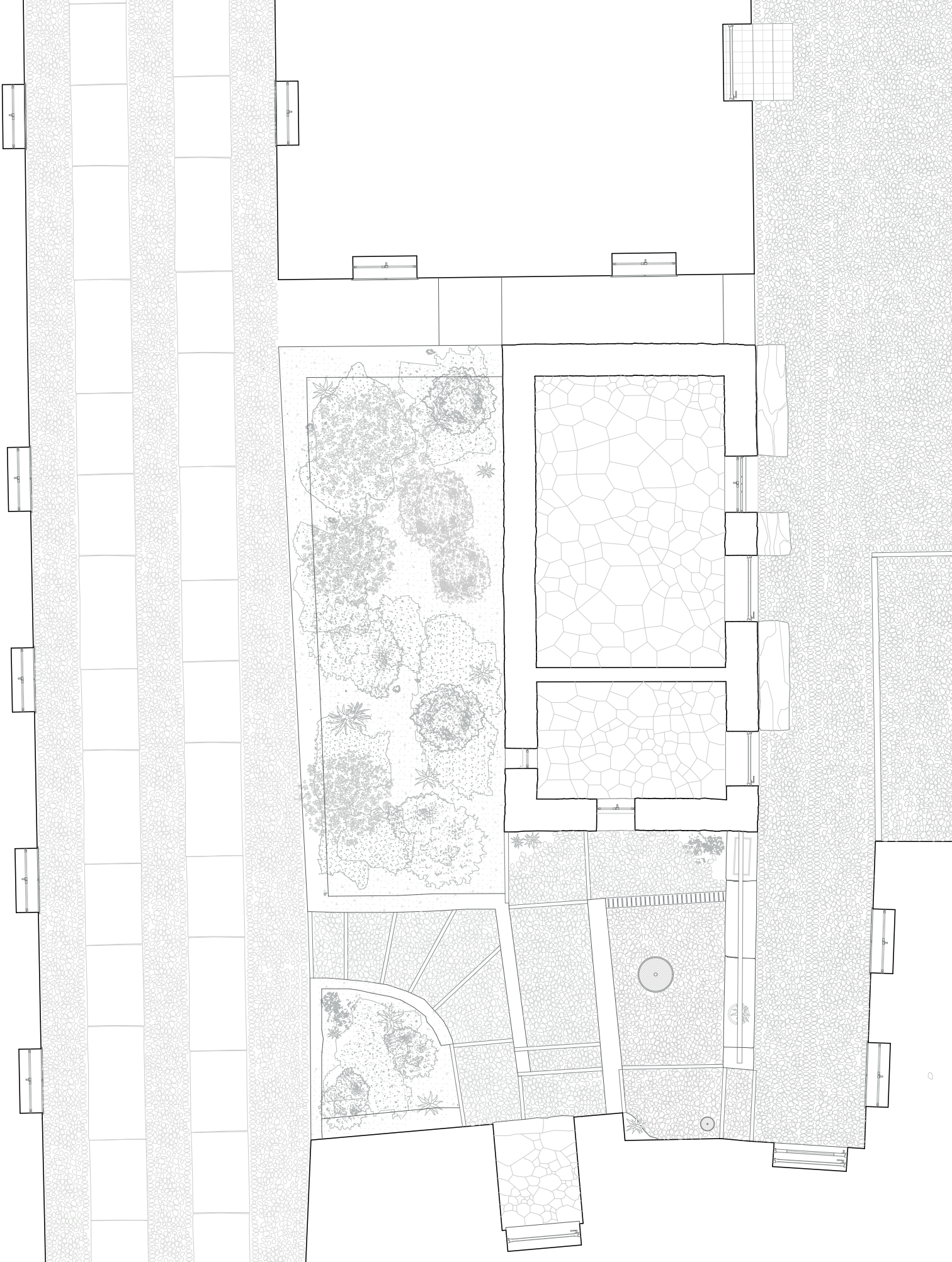
Section through Cantonal Road



Survey plan







Study of paving and landscape





2 Caneggio

Valentina Roncoroni
Martina Penati
Angela Monterisi
Sara Mantovani
Filippo Dal Lago



Section through Cantonal Road



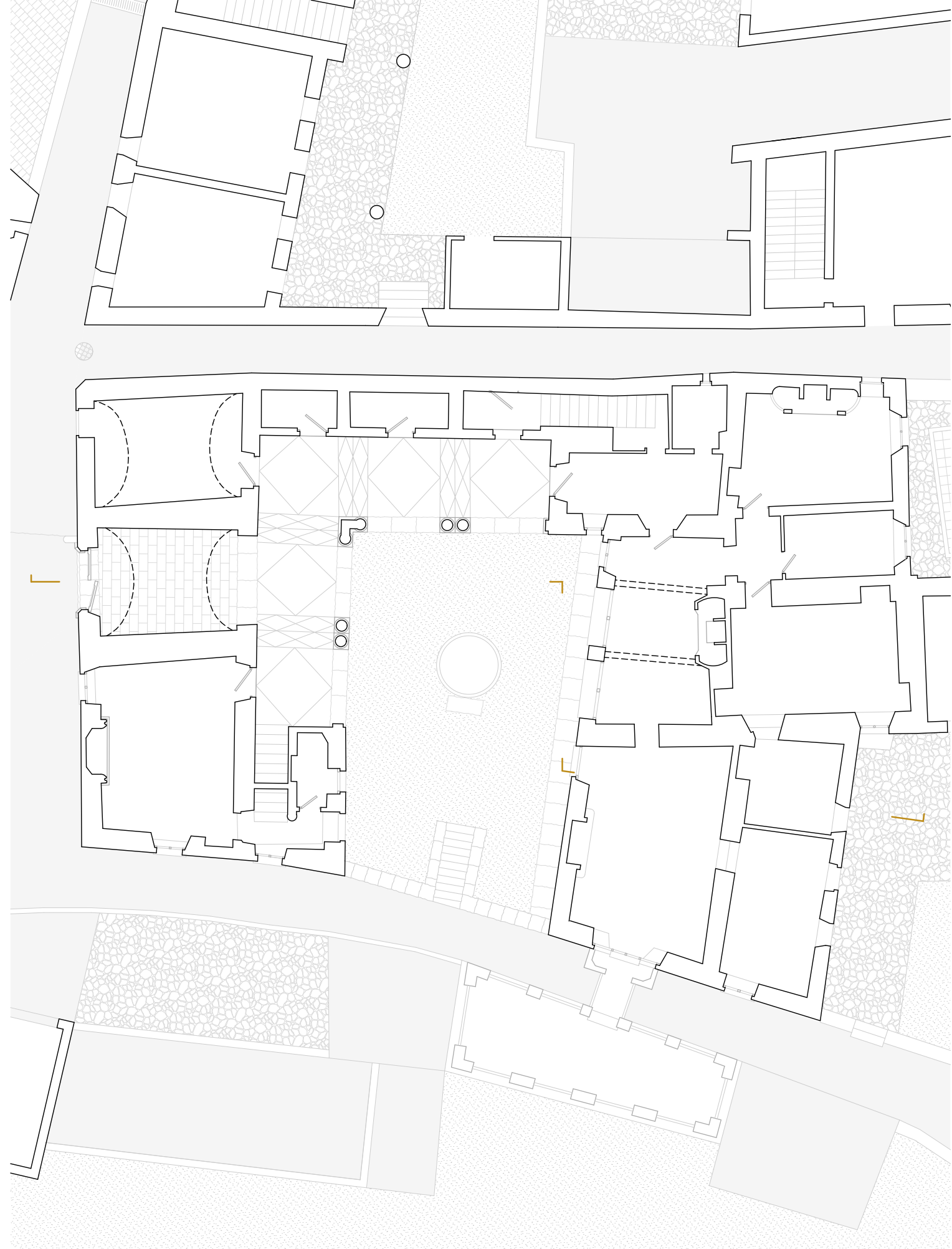
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Survey plan

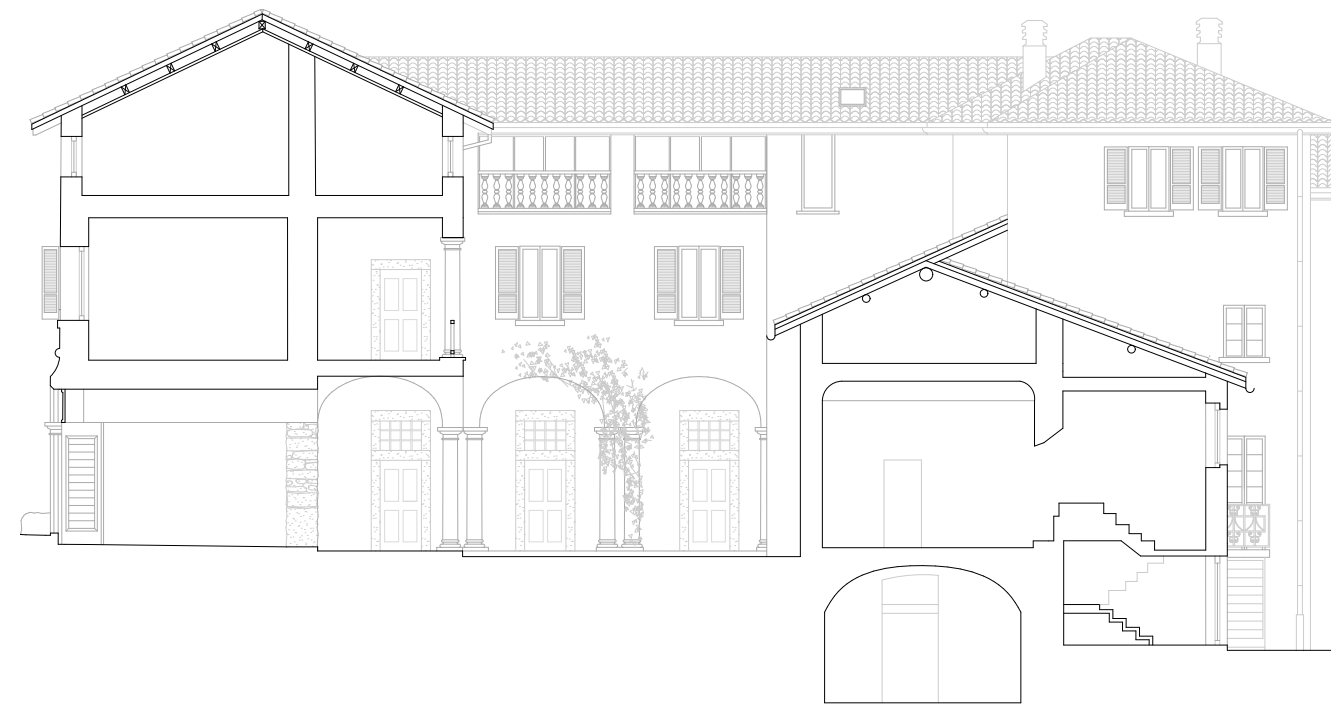


In between spaces: house entrance and portico





House plans study



Section study of courtyard



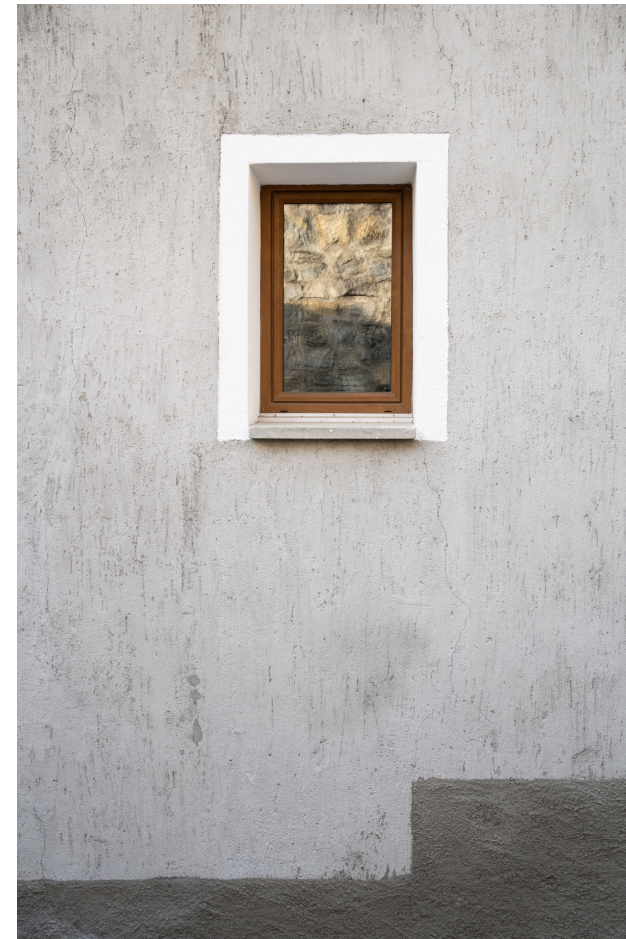
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Section through the church piazza







4 Bruzella

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Martina Bertani
Sophie Agne



Long section through settlement



Survey plan



Detail of public realm with stone area





5 Casima
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Section through the main road

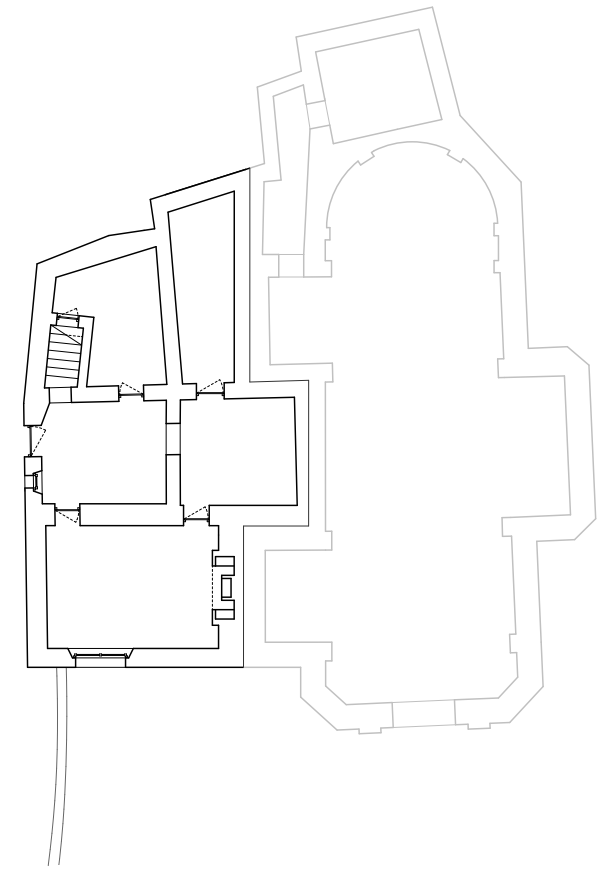
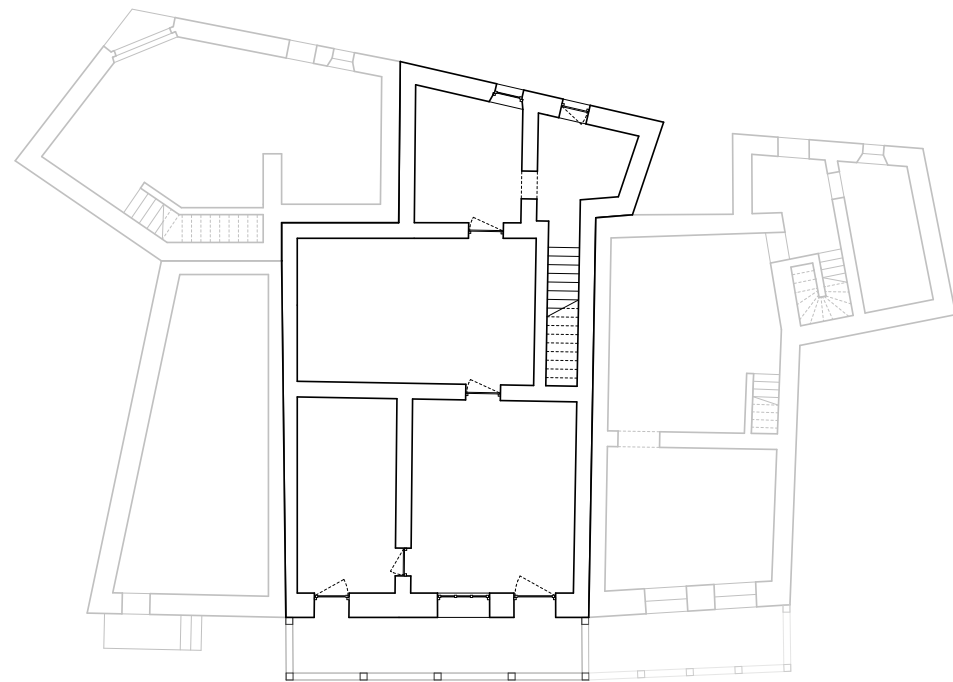




Street paving detail



Proposed extension of green areas



Elevation and plan



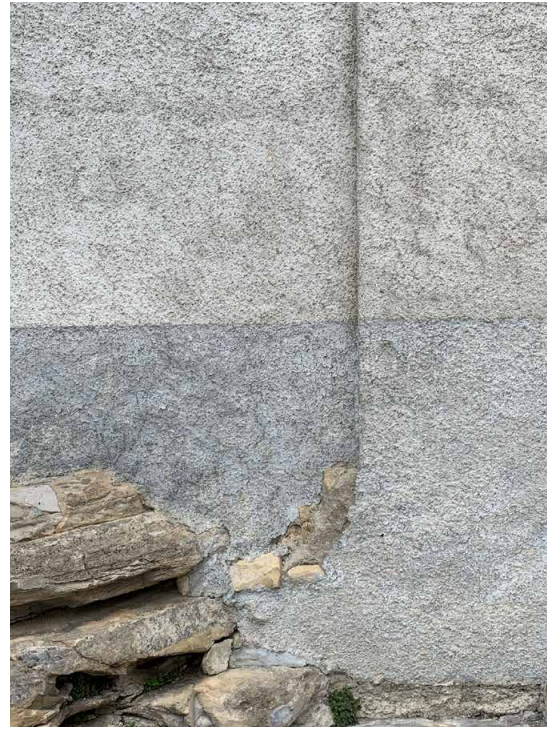
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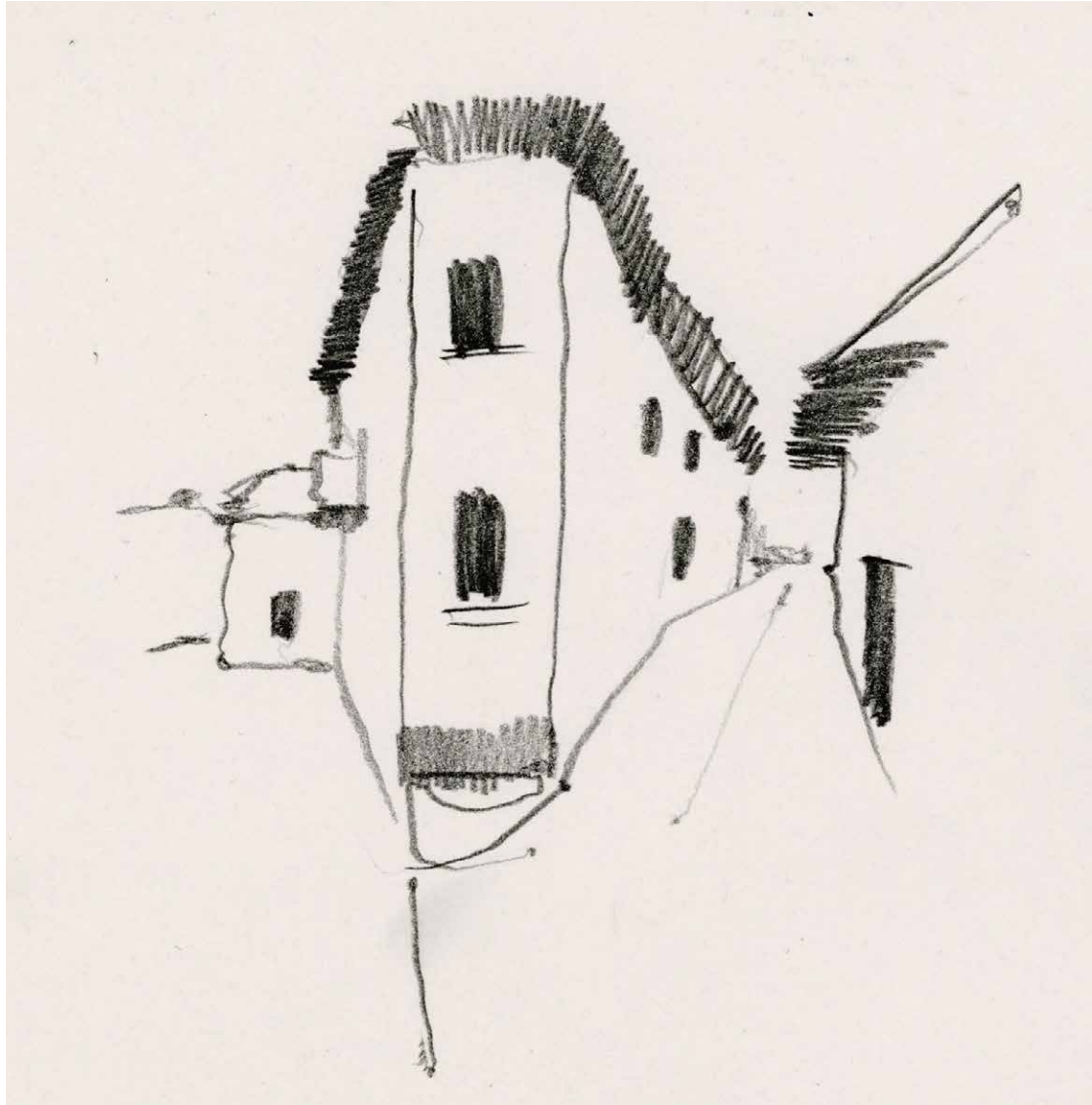
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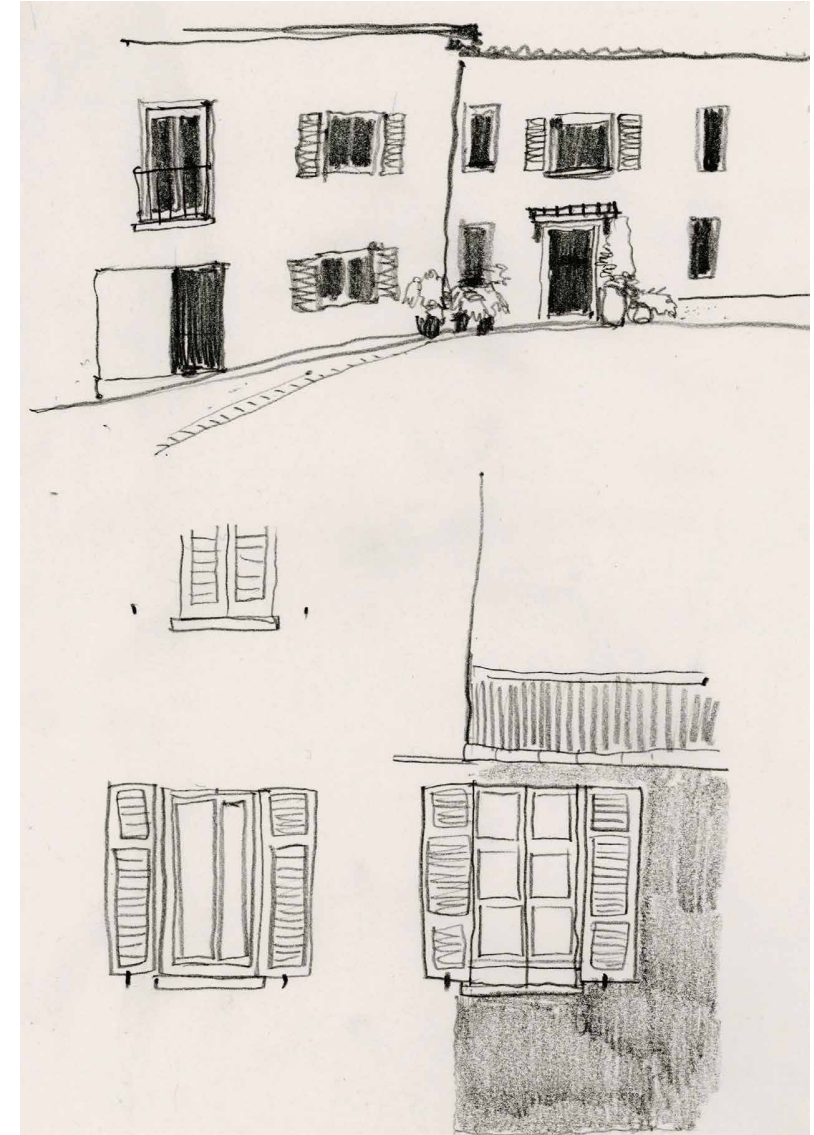
Section through the main road







Roof details



Window assemblies



7 Campora

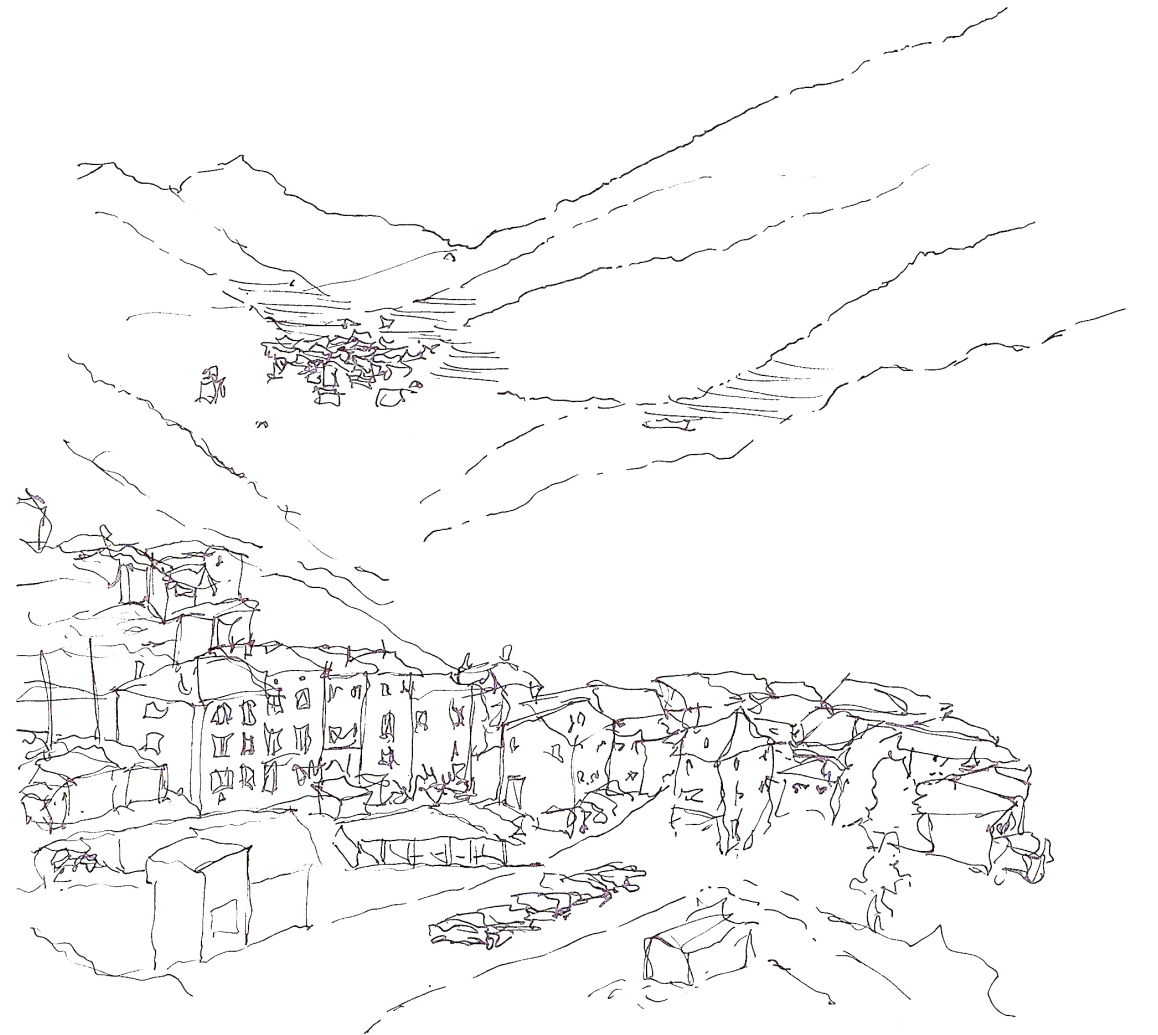
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