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“What I find fascinating about construction and real estate is the metamorphosis, the process of developing potential, and the fact that a basic human need is met – the need for a roof, four walls and a sense of home. I generally like to introduce a change of perspective into our work to encourage new thought and action.”

My career has been mostly dominated by the world of museums. I was in charge of Lenzburg’s Burghalde Museum for 13 years, overseeing its archaeological and urban history department as well as the affiliated museum of icons. Under my aegis, the 17th century property underwent a 2-year renovation which also involved the refurnishing of the museum. Before Lenzburg, I had gathered experience working at a series of other museums, among them the Rietberg Museum in Zurich. From time to time, I also worked on book projects. I gained my PhD from the History Department of the University of Basel and was also teaching for a short time.

Right now, I am putting my wealth of experience to good use in the “Sonnenberg” project. The listed refurbishment property is being turned into a cultural oasis and guest house that will open its doors in 2023.

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