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"Gold for suburbs"

The idea is to work with objects and situations that exist at the site. This is done in a working process on the site that can be recognesized, followed and influenced by the citzens. Contacts and communication across the language barrier and among the local inhabitants themselves will happen and are an integral part of the proposed scheme. During the process a golden coating is applied in a careful and lasting manner using slow and manual techniques of basic craftmanship. According to budget the coating contains a certain fraction of true gold. So the golden coating does not only add a symbolic meaning but also upgrades the materialistic value of the chosen objects, situations and even vegetation - at least theoretically. The goldeninized spots remain as traces of these activities and form a sequence that can be followed through the suburan habitat. It connects different locations, their inhabitants and different neighborhoods. This sequence of golden traces will attract the interest of the whole community and increase the sense of place.

This concept is applied similarily to all of the six locations. Each time the concrete actions are chosen according to the specific topics and problems. In the preparation phase the contact to local players is sought. The process of planning and working together (with us and with eachother) in the course of the implemation will create a sense of common effort and groupforming that may be an important step towards betterment in itself.

At Délegyháza (Budapest) golden markings and objects are brought into situations that are linked to the use and the accessibility of the lakes. In a playful way we hope to raise awareness for these issues and to open up a fresh discussion in the whole community about them.



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