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MARTIN FRÖHLICH is one of the founders of AFF Architects. He trained as a bricklayer in historic preservation before studying architecture in Weimar. Since 2013, he has been teaching and researching as an associate professor at the Laboratory of Elementary Architecture and Studies of Types with Dr. Anja Fröhlich at EPFL Lausanne. From 2020 – 2023 he was the vice-president of the Swiss Architecture Council and since 2023 he founded with partners the AFFECT.COMPANY for research on sustainable construction.

AFF is an architectural studio with East German roots, founded by brothers Martin and Sven Fröhlich in Weimar. Today, AFF is co-led with Ulrike Dix, Monic Frahn, and Valentino Vitacca as a collective of architects, craftsmen, and researchers, based in Berlin and Lausanne. They teach and research at various institutions.

In addition to their strong expertise in building within existing structures and for educational and public facilities, AFF focuses on craftsmanship as the most important component of an enduring building practice. As shown in several exhibitions, they draw their formal affinity from an ambiguous fundus, blending their appreciation for traditional constructions and spatial impressions.



Various educational buildings and projects, like the Schutzhütte at Fichtelberg, Sächsisches Bergarchiv in Freiberg, or the listed experimental grain storage Kornversuchsspeicher in Berlin, have been published internationally and awarded architectural prizes. In addition to their extensive expertise in renovation and building in existing structures, AFF has completed numerous educational buildings and maintains a large archive of typological studies on school buildings. 2025 the office received the German Architecture Award (DAM).



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