DAYLIGHT AWARD 2014

WINNER: Kazuyo Sejima + Ryue Nishizawa from SANAA, Tokyo with a sum of CHF 100’000

OBJECT: Rolex Learning Center at EPFL in Lausanne, where daylight plays a key role both inside and out. The radical attempt to create an innovative educational setting turns the building into what is virtually a walk-in sculpture by means of daylight modulating the landscape. With virtually no partitions on the inside, and glass all the way around the outside, many different effects of the light are created, all perceptible simultaneously. In addition, the Learning Center appears to be floating in mid-air as a result of the light reflected from beneath the building.
**HONORARY AWARD 2014**

**Christian Kerez, Zurich**
The building is a convincing demonstration of the interplay between daylight, architecture and construction. The different types of glazing create a range of specific lighting effects. The highlight of this tower-like school is the spectacular gym hall on the roof, which is glazed on all four sides, making users feel as if their sports activities are taking place in the open air.

**Schoolbuilding Leutschenbach, Zurich**

**THE JURY 2014**

Professor Marc Angélil, architect, ETH Zurich,  
Jury chairman  
Professor Colin Fournier, architect, Visiting Professor  
Chinese University of Hong Kong  
Professor Dr. Anna Wirz-Justice, Centre for Chronobiology,  
University of Basle  
Professor Annette Gigon, architect, Winner of the Daylight Award 2012  
Professor Karin Sander, Architecture and Art, ETH Zurich  
Professor Michele Arnaboldi, architect, Accademia Architettura, Mendrisio  
Kurt Stutz, President of the board, VELUX STIFTUNG  
Lene Kann-Rasmussen, Board member, VELUX STIFTUNG
NOMINEES 2014

AMJGS Architecture AG
Residential building Kern, Glarus

Bêtrix & Consolascio
Loft Bäckerstrasse 40, Zurich

Boltshauser Architects AG
School pavilion Allenmoos II, Zurich

Buchner Bründler Architects
Summerhouse, Linescio TI
Buchner Bründer Architects / studer strasser Architects

Municipal centre, Seltisberg

Alex Buob

Elevator, Rorschach

Gion A. Caminada Architecture

Girl’s boarding School Disentis

Beat Consoni AG

College of Education Thurgau, Kreuzlingen

Darlington Meier Architects

Uetlibergstrasse 135, Zurich
Gerold Dietrich Architecture
Meyer Burger AG
Campus Thun

Durisch + Nolli Architetti Sagl

Education centre Schweizerischer Baumeisterverband, Gordola

EM2N Architects AG
Conversion Rosenberg, Winterthur

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Conversion Viaduktbögen, Zurich

ernst niklaus fausch Architects

Retrofit Indoor Swimming Pool 'City', Zurich
Pascal Flammer

Holiday home, Balsthal

giuliani.hönger ag

University of Applied Sciences Sihlhof, Zurich

Gmür & Gschwentner Architects AG

Tower building Hardturm Park, Zurich

Silvia Gmür Reto Gmür Architects

Institute of Forensic Medicine and Pathology, St. Gallen

Gschwind Architects

Community Centre Grimseltor, Innertkirchen BE
Guidotti Architects SA

Residence Pedemonte, Monte Carasso

Haberland Architects BDA

Extension Highschool Rychenberg / Im Lee, Winterthur

Architects ARGE, Hubacher + Peier / Haerle Hubacher

Retrofit Botanical Garden Zurich

Hurst Song Architects

House ‚Holzkristall‘, Lumbrein

idA buehrer wuest Architects ag

BOG, Schauhaus Botanischer Garten Grüneningen ZH
k_m architecture GmbH

Family home Bündlerbergstrasse 4, Weinfelden

k_m architecture GmbH

Family home Obere Lehrütistrasse 14, Unterterzen

Käferstein & Meister

Residential building, Küsnacht ZH

Christian Kerez

School building Leutschenbach, Zurich

ARGE Walker Architects, Liechti Graf Zumsteg Architekten

Operational building IBB-Group Brugg
Lischer Partner Architects Planer AG

Holiday home, Wilenstrasse, Vitznau

Davide Macullo Architects

JANSEN CAMPUS, Oberriet SG

Bernard Tschumi Architects with M+V, Merlini & Ventura Architectes

Metro station Flon M2, Lausanne

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JANUS Town museum Rapperswil-Jona

Baserga Mozzetti Architects

Double sports hall CPC, Chiasso
Architecture Mangeat-Wahlen

La Maison de l’Écriture, Montricher

Märkli Architect

Visitor Centre, Novartis Campus Basel

Rolf Mühlethaler Architect BSA SIA

School building Falletsche Leimbach, Zurich

Valerio Olgiati

Office building Valerio Olgiati, Flims

Valerio Olgiati

Residential building complex Zug Schleife, Zug
Penzel Valier AG

New Tramdepot Bern

Ramser Schmid Architects

Extension schoolbuilding, Rüschlikon

Andrea Roost

Office building CSS Tribschenstadt, Luzern

Rossetti+Wyss Architects

Switchboard building Wollishofen, Zurich

Ruch & Partner Architects AG

Chesa Perini, S-chanf
Ruinelli Associati SA Architects SIA

Conversion of a stable, Soglio

SANAA

Rolex Learning Center, Lausanne

Smolenicky & Partner

Tamina Thermal bath, Bad Ragaz

Staufer & Hasler Architects AG

Federal Administrative Court St. Gallen

Staufer & Hasler Architects AG

Highschool Wil SG
Tilla Theus und Partner AG

Summit restaurant, Arosa Weisshorn

Wespi de Meuron Romeo Architects BSA AG

Residential building, Ranzo