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## Project details

Client	Sántis-Schwebbahn AG
Architecture	Schällibaum AG
Project type	Hotels and restaurants
Construction type	Wood element construction
Services	Timber construction
Construction	2015
Locality	Schwägalp
Country	Switzerland

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## Sustainability as a top priority

The new hotel replaces the ageing infrastructure at Schwägalp. The new construction and the resulting integration into the natural environment has changed the appearance of Schwägalp for the better. Once overshadowed by the traditional, massive mountain inn, the terrain is now a gentle Alpine landscape. The hotel is a hybrid construction comprising reinforced concrete and timber. The outer walls consist of shell elements with pre-installed windows, which were clad with a larch facade. The massive timber construction elements were transported to Schwägalp on flatbed lorries. The large roof beams and elements were placed directly on the shell and installed by us. The first floor and the three hotel room floors above that have a wooden facade, in which the Appenzell-style decorative elements are integrated. The working conditions were not always easy due to the heavy rain, but that did not stop our team.

## Specific Contact



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Harmoniously integrated into the Alpine landscape

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Pre-weathered larch facade

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Interior design with a regional accent

High-spec guest rooms