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The newly renovated premises are located in the upper storey of the former Palais Breuner, now called the Generalihof. Bomb damage and various building alterations have made lasting changes to the city palace. Nevertheless, historically valuable vaults, archways and wall paintings from various eras can still be found in the building. Therefore, the primary aim was to remove ill-fitting additions from recent decades, which were significantly detracting from the historical architecture. This "clearing out" should facilitate the unhindered view of the historical old structure, even if only still existing in part, and the carefully chosen, minimal new adjustments should better highlight the contrast between old and new.

