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Extension for wittockiana library

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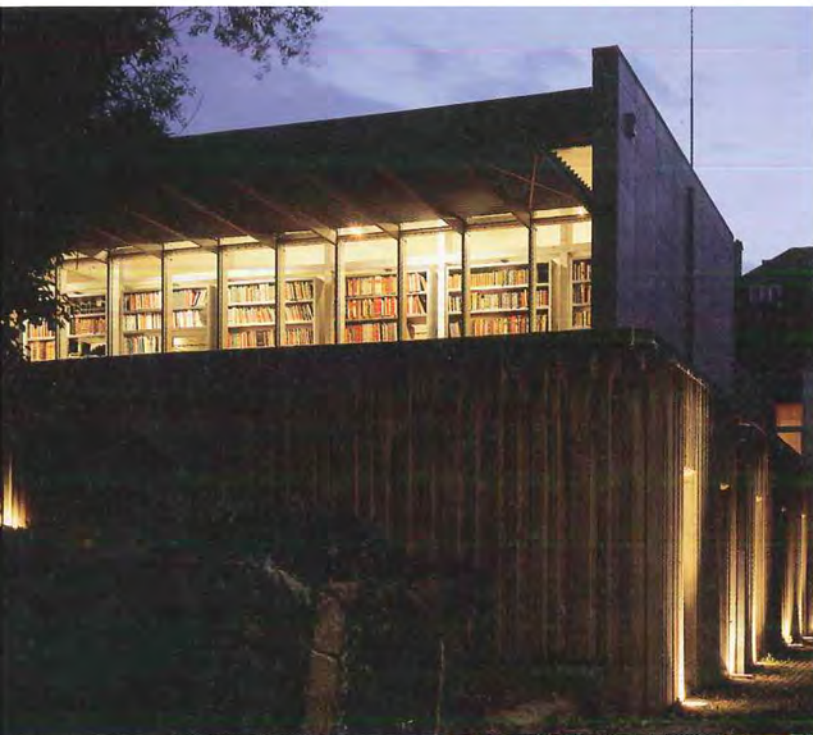
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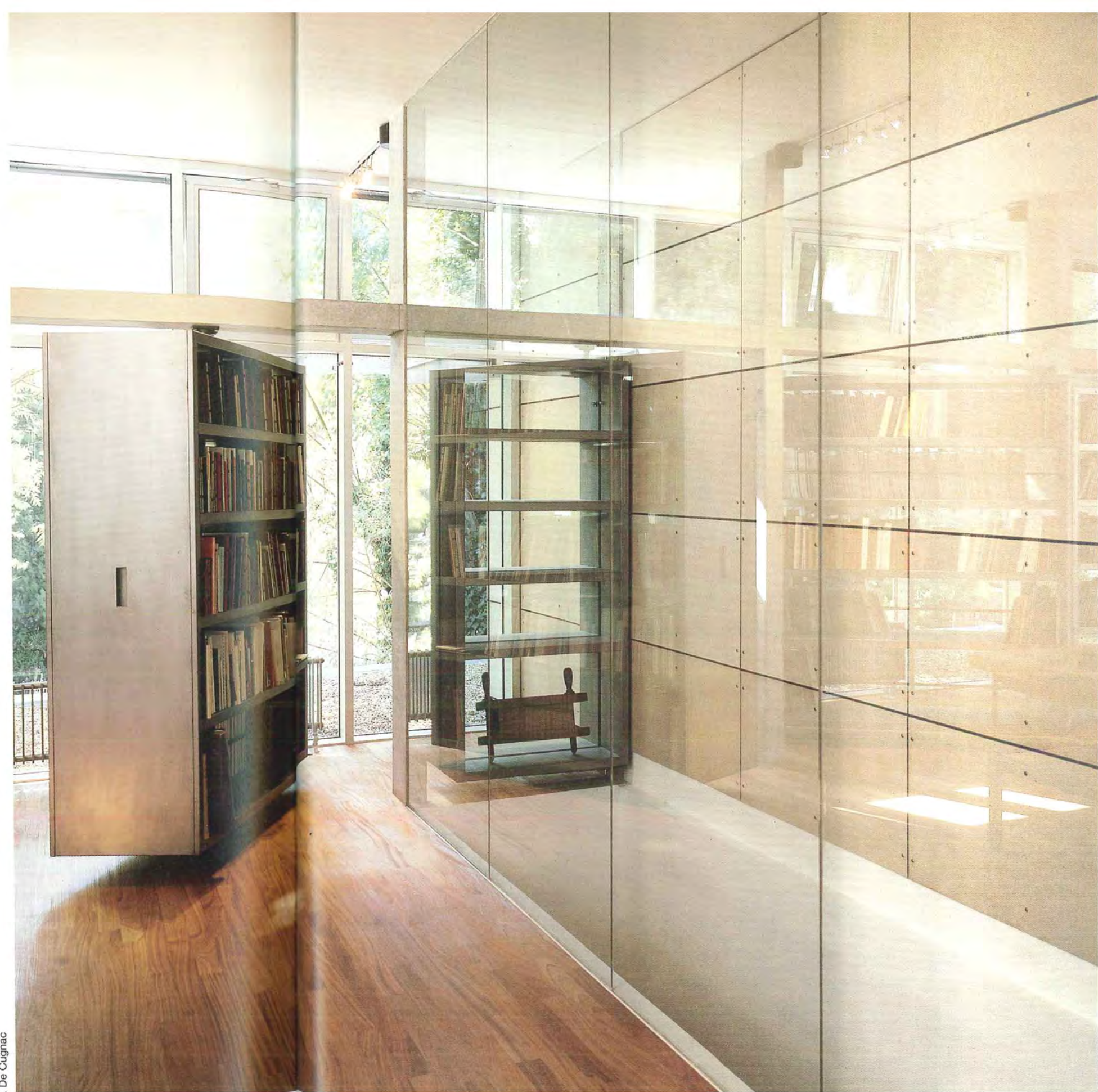
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This project aimed to increase the existing space whilst diversifying the function of the building. On the one hand, this allows existing collections to be developed and, on the other hand, allocates more space to the public. This extension replaces a tennis court situated on the roof of an existing building. The first floor is constructed out of concrete like a bunker, protecting the precious books. Our concept can be defined as an exploded box which delivers its catalogues and research to the public via a "wall of books".