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EXCELSIOR



Picture Description¹⁾

A low-angle, monochrome photograph featuring construction sites with cranes, temporary structures on stilts, a bus, and a cloudy sky, all within an urban landscape.

Analysis¹⁾

This high-contrast black and white photograph, framed by a distorted perspective as if viewed through a reflective surface, captures a scene of urban development against a backdrop of ominous clouds. Two imposing, modular buildings, seemingly constructed from stacked containers, dominate the foreground, each topped with towering construction cranes. The structures appear to be elevated on scaffolding, adding to the sense of impermanence and ongoing construction. In the mid-ground, a more traditionally styled building hints at the existing urban landscape, while a bus bearing the word "EXCELSIOR" adds a touch of modernity and a hint of irony. The dark, swirling clouds create a dramatic atmosphere, contrasting sharply with the rigid geometry of the buildings and cranes. The overall effect is one of tension, progress, and the interplay between the old and the new in a city undergoing constant transformation.

Picture Data

	Type / Size	By	Web Link
Exposure	Digital	Frank Titze	 Frank Titze-art1881 Artwork Data Sheet ID: 006818
Developing	—	—	
Enlarging	—	—	
Scanning	—	—	
Processing	Digital	Frank Titze	
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Dates	09/2018	12/2018	05/2019
	Width	Height	Bits/Color
Original Size	7560 px	5112 px	16
Ratio ca.	1.48	1	—
Exposure	24x36 mm		
Location	—		
Title (German)	EXCELSIOR		

Remarks

¹⁾Text is AI generated - NOT reviewed and/or corrected