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a+u's November issue features the work of Johnston Marklee and Associates. Founded in 1998 and rooted in the cultural landscape of Los Angeles, their office has continuously sought dialog with modern and contemporary art not only through clientele and project programs but also in design approach. A series of iconic houses quickly established the firm's international acclaim, but in the past decade their projects have expanded greatly in scale and diversified in building type. The intense investigative nature that characterizes every project is often veiled behind playfulness and simplicity. Twenty-six key projects, ranging from houses and exhibitions to museums and institutions, are presented here alongside 8 thematic collages to convey the full range of Johnston Marklee's works. Interspersed is a series of 12 commentaries by collaborators and colleagues, bringing the work of Johnston Marklee "to life with their interpretations."

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