

LÉMAN PULSE

Léman pulse is a poetic project that aims to map the landscape around Léman lake according to people's interactions and communications taking place on this site and shaping them into new subjective landscapes. Léman lake is a central spot in Geneva, hosting several of the city's main attractions, and a meeting point for both tourists and locals alike. Although each of these groups seems to engage with the lake in different ways (with tourists being more interested in recording proves of their presence, while genevois tend to be more adept of exploring whole presence interactions through direct physical activities) is it clear that the lake shores play an important role in social imaginary.

Three sites were selected from the lake shores, based on the strength of their presence in the collective imaginary and people's testimonies. In-site research was conducted in order to collect data from various mediums such as photographs, videos, interviews, electromagnetic waves (indicating the number of artifacts being used as interfaces), visual observations on behaviors, activities and colors most chosen by people; active networks being used for communicating at the lake and their strength. The scenes were then assembled with the objective of providing an augmented notion of the chosen sites, from the most peaceful contemplation behavior present in most interactions with lake Léman to the great amount of invisible data being hectic exchanged, going through the stories and memories that play an emotional role to people's perceptions of such locations.