Preface

This book partly reproduces the original German-language version "Integration im Wohnbau – Modelle für ein soziales Zusammenleben", published by Verlag Birkhäuser in 2017. Although increasing migration occurred, particularly from 2015, during the period of this study, it is in no way concerned with the acute housing policy measures taken at the time but focuses on the matter of "integration" – a process that is seen as long-term, detailed and continuous.

This English edition analyses examples of the opportunities for effective action of the limited-profit, cooperatively-organised, Vienna group of companies (Sozialbau AG) from various perspectives.

The original version in German contains articles expanding on the theme by August Gächter (Housing in Urban Transition – Changes in social homogeneity in Vienna), Margrit Hugentobler/Marie Glaser (CH / Housing Integration in Zurich – Approaches, measures and exemplary projects) and Wolfgang Förster (Special Circumstances and/or Everyday Occurrence – What housing design can contribute to integration).

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