



*Arcos da Lapa, Rio de Janeiro*

### **CALL FOR PROJECTS - UNESCO-UIA WORLD CAPITAL OF ARCHITECTURE 2020**

Rio de Janeiro has been designated as the first UNESCO-UIA World Capital of Architecture for 2020. The city will hold a series of events spanning the entire year, with particular focus on the 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda. UIA Working Bodies and Member Sections are invited to participate in the World Capital of Architecture Programme by submitting proposals for events to Rio de Janeiro City Hall [here](#).

[Find out more](#)



### **UIA 2020 RIO - WORLD CONGRESS OF ARCHITECTS**

World-renowned architects, Solano Benítez, Francis Kéré, and Elizabeth de Portzamparc have been announced as speakers for UIA 2020 RIO, the 27th World Congress of Architects, taking place in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil from 19-23 July 2020.

Organised by the Institute of Architects of Brazil (IAB), under the auspices of the International Union of Architects (UIA), this congress will explore the theme “All the worlds. Just one world. Architecture 21”. The congress will be structured around four interconnected themes: Diversity and Mixture; Changes and Emergencies; Vulnerabilities and Inequalities; Transience and Flows. Architects are invited to submit their proposals on these four core subjects via the [congress website](#).

The UIA invites you to register in advance for the congress to benefit from reduced early-bird rates.

[Find out more and register](#)



*Conference venue, UNESCO Headquarters, Paris*

## ACE-UIA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DESIGN COMPETITIONS

The ACE-UIA International Conference on Design Competitions is taking place at the UNESCO headquarters in Paris on 25 October. Audrey Azoulay, Director General of UNESCO, is expected to deliver opening remarks and speakers include Dominique Perrault, Eva Jiřičná and Kjetil Thorsen (Snøhetta). The event is jointly organised by the Architects' Council of Europe and the International Union of Architects, with the support of UNESCO and the European Commission.

[Find out more and register](#)

## COMPETITIONS AND PRIZES ▼



## COMPETITION RESULTS - 2019 UIA WORLD ARCHITECTURE DAY POSTER

The winner of the UIA 2019 World Architecture Poster Competition is Huda Gharandouqa, from Jordan. On World Architecture Day, 7 October 2019, people all over the world will spotlight architecture through events, exhibits and lectures. Ms. Gharandouqa's dramatic winning design will be the unifying visual identity for the programmes and activities organised worldwide.

[Find out more](#)





**FRIENDLY & INCLUSIVE SPACES AWARDS - ARCHITECTURE FOR ALL WORK PROGRAMME**

Organised by the UIA's Work Programme, Architecture for All, the Friendly and Inclusive Spaces Awards were established to promote inspiring examples of friendly and inclusive buildings and places that have created socially sustainable environments through high quality architectural design.

The Categories include: 1) New Buildings 2) Refurbished Existing Buildings, including Historic Buildings 3) Public and Open Spaces and 4) Research

The deadline for submissions for the first round is 30 October 2019. Winners will be invited to participate in the official Awards Ceremony at the 27th UIA World Congress in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 19-23 July 2020.

[Find out more](#)



# GOLDEN CUBES AWARDS

[www.architectureandchildren-uia.com](http://www.architectureandchildren-uia.com)

AWARD CATEGORY:

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1- Each class explored one of the 8 sites of project selected in Saint-Jean district

2- The children organised in little groups, have imagined propositions to convert these places during workshops with architects and landscape designers.

3- An exhibition of the children's propositions for the city was organised to share their works with families, and also with local councillors, operators, and inhabitants.



**GOLDEN CUBES AWARD - ARCHITECTURE & CHILDREN WORK PROGRAMME**

The deadline for national UIA Member Sections to register for the Golden Cubes Award is fast approaching. Organised by the UIA Architecture and Children Work Programme, the Golden Cubes Award recognises projects designed to teach children and young people about architecture and the built environment. UIA Member Sections are invited to register by 1 September 2019.

[Find out more](#)

**WORKING BODIES ▼**



### **CONFERENCE - COMMUNITY ARCHITECTURE + HUMAN RIGHTS**

The UIA Community Architecture & Human Rights conference (JUSTcity Jozi) took place in Johannesburg on 1-2 August 2019. Participants raised key questions regarding architecture's influence in sustainable urbanisation policy, community and spatial justice. The UIA CA+HR Work Programme is organising a further conference in Hong Kong in April next year, leading up to the RIO 2020 UIA World Congress.

[Find out more](#)

### **UIA MEMBER SECTIONS ▼**



*Conference venue, Pavillon Sicli, Geneva, Switzerland*

### **REGISTRATION OPEN - INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON BAUKULTUR**

Registration is now open for the Conference "Getting the measure of Baukultur", taking place from the 4th-5th November 2019, at the Pavillon Sicli in Geneva, Switzerland.

In January 2018 the European Ministers of Culture adopted the Davos Declaration calling for a high-quality Baukultur to improve the wellbeing of all. This conference aims to analyse how we can improve and assess the built environment.

[Find out more and register](#)



### **RIBA INTERNATIONAL AND HONORARY FELLOWS 2019**

RIBA has announced its 2019 International and Honorary Fellowships, celebrating architects around the world who have made a major contribution to the built environment over the course of their careers. The RIBA Honorary Fellowships reward the notable contributions architects have made to the profession, namely through promotion, administration, outreach, building sustainable communities and educating future generations.

[Find out more](#)





*Conference venue, Westin Harbour Castle, Toronto, Canada*

## **TORONTO FESTIVAL OF ARCHITECTURE**

The Royal Architectural Institute of Canada (RAIC) is organising the Toronto Festival of Architecture, 26-30 October. With the theme “The Future of Architecture”, the festival will comprise five days of workshops, two galas and sixteen specialised architecture tours. This year’s festival will also feature a trade show, which will run for three days, from 27-29 October, including two networking breakfasts and one networking lunch.

[Find out more and register](#)



## **OSLO ARCHITECTURE TRIENNALE**

The Oslo Architecture Triennale (OAT) will run from 25-28 September this year. Jointly organised by Norwegian architecture institutions, including the National Association of Norwegian Architects, the core theme of the Triennale is “Enough: The Architecture of Degrowth”. Participants will be invited to consider alternatives to the profit-making paradigm in the built environment in response to the climate emergency and social inequality.

[Find out more and register](#)





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