



Archistart promotes **ArchiHackers Competition**, a contest to reward young designers creativity and talent.

Do you have a favourite architecture? Do you remember how many architectural design references you met during your academic studies? **ArchiHackers** is an invitation to hack an architecture, transforming, multiplying or simplifying it.

At a time when transformation, expansion of buildings, regeneration and construction on the built are turning more and more important, the contest is an invitation to experiment with your own idea of architecture, to confront your own design references, enhancing transformation and change.

Imagine that a client asks you to change the image of a facade, to expand a library or a museum, to extend a wing of a school, leaving space for your ideas and your vision.

Renovation and Expansion of the Morgan **Library** by RPBW. New York

Archihackers Competition 2019

ArchiHackers Competition is an annual event, a competition inspired by the major transformation projects that are taking place in contemporary urban contexts.

The reconsideration of a façade, an expansion on the existing, a new cover, the extension of a modern architecture, the revisiting of an interior. The possibility of giving a new image and enhancing your dream project.

To take part in the contest, you have to choose a reference architecture (modern or contemporary architecture interventions) and to imagine freely, without any fixed constraint, a transformation.

The transformation to propose is free-themed and, for instance, it can concern volume subtraction or addition, change of materials, new covering, as well as variation of the function. Even the techniques of representation are free, with the possibility of using render, photomontages, illustrations, models, patterns and drawings of all kinds.

The ability to communicate the idea behind a creative process will be evaluated as presented in one single table project.

We provide here below iconic and inspiring images for the theme





Reference:
Colosseo Quadrato
by G. Guerrini, E.
Lapadula e M.
Romano + Cascina
Merlata Social
Housing by b22



Casa del Fascio by G.Terragni + nuovo involucro







how to apply

Participation fee

≥ 50 €

The fee is charged per project, not per person - i.e. in case of a team proposal, the fee should be paid once, whichever is the number of the members.

How to apply

SIGN UP ON WWW.ARCHISTART .NET

CREATE YOUR GROUP if you join the contest as a team, create your group

SELECT 'ACTI VE COMPETITI ON' and choose Archihacker2019

CLICK ON 'CLICK HERE TO JOIN'

FILL THE FORM WITH

name of the project, group or individual participation and payment method

YOU'LL FIND YOUR PROJECT IN 'MY PORTFOLIO'

only you can see your project; at the end of the competition your project will be made public.

EDIT YOUR PROJECT

add the cover picture, the detailing images, description and the board (A3 sheet file).

How to create a group

CLICK ON 'CREATE A NEW GROUP' in 'my groups'

INVIT E THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE GROUP

click on 'send invites' if they are already registered on the archistart platform, if they are not registered yet, click on 'send invitation by email'

Payment

PAY PAL CREDIT OR DEBIT CARDS

The application to the contest will be carried out immediately. We will send you an email with a uniqueID that you will put on your board.

BANK TRANSFER

The application paid via bank transfer is not immediate.

When the receipt of payment will be received, we will send you an email with a uniqueID that you will put on your board

- * Once the application is confirmed and the payment is received, the application fee cannot be reimbursed.
- ** Archistart will refer to the date of the reception of the deposit, not to the date when the payment has been made.

After you have chosen the payment method, your project, visible in 'my portfolio', will be marked as:

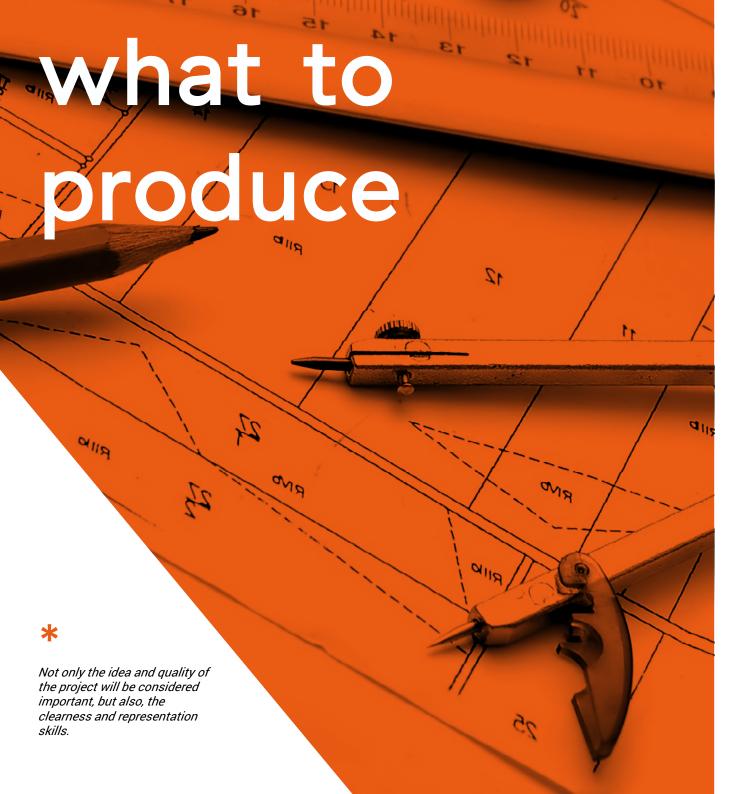
DRAFT

so you can edit your project, upload the table, add description and detailing images.

The project is not public, only the participant or group members can see the project.

PENDING

The project will be visible as PENDING:
- when choosing bank transfer as
Payment Method, the project cannot be
changed (when the payment is verified
the project will be modified as DRAFT)
- during jury evaluation



What to produce

The project must be presented with one table in DIN-A3 (horizontal) format.

The table must report exclusively the competition name and the application code > Archihacker2019 - uniqueID (the table itself must be named in the same way).

If the name of the team or its members, or any explicit reference appear so that it is possible to associate the project to the team or its members, the proposal will be banned without any possibility of refund.

The contents and the manner of representation of the table are under the complete responsibility and freedom of the team that can adopt any graphics tool to better present the project idea.

Not only the idea and the quality of the project will be considered as important, but also the clearness and the representation skills, so that the content is expressed at best. Short captions are also allowed but only in Italian or English, other languages will not be taken in consideration.

The table must be exclusively in Jpeg format and DIN-A3 (hotizontal size), with a maximum weight of 3 Mb.

A 72 dpi resolution is suggested, but also bigger resolutions are allowed (as long as the file doesn't exceed 3 Mb).

In addition to the table you can also add further details about your project:

- cover (mandatory)
- description (mandatory)
- 2 images max 1MB (optional)

*anyway just the A1 table will be evaluated in the contest











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Social Prize

1ST PLACE

free admission to an IAHsummer2019

2ND PLACE

free admission to an Archistart contest

3RD PLACE

<u>event</u>

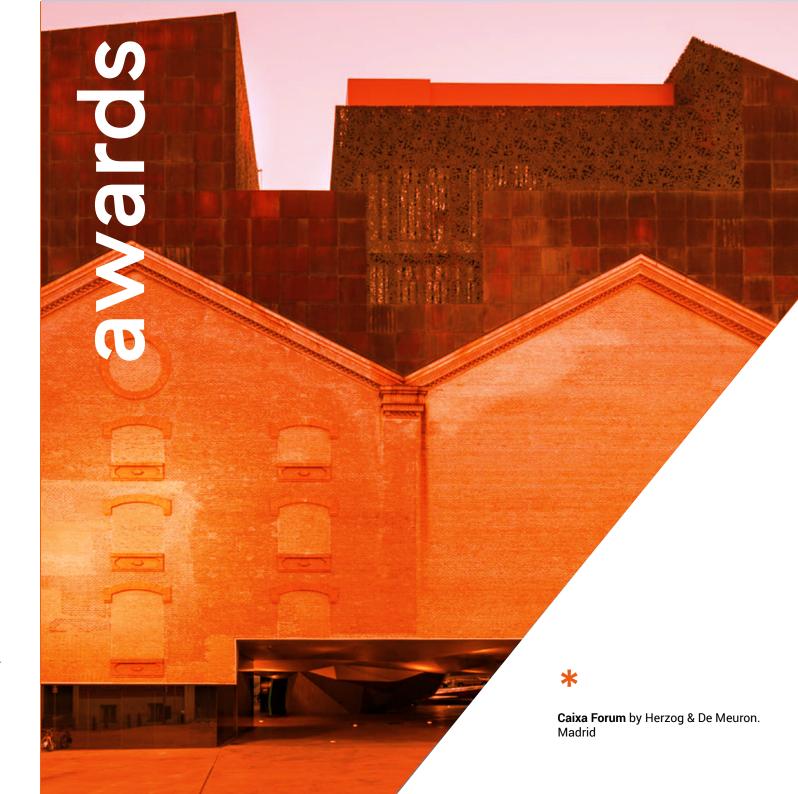
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^{*} The projects will be made public on Archistart portal from 15/05/2019, and can be voted until 29/05/2019

** In order to vote you will need to register on www. archistart.net, get into the project and click on 'like project'

*** If the projects classified at the second and third place belong to groups, the participation to the summer workshop is guaranteed only to one member of the winning group.

**** The social prize award is valid only for the 2019 summer event.





January	February	March
Monday 14th application opening		
April	Мау	June
≥ Tuesday 23rd (h 6:00pm) application deadline	apporx one day	results
≥ Tuesday 30th (h 6:00pm) submission deadline	≥ from 15th to 29th (h 6:00pm) voting for social prize	
* The project of each participant or group will change from 'Draft' to 'Pending'	* the jury's day will be communicated to the participants by e-mail, and consequently also the votes for the social prize can be anticipated or postponed.	
Contest	Jury, voting and results	<u>Italian time zone</u>

Admission criteria

The competition is open to university students, graduates and young professionals under 35 years. Every member of the team must fulfill all the above mentioned criteria, with reference to the start date of the competition, proving it by appropriate documentation.

Jury

The jury will be announced in the next few months.

Evaluation criteria

The winning projects will be selected according to the following methods:

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- 1- **Delivery to the jury:** all the projects will be delivered to the jury, that will judge the works basing on the criteria of the competition.
- 2 **Selection**: the jury will choose the winners of the 3 prizes and the honorable mentions.

The jury will evaluate the projects considering the following criteria:

- **Representation**: clearness of ideas and graphic quality (1-35 points)
- Creativity (1-35 points)
- Relevance to the theme (1-30 points)

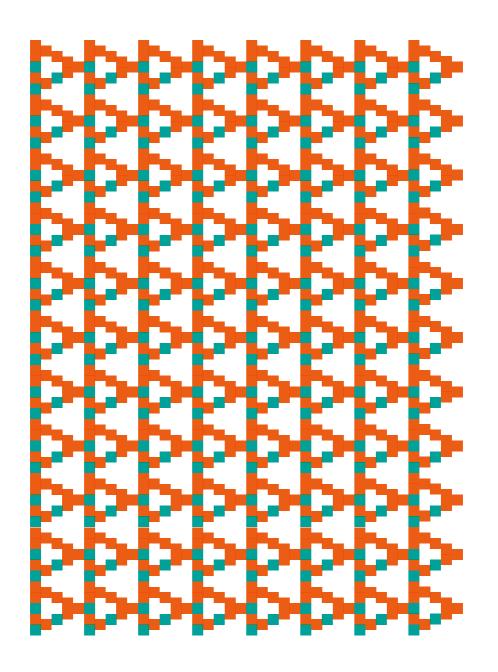
Notes

Archistart can modify the contents of this document provided that the majority of participants can benefit from it. Possible changes will be communicated in time, therefore it is highly recommended to constantly check the site and Facebook page.

The prize is assigned by the Jury that has the possibility to decide for an ex aequo prize, in this case the prize will be divided in equal parts.

Intellectual property

Archistart will have the full authority to publish and promote the material, always indicating the author, who will remain the owner of the idea of the project. By participating to the competition you allow Archistart to publish and diffuse the received material, and to modify it for adaptations to publication formats.



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