



ESA MOHAMED : UIA PRESIDENT

Malaysian architect and town-planner Esa Mohamed has been elected UIA President during the UIA General Assembly, which took place in Durban, South Africa from 7 to 9 August 2014. Esa Mohamed will undertake the presidency of the International Union of Architects for the triennial period 2014-2017. He succeeds French architect Albert Dubler.

He is the founder and director of Akitek Jururancang (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd (AJM), an architectural and planning firm in Kuala Lumpur. He is the author of prestigious architectural projects in Malaysia, such as the Subang Jaya township, the masterplans for the city of Kuala Lumpur and for the administrative capital of Putrajaya. He has also launched large-scale works in China, Pakistan, India, Australia and Saudi Arabia. Esa Mohamed received numerous awards among them The Aga Khan Award for Architecture in 2001 for the Datai Resort, Langkawi.

Between 2008 and 2011, Esa Mohamed has been a UIA Council member, and then Vice-President of the Union from 2011 to 2014. He is a member of the UIA Commission for Professional Practice. He was president of the Malaysian Institute of Architects (PAM) between 1993-1995 and of the Architects Regional Council Asia (ARCASIA) from 1995 to 1996.

The UIA president manifesto on his web site:
www.esamohamed.archi

UIA BUREAU MEMBERS 2014 - 2017

The UIA General Assembly also elected the new Bureau members:

Secretary General: Thomas VONIER, USA

Treasurer: Fabian LLISTERRI, Spain

- Vice-president Region I: David FALLA, United Kingdom
- Vice-president Region II: Ms Deniz INCEDAYI, Turkey
- Vice-president Region III: Carlos ALVAREZ, Costa Rica
- Vice-president Region IV: Ms Yolanda DAVID REYES, Philippines
- Vice-présidente Region V: HAYDER Ali, Sudan

RIO DE JANEIRO UIA CONGRESS 2020

The UIA General Assembly has elected Rio de Janeiro, Brazil as the host city of the 27th UIA Congress in 2020. The next congress will take place in 2017, in Seoul, Korea on the theme 'The Soul of Seoul : intangible spiritual dimension'.

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