

INSPIRELI RECOGNIZING GLOBAL ARCHITECTURAL TALENT



*Giacomo Garziano, University of Florence, Italy:
INSPIRELI AWARDS 2016 Global Winner. Photo: INSPIRELI*

PRAGUE, April 25, 2017 - Opening up new opportunities for young talents in the field of architecture, INSPIRELI - the social network for architects, kicks off its third annual global contest: INSPIRELI AWARDS 2017.

INSPIRELI AWARDS focuses connections of professionals and students in architecture to identify undiscovered potential regardless of ethnicity, nationality, religion, location or socio-economic status.

Following the second annual INSPIRELI AWARDS in 2016 and participation of more than 1,000 contestants from over 99 countries, INSPIRELI AWARDS ranks among the worlds most successful international competitions of young and talented architects and students of architecture under the age of 35.

In 2017, contestants may enter works in one of two categories: **Vision** (for conceptual works) and **Realization** (for already built projects). Entrants will provide submissions with full technical details and specifications enabling complete feedback from the jury in 2017.

INSPIRELI AWARDS winners are selected by international professionals and peers. The INSPIRELI AWARDS jury is comprised of renowned architecture and design professionals, participants from the Union of International Architects (UIA) and the professional public. Voting closes on November 30, 2017 and the pre-selection of finalists for each category follows. In total 30 entrants will be selected from whom the INSPIRELI jury will select 3 finalists within each category. Each project will be discussed and assessed individually to select from these thirty entrants, the winners whose work represents the highest overall quality, creative content, and functional achievements.

Four prizes will be awarded: **INSPIRELI Vision Award**: Awarded to the single best entrant in the Vision category. **INSPIRELI Realization Award**: Awarded to the single best entrant in the Realization category. **“Wings” Grand Prize Jury Award**: Awarded to the single individual whose work best exemplifies the spirit of the Borek Sipek “Wings to the Future” vase. **“Regional Recognition” Award** for entrants from selected regions where the number of contestants exceeds 200 contestants.

Accordingly, the previous annual INSPIRELI AWARDS recognized: Jakub Hoffmann (Czech Republic): INSPIRELI AWARDS 2015 Global Winner, Giacomo Garziano (Italy): INSPIRELI AWARDS 2016 Global Winner.

INSPIRELI AWARDS, supported by the UIA, as well as the international Associations of Architects, is an initiative of INSPIRELI - the international social network of architecture professionals, where you can view, share and comment on thousands of members' work and connect with them.

Who will have the opportunity to test their vision before building it? Which talent lies yet undiscovered? Who will be recognized next? Participate in INSPIRELI AWARDS 2017 and find out! **Recognition is up to YOU! Apply at: www.inspireliawards.com**

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