



Membership News

Night of Networking for Architects and Architecture Students

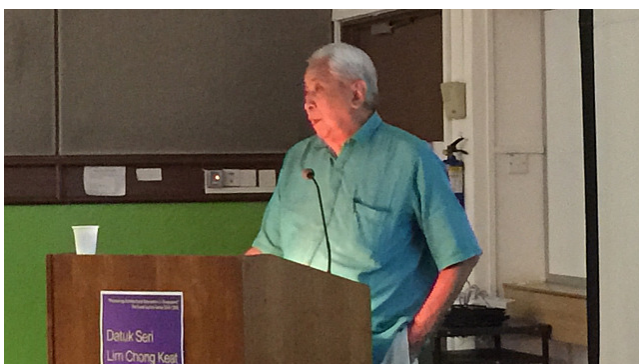


SIA Young Architecture League (YAL) Members Night

Thursday 29 January 2015 - The architecture fraternity have a good time at The Refinery reconnecting with friends and making new connections with fellow architects in Singapore.

The event also welcomes new SIA members to the family and the winners of the SIA:SKIN Competition and WDA Architecture Practice Course recipients were also honoured.

Pioneering Architectural Education in Singapore



Datuk Seri Lim Chong Keat

Monday 26 January 2015 – Singapore's Pioneer Architect, Datuk Seri Lim Chong Keat, who was the first lecturer in Architecture at the Singapore Polytechnic School of Building & Architecture, recounted his experiences in pioneering education and the initial training of the first batch of home-grown professionals, against the background of the new emergent Singapore at a talk at NUS to the architecture fraternity. SIA Gold Medalist, Mr Tay Kheng Soon was the moderator for the talk.

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Condolences: Dr Ho Kok Hoe (1922-2015)



Dr Ho Kok Hoe (source: Straits Times article dated 29 Jan 2015)

Saturday 24 January 2015 – The Institute is deeply saddened to hear of the recent demise of Singapore's Pioneer Architect, Dr Ho Kok Hoe.

Dr Ho was a faithful member of the Institute and instrumental in the transitional period of Singapore's architecture profession from Institute of Architects Malayan (IAM) to Society of Malayan Architects (SMA), which evolved into Singapore Institute of Architects. As a pioneer-generation architect, his work contributed to the future of modern Singapore's built-environment.

On behalf of the Council and members of the Singapore Institute of Architects, we would like to convey our deepest sympathy and heartfelt condolences to his family and love ones.

Design News

International Student Competition: Innovative Approaches to help curb Communicable Diseases

The UIA Public Health Group (UIA-PHG) has launched an international ideas competition, open to students worldwide. The competition is organized jointly with the Global University Program in Healthcare Architecture (GUPHA) and the China Hospital Build and Infrastructure Exhibition and Congress (CHBEC), with the collaboration of the Centre for Health Systems & Design at Texas A&M University. The competition is in accordance with the UIA-UNESCO regulations and has received the support of the International Union of Architects (UIA).

Architecture students are invited to design a mobile isolation, diagnosis and/or treatment unit for use in Ebola or other communicable disease epidemics. The vehicle should be designed to insure the transport of patients to the appropriate care facilities. The competition seeks to identify innovative approaches that help curb the outbreak of communicable disease epidemics and to alert the population to the impact of existing or potential treatments. With this competition, the UIA programme seeks to encourage more students to take an interest in health-related design.

Submission Deadline: 20 April 2015

For more information

<http://www.uia-phg.org/#!2015-competition/c1k8q>

UNESCO Asia-Pacific Awards for Cultural Heritage Conservation 2015

Submissions are now being accepted for the 2015 UNESCO Asia-Pacific Awards for Cultural Heritage Conservation. The Awards recognize the efforts of private individuals and organizations that have successfully restored or conserved structures, places and properties of heritage value in the region. The Awards emphasize the importance of the conservation process, including the technical achievements and quality of the restoration, as well as the social impact, including community involvement in the project.

The deadline for receipt of materials is 31 March 2015.

For more details:

<http://www.unescobkk.org/culture/heritage/wh/heritageawards/2014ha0/>

INTERNATIONAL BAKU ARCHITECTURE AWARD 2015

The Ministry of Culture and Tourism of the Republic of Azerbaijan and the Union of Architects of Azerbaijan (UAA) announce the launch of the second edition of the International Baku Architecture Award. Organized every two years, the award seeks to recognize architectural diversity, to encourage new ideas, new realizations and exemplary, new implementations in the world. This award has received the support of the International Union of Architects (UIA). The awards are divided into different categories of realizations including public buildings, housing, implemented interiors. Also included within the scope of the award are different categories of projects, such as buildings, landscape architecture, rehabilitation and reconstruction. The last award category recognizes architectural publications.

PRINCIPAL DATES

- Submission deadline or date when submissions must be postmarked: 15 August 2015
- Deadline for the reception of submissions by the organizers: 1 September 2015 Jury Meeting: 1-3 October 2015

Information and contact <http://www.uaa.az>

LEE KUAN YEW WORLD CITY PRIZE 2016

The 2016 cycle of the Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize is now open for nominations. Nomination for cities can be done through a 2-stage process.

STAGE A NOMINATIONS

Cities can be nominated by independent third parties who are leading academics, government officials and heads of international organisations in the fields of urban planning, housing, transport management, urban design and architecture, energy conservation, urban policy and management and any other relevant fields. Nominations are also accepted from non-government organisations and academic institutions.

Closing date: 31 March 2015 (Tuesday, 6pm +8 GMT)

STAGE B NOMINATIONS

Nominated cities will have to submit a report that fully demonstrates the sustained and durable transformation at city-wide level and the success of the overall master plan or strategy for the city through key demonstration projects (up to a maximum of three projects).

Closing date: 29 May 2015 (Friday, 6pm +8 GMT)

THE PRIZE

The Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize is a biennial international award that honours outstanding achievements and contributions to the creation of liveable, vibrant and sustainable urban communities around the world. The Prize is awarded to cities and recognises their key leaders and organisations for displaying foresight, good governance and innovation in tackling the many urban challenges faced, to bring about social, economic and environmental benefits in a holistic way to their communities.

AWARD

The Prize Laureate will be presented with an award certificate, a gold medallion and a cash prize of S\$300,000, sponsored by Keppel Corporation. The Prize will be presented at the Lee Kuan Yew Prize Award Ceremony & Banquet held during the World Cities Summit in Singapore from 10 – 14 July 2016.

For more information, contact the Prize Secretary, Mr Larry Ng Lye Hock at:

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MOLEWA International Architecture Competition

Beijing Hua Yan Cultural Investment Group, Ltd. (Hua Yan) and the International Union of Architects (UIA) proudly announce that the MOLEWA International Architecture Competition is officially launched on 5 January 2015.

Abbreviation for Mount Lu Estate of World Architecture, MOLEWA is situated in Ruichang, Jiangxi Province, China, on the foothills of the celebrated Mount Lu.

The 20-hectare site of competition is divided into 16 plots on which 16 different buildings will be erected, forming the core of the “Hua Yan Township”.

The “Hua Yan Township” project consists of two parts:

1. The “Flower Ocean” garden over 80-hectare of land is the world’s largest flower-themed park and lauded as the “Disney of Flower Lovers” by many industry insiders. Designed by the renowned landscape architect CBA Associates in London, Flower Ocean is currently under construction.
2. MOLEWA competition, conducted under the UNESCO/UIA guidelines for International Competitions for Architecture and Town Planning, will solicit innovative and culturally expressive designs from professional architects from all over the world.

For further details, please visit www.creativersal.com/uia.

Closing Date for submission: 15 April 2015

GeBiz

ITQ No. / Qualification No. / RFI No.	Description	Closing Date & Time
RFI No. HDB000ERP15000003 RFI Ref. No. HDB000/15DP003 RFI Criteria – PSPC Panel AR01; PSPC Panel CS01; PSPC Panel ME01; PSPC Panel QS01 Remarks 1) Tenderers are required to sign and stamp the Undertaking For Non-Disclosure before they are allowed to collect the EOI Document. The Undertaking For Non-Disclosure which is to be signed by the director or partner or authorised signatory of the company / firm, (as listed under ACRA record) can be downloaded from GeBIZ. 2) Tenderers are to fill up the Authorisation Form which can be downloaded from GeBIZ if the EOI document is to be collected by an appointed proxy.	Expression Of Interest For The Provision Of Consultancy Services For Bidadari Green & Blue Master Plan And Park Project	04/02/2015 04:00:00 PM
ITQ No.: HLTHQ0ETQ15000009	Invitation to quote for provision of Registered Inspector (Architectural) Services for the proposed 7-storey nursing home with basement carpark on Lot 07519V MK5 at Jurong East Avenue 1	05/02/2015 1:00 PM
ITQ No.: HLTHQ0ETQ15000007	Invitation to quote for Registered Inspector (Architectural) services for the proposed development of a 6-storey nursing home with basement carpark at Bishan Street 13	05/02/2015 1:00 PM
RFI No. JTC000ERP15000002 RFI Ref. No. JTC000/T/93A/2014 RFI Criteria: Consultants must be listed on Panel 2 or Panel 3 of the BCA's Public Sector Panels of Consultants (PSPC) in the following disciplines: (a) Architectural (b) Civil & Structural Engineering (c) Mechanical & Electrical Engineering (d) Quantity Surveying	Expression of Interest to Render Multi-Disciplinary Consultancy Services for The Next Development in CleanTech Park	06/02/2015 04:00:00 PM
ITQ No.: PAS000ETQ15000105 Quotation Ref. No. BMQ 1/15	Invitation to quote for consultancy services for proposed roof over to Toa Payoh Central Community Building	13/02/2015 1:00 PM
RFI No. MOE000ERP15000009 RFI Ref. No. MOE000/PB/RFI/2015/01/006 RFI Criteria: Consultants must be listed under the Public Sector Panels of Consultants (PSPC) in the following disciplines: (a)AR - Architectural (b) CS -Civil & Structural Engineering (c) ME -Mechanical & Electrical Engineering.	Expression of Interest (EOI) to render Multi-Disciplinary Consultancy Services for the proposed redevelopment of Raffles Girls School (Secondary) (1st Stage of 2-Stage QFM Tender)	16/02/2015 04:00:00 PM

RCS News Online

Logon to RCS News Online:

<http://members.sia.org.sg/go.html?5>

BCA

- Regulatory Requirements For Lifts Carrying Vehicle Together With Person(s)

EMA

- EMA - Responsibilities Of Licensed Electrical Workers

PUB

- PUB - Quick Guides on PUB Submissions

SIA Events

06 Feb 2015	SIA: Conflict in the Construction Industry – A perennial problem – Why?
27 Mar 2015	SIA-XCS: BIM Implementation Workshop (BIW) [Rescheduled from Jan 2015]



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Contribution

Submission to SA

Members are invited to submit their projects for consideration and the opportunity to be featured in the SA (Singapore Architect).

For every issue of SA in 2015, the editor will include the following:

- Interior Projects
- Recent Asian Housing and Individually-designed homes
- Master-planning and Urban Design
- Reports on conferences, seminars, talks, etc
- Projects on the drawing board
- New products

SA is a bi-monthly magazine with the release on February, April, June, August, October and December.

Materials for submission must be in digital format on a CD-ROM:

- Articles must not exceed 500 words;
- No more than 6 images in hi-resolution go to format (min 300 dpi)

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Submission to Architecture Asia

Architecture Asia is a journal by the Architects Regional Council of Asia (ARCASIA) representing the voices of 17 member institutes in the Asian region.

<http://www.architectureasia.co/>

Members are invited to submit your projects to be featured in the magazine. For more information, please contact: info@architectureasia.co