## **SIA Event:**

# Winning Design Philosophies and Concept Seminar Series 2: 3 Houses - Narrative and Domesticity

The lecture will feature the sharing of the design philosophies and concept by the winning designs of the 15th SIA Architectural Design Awards 2015.

#### 15th SIA Architectural Design Awards

The SIA Architectural Design Awards (SIAADA) is the most prestigious award conferred by Singapore Institute of Architects (SIA) to promote and encourage distinction in architectural design. The Awards recognises the achievements of SIA Members in their pursuit of architectural excellence and motivates architects to push the boundaries with innovative solutions. SIA hopes to imbue Members with the relentless mindset of continually achieving greater heights, leading to the vision of Singapore architecture and architects being acknowledged as world class standards. The Awards also aim to heighten the appreciation and patronage of good architectural design from both the architectural fraternity as well as the general public.

#### **EVENT DETAILS**

Date : 24 February 2016, Wednesday

Time : 3.00pm - 5.00pm

(Registration will start from 2.30pm onwards with

light refreshment)

Venue : Singapore Institute of Architects

SIA Theatrette - Level 3 79 Neil Road (S) 088904

BOA-SIA CPD: 4 CPD points

Seminar fees: SIA Members (\$70.00),

Non Members (\$140.00)

(fees inclusive of GST)

Closing date : 18 February 2016

### PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

2.30pm Registration with Light Refreshment

3.00pm Presentation by Mr Rene Tan,

RT+Q Architects (House with Bridges)

3.30pm Presentation by Mr Alan Tay, Formwerkz

**Architects (Gallop House)** 

4.00pm Presentation by Ms Christina Thean,

Park + Associates (The Greja House)

4.30pm Q & A

5.00pm End of event

For more information, please contact SIA (Ms Jacey Tay):

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<sup>\*\*</sup> Registration for attendance of seminar shall be closed 30 mins after the seminar commences.

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# Project: House with Bridges Mr Rene Tan, RT+Q Architects

Rene Tan is a director at RT+Q Architects, Singapore. Trained as musician and architect, Rene is active in both architectural practice and academia. He has served as external examiner in schools as well as juror in international design forums like the World Architecture Festival. He and RT+Q Architects approach design in a counter-intuitive manner, as they continue to probe the ambiguous realm of architecture. Their works have been widely published and have won awards in Singapore and beyond.

Born in Malaysia, trained in the USA and practicing in Singapore, Rene Tan received his B.Arts in music and architecture from Yale and his M.Arch from Princeton. In 2003, he co-foundered (with TK Quek) RT+Q Architects. RT+Q has won numerous accolades, including awards in the Singapore and Malaysia Institute of Architecture Design Awards, the Arcasia Design Awards as well as Honourable Mentions in the Singapore President's Design Awards.

RT+Q was also shortlisted for the 2012 and 2015 WAF awards for 'The Bali House' and 'The Infill House' respectively. He has also participated in the recent WAFs in Singapore as juror, speaker and presenter. Also active in academia, Rene has taught at Syracuse University, Berkeley, the National University of Singapore and Hong Kong University. He has spoken at Datum Kuala Lumpur, at the Jakarta Triennale, at the Aedes Gallery in Berlin, in Singapore and most recently London.



# Project: Gallop House Mr Alan Tay, Formwerkz Architects

Alan Tay is one of the founding partners of Formwerkz Architects, a practice known for its innovative and human-centric approach, rooted in the belief that architecture has the power to generate more active engagement between man and man with his environment.

Formwerkz's numerous projects have received critical acclaim both locally and internationally. Their works are featured in numerous regional

and international publications. In 2010, the 3 design partners were selected by AUDE's "20 Under 45: The Next Generation" exhibition, aim to promote a greater awareness and appreciation of design excellence. The Apartment House was listed in Monocle's Singapore Survey as one of the "Best of the Modern", alongside the likes of Paul Rudolph's Colonnade and I M Pei's OCBC Bank. In 2012, Formwerkz won the Al-Islah Mosque Design Competition, jointly organised by SIA and MUIS. The new mosque aims to de-mystify a traditionally closed religious institution, positioning it as an integral part of the larger community. In 2013, The Extended House by Formwerkz won both "The Building of the Year" Award and the Design Award in the 13th SIA Design Award.



### Project: The Greja House Ms Christina Thean, Park + Associates

Christina Thean embarked on her architecture journey with Park + Associates as a graduate architect and today, as Design Director, she leads a team of 30 comprising of designers, and project managers that has contributed to the realization of several of the firm's award-winning projects. A firm believer of Park + Associates' design philosophy, she sees each project as opportunity to transform space into a delightful experience - to turn the mundane into a phenomenological experience that transcends visual stimulation.

Park + Associates was founded in 1999 with the idealism that Architecture is about passion and desire to create and inspire. The firm has been awarded several prestigious accolades including the "Design of the Year" at the President's Design Award in 2015 and Design Award at the 14th SIA Design Awards. In 2014, the firm also competed against designers around the globe and emerged the winner of the category "Designer's Own Office" at the Best of Year Awards in New York.

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Where a Non-Member replaces a Member (must be from the same Org.) the fee difference will have to be made good to SIA prior to the event.

Registration for attendance of seminar shall be closed 30 mins after the seminar

Registration will be on a First-Come-First-Served basis and will be accepted upon receipt of registration form and payment to SIA. Registration by fax will only be confirmed upon receipt of payment.

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