

SIA Design Awards 2025

Submission Categories

Any information presented in this document is subject to changes by SIA, before the submission for SIADA25 officially opens.

Category A – Residential Projects

A1: Small Houses Under S2.5Million

A2: Low-Density Housing (Terraces, Bungalows, Semi-Detached and Cluster Housing)

A3: High-Density Housing

A4: Overseas Residential Projects*

A5: Overseas High-Density Housing*

*Overseas projects will be eligible for submission and will be assessed under categories A4 and A5.

*The project submitted under the respective overseas categories must be completed and the SIA Member must be involved up to its completion stage, even if he/she is not the Qualified Person for the project.

*Overseas architects from the 4-Nations' partnership can participate in categories A4 and A5 only. The architects / firm must be currently registered within their respective board of architects and architecture institutes. A copy of these registration certificates must be appended with the submission.

Category B – Commercial Projects

B1: Office Buildings

B2: Shopping Centres

B3: Mixed Developments (Shopping, Office, Apartment, Hotel)

B4: Hotels

B5: Recreational Buildings (Golf Clubs, Bowling Alleys, Marinas, Stadiums, Swimming Complexes, Retirement Village etc.)

B6: Overseas Commercial Projects

Category C – Institutional Projects

C1: Educational and Community Buildings (Schools, Universities, Polytechnics, Kindergartens, Colleges, Community Centres, Libraries, Museums etc.)

C2: Religious Buildings (Churches, Temples, Mosques etc.)

C3: Healthcare Buildings (Hospitals, Polyclinics, Clinics, Wellness Centre etc.)

C4: Overseas Institutional Projects

Category D – Industrial, Transport and Infrastructure Projects

D1: Industrial and Utility Buildings (Sub Stations, Treatment Plants, Power Stations, Desalination Plants etc.)

D2: Transport Buildings (MRT Stations, Bus Terminals, Ferry Terminals, Airports etc.)

D3: Overseas Industrial, Transport & Infrastructure Projects

Category E – Special Categories

E1: Public Place Making (Masterplans, Shelters, Connectors, Amphitheatre, Bridges, Street Furniture etc.)

E2: Alterations & Additions (for all building types)

E3: Conservation

E4: Interim (Any others that are not included under the preceding categories e.g. temporary building like show flat, kiosk, world-expeditions)

E5: Overseas Projects for Special Categories

E6: Innovation and Sustainability (Material Application, Construction Detailing, Construction Methods, Façade System etc.)

E7: Social and Humanitarian Architecture

Category F – Interior Architecture

F1: Residential

F2: Commercial

F3: Exhibition Design (should have curatorial and spatial merit)

F4: Overseas Interior Architecture Projects