

SEASON'S GREETINGS
 2009

 INTERNATIONAL
 COMPETITIONS

MAXMIX CITIES: CELEBRATION OF CITIES 3

On **20 January 2009** the replies to questions put to the organisers of this international consultation will be posted on the MaxMix web site.

This ideas competition is open to **professionals** and **students** of architecture. 'MaxMix' is looking for solutions that mix a maximum of heterogeneous elements in today's urban reality to encourage dynamic exchanges that improve both the quality of life in cities and their sustainability.

Registrations will be made on-line at the same time as the **electronic projects** are **transmitted**; this process can be carried out on the competition website between **5 and 15 May 2009**.

For more information:

<http://www.celebcities3.org/>
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<http://www.uia-architectes.org/texte/france/CC3/1-annonce-maxmix.html>

 INTERNATIONAL
 PRIZES

UIA ANNOUNCES THE 7TH INTERNATIONAL TORSANLORENZO PRIZE 2009

Organised for the sixth time with the UIA, this annual prize honours completed landscape projects around the world: **highlighting landscape, urban green space, private gardens in cities and suburbs**. Two prizes will be awarded in each of these three categories: one of 2 500 euros, the other of 1 000 euros. **Kazuo Iwamura**, UIA Vice-President will represent the UIA on the jury.

Entries will be sent to the organisers at the time of registration and no later than **6 March 2009**.

More information and connection to the prize site

<http://www.uia-architectes.org/texte/france/Torsanlorenzo2009/1-annonce.html>
www.premiotorsanlorenzo.it

VISION AND STRATEGY COMMITTEE

MADRID

On 16 and 17 January 2009, the Superior Council of Colleges of Architects of Spain will host a working meeting of the UIA "Vision and Strategy" Committee.

Learn more about the Vision and Strategy Committee

<http://www.uia-architectes.org/texte/france/Menu-4/2-Adhoc.html>

Superior Council of Colleges of Architects of Spain

<http://www.cscae.com/>

COORDINATION OF WORK PROGRAMMES

PARIS

On 24 January 2009, a coordination meeting of the UIA work programmes will be held in Paris at the premises of the National Council of the Order of French Architects.

Learn more about the UIA work programmes

<http://www.uia-architectes.org/texte/france/Menu-4/2-PT.html>

National Council of the Order of French Architects

<http://www.architectes.org/>

ARCHITECTURE AND RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES

PROGRAMME AT MEDIBAT

From 4 to 7 March the Medibat trade fair, organised by the Chamber of Commerce of Sfax and the Order of Architects of Tunisia, will be held in Sfax, Tunisia. On 5 March, the UIA work programme ARES will meet at Medibat and conduct a forum on the theme: **Architecture and renewable energy sources towards climatic changes.**

<http://www.salon-medibat.com/fr/news.php>

http://portal.tee.gr/portal/page/portal/INTER_RELATIONS/english/UIA-ARES

FEZ ARCHITECTS DAY IN MOROCCO



On 14 January 2009 architects day will be organised in Fès, Morocco. Besides, on 12 and 13 January 2009, the Order of Architects of Morocco will host, in Fès, the General Assembly of the Union of Mediterranean Architects (UMAR).

Union of Mediterranean architects – UMAR

<http://www.umar.org/>

MUMBAI SUSTAINABLE HABITAT

From 29 to 31 January 2009 will be held the 11th international conference on humane habitat organised traditionally by the Rizvi College of Architecture in Mumbai. The main theme of this conference will focus on: **sustainable humane habitat. revitalising city centres and promoting transit area development.**

<http://humanehabitat.org/>

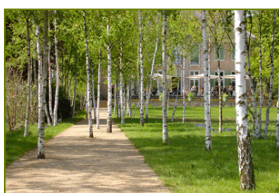
NEW DELHI LEGACIES OF MODERNITY IN ASIA



From 23 to 25 February 2009, in New Delhi, the international conference of the Modern Asian Architecture Network (mAAN) will be held on the theme: **Asian Cities: legacies of modernity.** The conference will address architects, students and teachers of architecture. It is an invitation to broach and clarify the multiple ways in which the **modern city** contributes to **shaping modern identity.**

<http://www.m-aan.org/>

EUROPA NOSTRA A MEDAL FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE MAX LIEBERMANN VILLA IN BERLIN



The jury of the 2008 Europa Nostra prizes honoured the restoration work on the artist Max Liebermann's residence and park in Berlin. This restoration is the work of the **Nedelykov-Moreira** office, of which **Nina Nedelykov**, UIA Council member is partner.

<http://www.europanostra.org/>

COSTA RICA

UIA COUNCIL MEETING

On 15 and 16 February, the **College of Architects of Costa Rica** will host, in San José, the 111th session of the UIA Council.

College of Architects of Costa Rica

<http://www.colegiodearquitectoscostarica.com/>

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



AIA PRESIDENCY

On 5 December 2008, Marvin J. Malecha, Dean of the College of Design of the University of North Carolina was officially enthroned **85th President of the American Institute of Architects**. He succeeds to Marshall E. Purnell.

The American Institute of Architects

<http://www.aia.org>

HUNGARY

UIA REGION II MEETING

From 5 to 8 March 2009, the **Association of Hungarian Architects (MESZ)** will host the meeting of the Presidents of the UIA Region II member Sections. **Louise Cox**, UIA President, will participate in this meeting.

Lisa Siola, UIA Vice-President

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INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION IN BUDAPEST

On 7 March 2009 the fifth edition of the annual International Convention of Architecture will be held in Budapest. This is one of Hungary's major architectural events and is organised jointly by a group of Hungarian, Czech and German publishers, in collaboration with the Association of Hungarian Architects (MESZ). Keynote speakers for this session entitled "New goals and techniques in architecture", will be **Hani Rashid, Rudy Ricciotti, Jo Noero, Andrija Rusan, Gabor Zoboki, Gabor Turanyi**. **Louise Cox**, UIA President will deliver the inaugural convention speech.



<http://www.archiweb.hu/kongresszus/convention/index.htm>

MALTA

MALTESE MODERNISM, AN ARCHITECTURAL LEGACY

Until 27 February 2009, Kamra tal-Periti organises an exhibition, in Malta, devoted to **20th century Maltese architecture**, in the period 1930 to 1970. Some forty realisations have been selected as witness to Maltese heritage. A **publication** complements the exhibition with two historic and theoretical essays by **Perit Conrad Thake and Petra Bianchi**.



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MEXICO

**LIZANDRO DE LA GARZA**

Lizandro de la Garza was recently elected President of the **Federation of Colleges of Architects of the Mexican Republic (FCARM)** for the period 2009-2010. He succeeds to **Ivan Cervantes Erosa**.

A graduate of the Autonomous University of the State of **Nuevo Leon**, Lizandro de la Garza teaches architecture there since 1974. A former member of the **FCARM Council for international affairs**, he is in private practice, designing and building educational programmes, housing and industrial facilities, as well as planning development and landscaping.

Federation of Colleges of Architects of the Mexican Republic

www.fcarm.org.mx

SLOVAKIA

**JÁN BAHNA**

At the General Assembly of the **Slovak Architects Society**, Ján Bahna was elected President for the triennial period 2009-2011. He succeeds to **Stefan Slachta**. Born in 1944, **Ján Bahna** is a graduate of the Technical University and of the Academy of Fine Arts of Bratislava. He formerly worked at the **State Department of Commerce** and is in private practice since 1990, with his own office: AA Atelier of architecture.

Slovak Architects Society

sas@euroweb.sk

TRINIDAD AND
TOBAGO**GARY TURTON**

Gary Turton has become President of the **Institute of Architects of Trinidad and Tobago** and succeeds to **Mrs Linda Louison**.

Before joining the 'ACLA' firm in 2001, **Gary Turton** worked in the **United States and in the Caribbean**. His multicultural experience is enriched by his interest in innovation and the latest technologies. His approach to architecture is an exploration of history and culture, of construction technology and habitat.

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