

The Schindler Global Award 2016/2015

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Principle

The Schindler Global Award (SGA) is a student urban design competition with a focus on mobility. The SGA is an ideas competition, intended to engage students in formulating a response to complex conditions in cities across the globe. The 2017 competition is based in São Paulo, Brazil. Schindler Group hosts the SGA with academic partner ETH Zurich, led by the Chair of Architecture and Urban Design, Professor Kees Christiaanse. The competition language is English.

Participation

The SGA is open to students of architecture, landscape architecture, urban design and planning, in their final Bachelor degree year and Masters degree students in any year, including thesis. Students must be enrolled through December 2016 to be eligible. Students can participate individually or in teams, and each entry must have a faculty supervisor.

Brief and Site

The 2017 SGA brief is centered on the idea of “Transforming the urban core: Urban design for coexistence”. Students are asked to design a holistic response to specific challenges using a clear focus and background research. The site is located in a neighborhood in the heart of São Paulo, centered on the CEAGESP wholesale market. It is slated for future relocation, allowing a large area to become free for urban design-based interventions to impact all scales, from the local to the regional.

Registration, Competition Materials and Submission

Registration will take place through the official competition website: www.schindleraward.com
The official competition brief along with other materials, including site photographs, diagrams and base maps are provided online only. Submission of entries will take place through the official website, accessible only by registered teams.

Prizes and Jury

An international jury of renowned experts will nominate the winning entries and allocate the awards, with a total prize sum of 105,000 USD.



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Publication

The results of the competition and a collection of articles, essays and interviews will be published in spring 2017.

Schedule

16 June 2016	Opening of the competition, release of the brief
9 September 2016	Deadline for questions
30 September 2016	Publication of the Q&A
16 December 2016	Registration deadline
30 December 2016	Deadline for projects to be submitted
2–14 January 2017	Technical evaluation
2/3 February 2017	Jury meeting
April 2017	Award ceremony

For more information:

Website link: <http://www.schindleraward.com>

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