INTERNATIONAL PRIZE FOR SACRED ARCHITECTURE V EDITION - 2012

"The Trust was created with the aim of raising awareness and knowledge in the sector of 'church buildings', so that places of worship have the mystical and artistic qualities for the glorification of the spirit."

Father Costantino Ruggeri - Founder

RULES OF THE COMPETITION

Conditions for entering

The Frate Sole Trust is organising the fifth edition of the **International Prize for Sacred Architecture**. It is open to all designers who designed a Christian church in the last ten years.

Candidates are kindly requested to send the required documents to:

Fondazione Frate Sole - Via Paratici, 21 - 27100 Pavia, Italy.

Documents required

Please follow the instructions below carefully when sending information and documents.

- Designer(s) must provide: surname, name and address, tax code, a copy of an ID document, proof of registration with the relevant professional association, e-mail address, telephone and fax numbers. In case of registration as a group, please provide the details of the group's contact.
- Drawings of the church (plans, sections) in A3 format, with the exact name and address of the church. Large drawings, even if folded, are not acceptable.
- Documents or statement from the designer(s) proving that the work was completed after 4th October 2002.
- Colour photographs (5 of the interiors, 5 of the exteriors, A3 format).
- A brief description of the project, written in Italian or in English.

As well as the paper copies of all of the above, a DVD with the images and technical drawings (A3 format, 300 dpi) must be provided.

Participation rules

The documents must be sent no later than 31st March 2012 (as shown by the stamp of the post office on the envelope).

The above mentioned documents (paper copies and DVD) must be sent via registered letter with advice of receipt or in any other way that guarantees they are delivered no later than the deadline.

Participants must inform the organisers they have applied by completing the "Confirm your registration" form available on the http://www.fondazionefratesole.org web site (to complete the form an account must be created).

The documents will be filed in the Trust's archives and will not be returned. The Trust reserves the right to exhibit the projects and use the drawings and plans for publications. The designers waive all rights over the submitted material.

Questions

For organisational reasons telephone calls are not acceptable.

There will be a FAQ page on the web site from **October 2011**.

Questions can be asked by faxing + 39 0382 301413 or e-mailing segreteria@fondazionefratesole.org no later than **29**th **February 2012**.

Questions can be asked in Italian or English.

Assessment

The candidates' documents will be examined by the Trust's Scientific Committee and by the Jury. The Frate Sole Trust will publish the results on its web site no later than 31st May 2012.

The candidates who pass will be contacted and invited to the award ceremony which will be held on 4th October 2012. They will be asked to present their work.

Awards

The total value of the awards for the International Prize for Sacred Architecture (2012 edition) is € 50,000.00. First prize: € 30,000

Other prizes (all together): € 20,000

The Trust reserves the right to not assign the prize or to assign the full amount to the winner.

The winner will, by rights, become a member of the prize winner section of the Honour Committee of the Frate Sole Trust and, in the future, will take part in the Trust's activities.

The award ceremony will be held in Pavia on 4th October 2012 (the day of St. Francis of Assisi). The programme of the ceremony will be provided in due course.

On the day of the award ceremony, there will be an exhibition with all the works accepted for the competition.

Pavia, 8th July 2011