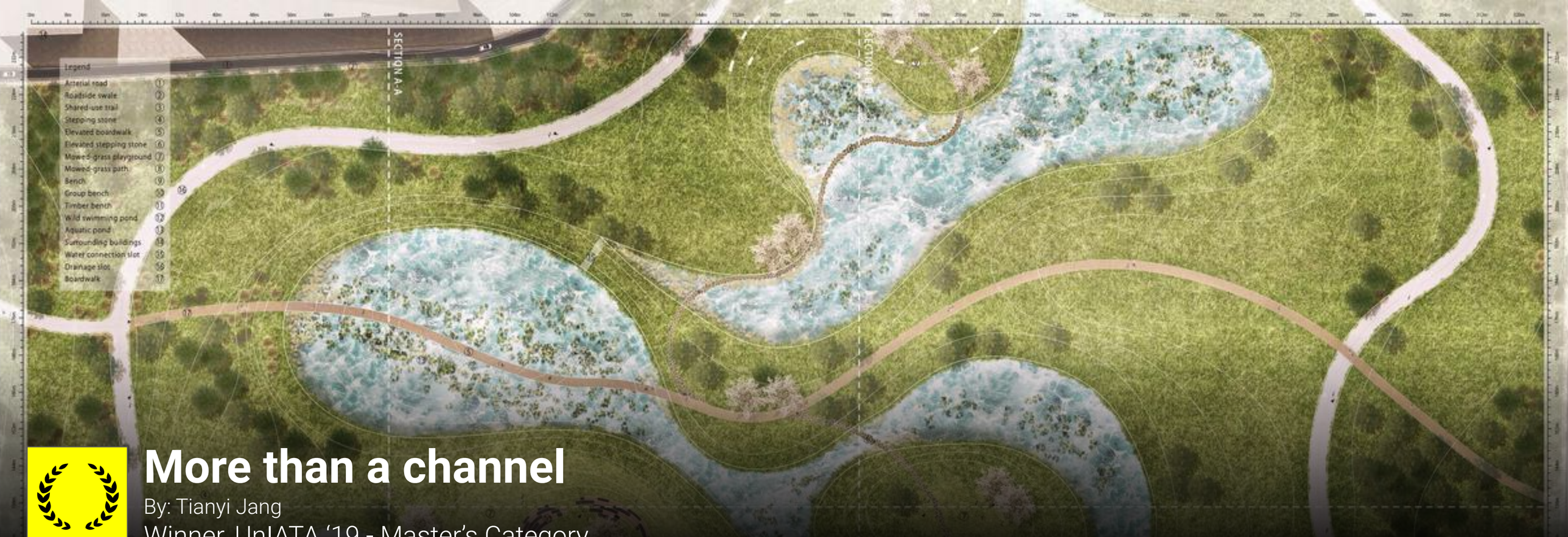
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World's best graduation projects ever created.

UnIATA '20

Architecture Graduation Project Awards

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More than a channel

By: Tianyi Jang

Winner, UnIATA ‘19 - Master’s Category

Premise

UnIATA is an annual awards programme that presents a new generation of the world's best architects, urbanists and landscape architects together with their graduation projects. It forms one of the largest presentations of graduation work and offers unrivalled insight into current trends in **design education globally** and architecture generally. With the world's best graduation projects **UnIATA** presents each edition with a new generation of the world’s most talented emerging architects, urbanists and landscape architects, who are ready and equipped to tackle all imaginable contemporary assignments.

These ideas are the foundation for new possibilities that have the ability to take architecture ahead. With not limited only in the academia where they come from, but the whole fraternity with it. **Unfuse International Architecture Thesis Award** (**UnIATA 2020 - Third Edition**) is a step taken to identify and promote such exceptional projects across the globe. **UnIATA** will focus on the graduate and undergraduate projects happened in the last 3 years and will bring it to the community of **Uni and the world**.



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Ross Island
By: Adhish Parkar
Winner, UnIATA ‘19 - Bachelor’s Category

Eligibility

1. **UnIATA** is open to students of all institutions and nationalities in the field of Architecture, Landscape, Planning and Urban Design at large.

2. All the graduate/masters and undergraduate/bachelors projects completed in the calendar year **2018**, **2019**, and **2020** are eligible to take part in **UnIATA 2020**. Projects already submitted in the previous edition of **UnIATA** are not eligible for this award but can vote for their favourite projects on Uni.

3. Participation in **UnIATA** can be made in **two modes. Individual / Institution** (Details in next page).

4. Graduation projects in an **individual capacity,** as well as **group,** are permitted. All the members have to be added to the project page. If there is any successful claim in proving that participating individual/team have not added the full project team to the project page or plagiarized any component of work without permission the entry will be taken down or will not be given an award.

Participate

You can enter **UnIATA** in two modes:

1. **Participant only**

(Award eligibility: A. Best Masters Thesis Project / B. Best Bachelor's Thesis Project)

Description: As an individual/team of individuals with a single project.

Checklist: Project Submission + FAQ, Complete profile with clearly stated masters/bachelors education in profile. **This mode is open for all participants from all around the world** submitting their graduation projects as an entry for UnIATA to become eligible for Best Master's and Bachelor's thesis projects.

2. **Participant + Institution**

(Award eligibility: A. Best Masters Thesis Project / B. Best Bachelor's Thesis Project + C. Best institute for Graduation Projects - Worldwide '20)

Description: A set of projects authorized by the institute with minimum 5 and maximum of 12 projects.
Checklist: Everything from above + Letter of Authorization from the institution.

The "**Letter of Authorization**" from the institute can be submitted by any of the participants on behalf of the set of projects entering UnIATA on this form. The eligible participants can endorse themselves to participate or get suggested by an academic panel. This process can be lead by any of the alumni/ students/faculty. You can find both the form and the page to submit here:

Letter of Authorization | Submit Letter of Authorization here



Existence by means of co-existence

By: Khalifa Sampad

Winner, UnIATA ‘19 - Organizer’s Choice

Evaluation

The entries coming in for **UnIATA** as an **individual** will be moderated by **Unfuse** - Awards team and Committee to filter the submitted entries before merging these with jury pool of evaluation. **Participant + Institution:** The entries coming in for **UnIATA** in this mode will be directly entered to the final eligible entries to be evaluated because of the pre-moderation of entries coming in from the participating institutes.

Shortlisting :

After all entries are received, **20%** of these will be shortlisted for further evaluation. A regional winner would be selected among the **shortlisted entries** across each of the **7 regions** as mentioned in Pg.8. The bachelors and masters winner from each region will compete for the final worldwide trophy. Two proximate regions can be merged if the participation from a certain region is below than the expected average of received projects.

Institutional Evaluation (For ‘2. Participant + Institution’ only) : The average score of all shortlisted submitted projects per entering institutes will be tallied on the leaderboard which will give the institutional winner.

Submission

You have to deliver your thesis, based on the given outlines.

• Suggested presentation board of size. – **[2362px** x **3544px]** or **[400mm x 600mm** in **150 dpi]** in portrait digital format (JPEG).
• Each image should be less than **15MB**
• You can find the preset PSD, AI, and INDD template files in the here.

Minimum requisites in the sheets are 6 sheets/boards + Cover image containing:

• Site plan (Compulsory)
• No limit on a number of boards.
• Key conceptual sections x 1 (Minimum)
• 3D views x 4
• Cover image/Thumbnail of size 2000 x 1000 px or larger in aspect ratio 2:1.
• Floor plans, images, sketches (if any) can be added to support the entry in the form of additional images.
• Answer 6 FAQ questions provided in a word document here.

+ Use exploded views to discuss multi-leveled conceptual models better.
+ Ensure that the final sheets which are submitted do not include your name or any other mark of identification.
+ Mention sheet number on the corner of every sheet.
+ This is design ideas challenge only. There is no built commission/realization is associated with the problem
+ Plagiarism of any idea/form/design/image will be disqualified with a notice.

Registration page here: http://competitions.uni.xyz/uniata-20

Submission Deadline: February 20, 2020
Submission closes this day.

Public Voting begins: June 20, 2019
Submitted entries are open for voting.

Public Voting ends: April 20, 2020
Voting ends on this date.

Result Announcement: May 20, 2020
Result day!

Best Institution for Graduation Projects

People's choice - Worldwide

Most appreciated Project

Winner - Worldwide

Best Master's Thesis Project

Winner - Worldwide

Best Bachelor's Thesis Project

Best in Region

North America and Central America

Best in Region

Oceania

Best in Region

Central and East Asia

Best in Region

West and South Asia

Best in Region

Africa and Mediterranean

Best in Region

South America and Caribbean

Best in Region

Europe and Russia

Rewards

Unfuse is honoured to give the following awards to the winning entries and encourage future architects, urbanists and landscape designers to create exemplary work that creates an impact on the built environment exploring new facets of architecture. The winning projects will be awarded a trophy and certificate.

Regions

North and Central America: Canada, United States of America Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama

South America and Caribbean: Argentina, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago

Africa and Mediterranean: Cameroon, Central African Republic, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the Republic of the Congo, Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Sao Tome and Principe, Burundi, Djibouti, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Kenya, Rwanda, Somalia, Sudan, Uganda, Comoros, Madagascar, Mauritius, Seychelles, Angola, Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Namibia, South Africa, Swaziland, United Republic of Tanzania, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Benin, Burkina Faso, Cape Verde, Chad, Côte d'Ivoire, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Togo, Algeria, Cyprus, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malta, Morocco, Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, West Bank and the Gaza Strip

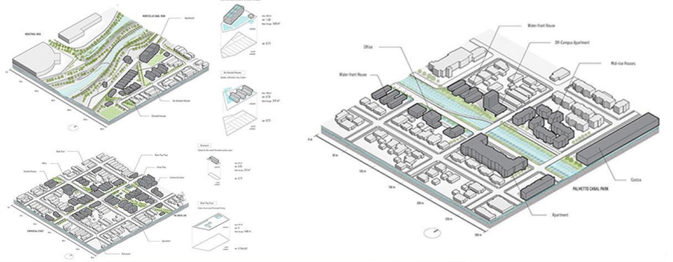
West and South Asia: Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Sri Lanka, Afghanistan, Bahrain, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Iraq, Kuwait, Oman, Pakistan, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Turkey, United Arab Emirates, Yemen

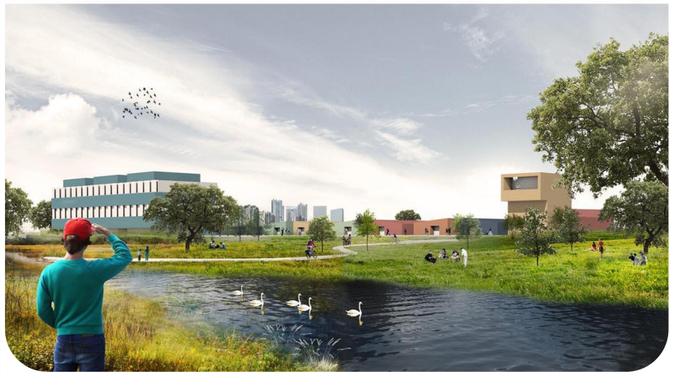
Central and East Asia: China, Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Japan, Mongolia, Republic of Korea, Brunei Darussalam, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Timor Leste, Viet Nam, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan

Europe and Russia: Albania, Armenia, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Georgia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Montenegro, Poland, Republic of Moldova, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Ukraine, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, San Marino, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, United Kingdom

Oceania: Australia, Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia (Federated States of), Nauru, New Zealand, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu



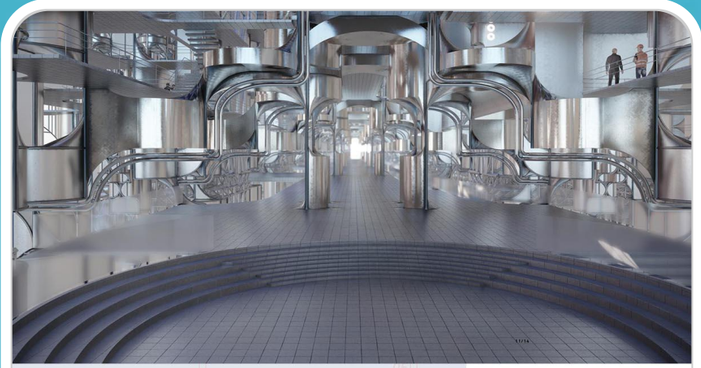


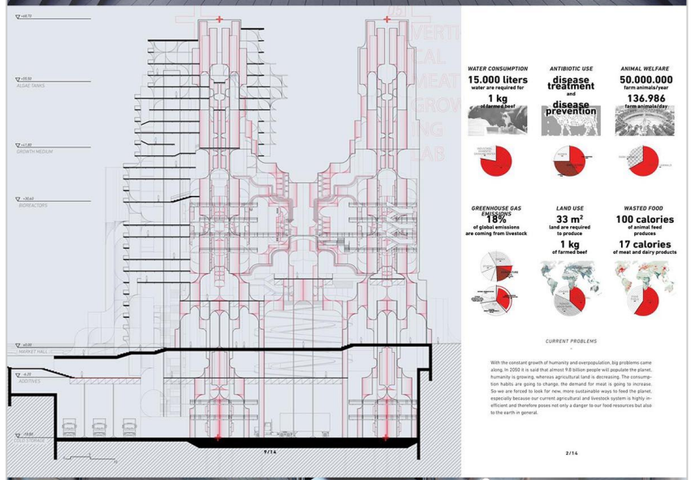


Best in Region - Americas

Developing with water

Meikang LI



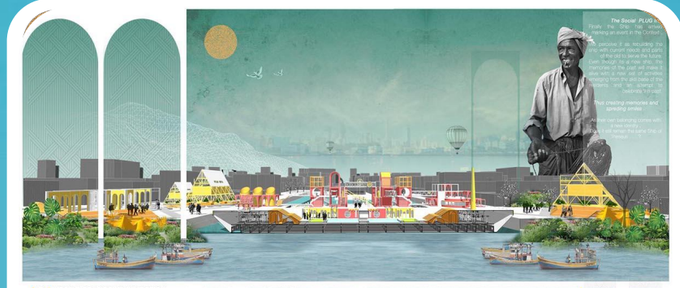


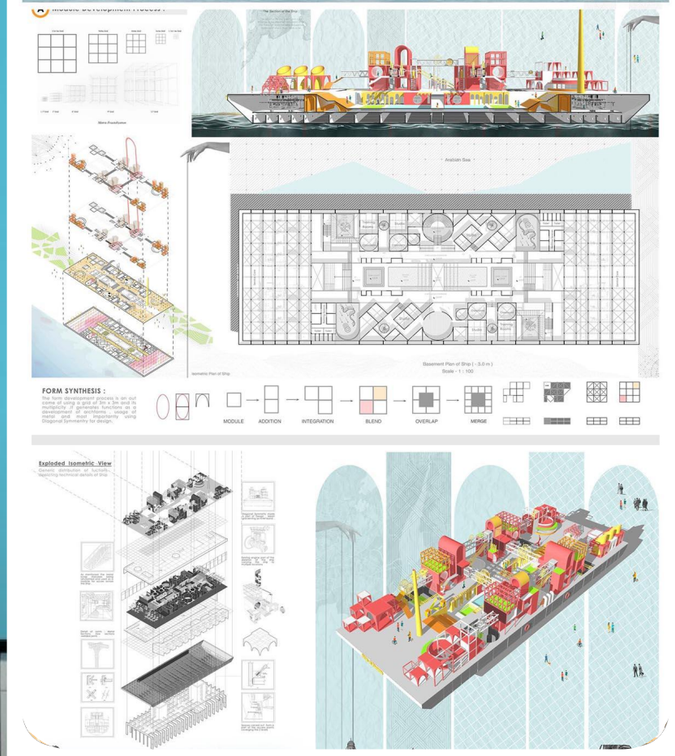


Best in Region - Europe and Asia

The Meat Market

Barbara Schickermueller





Best in Region - Asia

Ship of theseus

Kaushal Tatiya

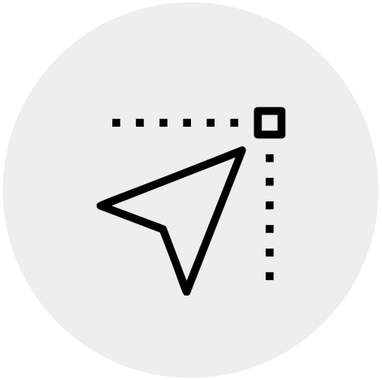
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Best in region projects.

These are the best projects received from the regions that have entered in UnIATA 2019 edition.

Judging Criteria

The entries will be judged by an international jury of the competition on the following criterions:



Presentation

The fundamental to a good entry is a good presentation.



Concept/Idea

Quality of thought and intent in pre-design phase.



Functionality

How functional the spaces are with respect to the project programme.



Design Process

Design development of the architectural outcome



The judging panel can also add other criterions based on their internal discussions - which will be in line with the nature of the project. Eg.Aesthetics, Creativity, Innovation, Material use, etc. The evaluation of the projects will be independent from the typology/scale/style of the project unless mentioned otherwise.

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