

TALLER 301 IN KYIV!

The project submitted by TALLER 301 to the International Architecture Competition **URBAN LANDSCAPING IN KYIV FOR EURO-2012** was selected as one of the 8 best design proposals. Partners **Pablo Forero** and **Julian Restrepo** will be presenting their project to the jury members in front of a public audience on **April 29** in **Kiev, Ukraine**. They have also been invited as guest lecturers to the **CANactions - International Youth Architectural Festival 2011** and will present their recent work on **April 30th**.



The Department of Architecture and Urban Design of the Kyiv City-State Administration launched an International Architecture Competition for the selection of the best urban landscape design proposal for the central area of Kyiv within the framework of preparation for UEFA Football Championship EURO-2012 and the distant future. The Competition is supported by CANactions - International Youth Architectural Festival, The National Union of Architects of Ukraine and The Architectural Club.

The project covers the territory stretching from the National museum of the Great Patriotic War (1941-1945) to Lvivska and Kontraktova squares, an area of approximately 413 hectares.

The competition anticipates:

- The realization of the most efficient urban landscape project for the most significant and valuable central part of Kyiv, within the framework of preparation for Euro-2012, which is expected to improve Kyiv's urban landscape wishing to reach European standards in the long term. The realization of the winning project is going to solve some of the most crucial problems of the Kyiv city centre, such as: optimize transport network, expand and structure the existing public spaces, provide zoning for the territory according to its functional use (entertainment, recreation, walking facilities, sport), establish regulations as to advertising, design objects and small architectural forms; expand green zones, and improve lighting.
- The identification of strategic directions for the development of the city centre in a mid-term and long-term prospects.
- The ability to integrate the ideas of the winning project as to the prospective development of the territory as part of the major legal documents that regulate urban development in this area as well as the comprehensive plan of Kyiv for 2025, which is now under development.

The selected project will improve the image of Kyiv as a European capital and show to the international community the result of effective collaboration between the authorities, renowned specialists in architecture and modern urban design, and public in general.

The architect judges for the competition are:

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| - Sergiy Tselovalnik | Head of the Kyiv Central Department for Architecture and Urban Planning
Vice President of the National Union of Architects of Ukraine |
| - Igor Sokolov | Deputy Minister of Regional Development and Construction of Ukraine |
| - Vladymyr Shevchenko | Arch.Studio "V.Shevchenko", Ukraine |
| - Andreas Klok Pedersen | BIG, Denmark |
| - Lorenz Dexler | TOPOTEK, Germany |
| - Fabian Hormann | EM2N, Switzerland |
| - Vasiliy Popov | Popov Architecten, The Netherlands |

The author of the winning project has the priority right to continue working on the project towards its realization.

The presentation of the 8 best projects - April 29 - and Award Ceremony - April 30 - will take place in The House of Architects in Kyiv, Ukraine.

Competition Team: Pablo Forero, Julian Restrepo, Ivanovha Benedetto, Juan Carlos Cuberos, Manuela Mosquera, Susana Somoza and Alejandro Montoya.

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Given the short, yet intense and successful international trajectory of **TALLER 301**, the organizers of the CANactions 2011 - International Youth Architectural Festival have invited partners Pablo Forero and Julian Restrepo as guest lecturers for the festival on April 30th. They will present their work in The House of Architects of Kyiv alongside:

- CHRISTOS PASSAS / CHRISTOS PASSAS ARCHITECT/ **ZAHA HADID ARCHITECTS/UK**
- MARC GLAUDEMANS/**STADSLAB/NL**
- LORENZ DEXLER / **TOPOTEK 1/DE**
- FABIAN HOERMANN /**EM2N/CH**
- ANDREAS KLOK PEDERSEN /**BIG/DK**
- SAM CHERMAYEFF/ **SANAA /DIA**
- VASILYI POPOV/**POPOV ARCHITECTEN/NL**
- VIKTOR ZOTOV /**AB «ZOTOV&Co»/ UA**
- SERGIY TSELOVALNIK / Chief of Architecture and Urban Design/ **TSELINA Ltd**
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