



Vurnik

INVITATION TO STUDENTS TO SUBMIT A PROPOSAL FOR VURNIK STUDENT AWARD FOR 2024

On the occasion of the 100th anniversary of the higher education study of architecture in Slovenia, which was organized by the initiative of the architect Ivan Vurnik, the Center for Architecture of Slovenia, Municipality of Radovljica, Local Community of Radovljica, Faculty of Architecture at the University of Ljubljana and Faculty of Civil Engineering, Traffic Engineering and Architecture at the University of Maribor, established in the year 2018 the Vurnik Student Award for a perspective student of architecture or urban planning.

The Vurnik Student Award is granted for the entire academic work to students of the 4th and 5th year of the unified master's program of the architecture study program [UL FA], 1st and 2nd year of the second-level study program urbanism [UL FA] and 1st and 2nd year of the master's study program in architecture [UM FGPA]. **One Vurnik Student Award** and **two equivalent recognitions will be granted.**

The prize is honorary and financial **[the value of the first prize is 1.500,00 €]** and intended for a study trip. The winner of the Vurnik Student Award will within the framework of the next Vurnik days prepare a lecture with impressions from the trip. Two equivalent recognitions are awarded in the value of 300,00 €, which for the recipient do not represent obligations.

Students prepare:

01 personal folder

[A4 format, maximum 50 pages and no more than 15 projects, .PDF and .IDML]

- _ the presentation of each project must include: project title, listing of other colleagues, mentors, assistants and a brief description, which should be in Slovenian and English,
- _ the master's thesis should not be included in the personal folder

02 author's essay on architecture and/or urbanism

[recommended 7000-10000 characters without spaces in Slovenian and English, .DOC]

- _ the essay should present a topic that inspires you/is socially relevant/opens up new questions of action in architecture and/or urbanism
- _ the essay must have one or more passages clearly marked in both languages which the student wants to highlight in the catalog of Vurnik Student Award.
- _ All passages must not exceed 2500 characters in total [with spaces].

Submission of material is only digital [essay in .DOC format, personal folder in .PDF and InDesign or a similar open format program].

You can upload to CD, USB driver or send via WeTransfer.

Submission options:

- _ to email info@centerarhitektura.org with subject "VURNIK'S STUDENT AWARD" submit **by Tuesday April 23rd 2024, until 11:59 p.m**
- or

- _ on a CD or USB stick bring/send by regular mail to Center of Architecture of Slovenia, Rimska cesta 1, 1000 Ljubljana **by Tuesday April 23rd 2024, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m** [for delivery by post, the date of delivery is taken into account].

Write down contact information [name and surname, address, telephone number, and e-mail address for regular mail/in person submission].

Recipients of the awards will be announced at the award ceremony, on the birthday of the architect Ivan Vurnik, on Saturday June 1st 2024, at 8 p.m., at the Baroque hall in Radovljica. All nominees of the Vurnik student award will be invited to the award ceremony. All sent entries will be published as a catalog, with authors named in COBISS system.

An expert jury will decide on the award recipients of the main prize and two equivalent awards:

- _ **Silvia Bocus** / architect, Studio Bocus de Luigi Architetti, Italy
- _ **Jurij Kobe** / architect, ATELIER architects, Slovenia
- _ **Matej Kučina** / landscape architect, Bruto landscape architecture, Slovenia
- _ **Aleš Žmavc** / architect, Od-do architecture, Slovenia

The jury will decide on the awarded works based on:

- _ the quality of the selected presented projects
- _ the uniqueness of the selected presented projects
- _ innovativeness of the selected presented projects
- _ the quality of the essay
- _ contribution to the reflection on architecture/urbanism in the essay

*The expert committee of the Vurnik student award
Radovljica/Ljubljana, January 29th, 2024*