FREQUENTLY ASKEDQUESTIONS

International Ideas Competition Design of the new campus of the AMERICAN SCHOOL OF QUITO







Fundación Colegio Americano Quito



What are the general guidelines for the competition?

The Architecture Competition for the new campus of the American School of Quito will be carried out in two stages.

Stage 1: REQUEST FOR CREDENTIALS AND PORTFOLIOS.

Stage 2: IDEAS COMPETITION: the teams selected in Stage 1 will be invited to participate.

Who can participate in the competition?

National and international architects.

The team will consist of an Ecuadorian architect who is a member of the College of Architects of Ecuador and authorized to practice architecture in any of its provinces.

The professional representing the team shall comply with the following:

In Ecuador:

- Architect's degree registered with SENESCYT.

- Certificate of active membership in any province's College of Architects of Ecuador. In other countries, an Architect's degree registered and authorized by the competent institution.

What are the requirements that participants need to meet in order to be eligible?

The competition rules, which outline the requirements in detail, can be found on the official channels of the School of Architects of Pichincha (CAE-P) and www.concursoscaep.com.

What is the deadline for registration?

From October 25 to November 23, 2023, applicants can submit their credentials and portfolios for Stage 1.

How will the Stage 1 finalists be selected?

The CAE-P Competition Committee and the jury will select finalist teams based on submitted information that will be reviewed and weighted.

Who will be the members of the evaluation jury?

- On behalf of the FCAQ:
- Eng. Ignacio Barra
- Architect Felipe Muller
- Mgtr. in Education Cristina Pachano
- On behalf of CAE-P
- Architect Daniel Bermúdez
- Architect María Samaniego
- Competition Coordinator: Architect Jorge Salazar (without vote)

What prizes and awards will the winners receive?

The finalist teams of Stage 1 will be entitled to receive a payment of USD 10,000.00 to execute their proposal for the Ideas Competition (Stage 2). The payment will be made only after the proposal has been submitted with all the necessary elements specified in the terms and conditions.

Where and how will the proposals be submitted?

In Stage 1, the requested credentials and portfolios must be submitted digitally by November 23, 2023, via email ideasamericano@cae.org.ec using Wetransfer.

Will participants receive any extra resources or information?

Yes, Starting October 24, the bases and annexes will be available for download on the College of Architects of Pichincha (CAE-P) official channels and website, www.concursoscaep.com.

What are the key dates and schedule of the competition?

Stage 1 of the event is scheduled to take place between October 25 and November 23, 2023. The complete schedule will be available from October 24, 2023, on the official channels of the College of Architects of Pichincha, as well as on the website www.concursoscaep.com.

Are there any specific rules, limitations, or bans that the participants must know?

• The participants, including team members submitting proposals or bids, cannot have a second-degree relationship of consanguinity or affinity and a corporate relationship (shareholder, partner, etc.) with any jury members.

• Those with an employment relationship with the CAE-P, the coordinator, and the jury.

The contest rules have been updated with additional restrictions and prohibitions, effective October 24, 2023.

Is there any method of direct attention for participants and interested parties?

Yes, according to the calendar, any doubts or additional technical questions should be sent to ideasamericano@cae.org.ec between October 25 and November 15, 2023.

According to the calendar, responses will be sent via e-mail on November 16 and 17, 2023.





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