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International Rendering Challenge

BEYOND EARTH |
MARS HABITAT VISUALISATION

Second Edition

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INTRODUCTION

The future of humanity lies beyond Earth, and we are on the brink of exploring the Red Planet, Mars. As we prepare to venture into the unknown, the need for innovative and sustainable habitats on Mars has never been more significant. Archiol Competitions invites architects, designers, and visionaries from around the world to participate in the "Beyond Earth: Mars Habitat Visualization Rendering Challenge." This competition aims to envision and showcase compelling architectural renderings of future Mars habitats that prioritize functionality, sustainability, and aesthetics.

OBJECTIVE

The objective of the Beyond Earth: Mars Habitat Visualization Rendering Challenge is to inspire creative thinking and innovative design for human habitats on Mars. Participants are tasked with creating visually stunning and conceptually compelling architectural renderings that illustrate the potential living environments on the Red Planet. Your designs should address the unique challenges of Mars, including its harsh climate, isolation, and resource limitations, while also fostering a sense of community, sustainability, and comfort.

AWARDS

- Top 3: Certificate + Interview + Publication + score card with inputs
- Honourable mention: Certificate + Publication.
- Shortlisted: Certificate.

TIMELINE

- Competition Announcement: 16th February 2024
- Registration Opens: 16th February 2024
- Registration Deadline: 5th September 2024
- Submission Deadline: 9th September 2024
- Winners Announcement: 4th December 2024

REGISTRATION FEES

A fixed fee of **$2** (international) **/ ₹150** (Indian)

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Participants are required to submit the following materials:

- Rendered Images:
  - Submit a set of 2-5 high-quality rendered images.
  - Images must effectively communicate the design concept, spatial qualities, materials, and atmosphere.
  - Format: JPEG or PNG
  - Resolution: Minimum 300 DPI
- Description Text:
  - Alongside your rendered images, provide a descriptive text outlining your design concept and approach.
  - Language: English
  - The description should be clear, concise, and insightful, providing context and rationale for the design decisions.
  - Word count: Minimum 300 words, Maximum 800 words.
  - Plagiarism will result in disqualification.
  - Font: Times New Roman, Arial, or Calibri
  - Font size: 12pt
  - Line spacing: Double-spaced
  - Margins: 1-inch margins on all sides
  - Include a title for your description text centered at the top of the document.
- Submission Format & Guidelines:
  - File format: Submit your description text in Microsoft Word (.doc or .docx) format.
  - Label your files with your participation code and competition name (e.g., participationcode_BeyondEarth).
  - Zip Folder Creation:
    - Compile all your rendered images and the description text into a single zip folder for ease of submission.
  - Zip Folder Naming:
    - Name your zip folder using your assigned participation code. This ensures accurate identification and association of your submission with your entry.
  - Submission Platform:
    - Utilize Google Drive as the submission platform. Upload the zip folder containing your rendered images and description text to your Google Drive account.
  - Accessibility of Google Drive Link:
    - Ensure that the shared Google Drive link is accessible. Inaccessibility may result in the non-consideration of your submission. Double-check permissions to guarantee seamless access for the competition organizers.
  - Email Submission:
    - Submit your entry by sending an email to submit@archiol.com. Include the shared Google Drive link in the body of the email. It is crucial to comply with this step for your submission to be valid.
    - Email Subject Format:
      - In the subject line of your email, clearly state the competition name followed by your participation code. This standardized format streamlines the organization's handling of numerous submissions.
    - Email Body Content:
      - The body of the email should contain the shared Google Drive link along with essential information, such as the name of the team leader. Additionally, attach the payment receipt or screenshot to verify the completion of the registration process.

Terms and Conditions:
- By submitting your rendered images and description text, you agree that they are your original work.
- You grant permission for the organizers to publish your images and description text on their website or in promotional materials related to the competition.
- Plagiarism will result in disqualification.

JURY

We collaborate with leading architects, designers, and academicians of international repute to participate as jury members in our competitions.
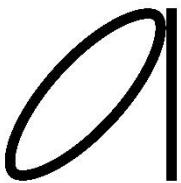
EIGIBILITY

The competition is open to architects, designers, artists, and creative thinkers from around the world. Participants can enter as individuals or in teams (max. 4 members in one team).

MEDIA PARTNERS

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