eVolo 2014 Skyscraper Competition

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eVolo Magazine is pleased to invite architects, students, engineers, designers, and artists from around the globe to take part in the eVolo 2014 Skyscraper Competition.

Established in 2006, the annual Skyscraper Competition is one of the worldâ€[™]s most prestigious awards for high-rise architecture. It recognizes outstanding ideas that redefine skyscraper design through the implementation of novel technologies, materials, programs, aesthetics, and spatial organizations along with studies on globalization, flexibility, adaptability, and the digital revolution. It is a forum that examines the relationship between the skyscraper and the natural world, the skyscraper and the community, and the skyscraper and the city.

The competition is an investigation on the public and private space and the role of the individual and the collective in the creation of a dynamic and adaptive vertical community. It is also a response to the exploration and adaptation of new habitats and territories based on a dynamic equilibrium between man and nature $\hat{a} \in$ a new kind of responsive and adaptive design capable of intelligent growth through the self-regulation of its own systems.

There are **no restrictions in regards to site, program or size**. The objective is to provide maximum freedom to the participants to engage the project without constraints in the most creative way. What is a skyscraper in the 21st century? What are the historical, contextual, social, urban, and environmental responsibilities of these mega-structures?

eVolo Magazine is committed to continue stimulating the imagination of designers around the world $\hat{a} \in$ "thinkers that initiate a new architectural discourse of economic, environmental, intellectual, and perceptual responsibility that could ultimately modify what we understand as a contemporary skyscraper, its impact on urban planning and on the improvement of our way of life.

Please note the following schedule:

• November 19, 2013 – Early registration deadline (Entry fee: USD \$95) • January 14, 2014 – Late registration deadline (Entry fee: USD \$115) • January 20, 2014 – Project submission deadline

Eligibility

Architects, students, engineers, and designers from all over the world are invited to participate in the competition.

Prize

• **1st place** – US \$5000 • **2nd place** – US \$2000 • **3rd place** – US \$1000

Winners and special mentions will be published in several print magazines including eVolo_08.