

# Announcement for the 40<sup>th</sup> 「Seoul Architecture Award」

The Seoul Metropolitan Government intends to present the “Seoul Architecture Award” to architects and citizens who have contributed to the development of Seoul’s architectural culture and building technology and the students showing creative Ideas about Seoul to encourage excellent buildings that have improved the quality of life of citizens by realizing the public value of architecture. We hope that many people who are interested in architectural culture will actively participate.

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Mayor, Seoul Metropolitan Government

## 1. Awards: A total of 24 creations

- **Completion sector: 14 designs** (1 for first prize, 2 for second prize, 10 for third prize, and 1 work for the Green Architecture prize)
- **International Student Pieces: 10 works** (1 for first prize, 1 for second prize, 2 for third prize, and 6 honorable mentions)

※ The number of awards may be adjusted depending on the number of entries, the level of work, and the results of the evaluation (judging committee).

## 2. Announcement of winners

- Individual notice and posting on website (saf.kr) in July 2022

## 3. Competition target

Sector		Content
Completion sector	General	• Buildings located in Seoul that have been approved for use within the last 3 years ( <b>January 19, 2019 ~ June 15, 2022</b> ). Remolded* buildings are limited to buildings for which 15 years have passed since the initial approval for use ( <b>approved for use before July 2007</b> ).
	Green Archite-cture	• A building that meets the above standards and has received green building certification and energy efficiency rating certification. ※ Submit documentation marked with a certification body and grade.
	Master architect	• The screening committee will select a construction company or on-site representative for a building with an excellent assembly from among the works submitted for the construction award for the year.
International Student Works Sector		• An architecture plan for the city of Seoul by college, university, graduate school students (including students on leave of absence) and student who will graduate in 2022 (draft)

\* Remodeling: Acts of major repairs or partial extensions in order to contain the deterioration of a building or to improve its functions.

## 4. Eligibility and methods of application

Sector		Content
Completion sector	Eligibility	• <b>Lead Architect or Lead Designer</b> ※ In principle, one representative is allowed, but if there is mutual consent on the copyright, <b>up to two people</b> can apply
	method of application	• <b>Directed method:</b> Direct application for participation by a representative architect or designer  • <b>Other suggested methods*</b> : Recommendation based on a buildings. – Recommendation entities: architecture-related organizations, autonomous districts, individuals, etc. – Recommendation period: <b>Friday, May 6, 2022 ~ Friday, June 3, 2022</b> – <b>Only works for which the designer has applied and been approved from among the recommended works will be judged.</b>
International Student Works Sector	Eligibility	• <b>One Tutor and One Student</b> – Tutor: Professor or lecturer at a college, university, or graduate school. – Students: College, university, or graduate school students (including students on leave of absence) and students who will graduate in 2022
	method of application	• <b>Directed method:</b> Direct application for participation by tutor and student

※ For more information, visit the Seoul website (citybuild.seoul.go.kr) or the Seoul Architecture Festival website (saf.kr).

## 5. Competition Schedule

- Competition period: Thursday May 12, 2022 ~ Friday June 17, 2022
- Application period: Thursday, June 16 and Friday June 17, 2022 10:00 ~ 17:00
- How to apply and required documents

Sector	Content	
Completion sector	How to apply	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>In-person submissions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Person in charge of the "Seoul Architecture Award" 124, Seosomun-ro, Jung-gu, Seoul, Republic of Korea (Architectural Planning Division, 14th floor, Seosomun 2 Building, Seoul City Hall)</li> <li>※ We do not accept postal submissions, only in-person submissions.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Documents to be submitted	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. One copy of the application form (including the certificate of confirmation of the establishment of an architect's office and the building book).</li> <li>2. One copy of the work description.</li> <li>3. One copy of the consent form for the use of submitted materials</li> <li>4. The Artwork Description (Drawing) book, A3 / <b>15 copies</b></li> <li>5. One copy each of the green building certificate and energy efficiency rating certificate (when applying for a green building award).</li> <li>6. One flash drive (USB): Containing all documents from 1 to 5 above</li> </ol>
International Student Works Sector	How to apply	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Online submission through the website (saf.kr)</b></li> </ul>
	Documents to be submitted	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. One copy of the application form for <b>the tutor (including certificate of employment or confirmation of attendance), and the student (including certificate of enrollment or graduation).</b></li> <li>2. One copy of the the Artwork Description (Drawing) book</li> <li>3. One copy of the consent form for the use of submitted materials.</li> <li>4. Panel, booklet (PDF, page, no size limit), video (MP4). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Submissions can be freely selected, and it is possible to submit all of them.</li> <li>- The total of all data cannot exceed 1GB.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>

※ For specific conditions, please refer to the "Criteria for Submission of Entries"

## 6. Awards

Sector	Winner	Award
Completion Sector	Architect (designer) Master of Architecture (Constructor)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The "Seoul Architecture Award" (completed section)</li> </ul>
	Architecture owner	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A commemorative copper plate to be attached to the building will be awarded containing the name of the owner, architect, and contractor.</li> </ul>
International Student Works Sector	Tutor (Professor and Lecturer)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The "Seoul Architecture Award" (International Student Works)</li> </ul>
	student	

## 7. Winner's Privileges

- Awards Ceremony: Planned for Wednesday, September 14, 2022
- Artwork exhibition: Planned for Wednesday, September 14, 2022 ~ Sunday, September 25, 2022 ※ Subject to change depending on the Seoul Architecture Festival schedule

Sector	Content
Completion Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The awareness and status of architects will be enhanced by promoting public awareness through special exhibitions of winners in the 2022 Architecture Festival.</li> <li>• Support for "Architect of the Year Special Exhibition" at the next Seoul Architecture Festival event is limited to the grand prize winner.</li> <li>• Preferential treatment when selecting external members related to architecture (architecture committee, public architects, other advisory members, etc.)</li> <li>• Use as mitigation data when referring to the Architects Disciplinary Committee pursuant to Article 30-3 (Disciplinary Action) of the "Architectural Justice Act." <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>※ Reduction Scope: Within 1/2 of the period of suspension, according to the resolution of the committee.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Qualified to apply for nomination design competitions (limited to projects ordered by the Seoul Metropolitan Government) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>※ Design services recognized by the mayor as necessary are among design service costs and should be less than 100 million won in accordance with Article 22 of the Act on Contracts to which a Local Government is a Party (Contracts by Designated Bidding) and the Seoul City Public Architect Management Regulations.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
International Student Works Sector	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Publicity through a special exhibition of winners in the 2022 Architecture Festival.</li> <li>• Support for mentoring for architects given an award in the general supervision and completion category in 2022.</li> <li>• Since the contest is conducted as in an international competition, tutors and students are recognized for international competition awards and benefit from international publicity.</li> </ul>

## 8. Additional Guidelines

### ○ Common

- The submission form can be downloaded from the Seoul website or from the website of the Seoul Architecture Festival (<http://saf.kr>).
- No identifying information can be included within the submission.
- The final screening method is decided by the screening committee.
- Winners must actively participate in the Seoul Architecture Festival Program (exhibi

tion, etc.).

- For other details, contact [the Seoul Architecture Festival Operation Secretariat \(Tel: 02-6242-5670\)](#)

### ○ Completion sector

- Works that have already won the Seoul Architecture Award are excluded.
- Two or more awards cannot be given to the same person in the same year (multiple submissions are possible).
- In principle, the winner is one representative designer, but up to two people are allowed if there is mutual agreement on copyright.
- In principle, the designer must be the person specified in the building book, but other architecture-related organizations such as the Korean Association of Architects, Korean Architects Association, Korean Women Architects Association, and New Architects Association can recognize the applicant as the designer. To be recognized as a representative designer, you must submit a recommendation confirmation letter.
- The number of award-winning works (winners) may be adjusted according to the judgment results.
- The works will be judged through the “Architecture Award Judgment Committee” separately organized by the Seoul Metropolitan Government.
- An exclusive prize, the “Citizen’s Special Empathy Award,” will be given based on citizens’ votes on (the Internet) for a work selected from the first screening.

### ○ International student work sector

- Tutors cannot submit more than three works, and students cannot submit more than two works.
- Students must be college, university, or graduate students, but their major is irrelevant.
- Submissions must be made in either Korean or English only.
- Artwork will be judged by the “Architecture Award Judging Committee,” separately by the Seoul Metropolitan Government.
- Applicants who successfully pass the first screening must participate in the second pr

esentation screening.

- If the presenter is a student, during a presentation evaluation, the language used can either be Korean or English.
- A presentation screening consists of a 10-minute presentation and 10-minute Q&A.

## Reference

# Criteria for Submission of Entries (Completion Part)

- The submission form is on a file downloaded through the official website, and you should be sure it is the latest version of the form before submitting it.
  - Seoul Metropolitan Government Website : <http://citybuild.seoul.go.kr/>
  - Seoul Architecture Festival Website : <https://www.saf.kr>
- Artwork Description (Drawing) Collection
  - After completing to write within 15 pages of A3 (width, 420×297), excluding cover and slipsheet, submit 15 copies which are binded of the left.

Title	Contents	Form	Page
Cover	-	【Form 00】	-
Index	-	-	-
Design outline	Design outline	【Form 00】	1
Concept	Design intent and planning concept (Duplicate submissions in the general and green architecture categories should express the planning concept and effort factors related to green architecture together)	-	1-2
drawings	Site plan	-	1
	General drawing ※ Drawings should be in the order of plan, elevation, and section, but it is not necessary to prepare all drawings. ※ Drawings must accurately represent the scale. ※ The expressed site plan and floor plan of the first floor must include the surrounding area.	-	4-6
	Main Image	-	5
Total Page			12-15

- Personal information of the designer cannot be entered in the project description, project description (drawing), etc.
- In the description, an introduction to the project outline, the background story, the concept, and the architect's comment should be described.
- The designer of the winning project must submit a panel of project and a model for the exhibition, otherwise the award may be cancelled. (Specifications and types for these will be provided later).

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- Submitted plates and models must be removed between 10:00 and 15:00 on the day of the end of the exhibition.

# Criteria for Submission of Entries (International Student Works)

- Artwork can be submitted without any format restrictions such as a panel (large image), video, or booklet.
- A panel, video, and brochure may be submitted, or only one of them may be submitted. However, the total capacity cannot exceed 1 GB.
- A file may be requested again due to quality and resolution issues, but the same capacity regulations apply in this case as well.
- Except for the participation application form and the consent form for the use of submitted materials, any content that can identify the participant cannot be used anywhere.
- In the description of the work, the introduction of the work should be provided through representative images and explanatory text.
- Additional materials may be requested for the exhibition of the winning work, and if not submitted, the award may be cancelled.
- Submitted exhibits and other materials, must be removed between 10:00 and 15:00 on the day of the end of the exhibition.