





# Indian Society of Landscape Architects

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The Indian Society of Landscape Architects (ISOLA) is a professional organization with members all over the country. The organization is a member of the International Federation of Landscape Architects (IFLA) - the body representing landscape architects worldwide.



#### Indian Society of Landscape Architects invites entries for the second cycle of ISOLA Awards.

## HONOURS AND AWARDS

The following Honours and Awards are intended to be given at the ISOLA 2012 Conference

HONOURS The ISOLA Medal AWARDS (PROFESSIONAL) General Design Award The Landmark Award AWARDS (STUDENT) ISOLA Students' Award

# ELIGIBILITY

To participate in the Professional Awards, the participant must be a member of ISOLA such as Fellow, Associate or Graduate member **OR** 

Non member must be qualified to join ISOLA and will need to become a member in one of the above categories (unless otherwise mentioned).

To participate in the Students' Award, the participant should have been a student of landscape architecture programme of an institution recognized by ISOLA of the previous academic session. Nominations may also be made by institutions.

# AWARDS JURY

#### The ISOLA Medal, General Design Award, The Landmark Award

Prof. Ravindra Bhan | Rohit Marol | Dr. Priyaleen Singh | Jayant Dharap | Nikhil Dhar

#### **ISOLA Students' Award**

Rohit Marol | Dr. Priyaleen Singh | Jayant Dharap

The Jury process is 'anonymous' i.e. the identity of the entrants and the creative team will not be revealed to the Jury.



# HONOURS

#### THE ISOLA MEDAL

The ISOLA Medal is the highest honour the Indian Society of Landscape Architects (ISOLA) may bestow upon a landscape architect whose lifetime achievements and contributions to the profession have had a unique and lasting impact on the welfare of the public and the environment.

The winner for this category is identified through a process of nomination & jury selection.

#### NOMINATION PROCESS

Nominations shall be made by an ISOLA member. The nomination should consist of

- 1. Letter of Nomination
- (Letter may not be more than six pages in length)
- 2. Photo of nominee
- 3. Additional materials such as photos of projects, articles, etc.

# PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

#### **GENERAL DESIGN AWARD**

The intent is to recognize site-specific works of landscape architecture or urban design. Entries in this category must be built projects. The Jury may select one or more Award of Excellence and any number of Special Mentions in this category.

#### **TYPICAL ENTRIES INCLUDE**

Public, institutional or private landscapes of all kinds including residential. It is recommended that the project should be at least three years old.

#### CRITERIA

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The jury will consider the quality of design and execution, context, environmental sensitivity and sustainability, and design value to the client and to other designers.

Sindhu Baug, Gandhidham | Anuj Malhotra, Good Earth Consultants, Ahmedabad

#### THE LANDMARK AWARD

The intent is to recognize a distinguished landscape architecture project completed atleast 10 years ago that retains its original design integrity and contributes significantly to the public realms of the community in which it is located. The Awards Jury may select one Landmark Award recipient who is a landscape architect for the selected project and is also a ISOLA member.

#### **TYPICAL ENTRIES INCLUDE**

Parks, plazas, sculpture gardens, commemorative gardens botanical gardens, river walks, and more. Public officials and agencies, civic and historic preservation organizations and interested individuals and entities are encouraged to submit projects in this category.

#### CRITERIA

The jury will consider the project's sustained value to the community it serves and the continued relevance of the project's design expression.

An official entrant in this category is neither required to be a landscape architecture professional nor is he required to join ISOLA in order to enter. Local organizations, public officials, and other interested individuals are also welcome to enter a qualified project in this category.

#### **ISOLA STUDENTS' AWARD**

The ISOLA students' award will honour the best student's thesis of the year 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 separately (one award per academic year).

# SUBMISSION DETAILS

#### Entry envelope (with ISOLA Code no.) must contain the following items:

#### **1. Descriptive Data Summary**

The first two (2) A2 size sheets must include descriptive data summary of up to two (2) typed pages briefly describing the project, location, scope & size, site & it's context, design program, design intent, materials & construction methods, environmental impact & concerns, collaboration with the client & other designers & other significant issues. The summary to also include a small note on why the project should be considered for award.

In case of ISOLA STUDENTS AWARD, The first two (2) sheets must describe the intent of the thesis in addition to the above. The remaining sheets should be able to represent the salient aspects of the thesis in a clear manner.

#### 2. Site Plan

The third sheet of the Entry should be a simple site plan to give the jurors context of the entire project. It should be in A2 format, landscape or portrait orientation.

#### 3. Drawings and Photographs

To include at least three (3) but no more than eight (8) total drawings and/or photographs of the project. Drawings and photographs must be A2 format, portrait or landscape orientation with suitable captions. The sheets should not be mounted on hardboard.

**4. Copyright declaration duly signed certifying the sole authorship of the entry** Please note that each sheet/ document submitted for the purpose is to be marked with ISOLA Official code no. Unmarked sheets shall not be accepted.

#### 5. Contents of the Entry envelope as above in CD- ROM

Text documents must only be in a word processing application (preferably MS Word). Photographs and drawings must be in .jpg format at a minimum of 300 ppi (pixels per inch). Materials in the envelope must not reveal the names or identity of the entrant and/or landscape architects, firms, other designers, students, schools, photographers, etc. Entrants must use an easily readable typeface, such as Times Roman, Garamond, or Arial, no smaller than 10-point size, for all text.

NOTE: The entrants are responsible for obtaining permissions for photographs for publication and reproduction by ISOLA. ISOLA will provide proper photography and other project credits when using photos, but will not assume responsibility for any copyrights or photography fees. ISOLA retains the right to publish photos submitted in winning entries.

Please label the CD-ROM case with the ISOLA code number as well.



# TIMELINES

**10 January 2012** Announce Awards

**5 February 2012** Last Date for receiving the Registration Form

**15 February 2012** Release of Official ISOLA code nos. to the eligible entrants

**5 June 2012** Last Date for the Entries to reach ISOLA Office, Delhi

Last week of June 2012 Jury Session, New Delhi

**10 July 2012** Announcement of ISOLA Honours and Awards

# **ISOLA Conference 2012**

Awards Presentation Ceremony Exhibition of Winning entries

# REGISTRATION

All the interested entrants are required to register as per the timelines before sending their individual entries for ISOLA Awards. For the purpose, each interested entrant shall deposit the registration form, fee and identity proof (in case of students, copy of identity card) to the ISOLA Authorities.

# **REGISTRATION FEE**

General Design Award	- ₹2,000/- (Two Thousand)
The Landmark Award	- ₹2,000/- (Two Thousand)
ISOLA Student Award	- ₹500/- (Five Hundred)

The registration fee of the prescribed amount is to be deposited in the form of DEMAND DRAFT ONLY (in favour of ISOLA A/c no. 0481000078552, HDFC Bank, Ahmedabad)

#### **MAILING ADDRESS:**

# Indian Society of Landscape Architects

c/o Savita Punde, (Member, ISOLA Honours and Awards Committee) ISOLA Delhi Chapter, 6th Floor, Radisson Suites and Commercial Plaza, Sushant Lok-I, Sector – 27, Gurgaon 122002, Haryana **Tel :** 0124-4018123, 4018124 **Email :** isolapresident@gmail.com

Upon receipt of the duly filled registration form, fee and Identity Proof, ISOLA will scrutinize the forms. It retains the right to disqualify any entrant who does not meet program requirement or presents a conflict of interest. It will issue an official Code number to each eligible entrant. The same code number will be put on all the entry sheets and other documents at the time of submission by the entrants.

# SOLA awards

# **REGISTRATION FORM**

Name:		
Firm/School/Agency:		
Address:		
City:		
Telephone:		
Mobile:		
Email:		
ISOLA Membership No		
Fellow Member	Associate Member	
Graduate Member	Student Member	
Please find attached Demand Draft no Dated: of Rs against registration fee for		
Date:	Signature:	