



WIMMED 2020

**ARCHITECTURE EDUCATION ASSOCIATION,
AWARDS FOR ARCHITECTURE STUDENTS COMPETITION BRIEF**

1. INSTITUTION

This competition is organized annually by Architecture Education Association [ArchED, "MimED" in Turkish]. 19th MimED2020 Project Awards for Architecture Students" includes projects carried out in architectural design studios of "2019-2020 fall", "2019-2020 spring" and "2019-2020 summer" semesters by **undergraduate students of architecture, registered to the departments of architecture, faculties of architecture.** Projects carried out in summer internships are not accepted for evaluation.

2. TYPE OF THE COMPETITION

This competition is a national student competition open to **undergraduate students of architecture, registered to the departments of architecture, faculties of architecture** and is conducted in **two phases, a digital pre-selection and an online jury evaluation.**

In the first phase, the projects uploaded to the competition website [www.mimedprojects.com] will be evaluated digitally by the competition jury in successive rounds of digital pre-selection. In the second phase, conducted as an online jury evaluation session, only the selected projects of the digital pre-selection phase will be evaluated by the jury competition.

3. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

> This competition is open to all **undergraduate students of architecture, registered to the department of architecture, faculty of architecture** in Republic of Turkey and Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus.

> This competition consists of four categories; "First Year" "Second Year", "Third Year" and "Fourth Year". Students can participate with projects carried out in architectural design studios, either individually or as a group (max. 3 people), of "2019-2020 fall", "2019-2020 spring" and "2019-2020 summer" semesters. **Diploma, 8th**

semester, etc. projects are not included in the Fourth Year category.

> Students can participate in the competition with more than one project. For each project submitted, a separate participation fee must be deposited. If the project is carried out by a group of students, it is sufficient that one participation fee is deposited by one of the students.

4. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE COMPETITION

This competition is announced via www.mimed.org.tr. In addition, the announcement poster is sent via email to the department secretariats of all schools of architecture in Republic of Turkey and Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus for further announcement.

5. IMPORTANT DATES

October 5, 2020: **Announcement of the Competition**

October 8, 2020: **Deadline for Questions**

October 12, 2020: **Announcement of the Answers**

October 13-November 2, 2020: **Digital Registration and Submission of the Projects**

November 4, 2020: **Deadline for Approval from Studio Tutor and Payment of Submission Fee**

November 30, 2020: **Announcement of the Pre-Selection Results**

December 5&6, 2020: **Jury Evaluation, Online**

December 15, 2020: **Announcement of the Results**

December 15, 2020: **Colloquium and Award Ceremony, Online**

(17.30 / Zoom / Link will be Announced from www.mimed.org.tr)

From December 15, 2020 to January 15, 2021: **Project Exhibition**

(Online Exhibition on www.mimed.org.tr)

6. QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Questions related to the competitions should be sent via e-mail to **mimedyarisma@gmail.com** between October 05, 2020 and October 08, 2020. Answers will be announced on October 12, 2020 via **www.mimed.org.tr**.

7. PRIVACY POLICY

> All the registrations on the competition website and the identity information are confidential.

> During the digital and online phases, all the identity information will be confidential and projects will be evaluated this way.

> Rapporteurs will cover the identity codes given automatically by the competition website and will give a new number to each submitted project according to its category and jury members will evaluate the projects only with these numbers.

> Following the completion of jury evaluations, the identity tags will be opened and award winners will be revealed.

> All the projects which will succeed digital pre-selection will be exhibited at the online exhibition just after the competition results in colloquium. If any project owner prefers to keep his/her identity secret **in case of not being awarded**, this must be indicated in the competition website as "Don't reveal my identity" (Kimliğim Açıklanmasın).

8. DIGITAL PRE-SELECTION

* For the registration and project submission, **please see diagram at the pages 6-7.**

> Participants must register to the competition website [mimedprojects.com] to upload their projects. The website will automatically give a project code according to the year category. **If project boards and images have any kind of information about the names of students, project instructors or schools etc.; the project will be disqualified.**

> Participants who would like to participate with more than one project, have to register for each project separately. The same name and surname can be used for each registration, but **different email addresses** must be used for each registration. The system recognizes participants

according to their e-mail addresses. Because of the fact that these email addresses are used for communication, participants are responsible for using a valid email address and responsible for **checking their spam and junk folders frequently.**

> Projects which have been carried out as group work must be indicated as "Group/Team Work" (Takım). After the information of the responsible student has been entered, the information of the rest of students must be entered to the "Group Members" (Ekip Üyeleri) section on the right. The information of the project instructor **must NOT be entered** in this section.

> The checkbox which indicates that 4th year projects [Category 4] are **NOT** graduation, diploma, 8th semester etc. projects must be marked.

> Participants will upload their projects in JPG format to the "Project Visuals" (Proje Görseli) section. Maximum 2 boards can be uploaded. For projects with 2 boards, **participants must first upload their first board and control it by previewing; then must upload the second board.** Each board can be **maximum 10 MB**. Participants are responsible for uploading correct visuals.

> A text describing the area, theme, content and design concept of the project with 200 words in Turkish and 200 words in English must be written into the correct section in the website.

> Participants must indicate the name and e-mail address of the project instructor in the registration page. Uploaded projects will be sent to their instructors for confirmation. Thus, email addresses must be up-to-date. After the confirmation of projects, an automatic message for confirmation and payment will be sent to participants. Participants will pay the competition fee **50TL** according to information in the message. In the case of participating with more than one project, separate fees must be paid for each project.

> Competition fees are checked separately through the bank account of the Association. Because of this fact, notification messages are not sent immediately; participants get confirmed and noticed just after the control of

bank account activities. **Digital submissions will end on November 2nd, 2020. Payments will be confirmed in 3 days after November 4th, 2020 which is the final date for project instructors to confirm projects and for participants to pay the competition fee.**

> The evaluation of projects for digital pre-selection will be realized by the MimED2020 jury through the competition website. **The deadline for project submission is November 2nd, 2020 23:59.** Results of digital pre-selection will be announced on November 30th, 2020 and will be sent to participants via email.

9. DIGITAL SUBMISSION FORMAT

Project boards which will be uploaded to the competition website for digital pre-selections are called "Project Visual". Specifications of these boards are below:

> Maximum 2 boards can be uploaded for each project.

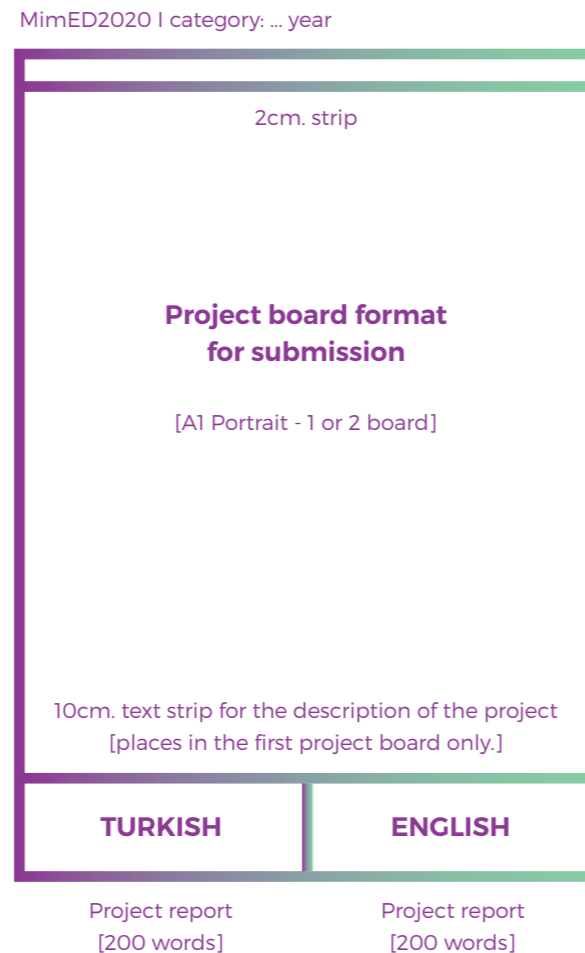
> Boards must be in **A1 portrait size** [59,4 cm. X 84,1 cm.], in **JPG format** and **maximum 10MB**. Resolution for boards must be **min. 150 dpi**.

> Each project board must include a 2 cm. strip on the top of them. The title "MimED2020" and the information of year category must be placed into the left corner of this strip. The information of year categories will be as 'MimED2020 I category: 1st year', 'MimED2020 I category: 2nd year', 'MimED2020 I category: 3rd year' or 'MimED2020 I category: 4th year'.

> The project text written in Turkish and English as 200 words each, must be placed into a 10 cm. strip on the bottom of the first project board.

Any kind of information about the identity of student as name, university, project instructor etc. must NOT be included in boards and in text.

> There is not any restriction for representation techniques of the projects.



10. COMPETITION FEE

There is a **50TL** competition fee for each project submitted to the MimED2020 Student Project Awards. This fee must be paid after the confirmation of projects by project instructors during the digital submission phase. The bank account of the competition will be checked for completing the submission and confirmation. It is enough to pay one single fee for projects if the project is a group work. Students are responsible for problems that might appear because of the different procedures about money transfer systems between bank accounts (**Banks may take wages in different amounts for money transfer systems. It is suggested for participants to get informed about wages from their banks beforehand or consider alternative banks & transfer systems**).

Bank Account

Mimarlık Eğitimi Derneği
TC İş Bankası Ayaspaşa Şubesi
Hesap No. 425044
IBAN: TR50 0006 4000 0011 0050 4250 44

Competition fee is **not refunded** for any project, including projects which do not conform to the conditions of the competition, or which are eliminated in the digital pre-selection.

11. JURY

Submitted projects will be evaluated by a jury selected from faculty members of various schools of architecture and practicing architects.

Jury members* of MimED 2020 project competition for architecture students

Güldehan Atay (Assist. Prof. Dr., Mimar Sinan Fine Arts University)
İlgin Avcı (Architect, CAA.Studio)
Elif Erdine (Dr., Architectural Association School of Architecture)
Hülya Ertaş (MSc., XXI Architecture and Design Magazine)
Orhan Hacıhasanoğlu (Prof. Dr., Özyeğin Univ.)
Elif Kendir Beraha (Assist. Prof. Dr., İstanbul Bilgi University)
George Kunihiro (Prof., Tsinghua University)
Brian McGrath (Prof., Parsons School of Design)
Ana Nikezić (Assist. Prof. Dr., Univ. of Belgrade)
Hakan Tüzün Şengün (Instructor Dr., ITU)

Coordination:

Coordinator: Erenalp Büyüktopcu
İpek Avanoğlu
Çağdaş Kaya
Merve Kılıçbay

Raportörler

Meriç Altıntaş (Res. Assist., ITU)
Oya Yeşim Armağan (Res. Assist., ITU)
Bahar Gökçen Kumsar (Res. Assist., ITU)
Emirhan Kurtuluş (Res. Assist., ITU)
Buse Özçelik (Res. Assist., ITU)
Ayşe Tuğçe Pınar (Res. Assist., ITU)

* names are given in the alphabetical order of surnames.

12. AWARDS

> A "Success Award", an "Encouragement Award", and several "Jury Special Awards" whose quantity is specified by the jury are given for each category in the competition.

> Every participant who will be awarded with "Success Award", "Encouragement Award", or "Jury Special Award" will receive a certificate and money prize.

> The amount of the prizes of the current competition term is determined by ArchED according to its budget facilities. For MimED2020, "success award" will receive a money prize of 2500TL, "encouragement award" will receive a money prize of 1500TL and "jury special award" will receive a money prize of 500TL, for each category.

> ArchED holds the right to publish all the projects which will be awarded. All the projects which will be awarded will take place in the digital publication by ArchED. All the projects which will take part in the second phase by succeeding digital pre-selection can be published by ArchED with their identity – unless otherwise stated by participants.

Digital Registration and Submission of the Projects
October 13-November 2, 2020

mimedprojects.com (Registration)

Register (Kayıt Ol)
Check the spam and junk folders for confirmation

Project Code
Given by the system automatically

Participants who would like to participate with more than one project, have to register for each project separately. Same participant name can be used but different email addresses must be used. Competition fee must be paid for each registration.

mimedprojects.com (Project)

13. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE RESULTS

Competition results will be announced at the colloquium on December 15th, 2020 and will be published on the website www.mimed.org.tr.

14. CONDITIONS & VALIDITY

> ArchED is not responsible for technical and natural problems or delays for project submissions.

> Projects which include any kind of informative text, letter or symbol that describe the identity of participant, team, university, project instructor etc. will be disqualified.

> Projects which do not conform to the rules [size, orientation, format] that are explained in the article 9, **will be disqualified** with a report to the juries by rapporteurs.

> Competition fee is **not refunded** for any project, including projects which do not conform to the conditions of the competition, or which are eliminated in the digital pre-selection.

Deadline for Digital Registration and Submission of the Projects
November 2, 2020

Registered E-Mail Address

Confirmation by the Instructor
Message about the approval

Project Code
Given by the system automatically

Competition fee will be paid through the project code

Competition Fee (50TL)

For details, see Article 10.

Deadline for Approval from the Studio Tutor and Payment of Submission Fee
November 4, 2020:

Teams must mark the related checkbox
Project Type: Team Work (Takım)

Team Members (Ekip Üyeleri) (right lower panel)
Name, current e-mail

Instructor (Proje Yürütücüsü) (right upper panel)
Name, current e-mail

4th year projects must mark the related checkbox
Bitirme/8.dönem projesi vb. değildir

Project Visuals 1 (max. 10 MB)

After uploading, must be controlled by previewing

Project Visuals 2 (max. 10 MB)

After uploading, must be controlled by previewing

Concept of the Design (text)
200 words English

Concept of the Design (text)
200 words Turkish

Confirmation of the Payments
within 3 days after Nov. 4th

www.mimed.org.tr

