

# BUBBLES... An Inside-out Gateway to a Sustained Human System

Cardiff University, AlMaksed & BioArchitecture Foundations are pleased to announce the launching of an Architectural Contest, under the theme of "SELF-SUFFICIENT SPACE; An Inside Out Gateway to a Sustained Human System"

The aim is to promote research through which to generate ideas and futuristic proposals that help us envisage how a unique single space can embrace the idea of :  
"inside-out connectivity between the ecological system of nature and the comfort zone of mankind"

## REGISTRATION

January 16,2010  
till February 16,2010

## SUBMISSION

March 10,2010

## AWARDS

March 16, 2010  
Venue: Cardiff University  
Council Chamber, Main Building

## EXHIBITION

March,(17- 21) 2010  
Venue:Cardiff University

## TEAM SIZE

maximum 3 members

1st & 2nd year  
Architecture undergraduates  
in all universities across  
the world

## PRIZES

1st Prize: £150  
2nd Prize: £100  
3rd Prize: £ 50

## JURY

Richard Weston  
Professor at Welsh  
School of Architecture

Andrew Sutton  
Chair of Design Circle  
(Southern Branch of RSAW)

Gehan Nagy,  
Al Maksed Foundation

Alexandra Miller,  
Bioarchitecture Foundation

For full abstract & further details Check our websites:  
<http://www.cardiff.ac.uk/archi/>  
<http://msa.eun.eg/>

## DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

Create one single space located in a stressful context of a metropolitan city of your choice, with Maximum area of 45m<sup>2</sup>

The unit could be an integrated fragment in a bigger building as a whole

The Jury Panel will be looking for designs which combine innovation and creativity with realism and functionality

## LOGISTICS

One single A2 sized poster (JPEG format)

An in depth analysis for sustainable features of the unit & the design approach that will ensure a stress relief indoor space

Plan, Section and Elevation for the proposed unit, in a convenient scale

Suitable furnishing proposals

3D analysis

Unit grouping availability

FOR REGISTRATION:  
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