

# TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF «GECKO: THINK FORWARD»

## Conditions of entry

- The following are entitled to enter the «GECKO: Think Forward» competition: architects, planners, civil engineers and interior architects with a degree in architecture, interior architecture, civil engineering or urban planning. A maximum of two projects by the same author or office may be submitted. Documentation must be written in German or English. The projects may already be completed when the competition is held, or may be created during the competition.

## Provisions & rights of use

- By registering for «GECKO: Think Forward», entrants declare that they agree with the procedures described and with the provisions of «GECKO: Think Forward». They will submit to the decisions of the jury, particularly in matters of discretion.
- By signing and sending in the declaration of authorship, the author surrenders his/her rights of use and exploitation to Création Baumann, free of charge.
- Entrants concede the exclusive and free right to use the intellectual property and materials submitted. By entering the «GECKO: Think Forward» competition, entrants autonomously make this concession. At the same time, entrants declare that they are in possession of the necessary rights of use of the documentation submitted, such as photographs, and that this documentation is at their entire disposal. This right of use applies in particular to the use of the documentation for publication in the press and other media.

## Exemption of the organiser

- If, despite the express assurances of the entrants, the possible rights of third parties are violated or claims are made by third parties against Création Baumann, candidates entering the «GECKO: Think Forward» competition expressly declare the exemption of Création Baumann at the moment of their registration. Entrants undertake to exonerate Création Baumann from any unjustified charges by providing appropriate evidence.

## Ownership, restitution, copyright, liability

- The documentation submitted becomes the property of Création Baumann. Once submitted, documentation cannot be returned.
- The copyright remains with the author.
- Création Baumann accepts no liability for the damage or loss of competition documents if it has fulfilled the obligation of due diligence it applies in its own affairs.

## Other terms and conditions

- The selection procedure will be conducted in camera by a jury designated by Création Baumann. No correspondence will be conducted. There is no right of appeal.

## Submission

- Competition entries must contain a project description on DIN A4 (minimum font size: 10 point) paper as well as a maximum of four pages in DIN A3 format, including plans, details, captions and photographs (hardcopies). All documentation must also be submitted to Création Baumann on CD (photographs in 300dpi) in English or German by 31 March 2009 at the latest. The date of receipt is the incoming date stamp applied by Création Baumann. There will be no deadline extensions.
- An indispensable prerequisite for entering the «GECKO: Think Forward» competition is the express acceptance of the terms and conditions confirmed on the registration form.
- Please note that documentation for «GECKO: Think Forward» must be sent free of charge and at the entrants' own risk to Création Baumann. Documentation submitted without prior registration and indication of the registration code will not be considered. To ensure the anonymity of the competition entries, the entry sheets and explanatory report must not provide any references to the author beside the registration code.
- The author's declaration must be made exclusively on the appropriate form and sent together with the documentation in a sealed envelope bearing the entrant's personal registration code. The form will be sent to entrants together with their personal registration code once the application has been submitted.