

# FRAME AWARDS 2019 WINNERS ANNOUNCED



Gentle Monster, Studiopepe, Sony Design, i29, Rockwell Group and Atelier Brückner Among Those Who Received The Coveted Interior Design Award

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On Wednesday 20 February 2019, the winners of the Frame Awards 2019 were announced. Earlier that day, live judging sessions took place that allowed the final nominees for each award to present their work through a video presentation and commentary. Following, the international jury privately selected the best interiors of 2017 and 2018 that would later be revealed.

Alexander Ekman, El Equipo Creativo, Sony Design and DUS Architects were among the winners at the second edition of the Frame Awards. More than sixty winners were recognized from across the Spatial, Executional and Societal categories on Wednesday 20 February at De Kromhouthal in Amsterdam. Four additional winners received the Honorary Frame Awards, including Lifetime Achievement Award winner Philippe Starck, Designer of the Year Faye Toogood, Emerging Designer of the Year Alberto Caiola and Client of the Year, MINI Living.

The work was judged not only by fellow designers, but by leaders from all industries:

retail brands, hospitality providers, cultural institutions, corporations and educators.

The prestigious panel of international jury members included Li Xiang (X+Living President and Creative Director), Peter Ippolito (Ippolito Fleitz Group Cofounder), David Rockwell (Rockwell Group Founder and President), Paola Navone (Architect, Designer and Art Director), Sakchin Bessette (Moment Factory Cofounder), Sevil Peach (SevilPeach Founder) and Humberto Campana (Estudio Campana and Instituto Campana Cofounder) and Didier Faustino (Mésarchitecture Cofounder). In addition, more than 28,500 votes were cast by Frame's worldwide audience, who selected the winners of the People's Choice in each award category.

To determine the winners, the jury deliberated both the aesthetic and innovative merit of each project, as well as considering how each reflected current socio-economical shifts.

'As designers, we need to fight [any business trends] that don't provide spaces with warmth and humanity – offices can't be desk graveyards, for example,' said Sevil Peach (Founder of SevilPeach). 'As jury members, we chose projects that sent that message to the industry.' Such was the case in deciding the winner of Learning Space of the Year, won by the JKMM Architects-designed Amos Rex contemporary museum in Helsinki. 'The interior has informed a newly defined public exterior,' Institutions jury member Alex De Rijke (Founding Director of dRMM) said of the project. 'JKMM understood the context of location's history and updated the space with new, innovative content for all to enjoy.'

Frame founder and director Robert Thiemann hosted the celebrations and prizegiving ceremony at the Frame Awards Show last evening. Over 350 guests from Los Angeles to Tokyo enjoyed the spectacular culmination of the 2019 Frame Awards with the crème de la crème of the interior design and architecture world in attendance.

The Frame Awards marks a new era for Frame, as the company expands beyond print publication and forges a new path in modern media and events with an innovative production that adds a new physical dimension to the brand.

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Philippe Starck with his Lifetime Achievement award

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#### LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD Philippe Starck

#### HONORARY AWARDS Sponsored by IBA

# Designer of the Year

Jury vote: Faye Toogood People's vote: Brinkworth

# Emerging Designer of the Year

Jury vote: Alberto Caiola Studio People's vote: Roar (formerly Pallavi Dean)

# **Client of the Year**

Jury vote: Mini Living People's vote: The Student Hotel

# SPATIAL AWARDS: RETAIL

**Single-Brand Store of the Year** Jury vote: **Gentle Monster - Kungfu (London)** People's vote: **Gentle Monster - Kungfu (London)** 

# Multi-Brand Store of the Year

Jury vote: Johannes Torpe Studios - United Cycling Lab & Store (Lynge) People's vote: Clap Studio - Little Stories (Valencia)

# Pop-Up Store of the Year

Jury vote: Hufft - Baldwin (New York City) People's vote: StudioXAG - Out of Nowhere, Napapijri (London)

# Window Display of the Year

Jury vote: Ion Ander Beloki / Ja! Studio - Ura Window Display, Gipuzkoa People's vote: Michel Comte - All Is Colour S/S 2018 (Stuttgart)

#### SPATIAL AWARDS: HOSPITALITY Sponsored by Chemetal

# Bar of the Year

Jury vote: **Studiopepe - Club Unseen (Milan**) People's vote: **Lucas y Hernández Gil Architects + Cresta Design - Casaplata (Seville**)

# **Restaurant of the Year**

Jury vote: Russell & George - Ishizuka (Melbourne) People's vote: Esrawe Studio - El Califa (Mexico City) Hotel of the Year

Jury vote: Neri&Hu Design and Research Office -Tsingpu Yangzhou Retreat (Yangzhou) People's vote: Concrete - Hotel Norge by Scandic, Bergen

#### **Entertainment Venue of the Year**

Jury vote: One Plus Partnership - Panlong Plaza Yinxing Cinema (Wuhan) People's vote: Batek Architekten and Ester Bruzkus Architekten - Delphi Lux (Berlin)

#### Health Club of the Year

Jury vote: VSHD Design - The Warehouse Gym (Dubai) People's vote: VSHD Design - The Warehouse Gym (Dubai)

#### SPATIAL AWARDS: WORK

#### **Co-Working Space of the Year**

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#### Small Office of the Year

Jury vote: Equipo de Arquitectura - Earthbox (Asunción) People's vote: Sonic Union - RAW-NYC Architects (New York City)

#### Large Office of the Year

Jury vote: Neue Arbeitswelt 205 - Studio Alexander Fehre (Schwäbisch Gmünd) People's vote: Gensler - Gusto (San Francisco)

#### SPATIAL AWARDS: INSTITUTIONS

### Learning Space of the Year

Jury vote: JKMM Architects - Amos Rex (Helsinki) People's vote: Ministry of Design - Race Robotics Laboratory, Singapore

#### Healthcare Centre of the Year

Jury vote: Studio Karhard - The Urban Dentist (Berlin) People's vote: Brandon Haw Architecture - New York Dermatology Group (New York City)

#### **Governmental Interior of the Year**

Jury vote: Group A - Metro Oostlijn (Amsterdam) People's vote: Kaan Architecten - Utopia Library and Academy for Performing Arts (Aalst)

# SPATIAL AWARDS: RESIDENCES

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# **Small Apartment of the Year**

Jury vote: Office Shogo Onodera - House of Wind and Light (Tokyo) People's vote: Sabo Project - Voltaire (Paris)

# Large Apartment of the Year

Jury vote: SJB - Cleveland Rooftop (Sydney) People's vote: 0932 Design Connsultants - Nassim Mansion (Singapore)

# House of the Year

Jury vote: **i29 Interior Architects and Chris Collaris -Holiday Home (Vinkeveen)** People's vote: **Alan Tay - Grotto House (Singapore)** 

# **Co-Living Complex of the Year**

Jury vote: Bureau Sla and Zakenmaker - Nine Dwellings in Oosterworld (Almere) People's vote: Chartierdalix - Apartment Complex (Saint-Denis)

# SPATIAL AWARDS: SHOWS

# Trade-Fair Stand of the Year

Jury vote: Rockwell Group - The Diner (Milan) People's vote: Studio Milo - CC-Tapis stand (Milan)

# **Exhibition of the Year**

Jury vote: Atelier Brückner - The Macallan Visitor Experience (Craigellachie) People's vote: Shiseido Team 101 and WOW - Neuro Surge (Tokyo)

# Set Design of the Year

Jury vote: Alexander Ekman - Play (Paris) People's vote: Julio Himede Design - MTV Europe Music Awards 2019 (London)

# **EXECUTIONAL AWARDS**

# **Best Use of Colour**

Jury vote: El Equipo Creativo - Las Chicas, Los Chicos y Los Maniquís Restaurant (Madrid) People's vote: WGNB - XYZ Formula (Seoul)

# **Best Use of Light**

Jury vote: Viabizzuno - Cava Arcari, A Luce Constante (Vicenza) People's vote: Viabizzuno - Cava Arcari, A Luce Constante (Vicenza)

# **Best Use of Digital Technology**

Jury vote: Sony Design - Hidden Senses (Milan) People's vote: Kiss the Frog and Lego House - Lego House Home of the Brick (Billund)

# **Best Use of Material**

Jury vote: Thilo Reich - Berlin Bar (Moscow) People's vote: Thilo Reich - Berlin Bar (Moscow)

### **Best Craftsmanship**

Jury vote: LAAB Architects and Carlow Architecture & Design - F22 Foto Space (Hong Kong) People's vote: DUS Architects - 3D Interior (Tokyo)

# SOCIETAL AWARDS

#### **Sustainability Award**

Jury vote: Linda Bergroth - Zero Waste Bistro (New York City) People's vote: Paul De Ruiter, Mulderblauw, Tank, Conran + Partners and Ihg Interior Design Dept -The QO (Amsterdam)

#### **Innovation Award**

Jury vote: Hypothesis - Werk (Bangkok) People's vote: Huge - Future X Sk li (Tokyo)

#### Social Award

Jury vote: HKS - Kachumbala Maternity Ward (Kachumbala) People's vote: ADO - 100 Faces of Tai Kwun (Hong Kong)