

Rules & regulations



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Eligibility

The PRIX INTÉRIEURS | FERDIE are awarded to designers and architects throughout Québec, practicing in all fields of interior design, for projects realized here or abroad.

Projects must have been completed between December 1, 2005 and the date of application.

Jury and awards

The jury is made up of experts in interior design, architecture, industrial design or communications (advertising or graphic design).

The jury gives awards to the competitors registered in each category. It may grant more than one award per category, or none at all. It may also create new awards. Jury deliberations are confidential, and decisions are final.

The Loto-Québec Public Choice Award

Participating projects will be presented at SIDIM, where the public will be invited to vote for its favourite interior designs and products.

Submitting Your Application document

Only applications that fulfill all presentation regulations will be accepted.

Participation Form

The form must be fully completed. It is important to give the maximum information and fill out a participation form for each project. This information may be published in, among other media venues, a special issue of the magazine *intérieurs* dedicated to the award-winning projects.

Supporting texts:

+ Categories 1 to 11 inclusively:

Include a 200-word text describing the nature of the project, its mandate, concept, impact, etc., that may be reutilized in the competition's communications (websites, magazine, etc.) and will be used during the jury deliberation.

+ Catégorie 12

An additional 200-word text explaining what distinguishes the project in its category is desirable. This text is obligatory for projects submitted to the Sustainable Development, Universal Access and Student Awards categories.

+ Categories 13 to 15 inclusively:

You must include an agency profile and/or C.V. for the designers or architects involved in the project as well as provide the registration form.

Visual Documentation

Please provide digital, colour photographs.* Images of the winning candidates will be used in various communications platforms, including the special issue of INTÉRIEURS about the competition. Make sure your images are professional-quality and legally reproducible.

Required Images:

- + Final design drawings
- + Digital photographs of the finished project, including an overall inside view (4 to 6)
- + In the case of renovations, restorations or conversions, one or two photographs of the preexisting interior (previous design), if available
- + Product Design and Special Awards categories: digital photographs of the objects or environment in question (4 to 6)
- + A reproducible official or casual digital portrait of the designer and/or his/her team

* Each photograph must be identified with the name of the project, the designer and the photographer (photographic credit).

i.e. Designer Noms_Project or Firm_ProjectName

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Photo credits

Photo credits must be given and clearly identified on CD and form. In cases where the photographer retains the copyright for submitted images, a signed authorization from him or her must be included in the application giving competition organizers permission to reproduce, publish, represent and/or otherwise disseminate said images in any medium or venue, to promote the competition and its winners, or for any other purpose recognized under Québec copyright law. The authorization granted to competition organizers by the photographer must be non-exclusive, free of charge, with no territorial limits and for an unlimited period of time.

Competition organizers are not responsible for or liable in any eventual litigation with the photographer arising from the publication or dissemination of his or her photographs.

Credits

- + Be sure to fill out all the credits required on the application form for each project.
- + Competition organizers are not responsible for omitting individuals or organizations in the credits of a winning project.
- + Competition organizers are also not responsible for any litigation between professionals involved in a project, or between them and their client(s).

Property Rights

All documents submitted are the property of the award organizers and will not be returned. Competition organizers assume no responsibility towards participants for the loss, disappearance or destruction of documents in their application(s), nor for documents submitted late.

Registration

- + Register on-line at www.prixif.com
- + Deadline for registering is 5:00 p.m., September 30, 2009.
- + Completed applications (one per submission) must be sent in virtual (CD-ROM or DVD) and hard-copy (paper) formats to:

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Att: Laurence Dubreuil
4398, Saint-Laurent blvd., suite 103,
Montréal (Québec), H2W 1Z5
Canada

Processing Fee

- + \$ 100CAN for the first application (tax not included)
- + \$ 75CAN for each additional application (tax not included)
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- + Application fees may be paid online or by phone to Sylvain Dupuis 514.284.3636, extension 226 or by sending a check by mail to the above address. Payment must be received no later than September 30, 2009 at 5:00 p.m. Applications are not official until full payment is received.

Information

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