

Barcelona, March 12 2015

Dear Friend,

On May 7, five lectures by the five Prize finalists of the European Union Prize for Contemporary Architecture - Mies van der Rohe Award will take place.

The Prize reaches its 14th edition with a new and powerful format that will gather together the distinguished **Jury members – Cino Zucchi, Margarita Jover, Lene Tranberg, Peter Wilson, Tony Chapman and Xiangning Li and Hansjörg Mölk –; the 5 Finalists – Lederer Ragnarsdóttir Oei, BIG - Bjarke Ingels Group, Archea Associati, Barozzi/Veiga and O'Donnell + Tuomey–;** an important number of **distinguished professionals** and people from different fields who are aware of the importance of architecture in the construction of Europe.

The lectures will take place at **CaixaForum Barcelona (Av. Francesc Ferrer i Guàrdia, 6-8)** across the street from the Mies van der Rohe Pavilion, from **15:00 to 19:00h.**

15:00	Opening	Antoni Vives, President Fundació Mies van der Rohe
15:15	Introduction	Giovanna Carnevali, Director Fundació Mies van der Rohe
15:30	Ravensburg Art Museum, Ravensburg	Lederer Ragnarsdóttir Oei
15:50	Questions and Answers	
16:00	Danish Maritime Museum, Helsingør	BIG - Bjarke Ingels Group
16:20	Questions and Answers	
16:30	Break	
17:00	Antinori Winery, San Casciano Val di Pesa, Florence	Archea Associati
17:20	Questions and Answers	
17:30	Philharmonic Hall Szczecin, Szczecin	Barozzi/Veiga
17:50	Questions and Answers	
18:00	Saw Swee Hock Student Centre, LSE, London	O'Donnell + Tuomey
18:20	Questions and Answers	
18:30	Final words	

It would give me great pleasure to be able to count on your presence at this event that highlights architecture as an essential contributor to European culture and its development.

Very much hoping that you will be able to attend,

Yours sincerely,


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