

# LafargeHolcim Awards

The world's most significant competition for sustainable design

## What

The 6<sup>th</sup> International LafargeHolcim Awards competition seeks leading projects of professionals as well as bold ideas from the Next Generation that combine sustainable construction solutions with architectural excellence.

### LafargeHolcim Awards main category

- For exemplary sustainable construction projects at an advanced stage of design from architecture, engineering, urban planning, materials science, construction technology, and related fields.
- No age restriction for project authors.
- Project must not have started construction/fabrication before January 1, 2019.

### LafargeHolcim Awards Next Generation category

- For visionary design concepts and bold ideas including design studio and research work.
- Authors can be no older than 30 years of age (date of birth later than June 4, 1988).
- Students and young professionals are also welcome to enter the Awards main category with projects at an advanced stage of design and a high probability of realization.

## How

### Enter online at: [www.lafargeholcim-awards.org](http://www.lafargeholcim-awards.org)

- Submissions must be in English.
- Entry content includes author details, project summary, statements on sustainability, CO<sub>2</sub> lifecycle assessment (for main category), 5–10 project images.
- Entry is free.
- No limit to number of projects an individual/team may enter.
- Step-by-step guide to entering the competition explaining all details available on website.
- Registration deadline: **February 25, 2020** (14:00 hrs UTC).

## Process

### Regions

- Projects evaluated and awarded across five geographic areas: Europe, North America, Latin America, Middle East Africa, and Asia Pacific.

### Selection

- Independent expert juries from each region and hosted by an internationally renowned technical university evaluate submissions in June/July 2020: [www.lafargeholcim-awards.org/juries](http://www.lafargeholcim-awards.org/juries)
- Evaluation uses LafargeHolcim Foundation's "target issues" for sustainable construction that cover progress, people, planet, prosperity and place: [www.lafargeholcim-awards.org/target](http://www.lafargeholcim-awards.org/target)

### Prize money

- USD 2 million total prize money: USD 330,000 per region including USD 70,000 for Next Generation prizes.
- Global LafargeHolcim Awards in 2021 of USD 350,000 selected from winning projects of the regional competitions 2020.