

## **2019 International Housing Design Student Competition**

### Students Awarded Prizes for Innovative Residential Designs

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**Washington, D.C., October 11, 2019** – Winners are announced for the *HERE+NOW: A House for the 21st Century* student design competition, organized by Custom Residential Architects Network (AIA CRAN®)—an American Institute of Architects Knowledge Community—in partnership with the Association of Collegiate Schools of Architecture (ACSA). The competition jury selected six exceptional student projects, from over 400 received, that explore innovative approaches to programmatic arrangement and distribution, while displaying environmentally responsible and culturally sensitive approaches to issues of domesticity.

The winning projects were chosen by a panel of distinguished jurors, including:

- Mark D. English, Mark English Architects
- Jason Tapia, Building Center No. 3
- Gregory Marinic, University of Cincinnati

The jurors chose First, Second, and Third place winners, along with three Honorable Mentions. Listed below are the names of the recipients, their project titles, and their faculty sponsor(s):

**1st Place:** *Another Life: Sustaining Iceland's Family Fishing Economy*

Students: Kang Song, Dan Lu, & Raunak Tibrewala

Faculty Sponsors: Michael Gamble & Tarek Rakha

Georgia Institute of Technology

**2nd Place:** *A Millennial Housing Type*

Student: Theodore Wong

Faculty Sponsor: Randall Kober

Laurentian University

**3rd Place:** *Haitian Housing: Social and Cultural Evolution Through Transitional Space*

Students: Nicole Hamel, Allison Ward, & Grayson Word

Faculty Sponsors: A. Katherine Ambroziak

Partner: Haiti Christian Development Fund

University of Tennessee-Knoxville

**Honorable Mention:** *Recovery Assemblies: Rapid Deployable Housing Post-Disaster Events*

Students: Solangely Rivera Hernandez, Warren Campbell, & Dan Lu

Faculty Sponsors: Michael Gamble & Tarek Rakha

Georgia Institute of Technology

**Honorable Mention:** *House for Cats and Whisky*

Student: Yifang Zuo

Faculty Sponsor: Kevin Lamyuktseung

Columbia University

**Honorable Mention:** *The Cloud House*

Student: Hannah Schafers

Faculty Sponsor: David Karle

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

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For more information and to see images of the projects, click [HERE](#).

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