

XXXI International Exhibition of Associazione Architetti Artisti - Ligne et Couleur

The theme of the exhibition that we propose for this year is Architectures of emergency. Adding the qualification of emergency to architecture may surprise many, but the realities of recent years make it legitimate and current.

By emergency architecture we mean the resolution of problems related to natural or social disasters, but also when they concern the private sphere and the human being in the immediate and longer term. Defining the meaning of architecture is complex since the making of architecture was born with the birth of man. Over time, architecture has assumed a value of visual art linked to the concept of aesthetics, and many ethical values (which are the basis of architecture) have been decreasing and replaced by an idea of architecture as a profession that is sometimes elitist and sometimes totally technical. The basic foundation that man and architecture are inseparable has been lost. The company has its roots in an architectural thought without which the rigor and culture of every people would have no reason to exist.

"It [architecture] is the product of factors of all kinds, social, economic, scientific, technical, ethnological. However much an era tries to disguise itself, its true nature will always shine through its own

architecture." Sigfried Giedion, *Controspazio*.

The Exhibition will be an opportunity to present to the city the way in which artists from different countries and cultures have declined the assigned theme according to their artistic and professional sensibilities and experiences.

The XXXI Exhibition will take place in Venice at the Giorgio and Armanda Marchesani Foundation from 3 to 9 October 2023.

Deadline for submitting the application form Monday 31st July.

On the website you will find the participation form

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