

## Science Island International Design Contest

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Question number	Enquiry	Response	Date
Note	<b><u>Question and Answer Process</u></b> <b>All questions asked by email (scienceisland@malcolmreading.co.uk) and CPP IS by 4pm GMT+3 on a Monday will be collated and answered in the Question and Answer log published on a Wednesday and all questions asked by email (scienceisland@malcolmreading.co.uk) and CPP IS by 4pm GMT+3 on a Wednesday will be collated and answered in the Question and Answer log published on Friday.</b>		
1	Please indicate the type of truck/lorry used for delivery.	Lorries will be used for daily deliveries of goods such as food, office supplies, etc., as well as for exhibits and equipment used for the functioning of the Science Centre. The lorries will be required to move objects which can be up to 4x5x4m in size.	25-Aug-16
2	The 4x5x4m sized objects mentioned in relation to the so-called Exhibit Paths at page 46 of the competition brief seem to indicate that a clear height of let's say 4.5m may be theoretically enough for the loading bay, workshops, unpacking spaces, exhibition preparation space etc. Could you please confirm this hypothesis?	Yes, we confirm 4.5m clear height is sufficient.	25-Aug-16
3	Thank you for uploading the drone footage from the island. However, the uploaded footage is of low resolution and semi difficult to pull imagery from. Would you kindly upload the high resolution footage for us to download? (I would assume it would be over a gig's worth of data)	Further footage is not available.	25-Aug-16
4	I would like to ask if the restaurant could be a stand-alone building potentially separate from the main building itself, but still within close proximity. The program description states it should be something that could function completely separate of the remaining building functions, but we wanted to clarify.	No, the restaurant should be in the same building and its primary function is to serve the needs of visitors to the Science Centre, but with a separate entrance.	25-Aug-16
5	It states the all submittal materials should be free of a company name.  Does this include Annex materials? Annex X5 for instance asks for "the entire title of the legal entity". Furthermore, below (again annex X5) a signature and stamp is requested. Our company stamp clearly shows our name.	Annex materials are to be submitted in the second envelope, entitled The Registration Details. Submittal materials in this envelope does not need to be free of a company name.  See pages 60-61 of the Competition Conditions.	26-Aug-16
6	I am writing as the digital submission requirements for the for the competition of the Science Centre in Kaunas are not completely clear. In page 68 (English conditions) it is specified whether a file should be submitted as JPEG or PDF under the digital requirements column. However, in page 67 it does not specify in what digital format the 6xA1 boards should be submitted.	PDF.	26-Aug-16
7	I would like to ask if it is possible to use a photocopied version of Annex 2 and 5, which means there will not be any wet signatures. We have international suppliers, therefore this is important to us.	Original signed versions of Annexes X2 and X5 must be submitted.  If the competitor is unable to sign the annexes themselves, they may authorize someone else to sign the documents and submit the tender in the name of the competitor.  See Competition Conditions page 69.	27-Aug-16
8	My problem is what I am a senior year student. Major - architecture. Few days ago I completed my summer practice's project - Master plan of large city district - and I with my co-worker Alexander Gushin (major - civil engineering and city planing) want to join in competition. If you want to make sure about our skills we can send you our practice's project.	See response to Q1 in Q&A log vol. 2.	28-Aug-16

9	I am not receiving the Q&A and other updates. Also I would like to know if there is any extension for the submission deadline from 14th September 2016.	All Q&A logs can be found on the competition website: <a href="https://competitions.malcolmreading.co.uk/scienceisland/questions-answers">https://competitions.malcolmreading.co.uk/scienceisland/questions-answers</a>  See response to Q21 in Q&A log vol. 2.  There is no extension to the deadline.	28-Aug-16
10	Please clarify which document we have to fill in the annex 5 at point 1.1.	The list of documents that you provide in the envelope titled "The Registration Details".	29-Aug-16
11	Sending a project: As we send the project to other countries, our Post office needs to specify the sender's address and contact information on the main package. How are we supposed to respect the anonymity of the project, if our legislation requires you to address, the sender's contact information? What we need to point to the basic package?	The sender's address can be indicated on the outside of the package. Once received in Kaunas, the address will be covered by a member of staff prior to opening in order to maintain anonymity.	29-Aug-16
12	What type of font (size, name) registration number, and its placement on the boards?	See page 73 of the Competition Conditions and response to Q4 in Q&A log. Vol. 17.	29-Aug-16
13	What type of font (size, name) title blocks on the boards?	This is to the discretion of the competitor.	29-Aug-16
14	Do we need to write the main name of the project, if yes, what type of font (size, name)?	This is to the discretion of the competitor.	29-Aug-16
15	What do you mean by "slogan" refers to "registration number"?	Yes.	29-Aug-16
16	Does everything have to be written in times new roman and everything in the same height 18pt, or could explanations etc be written in a smaller height?	It is just the slogan (registration number) which is required to be written in Times New Roman font, 1.0 cm.	29-Aug-16
17	Would it be possible to get pictures in a higher resolution?	Additional photos are not available.	29-Aug-16
18	Where do we need to indicate it if we want our project to be returned to us?	If you want the project to be returned you should write a request providing your address by email to <a href="mailto:scienceisland@malcolmreading.co.uk">scienceisland@malcolmreading.co.uk</a> after the winners are announced.	29-Aug-16
19	We are an international team that will be printing the boards by a local print shop in Kaunas. Would it be acceptable to send the other submission material directly to the competition address to be paired with the boards when delivered by the local shop? Or would we need to consolidate all materials with the submission of the boards?	The whole submission containing two envelopes (titled "The Project" and "The Registration Details") must be delivered in one sealed package. See page 60 of the Competition Conditions.	29-Aug-16
20	Would it acceptable for submissions to arrive by the end of day on September 14? There is a significant impact because of the weekend on shipment date from overseas between 2pm delivery and end of day delivery time	No. See response to Q21 in Q&A log vol. 2.	29-Aug-16
21	Am an architecture student and i would like to take part in your competition. Is it possible to just send the design and the documents through online.	No. Projects must be submitted as described in the Submission Requirements on pages 66 - 69 of the Competition Conditions and any Competition Conditions Change Notes in Q&As.	29-Aug-16
22	it is foreseen that plans, sections and elevations must be presented in scale 1:200. Can they be provided in different scale?	Yes. See clarification note in Q&A log vol. 12.	29-Aug-16

23	What kind of delivery vehicles are foreseen? What size?	See response to Q1, above.	29-Aug-16
24	Will the outside exhibition be used all the time?	Part of the outside exhibition will be used all the time, other elements might be temporary or seasonal.	29-Aug-16
25	Is it allowed to present some part of the design elements in the area of Zalgiris arena area?	Yes. Your project can be sited anywhere on Nemunas Island, taking into account existing buildings, structures and infrastructure.	29-Aug-16
26	Foreseen budget is 25 M euros all taxes included. Is this is the budget of construction only or is it also for technologies, exposition and other?	See also response to Q.4 in Q&A log vol. 9.	29-Aug-16
27	In Board 6 competitors must demonstrate that their project is practical and feasible within the time and budget constraints provided. Do we have to provide estimated budget? Can we indicate the price according to approximate prices and indicators?	Competitors are not requested to provide a budget. You are allowed to present this aspect of your project in any way you think is best, for example a short narrative on how you have designed to budget.	29-Aug-16
28	Competition Condition say: The registration number shall mean the competitor's registration number which shall be written on all of the envelopes submitted (the package, the first and the second envelopes) and on each sheet of the project documents provided in the first envelope (boards and indicated on the project design submitted). What do you mean by project design submitted?	Project elements requested in page 67-68 of the Competition Condition must be submitted. Every element (A-E) must have the registration number so that it can be identified.  See pages 67-68 in the Competition Conditions, and the Clarification Notes in previous Q&A logs.	29-Aug-16
29	Annex X1 Where the supplier participates according to the joint venture agreement a joint venture agreement or a duly approved copy must be submitted. The contract shall be approved by signatures and stamps of the parties (notary certification not required). We are physical bodies and do not have stamps. How can we fulfill this requirement? Maybe it is not necessary to approve it by stamp?	A stamp is not necessary for physical bodies (individuals).	29-Aug-16
30	Please confirm that it is the intention of the client to build a project of no more than 9000 m2 gross floor area (excluding landscape) and thus this value prevails over the individual areas provided for guidance in the competition brief when these two (overall area and individual areas) are considered in the design process by the competitor. Once again, would a justified increase of overall gross floor area be wrong from the start ?	This is correct. See response to Q.6 in Q&A log vol. 2.  As per the note on page 30 of the Competition Conditions: The area schedule and description of spaces is provided for guidance only. Competitors are encouraged to think creatively, and provide their own interpretation of the building program, and associated area requirements, where deemed appropriate.'	30-Aug-16
31	A name and a telephone number of the recipient/receiver is demanded by most courier services in order to deliver a package. Kindly ask you to provide this information.	The person in charge of receiving submissions at Kaunas Architecture and Urban Experts Council is Snieguolė Surblienė, tel: +37068762302	30-Aug-16