

Science Island International Design Contest

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Question number	Enquiry	Response	Date
Note	<u>Question and Answer Process</u> <i>All questions asked by email (scienceisland@malcolreading.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@malcolreading.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.</i>		
Note	<u>Competition condition change note:</u> <i>We hereby amend the Competition condition page 68, section B) plans, sections and elevations, part <u>Digital Requirements</u> and outline it as: "Please submit plans, sections and elevations of your design at the following scales: (i) Masterplan at 1:2000, (ii) Main floor plans at 1:200, (iii) Two key elevations at 1:200 (annotated with proposed façade materials), (iv) Two key sections at 1:200. The list and scale of drawings is provided as guidance only; they can vary if the competitor thinks it is necessary to present the design concept. However please use a recognisable scale, and note that scale on the drawing. Plans, Sections and Elevations must be included in six A1 boards and submitted as one single PDF file as required in section A."</i>		10-Aug-16
1	The cad drawing is not at 1:1 scale. Will you please let us know what the scale of the cad drawing is so we have dimensional data for the existing site. The answer to question 13 vol 9 does not answer what the scale is and if you leave it up to the competitor to determine the scale of the existing site, no two sites will have the same dimensions. This is critical.	Please see attached document 'Q&A vol 12 Q1'	03-Aug-16
2	Question and Answer Log Vol. 3 Question 7 The revised web links to information regarding the general territory plan (page 42) have directed me to a page with no content. Can you please resend the link or upload the information to the competition website?	Please see attached document 'Q&A vol 12 Q2'	03-Aug-16
3	On the island as you can see from the photos, there are rectangular fields for sports, I wanted to know if you can move them to another point on the island?	This is to the discretion of the competitor.	04-Aug-16
4	Could you indicate in a plan, the view corridors for Naujamiestis district?	<p>The whole of Nemunas Island is located in the view corridor.</p> <p>Areas of cultural heritage and visual protection are marked in the General Territory Plan. 'Protection of view corridor' means that no construction or any other obstacle should deprive the possibility to overview the cultural heritage. In this case, the Science Centre should not be higher than 25m or exceptionally massive so that it will not block the view of Naujamiestis District.</p> <p>Any project on Nemunas Island will have to receive an approval from the Department of Cultural Heritage Protection before construction begins.</p>	04-Aug-16
5	Must the tickets control be centralized or can it be done at the entrance of each exhibition group spaces (permanent galleries; temporary galleries; event spaces)	See response to Q24 in Q&A log vol. 10.	04-Aug-16
6	Could you please provide a plan showing the "protected view corridors within Naujamiestis District" and from which directions they apply to.	See response to Q4, above.	04-Aug-16
7	[Regarding page 42 of the Competition Conditions and question 11 Vol. 8]: Could you please clarify what "overview" of the Naujamiestis district means and from where the overview applies? From which direction / vantage point and height is the "overview" important? For example, does this mean an overview of the district from a waterfront promenade on the north side of the island? Could a plan and or section be provided that demonstrate the requirement of protecting the "overview?"	See response to Q4, above.	04-Aug-16

8	The competition for the contestants have any qualifications? Because I saw some of the information in the face of all, some say it's registered architect can take part in, so I want to confirm it.	Please see Annex X1. Also see response to Q1 in Q&A log vol. 2.	05-Aug-16
9	The project have parking requirements? Need to design a parking lot?	No. See page 44 of the Competition Conditions.	05-Aug-16
10	The location of the three landscape corridor? Naujamiestis area is to point to?	See response to Q4, above.	05-Aug-16
11	Construction of the plant space, what is the specific functions? Is a greenhouse? A place to study plant? Or what? Why are classified in the back of the house?	Plant refers to the technical requirements/spaces of the building (for examples boiler, air conditioning, equipment, etc).	05-Aug-16
12	We are young architects from The Russian Federation. Could you please answer several questions about the conditions? We are not sure enough if we've understood this article correctly: "The qualification of the supplier or its specialists – at least one certified head of the architectural part of the construction works of exceptional significance". Is it possible to offer our project and take part in competition having only university graduation documents? If not, may I ask you to explain more extensive, which documents and certificates available in Russia should we prepare for our claim.	See response to Q1 in Q&A log vol. 2.	05-Aug-16
13	We are currently working on the submission for Science Island Competition and I was wondering if you have a 3D model of the context site we can use.	No.	05-Aug-16
14	For the 2 key elevations and sections requirement in item B. If we decide to do 1 elevation through the building, 1 detail large scale elevation at the facade, will this meet the 2 elevation requirements? OR does 2 key elevations mean 2 elevations of the entire building? Same question for sections. Can we do one overall section and one detail section if see is as best representing our design?	See Competition Conditions page 68 and response to Q1 in Q&A log vol. 3. All elements listed in the section 'Submission Requirements' must be provided.	08-Aug-16
15	If all of item B is included on the boards of Item A, will sending a digital version of item A in PDF be enough to cover the digital requirements of item B? or does item B need to be separated out and look more like technical drawings?	Plans, Sections and Elevations must be included in six A1 boards and submitted in PDF file as required in section A.	08-Aug-16
16	Can any of the program spaces be located lower than Elevation 28?	A basement floor might be possible, but in every case flood risk must be considered in the particular construction area.	08-Aug-16
17	When do you expect to let the competitors know the scale of the existing CAD file?	See attached diagram 'Q&A vol 12 Q1'.	08-Aug-16
18	What is the maximum building height allowed?	See response to Q4 in Q&A log vol. 5.	08-Aug-16