The shortlist has been announced for the 2019 ABB LEAF (Leading European Architects Forum) Awards. Comprising new architecture, planning and development projects, this year’s awards have seen a record number of entries across the 16 diverse categories, including the new categories of ‘Best Arts & Culture Building’ and ‘Best New Start Up Practice’.

The shortlist includes projects of all scales and complexities from across the world. All of the shortlisted projects “include buildings that are setting the benchmark for the international architectural community,” said the organisers.

**Best Arts & Culture Building Project**
- GOA, ‘Gravitational Field 2018 – The City Delta’, Shanghai, China
- Nikken Sekkei, ‘Kokugakuin University Learning Centre’, Tokyo, Japan
- Open Architecture, ‘Dune Art Museum’, Qinhuangdao, China
- Open Architecture, ‘TANK Shanghai’, Shanghai, China

**Best New Start Up Practice Project**
- AOE, ‘Courtyard No. 1’, Shandong, China

**Best Tall Building Project**
- 5+design, ‘Crystal Laputa’, Chengdu, China
- Avci Architects, ‘Balance Günesli’, Istanbul, Turkey
- Zaha Hadid Architects, ‘Nanjing International Youth Cultural Centre’, Nanjing, China

**Best Regenerative Impact Project**
- DC Alliance, ‘Renovation of Nanjing Confucius Temple’, Nanjing, China
- Marcy Wong Donn Logan Architects, ‘Ford Point Revitalization’, Richmond, US

**Best Mixed Use Building Project**
- Hangzhou 9M Architectural Design Co., ‘Greentown Yiwu Peach Blossom Land Living Experience Centre’, Yiwu, China
- Innocad Architecture, ‘Haus Salzkammergut’, Gmunden, Austria
- Interval Architects, ‘Tower of Bricks’, Hengshui, China
- JEMS Architekci, ‘P4’, Warsaw, Poland
- Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, ‘Manhattan Loft Gardens’, London, UK

**Best Residential Building Project – Single Occupancy**
- AR Design Studio, ‘Creek House’, Bosham, UK
- FujiiwaraMuro Architects, ‘House in Toyonaka’, Osaka, Japan
- Origin Architect, ‘Urban Home of Nature’, Beijing, China

**Best Residential Building Project – Multiple Occupancy**
- DC Alliance, ‘Han Ling Yin Xiang’, Zhejiang, China
- Kavellaris Urban Design, ‘101 Maling Road’, Canterbury, Australia
- Sasaki Architecture, ‘Daita’, Tokyo, Japan
- Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, ‘Manhattan Loft Gardens’, London, UK
- UNStudio, ‘The Scotts Tower’, Singapore

**Best Interior Design Project**
- AD Architecture, ‘AD Architecture Office’, Shantou, China
- Archstudio, ‘Layering Courtyard’, Beijing, China
- BEHF Architects, ‘Telegraf 7 Office JP Immobilien’, Vienna, Austria
- Design Studio MAOOM, ‘Coffee Nap Roasters 2nd’, Seoul, Korea
- DP Architects, ‘Work, Meet and Dream! Designing Workplaces to Inspire Youth’, Singapore
- LSDCASA, ‘Oct&Vanke The Riviera’, Nanchang, China
- Naruse Inokuma Architects, ‘Nineteen Hours Otsuka Station’, Osaka, Japan
- Nikken Space Design, ‘West Japan Railway Company Twilight Express Mizukaze’, Various Locations, Japan
- Origin Architect, ‘Urban Home of Nature’, Beijing, China

**Best Commercial Building Project**
- AOE, ‘Courtyard No. 1’, Shandong, China
- Gianni Ranaulo Design, ‘The Village – Outlet Shopping Center’, Lyon, France
- KTX archiLAB, ‘Cloud of Luster’
Wedding Chapel’, Himeji City, Japan
• Nikken Sekkei, ‘Shanghai Greenland Centre’, Shanghai, China
• Nikken Sekkei, ‘Sumitomo Fudosan Azabu-Juban Building’, Tokyo, Japan
• Pelli Clarke Pelli Architects, ‘Salesforce Tower’, San Francisco, US
• Tchoban Voss Architekten, ‘Große Bleichen 19’, Hamburg, Germany
• Yoshihiro Onodera Architects, ‘KP-Project’, Saitama-ken, Japan

Best Hospitality Building Project
• Basalt Architects, ‘The Retreat at Blue Lagoon Iceland’, Grindavík, Iceland
• gad line+ studio, ‘Songyang Original Cottage’, Langshu Village, China
• Lacime Architects, ‘Xitang Ancient Town Tourist Centre’, Jiashan City, China
• STUDIO QI, ‘Annso Hill’, Tengchong, China
• Tohata Architects, ‘The Thousand Kyoto’, Kyoto, Japan
• Zaha Hadid Architects, ‘Morpheus Hotel’, Cotai, Macau, China

Best Refurbishment Project
• Antao Design, ‘New Headquarters of Antao: Planet No. 16’, Hangzhou, China
• Franklin Azzi Architecture, ‘Beaupassage’, Paris, France
• gad line+ studio, ‘Stray Birds Art Hotel’, Chenjiapu Village, China
• Kris Lin International Design, ‘Navigator’, Tianjin, China
• Marcy Wong Donn Logan Architects, ‘Uber Advanced Technologies Group R&D Center’, San Francisco, US
• ODA New York, ‘10 Jay Street’, New York, US
• Officeuntitled, ‘Woodlark Hotel’, Portland, US
• Zhang Hua Studio, Tianjin University Research Institute of Architectural Design & Urban Planning, ‘Millet Vinegar Museum’, Zibo City, China

Best Public Building Project
• Aedas and Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners (Joint Venture Designer), ‘Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge Hong Kong Port Passenger Clearance Building’, Hong Kong
• Andrew Bromberg at Aedas, ‘Hong Kong West Kowloon Station’, Hong Kong
• Enota, ‘Termališa Family Wellness’, Podčetrtek, Slovenia
• Nikken Sekkei, ‘Nagasaki Prefectural Government Office’, Nagasaki, Japan
• Pelli Clarke Pelli Architects, ‘Salesforce Transit Center’, San Francisco, US
• Steven Holl Architects, ‘Hunters Point Community Library’, New York, US
• Yazgan Design, ‘Dakar Arena’, Dakar, Senegal

Best Achievement in Environmental Performance Project
• Andrew Bromberg at Aedas, ‘Hong Kong West Kowloon Station’, Hong Kong
• Chain10 Architecture & Interior Design Institute, ‘The Green Isle’, Kaohsiung City, Taiwan
• Holodeck architects, ‘Austrian Embassy’, Bangkok, Thailand
• LUO studio, ‘Longfu Life Experience Centre’, Puyang County, China

Best Future Building Under Construction Project
• II BY IV Design, ‘Aqualuna’, Toronto, Canada
• ODA New York, ‘Postkantoor’, Rotterdam, The Netherlands
• Pascall+Watson, ‘Tiruchirappalli International Airport New Terminal’, Tiruchirappalli, India
• Sanjay Puri Architects, ‘Learning Courtyard’, Aurangabad, India
• Sanjay Puri Architects, ‘Prestige University’, Indore, India
• Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, ‘Moynihan Train Hall’, New York, US
• Yazgan Design, ‘OIZ Office’, Ankara, Turkey

Best Urban Design Project
• Enota, ‘Koper Central Park’, Koper, Slovenia
• Mozhao Architects, ‘Zishe-Planting Pavilion and Planting Terrace’, Shenzhen, China
• Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, ‘Cornell Tech Campus Framework Plan’, New York, US
• Zaha Hadid Architects, ‘The Kensington’, London, UK

Best Facade Design & Engineering Project
• Chapman Taylor, ‘City Plaza’, Wuppertal, Germany
• Marcy Wong Donn Logan Architects, ‘Center Street Parking Garage’, Berkeley, US
• Skidmore, Owings & Merrill, ‘Manhattan Loft Gardens’, London, UK
• Tezuka Architects, ‘Tomioka Chamber of Commerce’, Tomioka City, Japan
• Zaha Hadid Architects, ‘Morpheus Hotel’, Cotai, Macau, China

This year’s ABB LEAF Award Winners will be announced on 24 October, at the Berlin Marriott Hotel. Special awards will include the Overall Winner presentation to the project that represents the most iconic architectural landmark and the Lifetime Achievement Award.