





Agency for Strategic Development CENTER

The agency is an analytical and consulting organization in development and urban planning, as well as a leading operator of various architecture, urban planning, and design competitions.

We focus on strategic regional development and the quality of the urban environment, generating ideas for cities and regions and forming a new model of territorial development in Russia.

>120 projects

>61

clients



>27 development concepts

- land
- facilities real estate



>40 professional competitions

- architecture
- urban planning
- design



>50 interdisciplinary studies



>100 expert events

>20 000

unique contacts of architects from all over the world



regions

cities

CUSTOMERS

COMPETITIVE OBJECTS





Property and land owners

Investment companies



Developer companies



Professional communities





Government authorities



Local communities



Land plots



Non-liquid real estate



Inefficient industrial zones



Planned and existing residential areas



Retail and commercial real estate



Public spaces



Tourist and recreational clusters



Advanced development territories



Social and cultural facilities



COMPETITION PRACTICE OF THE AGENCY "CENTER" 2021–2022

Open International Competition for Development of the Architectural and Artistic Concept of Moscow Metro Stations Ostrov mechty station and Zagorye station	Moscow	2022	https://design-metro.ru/en
Open all-Russian competition to create a master plan Yakutsk, Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)	Yakutsk, Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)	2022	https://masterplan-yakutsk.ru/
Open International Competition for Architectural and Urban Development Solutions for Gorskaya Territory	Saint Petersburg	2021- 2022	en.gorskaya-spb.ru
Open all-Russian competition for the development of the concept for the development of the territory "Park Pobedy" in Murmansk	Murmansk, Marman region	2021- 2022	https://pobeda-park51.ru/
"Discover your Russia«. All-Russian project for the design of conceptual tourist routes "Discover your Russia"	Moscow	2021	https://zagorizont.me/
Open International Competition for master plan development for Astrakhan Agglomeration	Astrakhan, Astrakhan region	2021	https://astraplan.ru/en
Open International Competition for Architectural and Urban development concept of a new city in Sakhalin region	Korsakov, Sakhalin region	2021	https://en.sakhalinecopolis.ru



COMPETITION PRACTICE OF THE AGENCY "CENTER" 2019–2020

All-Russian competition for the development of public spaces and educational institutions concepts in Dagestan	Republic of Dagestan	2020	https://dagestan.space
Open International Competition for development concept of Gorky Central Park in Krasnoyarsk	Krasnoyarsk, Krasnoyarsk Krai	2020	https://krasnoyarskpark.ru/en
Open international online architectural competition for developing the right bank of the River Moskva from Moscow Ring Road to Stroginskoe shosse	Moscow	2020	https://moskvarekastrogino.com
All-Russian competition for the creation of tourist and recreational clusters and the development of ecotourism in Russia	Moscow	2020	https://priroda.life
International Competition for the Architectural Concept of Moscow Metro Stations Prospekt Marshala Zhukova, Klenoviy bulvar 2	Moscow	2020	https://design-metro.ru/en
Open International Competition for the development of a master plan for the territory adjacent to the Samara Arena stadium	Samara, Samara Region	2020	https://samarena.life/en
Open International Competition for the development of a master plan for the territory adjacent to the Almetyevsk reservoir on the Stepnoy Zay river	Almetyevsk, the Republic of Tatarstan	2019- 2020	https://almetyevsk.tatar/en
Open All-Russian Competition for the development of Petrovskaya Embankment in Voronezh	Voronezh, Voronezh Region	2019	https://petrovbereg.ru
Open international competition for the development of a master plan for the Derbent urban district, Republic of Dagestan	Derbent, Republic of Dagestan	2019	https://planderbenta.ru/eng
Open All-Russian Competition with International Participation for a Concept of a Tourism Cluster in the Village of Oymyakon	Oymyakon Rd, the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)	2019	https://oymyakon.world/eng
Open All-Russian Competition for a Concept of Lenin Square, Yakutsk	Yakutsk, Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)	2019	https://sakhamain.space



COMPETITION PRACTICE OF THE AGENCY "CENTER" 2017–2019

Open nationwide competition for architectural concept and plan development of the Park for Future Generations in Yakutsk	Yakutsk, Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)	2019	https://sakhapark.ru
Open international competition for the development an ecodistrict concept in the city of Kazan, Republic of Tatarstan	Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan	2018	https://www.contestkzn.ru/en
All-Russian competition for the best projects for creating a comfortable urban environment in small towns and historical settlements	Moscow	2018	https://konkurs.gorodsreda.ru
Open International Competition for the development of the Admiral Serebryakov embankment part Novorossiysk	Novorossiysk, Krasnodar Region	2018	https://www.novocluster.com
Open International Competition for Development of the Architectural and Artistic Concept of Moscow Metro Stations "Nagatinsky Zaton" and "Klenoviy bulvar"	Moscow	2018	https://2018.design-metro.ru/en
International competition for Development of the Architectural and Artistic Concept of Moscow Metro Stations: "Sheremetyevskaya", "Rzhevskaya", "Stromynka"	Moscow	2017	https://2017.design-metro.ru/en
The first Russian youth architectural biennale	Innopolis, the Republic of Tatarstan	2017	https://www.architectbiennale.ru/en
Open International Competition of Urban Landscaping and Design	Moscow	2017	http://2017.moscowflowerfest.ru/en
Open All-Russian Competition for the redevelopment of the Dmitrovskoe highway	Moscow	2017	https://www.dmitrovkareconcept.ru
Open competition for the project of the facade and interior design solutions Center for Urban Culture Pravda	Moscow	2017	https://www.kerama-marazzi- competition.com
Open All-Russian C ompetition for the development of the brand of the Black Lake Park	Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan	2017	https://www.black-lake.tatar



COMPETITION PRACTICE OF THE AGENCY "CENTER" 2014–2016

Open competition for redevelopment concept of the Varshava and Voskhod cinemas	Moscow	2016	https://www.cinemarenovation.com
Closed competition for concept development of a residential area Malye Kabany	Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan	2016	https://www.centeragency.org/en/ projects/45
Open competition for the logo design and corporate style for KAZAN EXPO	Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan	2016	https://www.brandkazanexpo.ru
Open competition for concept development of corporate style at the Zoological and Botanical Garden in Kazan	Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan	2016	http://www.zoobotsadbrand.ru
Open competition to create the design projects for premises in "loft" format at City-Crystal territory	Moscow	2015	https://www.centeragency.org/en/ projects/27
Open competition for development of the Kaban Lakes system embankment	Kazan, the Republic of Tatarstan	2015	https://www.kazanlakes.com/en
Open competition to create the development concept for public spaces for City-Crystal territory	Moscow	2015	http://kristall.centeragency.org
Open Competition for Development of Corporate Style and Key Elements of Identify for Sokolniki Park	Moscow	2015	http://www.brandsokolniki.com
Open competition to create the development concept within Sokolniki Park	Moscow	2014	https://www.conceptsokolniki.ru
Open competition to create the development concept within Mitino Landscape Park	Moscow	2014	https://www.centeragency.org/en/ projects/10



COMPETITION TASKS FOR THE PROJECT



COMPARING VARIOUS APPROACHES AND SELECTING INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS

A competition is the most advanced way to select an optimum solution. At allows to choose the topquality innovative product.



FORMATION OF A COLLECTIVE CUSTOMER

A competition helps solve the problem of mediation between different parties claiming for the respective space.



TERRITORIAL STUDIES

Preparing the Terms of Reference for a competition is a research process based on collecting and processing large amounts of information.



GR

A competition contributes to formation of the project image with government authorities at all levels.



FORMATION OF INTER-INDUSTRY CONSORTIA

A competition is a tool to create unique collaboration between teams, allowing them to solve the problem of comprehensive development of a territory.



PR

An open competition is a public event which attracts attention of the media and the expert panel.

COMPETITION BENEFITS FOR THE PROJECT

Multi-option: a competition ensures the concurrent availability of several concepts developed by a priori strong teams, which makes it possible for the customer to select the optimum solution.

PR+GR+HR: engagement of reputable international and Russian experts as the Jury members, as well as in the expert examination and, possibly, for further cooperation.

Professional synergy: an opportunity to access original ideas and to involve the best teams worldwide in conjunction with the local experts.

All-level communication: a competition is a unique platform that simultaneously interacts with the authorities at different levels, local community, Russian and global expert community, as well as regional and federal media.

CLASSIFICATION OF COMPETITIONS

Openness	open		closed			
Stages	one-stage	two-s	two-stage		three-stage	
Coverage	regional	all-ru:	all-russian		international	
Participants	consortium		individual participants			
Result	architectural and urban planning concept	masterplan	interior and facade solutions		brand	

ORGANIZATION OF PROFESSIONAL ARCHITECTURE, URBAN PLANNING AND DESIGN COMPETITIONS



Preliminary regional analysis



Preparation of terms of reference



Shortlisting of participants



Interaction with jury and experts



Marketing of the competition



Creation and support of the competition website



Government relations of the competition



Expert review of the competition projects



THE CREATION OF TOURIST AND RECREATIONAL CLUSTERS AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF ECOTOURISM IN RUSSIA

Moscow 2020

Customer: Agency for strategic initiatives



priroda.life



project playlist

115

68

applications

territorial subjects of the Russia Federation

36 finalists 11

results

6

territories of perspective development











HISTORICAL SETTLEMENTS AND SMALL TOWNS

Moscow 2018

Customer: the Ministry of Construction of Russian Federation



konkurs.gorodsreda.ru



project playlist

455

82

80

applications

territorial subjects of the Russian Federation results

5 BLN RUB.

from the federal budget annually











MASTER PLAN FOR THE DERBENT AND CONCEPTS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT EMBANKMENT

Open international competition for the development of a master plan for the urban district

Derbent, Republic of Dagestan 2019 **Customer:** Charity fund "I love Derbent"



planderbenta.ru/en

3 416 HA



project playlist

project area

Winner

Consortium

"Novaya Zemlya" (Russia), Groupe Huit (France), Mae Architects (United Kingdom), West 8 (Holland), HSE University (Russia).



MASTER PLAN FOR THE STEPNOY ZAY RIVER VALLEY IN ALMETYEVSK

Open International Competition for the development of a master plan for the territory adjacent to the Almetyevsk reservoir

Almetyevsk, the Republic of Tatarstan 2019-2020 **Customer:** PJSC TATNEFT



almetyevsk.tatar/en

1 700 HA



project playlist

project area

Winner

Consortium

LLC "OBERMAYER Consult" (Moscow, Russia), LLC "Kushman & Wakefield" (Moscow, Russia), OBERMEYER Planen und Beraten (Munich, Germany), "ICES" (Moscow, Russia), LLC "GC Goroda" (Moscow, Russia).





MASTER PLAN FOR THE TERRITORY ADJACENT TO THE SAMARA ARENA STADIUM

Open International Competition for the development of a master plan 2018 World Cup heritage territories

Samara, Samara Region 2020

Customer: Корпорация развития Самарской области



samarena.life/en



360 HA project area



Consortium

"KPMG" Joint Stock Company (Moscow, Russia), LAND Srl (Milan, Italy), LLC "Architectural Bureau Asadova" (Moscow, Russia), FSBEI of HE "Samara State Technical University" (Samara Russia).



CONCEPT OF A TOURISM CLUSTER IN THE VILLAGE OF OYMYAKON

Open All-Russian Competition with International Participation for a Concept of a Tourism Cluster

Yakutsk, the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia) 2019

Customers: LETO Resource Center for Urban Environment Issues of the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia), Trust Fund of Future Generations in the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)



oymyakon.world/eng

NORTH POLE OF COLD



project playlist

Winner

Consortium

ASADOV Architectural Bureau (Russia, Moscow), KNIGHT FRANK (Russia, Moscow; UK, London), LSTK-Progect (Russia, Yakutsk), RussiaDiscovery (Russia, Moscow).





THE FIRST ECO-DISTRICT CONCEPT IN THE REPUBLIC OF TATARSTAN

Open international competition for the development of a concept and master plan for the eco-district

Kazan, The Republic of Tatarstan 2018 **Customer:** Republic support fund (RSF)



contestkzn.ru/en

759 HA



project area

Winner

Consortium

Knight Frank (Russia, United Kingdom), XTU A rchitects (France), OXO Architects (France), John Thompson & Partners/JTP (United Kingdom), Arkhitekturny Desant (Russia, the Republic of Tatarstan), Terra Scape (Belgium)



REDEVELOPMENT OF THE LONG CONSTRUCTION IN MOSCOW

Open All-Russian Competition for the redevelopment of the Dmitrovskoe highway

Moscow 2017

Customer: Atlant-M



dmitrovkareconcept.ru

50 000 M²



project video

project area

Winner

Consortium

MAParchitects (Moscow), PROMKOD (Moscow)



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THE KABAN LAKES SYSTEM EMBANKMENT

Open international competition for the development

Kazan, Republic of Tatarstan 2015-2019

Customer: Government of the Republic of the Tatarstan



kazanlakes.com/en

186 HA

project playlist

lake system area

Winner

Consortium

Turenscape (China), MAP (Russia)



EMBANKMENT NAMED AFTER ADMIRAL SEREBRYAKOV

Open international competition for the development

Novorossiysk, Krasnodar Region 2017–2021 **Customers:** CJSC Pjatnitsa, JSC "United Energy Construction Corporation"



novocluster.com

5 HA



project playlist

project area

Winner

Consortium

Zaha Hadid Architects (United Kingdom), "Pride" (Russia), Arteza (Russia), "Habidatum" (Russia), Rider Levett Bucknall (United Kingdom), Another Architect (Germany), Lawrence Barth (United Kingdom), "Architectural Association "School of Architecture" (United Kingdom), PwC (Russia)





PARK FOR FUTURE GENERATIONS

The open nationwide competition for architectural concept and plan development territory

Yakutsk, the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia) 2018-2019

Customer: Trust Fund of Future Generations in the Republic of Sakha (Yakutia)



sakhapark.ru

2,4 HA



project playlist

project area

Winner

Consortium

CCL "am Atrium" (Moscow), CCL "Vostok+" (Yakutia)



SOKOLNIKI PARK

Open competition to create the development territory and Open international competition for the development of corporate style and key elements identity

Moscow 2014-2015

Customers: SAIC «Sokolniki Park», «Mosgorpark»



conceptsokolniki.ru/en

515 HA



project video

park territory

Winner

The concept for the development territory

Consortium: Groundland (United Kingdom), Wowhaus (Russia), Urbanika (Russia)

Corporate style and key elements identity

Consortium: SmartHeart Branding Agency (Russia) + White Russian Studio (Russia)





DESIGNING LIFESTYLE

