

DUCCIO MARIA BATTISTONI - Architect

Owner and co-founder of the Italian firm "AB3 – *Architettura Battistoni Associati*" that provides integrated services in the fields of Sustainable Architecture, Urban Planning and Interior Design.

Graduated at the Faculty of Architecture of the Polytechnic University of Milan in 1994, member of the Association of Architects of Monza Brianza (Milan) - License n. 1008, he started working in Zurich (Switzerland) with Prof. Arch. Justus Dahinden on international projects in Slovak Republic, Russia, Italy and Switzerland.

From 1994 to 2002, He was Tutor in Architectural Restoration and collaborated with Prof. Arch. Andrea Bruno into the Laboratory of Restoration at the Polytechnic University of Milan.

As part of this commitment he coordinated the class on "*Castles and historical fortified villages in Italy: conservation and reuse*" and the monograph course for the design of the new Cantonal Parliament of Lausanne (Switzerland).

The thesis for his Degree in Architecture, was selected by the Italian Association for Restoration, Reconstruction and Consolidation (Ass.irco) and earned him in 1996 the inclusion in the List of Young Quality Professional Architects of ASS.IRICO. The project includes the restoration and reuse of an industrial building of the 18th century and the new building of the Provincial and Municipal Library of Monza, part of the regeneration of the Royal Park of Monza through the strategic areas of neighbouring, particularly along the river Lambro.

In 1996 he won the National Competition of ideas for the "*Urban regeneration, and restoration*" of the Municipality of Bertinoro (Forlì - Italy), a draft of which was published in the journal "*Recuperare l'Edilizia*". This project involves the redevelopment of the medieval village close to the fortress and the historic walls. From 1998 to 2000, he worked with the magazine "*Recuperare l'Edilizia*", dealing with issues related to the restoration of historical buildings and monuments, with a focus on reuse and enhancement of the existing historical buildings.

Since 2001, he is member of the Technical Committee of the magazine "*Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory*" on which he has published several articles.

Technical Advisor in the *Municipal Council's Commission for Urban Planning and Development* of the City of Monza from 2002 to 2007 and member of the Urban Planning Commission in District 2 and 4 in Monza from 2000 to 2007. Member of the Municipal Commission for the Quality of Architecture since 2012.

Provincial Director of *ANAB - National Association for Bio-ecological Architecture* for the Province of Monza and Brianza, responsible for coordinating the activities of information and promotion of Sustainable Architecture. He participated in a number of seminars and conventions about eco-efficient Architecture, sustainable urban development and Heritage buildings restoration.

Specialized in Bioecological Architecture for *ANAB (National Association for Bioecological Architecture – www.anab.it)*, qualified as Consultant in Sustainable Architecture for *Agenzia Casa Clima*

(www.agenziacasaclima.it) and Member of the Board of Directors of the Network Casa Clima - Klima Haus - Monza Brianza.

Selection of Competition Entries

- Area of the Camp Nou Stadium for Football Club Barcelona - (Barcelona, Spain - 1996)
- Teatro La Fenice in Venezia (Venice, Italy - 1997). Collaboration with Studio Architects Ignazio and Jacopo Gardella for the execution phase design of the reconstruction project in the International Competition.
- Piazza Cittadella - (Verona, Italy - 1999). Rehabilitation of Piazza Cittadella and construction of an underground parking (in collaboration).
- New Surgery Pavilion of the Verona Hospital - (Verona, Italy - 2001) National Competition.
- New Concert and Congress Hall - (Uppsala, Sweden - 2002) International competition -
- New Administrative and Civic Center (Pisa, Italy - 2003) in the Central Park of Cisanello - Design Competition by the Province of Pisa.
- Landmark Tower/U2 Studio - (2003) Grand Canal Dock in Dublin Docklands Area - Competition International - Dublin Docklands Development Authority, Dublin (Ireland)
- New Provincial and Municipal Library - (Bolzano, Italy - 2004) Autonomous Province of Bolzano - South Tyrol (in collaboration)
- Nam Jun Paik Museum - (South Korea - 2003) Kyonggi Cultural Foundation (*in collaboration*)
- New Provincial Headquarter of Arezzo - (Arezzo, Tuscany – Italy - 2005) European Competition
- Seoul Performing Arts Center - (Seoul, South Korea - 2005) Design Competition for the new Opera House and Concert Hall on Noddeul Island - Hangang River
- The Hong Kong KAI TAK TOWER - (2007) Contest "Skyscraper 2007", New York
- Rehabilitation and new development of the industrial complex "Ex Lanerossi" - (Dueville, Vicenza – Italy - 2009)
- New Office Building for the Ministry of Electric Power, (Naypidaw, Myanmar – 2014)

Publications (projects)

- Thesis-Project for the Degree: "Industrial archaeology and reuse - The old Frette Factory in Monza. Architecture and landscape in the urban scene through the theme of restoration" on "Recuperare l'Edilizia" (Alberto Greco Editore, Milan) n. 4, June / July 1998.
- Redevelopment project "BERTINORO 2006," winner of the National Competition in: "The medieval village of Bertinoro" on "Recuperare l'Edilizia" (Alberto Greco Editore, Milan) n. 13 January 2000.
- Residential project in Monza, via Pacinotti - Via Ferraris in "NEW LIFE FOR A URBAN BLOCK" by L. Beltrami, on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 1 February 2002.
- Landmark Tower/U2 Studio - Dublin in "A SYMBOL FOR U2" by L. Beltrami, on Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory" (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 12 December 2003.
- Competition Project for the new administrative province of Pisa: "CENTRE AND PERIPHERY, REBIRTH FOR TWO" by L. Beltrami, on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory" (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 18 - December 2004 and the special issue 1/2004 of PISAN ARCHITECTURE (EDIZIONI ETS).
- Office tower Moncenisio, Monza – in the attachment "Creative Book" CASABELLA n ° 760, November 2007 (Knopf).
- Competition Project for the redevelopment of the Cittadella Place and new underground car park in "Nuova Piazza Cittadella", Verona, 1999 (CIERRE Editions - Verona).
- Competition Project for the new headquarters of the Province of Arezzo in "Design Competition – The new home for the Province of Arezzo" Arezzo, 2005 (C & M Agency, Arezzo).

Publications

- "CASTLES IN LOMBARDY - The role of the monument in the territory" on "Recuperare l'Edilizia" (Alberto Greco Editore, Milan) n. 9, May 1999.
- "BETWEEN HISTORY, AUTHENTICITY AND DESIGN." Interview with Prof. A. Bruno - Turin, on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 2 April 2002.
- "TOWARDS THE INTELLIGENT URBAN PLANNING" on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 3 June 2002.
- "ROADS, SQUARES, URBAN SPACE" on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 4 September 2002.
- "WATER, ARCHITECTURE AND WELLNESS" on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 19 February 2005.
- "THE CITY IS REACHING FOR THE STARS ". Interview with the architect Boris Podrecca - Vienna, on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 24, December 2005.
- "PRAGMATISM in the UK BETWEEN MEMORY AND INNOVATION" on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 29 October 2006.
- "BUILDING WITH WOOD: BUILDING SUSTAINABLE" on "Progettare. Architettura, Città, Territorio - Design. Architecture, City, Territory " (Tecniche Nuove SpA) n. 30, December 2006.
- PROJECT OF A KINDERGARTEN for ANAB (*National Association for Bioecological Architecture*), number 38, March 2008 on the magazine "Architettura Naturale - Natural Architecture " - Edicom Edizioni, Anab.