FAQs for Design Competition

Queries regarding the brief

1. **Does the site need to be in urban context only? Can a rural context be taken as a site?**
   Ans: Site has to be in the urban context only.
2. **Are there any specifications for the site area and size of the memorial?**
   Ans: No, it is open for interpretations and upto the participants.
3. **Does the memorial need to have any function?**
   Ans: Not necessary, The Memorial can be an abstract expression like an urban installation that encapsulates powerful memories or, sculpture in urban context, monument in urban park as a landscape element.

Eligibility for competition

1. **Can one person participate in one or more teams? If yes, in that case, does he/she have to pay the registration fee twice?**
   Ans: Yes, you can participate from multiple teams but each team needs to pay the registration fees separately.
2. **The registration fees need to be paid individually or per team?**
   Ans: Registration fees need to be paid per team.
3. **Is a Phd research scholar eligible to participate in the competition?**
   Ans: No, It is open for only Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students.
4. **What documents do we need to submit at the time of registration?**
   Ans: Competition Declaration form needs to be filled up.

Eligibility for conference registration:

Steps for Conference Registration:

1. Register as a Participant for Design Competition
2. You will receive an email with a Unique code no.
3. Only Submit Entry with the unique code no. inserted on all your submissions.

1. **Are all the group members of a team eligible to attend the conference?**
   Ans: Yes. All the group members can attend the conference, provided the group submits the competition entry within the deadline successfully. If they fail to do so, registrations will be considered cancelled.
   In this case, students have to register separately for the conference as delegates.
2. **Is the mentor in the team eligible to attend the conference for the same fees?**

Ans: No, the registered mentor can attend the conference without any additional charges.

3. **If a team registers for the competition but fails to send the entry , will the conference registration still be valid?**
Ans: No, students have to register separately for the conference as delegates.

4. **If a team is disqualified after sending an entry at a scrutiny stage, will the conference registration still be valid?**
Ans: No, only if a team is disqualified for the reasons stated in the criteria A of the disqualification criteria list, then the registration for the conference will be cancelled.

5. **Is there a Deadline for registration?**
Yes, 25th July is the Deadline for registrations for the Design Competition.

Submission requirements:

1. **Are the number of sheets restricted to 2 only?**
Ans: Yes, a maximum number of two A2 sheets need to be submitted.

2. **Is the 1000 word concept note counted other than the two design sheets?**
Ans: Yes, the concept note has to be a separate A4 size pdf not exceeding 5MB

3. **Can the participants be seen in the video presentation?**
Ans: No, the participants have to maintain anonymity while recording for unbiased judgement. Participants to only mention code numbers provided to them through email.
Participants to refrain from
   1. Mentioning their own name/ the name of the institute/ name of the university in any of the the submission requirements
   2. Using any logos of the institutions.

Important dates

1. **What are the important dates for the submission and registration?**

Date	Schedule
25th April 2021	Announcement of the Design Competition
15th May 2021 onwards	Open for Enquiries
1st June 2021	Registration begins

25th July 2021	Deadline for Registration
1st Aug 2021	Deadline of queries (Refer to FAQ on the website)
15th Aug 2021	Deadline of Submission of Entries
24th to 26th Sep 2021	Conference

Other:

1. **Is the registration amount refundable if a team is disqualified from the competition?**
Ans:No, the registration fees paid will not be refunded.

2. **Whom can I contact for any other query regarding the competition?**
Ans: Connect with us through conference@brick.edu.in

Disqualification Criteria for Design Competition

Design entry will be disqualified if:
Criteria A:
- A participant is not a student or fails to produce a valid id proof as a student.
- Specified format is not followed.
- Sentiments of any religion, class of people are hurt because of the design entry.
- Plagiarism

Criteria B:
- Drawings are not legible.
- File is not opening due to technical issues.
- Any one out of the three submission requirements (concept note, drawing sheets, video) were not received.