



13th Annual  
Best of Canada  
Design Competition

**Competition Rules**

The purpose of this annual competition is to increase national and international recognition of the talent and outstanding achievements of Canadian designers. Winners will be featured in the Best of Canada Awards Issue (Fall 2010) of Canadian Interiors, and feted at a special Best of Canada Awards celebration in Toronto.

**Eligibility**

The competition is open to all Canadian designers and manufacturers, or designers and manufacturers resident in Canada. Entries must be for work created and completed or products introduced between January 1, 2008 and December 31, 2009.

**Categories**

Entries may be submitted in any or all of the following categories – 1. Project (residential, institutional, retail, offices, marketing centre, hospitality, etc.). 2. Products (building materials, carpet, fabrics, finishes, flooring, furniture systems, lighting, seating, tables, workstations, other including prototypes. 3. Landscaping (interior and/or exterior). 4. Student designs (designed while student was enrolled in an accredited post-secondary program).

**JUDGES MAY SELECT A BEST OVERALL AWARD IN EACH CATEGORY**

**Entry Requirements**

Submit completed entry form (see reverse) along with a maximum one-page statement describing the project or product, its objectives, start-up and completion dates, results and benefits achieved, and production credits on the production team involved. Please submit a minimum of one, and a maximum of six, digital images (see specifications below) of the entry for evaluation by the judges. All materials, including CDs, must be labelled with title of entry, appropriate photography credits and name of designer/manufacturer. Please do not include the name of the designer/manufacturer on the actual images to be judged. If applicable, submit copies of floor plan for project designs on 8.5" x 11" paper and/or digital files. Please send two separate CDs, one with high-resolution, one with low-resolution images

**Image specifications:**

Resolution	Low res 72dpi, at the dimension they will be viewed.	High res 300dpi, at the dimension they will be viewed.
Dimensions	Width and height must be no more than 640 pixels.	Width and height must be no less than 3600 pixels.
Format	JPEG (.jpg) format.	TIFF (.tif) or JPEG (.jpg) format
Media	Please supply digital files on CD, labelled "Low res."	Please supply digital files on CD, labelled "High res."
File name	Name each file by number in the order you would prefer it viewed. (ex. 001.jpg, 002.jpg)	

Label all entries and materials clearly. This entry form may be photocopied. Shipping costs are the responsibility of the entrant. All materials submitted become the property of Canadian Interiors magazine and will not be returned.

**Entry Fees**

\$90.00 per entry or \$50 Student Special

**Judging**

Judges are experienced members of the design and manufacturing community. Judging will be based on creativity and innovation. Decisions of the panel of judges are final.

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES IS 5:00 PM, MAY 13, 2010



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**2010 Entry Form**

(Please complete after reading rules on previous page. Print legibly or type.)

Please check entry category: **Project**  **Product**  **Landscape**  **Student**

Title of entry \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Information**

Name of person submitting entry \_\_\_\_\_

Title(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of entries \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Materials submitted and quantity**

Please check all that apply

Media	Quantity	Contents	Quantity
<input type="checkbox"/> High res CD	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> statement of project	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Low res CD	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> floorplans	_____
		<input type="checkbox"/> other	_____

**Entry Fees:** (make cheque or money order payable to Canadian Interiors)

# Entries @ \$90 each = \$\_\_\_\_\_

OR # Student entries @ \$50 each = \$\_\_\_\_\_ Total fees submitted: \$\_\_\_\_\_

**DO NOT E-MAIL ENTRIES.** Send entry forms, fees and materials to:

BEST OF CANADA Design Competition  
12 Concorde Pl., Suite 800  
Toronto, Ontario Canada M3C 4J2

Winners will be notified by mail and winning entries will be featured in the Best of Canada Awards Issue (Fall 2010) of Canadian Interiors.  
For more information e-mail: boc@canadianinteriors.com

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