



ERIKSSON ARCHITECTS LTD

Eriksson Architects LTD is a privately owned Architect's Office with practice since 1979. Today we employ 30 professionals. We are rated the tenth largest privately owned Architect's Office in Finland, with more than ten 1st prizes and several other prizes and honorary mentions in international and national competitions.

Eriksson Architects Ltd provides comprehensive design services in zoning and urban design, landscape and building design from newly built to restorations, renovations and refurbishments. Our services also include detailed and high quality interior design for public, commercial and private spaces. Our project export reaches from the Baltic countries further to Russia and China. We operate globally for sustainable design solutions, multidisciplinary collaboration, innovative planning and creative design with a strong emphasis on further education and technical standards - these are important aspects of our long term strategy.

ERIARC FORUM

We see learning as a continuous process and we continuously emphasise on further education, seminars, lectures, excursions and field trips for our staff and co-operating partners. Our knowledge centre ERIARC FORUM was founded in 2008 to bring national and international decision makers together for discussions, conferences and field trips on relevant architectural and urban design issues.

QUALITY PROGRAM

Eriksson Architects apply the Association of Finnish Architects (ATL) Quality Standards. In every project the quality control is agreed and implemented together with the client. This ensures high quality standards throughout the project design.

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN

In all practice we emphasise on sustainable design in all urban planning and building design. We are committed to sustainable solutions and

study, develop and implement the latest environmental initiatives and technologies. We create master plans and detailed city and control plans for new urban areas, from large city areas to smaller towns and villages and create methods to renovate old energy consuming areas in a direction that reduces energy and electricity consumption and preserves water and other natural resources.

Together with a large network of expertise we offer overall concepts and design for ECO-CITIES including sustainable energy planning, carbon control, infrastructure and traffic planning.

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

Eriksson Architects seek to constantly develop expertise in the field of sustainable design. An Environmental Program of Eriksson Architects Ltd is a research and development project of the office whose aim is to lead the planning practises into more sustainable direction. As planners we have noticed that sometimes the newest information doesn't reach the actual planning easily because the research material is not easy to use. That is why we began a program which aim is to bring the tools for sustainable urban planning into everyday planning process of the office. The program will help to go through projects of varying scales, from planning phase to realization by using the best know-how and technology, in a more useful format. The Finnish Funding Agency for Technology and Innovation (Tekes) is financing the project.

BIM (BUILDING INFORMATION MODEL)

We use three dimensional modelling in all our projects. Our Building Information Model (ERIARC BIM) makes it possible to study buildings and environment in three dimensions during the whole urban design and building planning process. It also enables us to create virtual tours to help the decision making.

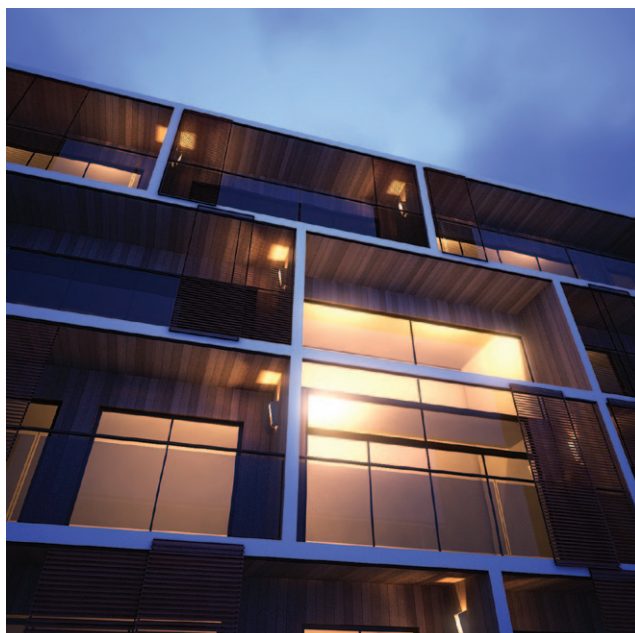
ERIARC BIM serves the owner long after the project is finished. ERIARC BIM is compatible with International IFC Standards and Finnish Pro IT Standards.



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- Established:** 1988 (practice started 1979)
- Personnel:** 30 professionals (02/12)
- Programs:** ArchiCAD 14-15, AutoCAD 2011, Revit Architecture Suite 2010, MicroStation+Stella, MapInfo, Fiksu, M-Color, 3Ds MAX Design, Adobe Creative Suite 5, Microsoft Office 2010, Photoshop Elements, F-SecureClient, MS XP / Windows 7
- Turnover:** 2,3 million € (2011)
- Insurance:** IF P&C Insurance Company Ltd
- Ownership:** **Patrick Eriksson**, Architect SAFA, CEO
- Management:** **Arja Sippola**, Architect SAFA, vice CEO, Urban Planning
Antti Saravuo, Architect SAFA, Chief Architect
Project Development and Marketing
Mika Avela, Architect SAFA, Chief Architect, Building Design and BIM / Archicad
- Memberships:** Member of Association of Finnish Offices ATL (www.atl.fi)
Member of The Helsinki Region Chamber of Commerce (www.helsinki.chamber.fi)
Member of Green Net Finland Business Network (www.greennetfinland.fi)
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