SOCIAL ECONOMIC ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN **SEED** NETWORK

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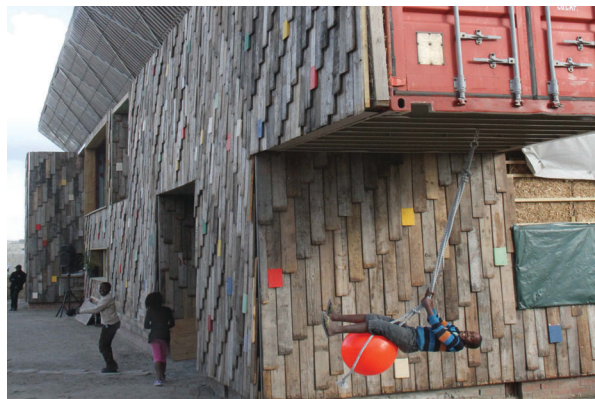**+**

LIVE Projects NETWORK

AWARDS COMPETITION
2017 WINNERS

Design Corps, the Social Economic Environmental Design (SEED), designbuildXchange, and Live Projects Network in collaboration with the Center for Public Interest Design, are pleased to announce the 2017 Awards winners to recognize excellence in public interest design. Two winners were selected from each of the three networks to represent their public interest design principles and selection criteria. The winners are:

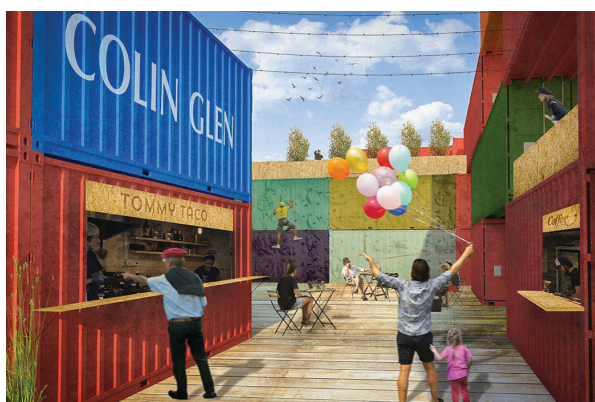**Agbogbloshie Makerspace Platform**
Ghana
SEED Network Winner

Guga S 'Thebe Children's Theatre
South Africa
dbXchange Winner

Landwirtschaftsschule Bella Vista
Bolivia
dbXchange Winner

New Wortley Community Centre
United Kingdom
Live Projects Network Winner

Street Society 2016
United Kingdom
Live Projects Network Winner

The Vertical University Project
Nepal
SEED Network Winner

For the first time, these three international networks combined to support and promote systemic change in the practices of design with the intent of building on the common ground they share.

Recognizing these six winning projects for exceptional social, economic, environmental, and pedagogic impact, this year the **SEED + dbXchange + Live Projects Network Awards** represent the greater scale and growing relationships needed to create truly sustainable projects and positive change in all communities globally. While each network has a unique focus, sharing the awards acknowledges their common ground: supporting the growth of excellence in public interest design.

Awards Jury:
Sergio Palleroni, Chair, Co-founder of the BaSiC Initiative and Director, Center for Public Interest, Portland State University
Bryan Bell, Executive Director, Design Corps, and Associate Professor, NC State University
Sue Thering, Programs Director, Design Corps
Ursula Hartig, Director CoCoon-Studio and Co-founder of dbXchange.eu, Technische Universität Berlin
Peter Fattinger, Director of design.build and Co-founder of dbXchange.eu, Technische Universität Wien
Jane Anderson, Co-founder of the Live Projects Network, Oxford Brookes University
Colin Priest, Co-founder of the Live Projects Network, Chelsea College of Arts

The six Award Winners will present at the seventeenth annual Structures for Inclusion conference on April 7 and 8 at the Center for Public Interest Design, Portland State University, Portland OR.

Additionally, seventeen projects were recognized for excellence with Honorable Mentions.

SEED Honorable Mentions:
Adaptive Reuse: Housing in Historic Rural Palestine, Ramallah and Al-Bireh, Palestine.
Gary ArtHouse Public Art Challenge, Gary, Indiana, USA.
Manos A La Costa, San Miguel, Manabi, Ecuador.
Rebuilding Sheepshead Bay, Brooklyn, New York, USA.
Redefining Prison Environments, Mitchellville, Iowa, USA.
7540 Washington Apartments, Kansas City, Missouri, USA

dbXchange Honorable Mentions:
Atsipatari, Sondoveni, Peru.
Community House Refugee Camp Spinelli, Mannheim, Germany.
Healthcare-Centre Mondikolok, Kajo Keji, South Sudan.
Kitchen on the Run, Bari, Italy / Marseille, France / Duisburg, Germany / Deventer, Netherlands / Gotheburg, Sweden.
Southlight/USA, Providence, Rhode Island, USA.
USAER Training Center, Monterrey, Mexico

Live Projects Network Honorable Mentions:
Blackburn ReMade, Blackburn, UK.
Clearwater Cabins Project, Clearwater, Manitoba, Canada.
Ebenezer Gate Pocket Park, Bedminster, Bristol, UK.
Street Upgrading: physical intervention based on Participatory Needs Assessment (PNA), Misr Al-Qadiemah, Ezbet Abu Qam, Cairo, Egypt.
Workshop Østmarkneset / Ladekaia, Trondheim, Norway.

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