

**SALON, FOUNDED BY
ALPER DERINBOGAZ, IS AN
ARCHITECTURE PRACTICE
FOCUSING ON TACTICAL AND
EXPERIMENTAL INNOVATION
IN CITIES.**



Salon, founded by Alper Derinbogaz, is an architecture practice focusing on tactical and experimental innovation in cities. We produce designs and studies in the fields of architecture, art, interior design and urbanism.

By focusing on research processes as the catalyst for an evolving engagement with the built world, we speculate on critical solutions for architecture. Collaboration and openness is important to our work. We value ideas and criticism. The collaborative character of the design and research methods result in developing contemporary solutions for architectural, interior and urban conditions. We value innovation, we investigate contemporary programs, execute latest fabrication technologies, and translate complex digital designs to buildings.

Recognized as an emerging and influential architect, Alper Derinbogaz investigates the possibilities of physical environment through the potential relationships between space and time. His design approach mostly relies on the importance of re-evaluating the context and intensifying it through interventions in multiple scales. Thus, his design varies in scale from the museums to installations, intending to uncover and question the essential elements of the given site and the theme.

Derinbogaz winner of Europe 40 Under 40 Award 2019, has gained many recognitions, awards and honours internationally including German Design Award in 2018, Good Design Award in 2018, World Architecture Award in 2017, Plan Award for Innovative Architecture in 2015, YAP Program of MOMA shortlist and A+ Architizer Award 2015. He represented Turkey in the 14th Venice Biennial International Architecture Exhibition in its debut year of the Pavilion of Turkey in 2014. Three of his built works, Gate, Panorama and Augmented Structures were included in the Best Architecture of the Year Selection, and received the Arkitera Young Architect Award in 2011.

He graduated from Istanbul Technical University in 2005. He received the Fulbright Scholarship for his master degree in Architecture and Urbanism Department at the University of California, Los Angeles by completing his degree with the UCLA Graduate Award. Derinbogaz founded Salon in 2010, referring to the French term, as a gathering space for emerging ideas or criticism. He still continues to lead his architectural design studio at the Istanbul Technical University as a senior lecturer.



VISIONARY CITY DESIGN

The act of building great cities requires big visions and a long view. SALON is a global leader in the development of long-range master plans for new and reimagined settlements centered on intelligent land use, transit-oriented and smart infrastructure.



Green Hub, 2018
Antalya, Turkey



HOLISTIC DESIGN APPROACH

SALON produces holistic solutions to projects regarding relations on urban level as well as developing specific design solutions for details on micro level according to the needs of the clients and users.

Başakport Masterplan, 2014
Istanbul, Turkey



REDEFINING CITY SCAPE

Şişli Central, 2017
Istanbul, Turkey

The urban fabric of the city can be enriched by good design.
SALON respects the existing urban fabric while proposing iconic
projects that redefines the city through their high-end design,
ecological sensitivity and contemporary style.





Barbaros Troika , 2016
Istanbul, Turkey

CONTEMPORARY DESIGN

SALON carefully incorporates contemporary design aesthetics with the existing city scape while creating novel design solutions specific to site and clients



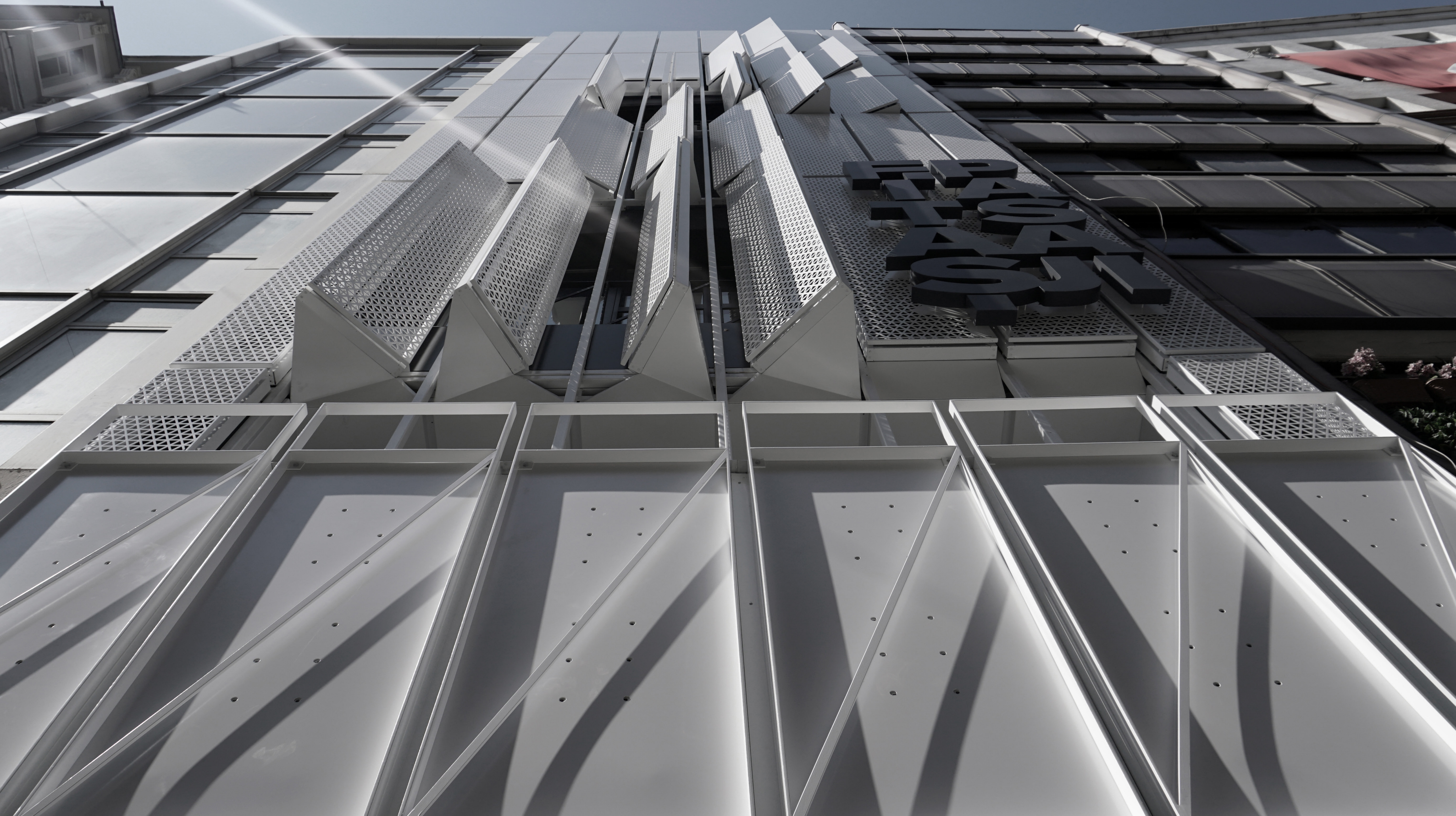
We help commercial clients realize the full potential of their estate asset. We take great pride in our ability to manage multi-faceted projects that involve numerous stakeholders, all the while maintaining a high level of personal attention.



Fitaş Passage, 2019
İstanbul, Turkey

ADAPTIVE REUSE

SALON effectively transforms the existing buildings through adaptive reuse projects with the aim of optimizing the potential operational performance of the built assets.



Bilgi Campus, 2015
Istanbul, Turkey

EDUCATIONAL BUILDING DESIGN

SALON creates innovative solutions for education and science clients. Our diverse practice ranges from large-scale campus master plans to individual buildings for academic centers, research institutions, and universities.

Topos Villas, 2018
Izmir, Turkey

REFINED LIVING ENVIRONMENTS

SALON create elegant and carefully detailed living spaces
that both answer the client's needs and continually redefine
modern living.



INTERIOR DESIGN

SALON enables clients to understand and capitalize on a vital dynamic that drives organizational performance; the relationship between people and the design of physical place and demonstrate that workplace design, ways of working place can deliver sustainable business value.

SALON combines research, strategy, and design for occupants, developers and owners, by listening to the aspirations and strategic needs of clients' and translating research into creative interior design solutions.



RETHINKING CULTURAL DESIGN

While architectural design differs greatly from culture to culture, SALON uses the freshness of contemporary design to culture unique identities for each client.

Parkopera, 2015
Antalya, Turkey



Istanbul City Museum, 2015
Istanbul, Turkey

RETHINKING CULTURAL DESIGN

SALON has worked with leading institutions to design and restore landmark museum, art galleries, libraries, community center and religious buildings.



Music Museum, 2017
Istanbul, Turkey



Chinimachin Museum, 2019
Bayburt, Turkey



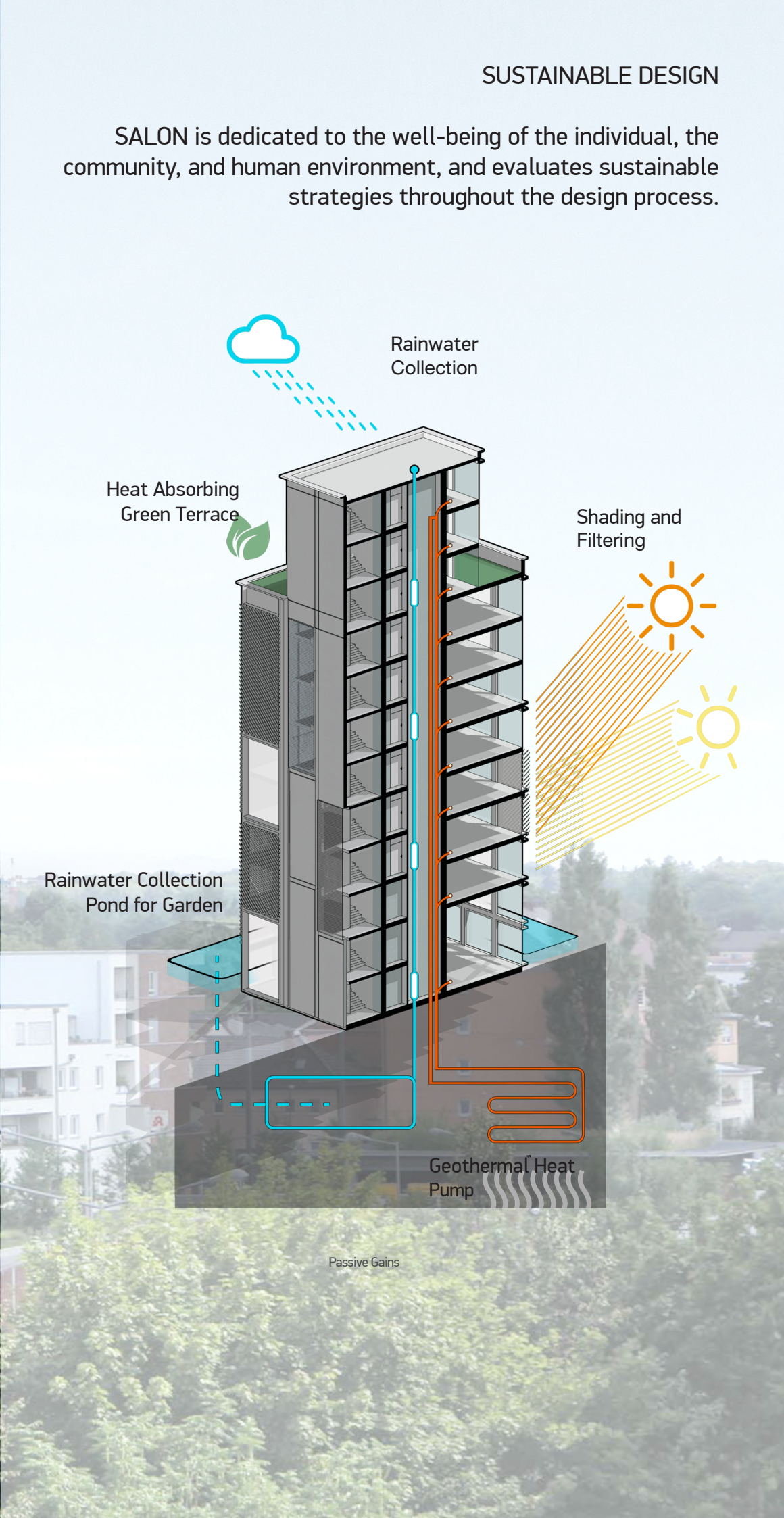
Science Island, 2016
Kaunas, LITHUANIA

SUSTAINABLE DESIGN

SALON does more with less as a basic principle of energy efficiency by putting together the green practices, environmental friendly tips and sustainable living tools in the projects.



SALON is dedicated to the well-being of the individual, the community, and human environment, and evaluates sustainable strategies throughout the design process.



INFRASTRUCTURE DESIGN

SALON has designed innovative facilities and infrastructure for governmental clients around the world. From bridges and transportation strategies to TV towers, we create spaces that support our clients' most critical missions.

SALON deploys industry-leading technologies and job-site safety practices to successfully deliver a wide range of project types, including buildings, energy, environment, civil works, transportation and water.

Valley Of Life, 2015
İstanbul, Turkey





Innovation Loop , 2019
Tripoli, Beirut

INNOVATION CENTER
SALON regards the requirements of next generation workspaces,
collaborative environments while designing spaces that would
transform into technology and innovation centers of the future.



STAGE DESIGN

SALON's unique stage design offers a new theatre experience to the audience as an experimental approach to performative design is generated through dialogue of space and performance itself.



Oblique Land, 2015
Istanbul, Turkey

COMPUTATIONAL DESIGN

SALON unites technology and architecture by working with computational design methods while realizing these projects through iconic physical outputs



Alper Derinboğaz

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND:

2007-2008 M.A. Architecture II: Second Professional Degree, University of California, Los Angeles
2000-2005 B.A. Architecture, Magna Cum Laude, Istanbul Technical University

RECOGNITIONS:

2019 Europe 40 Under 40 Selection, Architecture, The European Center
2011 Young Architect of the Year Award by Arkitera
2008 UCLA School of Architecture Graduate Award
2008 Fulbright Award

SELECTED AWARDS:

2019 Young Architects Selection & Exhibition, The Circle
2018 Green Good Design Awards, Winner, Chicago Athenaeum (Antalya GreenHUB Masterplan)
2017 German Design Awards, Winner, German Design Council (Parkopera)
2017 World Architecture Awards, Winner (Parkopera)
2016 International Contest for the New National Science and Innovation Center Honorable Mention
2016 2A Asia Awards Finalist (Antalya GreenHUB Masterplan, Parkopera)
2016 World Architecture Awards Winner (Office Central)
2016 WAF Finalist (Parkopera)
2016 The Plan Awards Finalist (Antalya GreenHUB Masterplan)
2016 Valley of Life International Competition, 3th Prize
2015 International Architizer A+ Award Special Mention
2015 Parkopera, National Competition Winner of 1st Mention
2015 Beylikdüzü Valley and Bridge National Competition Winner of Mention
2011 Best Buildings of 2011 by Arkiv (Augmented Structures, Gate, Panaroma)
2006 SMD “S.O.S. Istanbul Seashores Renewal Competition”, 1st Prize
2005 International European8 “Renewal For Which Inhabitants?”, Antalya Kepez (TU), National Chapter
2005 Turkey Architecture Association Success Award
2004 UIA “Celebrating Cities International Competition”, Jury Great Prize (National Chapter)

JURY MEMBERSHIPS:

2020.01 Skyscraper Competition, eVolo Magazine
2019.06 24h Competition 30th Edition, Mozambique
2019.05 School of Architecture - Çuhadaroğlu Competition
2019.05 Living Pamukkale Competition
2016.05 National Architecture Students Competition
2016.03 Noah’s Ark International Competition Ideas
2015.05 Awr Nyc Sky Condo: New York City Farm Tower Competition
2013.01 Borusan Kindergarten Competition

STUDIOS:

2019.09 Biodesign Institute: A Venue for Science and Community, Graduation Jury, Istanbul Technical University
2018.09 Ecologies of Living Speculations for Housing +, Graduation Jury, Istanbul Technical University
2018.12 Graduation Jury, Istanbul Bilgi University
2017.08 Link: Experiments on Nature, Architecture & Production Mesh, Architectural Design V, Istanbul Technical University
2017.02 LOG: The New Media Museum & A Local Archive, Architectural Design VI, Istanbul Technical University
2016.08 Collective Dwelling, Architectural Design VI, Istanbul Technical University
2016.02 Form of Doing: Community Spaces in the City

EXHIBITIONS:

2018 “Space Graph_” Exhibition, Versus Art Project, Istanbul
2017 “Condense”, Soul of City Sergisi, Marmomacc Verona, Italya
2017 “Reset-Foil”, Future Tellers Sergisi, Digilogue, Istanbul
2017 “Frequency”, Sarmal Sergisi, Yapı Kredi Kültür ve Sanat, Istanbul
2016 “Passage-Spatial Simulation”, Waves, Istanbul, Turkey
2016 “GreenHUB Antalya”, MIPIM, Cannes, France
2015 “Borders” International Architecture Biennale of Antalya, Turkey
2015 “GreenHUB Antalya”, MIPIM, Cannes, France
2014 “Modalities of the Spontaneous”, Pavilion of Turkey at la Biennale di Venezia, Venice
2014 VÇMD Dreams to Realities Exhibition, Collective School, Istanbul, Turkey
2013 Open Buffet, International Antalya Biennial, Antalya, Turkey
2012 “Augmented Structures v2.0, Istanbul Design Biennial, Istanbul, Turkey
2011 “Augmented Structures v1.0, Yapı Kredi Kültür ve Sanat Merkezi, Istanbul, Turkey
2010 “Girft”, Istanbul Bilgi University, Istanbul, Turkey
2006 “Trashed”, Common Place, Budapest, Hungary

LECTURES:

2019 “Open Boundary”, London Festival of Architecture 2019, London
2019 “Innovation for Cities”, Arch and Design Summit 2019, Istanbul
2017 “Codes of Architecture”, International Architecture and Design Symposium, Istanbul
2017 “Design Encounters”, MEF University, Istanbul
2016 “E-Dimension, Keynote” Speech, Eko Design Conference, Istanbul
2015 “City Urgencies” New Generation Festival, Genova
2015 “Beauty, Ugliness and the City” Soho House, Istanbul
2015 “Performativity and Gradient in Design” Bilgi University, Istanbul
2015 “Modalities of Spontaneous” Bahcesehir University, Istanbul
2014 “Design Ecologies”, New Generations, Florence
2014 “Dirty Rotten Beauty” (Herşey olur (mu?)) Arkimeet, Istanbul
2014 “Scale Operations”, Lebanese American University, Beirut
2014 “Intricate Territories” Polis University, Tirana, Albania
2013 “Public Art and Architectural Lunaparks” Architectural Association Public Bits , Istanbul
2013 “Facade Technologies” Arkimeet, Istanbul
2010 “Girift” Computational Design in Architecture ITU, Istanbul
2009 “Repose”, Superm.arch.et, Darfo, Italy

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Writings

2019.04 Arredamento Mimarlık Magazine, Mimarlar ve Göç
2018.11 Young Visionaries (ed. Uffelen, C.V.), Young Visionaries / The New Generation of Architects
2018.07 Arredamento Mimarlık Magazine, Gelecek Alıntıları
2016 Platform Magazine, A Million Turkish Flags
2016.04 XXI Magazine, Antalya’da Yeşil Süreklilik İçin Bir Öneri
2016.01 Istanbul Art News Magazine, Venice Biennale, pp.11
2015.11 XXI Magazine, Mekansal Geçicilik Araştırmaları
2014 Places of Memory (ed. Derviş, P.), Modalities of the Spontaneous (Derinboğaz, A.-Karaçizmeli, E.B. & Kanıpak, Ö.), pp.93-122 Istanbul Foundation for Culture and Arts, Istanbul
2008.08 Arredamento Mimarlık Magazine, UCLA Mimarlık Okulu: Teknolojinin Sıvışması, pp.86-89
2008.04 XXI Magazine, Traverten ve Kırmızı Ruj, pp.76-81

Books

2018, Upwind (ed. Turkay, B.), (designer; Gürevin, A.)
2014, Places of Memory (ed. Derviş, P.), Conversation (Luca Molinari in conversation with A.Altay, A.Derinboğaz, P.Derviş, M.Özcan, C.Şişman, M.Tabanlıoğlu, A.Taptık, S.Taycan), pp.6-80, Istanbul Foundation for Culture and Arts, Istanbul
2011, My City (eds. Açikkol, Ö. & Yersel, S.), Alper Derinboğaz, Panorama için Mimari Tasarım (interview) pp.124-131, British Council, Istanbul
2010, City Index Elefsina (ed. Antonopoulou, E.), Float’d Project, pp.116-121, School of Architecture Technical University of Athens, Athens

INTERVIEWS & FEATURES:

2019.10 CLOT Magazine Interview
2019.09 Portre: Alper Derinboğaz, Masterpiece
2019.06 ‘Açık Mimarlık’ Radio
2019.04 ‘Geographical Mobility of Architects’ Interview, Arredamento April Issue
2017.11 Content and Architecture: Alper Derinboğaz&Luca Molinari, Istanbul
2017.11 A School of Schools: Alper Derinboğaz&Jan Boelen, Istanbul
2016.05 Mark Magazine, Parkopera
2016.01 Yapı Magazine, Bilgi University
2015.07 Skylife Magazine Alper Derinboğaz (interview)
2015.05 Augmented Structures, Art News Magazine
2015.01 Venice Biennale 2014, Trendsetter Istanbul
2014.12 Every, Kavramsal Duruş: Alper Derinboğaz (interview)
2014.11 XOXO the Mag, Alper Derinboğaz (interview)
2014.11 Esquire, Alper Derinboğaz (interview)
2014.10 Cumhuriyet Pazar, Alper Derinboğaz (interview)
2014.05, a10 magazine, Non-linear Fluidity
2014.03 ArchDaily, Venice Biennale 2014: Turkey to Explore “Places of Memory” in Istanbul
2014.01 Azure Magazine, A Dynamic Law Office in Istanbul

2013.11 ArchDaily, CTHB Law Office / Salon Architects
2013.07 the creators project, Exploring The Physical And Digital Through Architectural Design
2013.04 Frame magazine, ‘Augmented Structures’, Refik Anadol & Alper Derinboğaz
2013.02 ArchDaily, ‘Haze’ Pavilion Proposal / Salon2
2012.10 designboom, Augmented Structures v2.0
2012.01 ArchDaily, Augmented Structures v1.1: Acoustic Formations / Salon2
2011.11 Habertürk, Aktif Strüktürler, Akustik Formasyon (interview)
2011.09 CNNTurk, Augmented Structures (interview)
2011.09 Radikal Daily Newspaper, Yapı Kredi’de sıra dışı enstelasyon

PROJECT LIST

FITAS PASSSAGE Mixed-use// Istanbul, Turkey	2019 1300m2	TOPOS VLLAS Residential// Izmir, TÜRKİYE	2015 1.000m2
INNOVATION LOOP Competition-Masterplan// Tripoli, Lebanon	2019 70.000m2	BEYLIKDUZU VALLEY AND BRIDGE Urban Design // Istanbul, Turkey	2015
CHINIMACHIN MUSEUM Museum// Bayburt, Turkey	2019 1400m2	PARKOPERA Cultural// Antalya, Turkey	2015 8.038m2
I4.0 VALLEY MASTERPLAN Masterplan// Neuwied, Germany	2018 150.000m2	GAYRETTEPE TOWER Mixed-use// Istanbul, Turkey	2015 15.624m2
E-CO HOUSING Residential// Augsburg, Germany	2018 2000m2	BILGI CAMPUS Public// Istanbul, TÜRKİYE	2015
MALTEPE FIRE STATION Infrastructure// Istanbul, Turkey	2018 1000m2	IBB ATELIER ZEYTINBURNU Public// Istanbul, TÜRKİYE	2015 5.000m2
GULHANE MUSIC MUSEUM Museum// Istanbul, Turkey	2017 780m2	VOLKSWAGEN STAND Pavilion// Istanbul, Turkey	2015 50m2
SILE RESIDENCE Mixed-use// Istanbul, Turkey	2017 12.700m2	SISLI CENTRAL Mixed-use// Istanbul, Turkey	2015 522.000m2
SISLI HUB RESIDENCE Resdiential//Istanbul, Turkey	2017 1250m2	AUTOBAHN HOSPITAL Hospital// Istanbul, Turkey	2015 28.000 m2
MINT METRO RESIDENCE Residential// Istanbul,Turkey	2017 6200m2	DUZCE UNIVERSITY KONURALP CAMPUS COMPETITION Competition-Masterplan// Düzce, Turkey	2014 165 ha
FOURTH NATURE - BANDIRMA DESIGN INSTITUTE Masterplan// Istanbul, Turkey	2017 260 000m2	BASAKPORT MASTERPLAN Masterplan// Istanbul, Turkey	2014 590,910 m2
SCIENCE ISLAND Cultural// Kaunas, Lithuania	2016 13.143m2	CAMPUS IMROZ Competition-Mansion// Çanakkale, Turkey	2014 17.000 m2
VALLEY OF LIFE Masterplan// Istanbul, Turkey	2016	IZMIR DESIGN CORRIDOR Yarışma- 1. Ödül// Kamusal Yerleştime// İzmir, TÜRKİYE	2014 150 m2
MUSEUM OF ISTANBUL Cultural// Istanbul, Turkey	2015 40.000m2	ISTANBUL TV&RADIO TOWER Competition-3rd & Project Development// Istanbul, Turkey	2014 20.000 m2
GREEN HUB ANTALYA Masterplan// Istanbul, Turkey	2015 1.200.000m2	THE BREEZY SUMMERHOUSES Residential-Recreational Facility// Çanakkale, Turkey	2013 5870 m2

B2B BEYKOZ LOGOS HOUSES Residential// Istanbul, Turkey	2013 45.000 m2	PLATEA RESIDENCES Concept Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2011 350.000 m2
FACADE TECHNOLOGIES Facade and Application Software Design	2013	ESENLER URBAN TRANSFORMATION PROJECT Urban Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2011 187.500 m2
SAKARYA METROPOLITAN MUNICIPALITY BUILDING Municipality Building// Sakarya, Turkey	2013 25.000 m2	GATE LAB Pavilion// İstanbul, Turkey	2011 15 m2
CT LAW OFFICE Office// İstanbul, Turkey	2013 250 m2	PANORAMA Installation// İstanbul, Turkey	2011 400 m2
SAKARYA SCIENCE MUSEUM Museum// Sakarya, Turkey	2013 5.000 m2	ASTORIA Commercial// İstanbul, Turkey	2011 3.500 m2
SAKARYA CITY SQUARE Urban Design// Sakarya, Turkey	2013 10.000 m2	KAYABASI RESIDENCES Competition-1st Prize// İstanbul,Turkey	2009 260.000 m2
YAP (YOUNG ARCHITECTS PROGRAM) Competition-Finalist// Istanbul, Turkey	2013 750 m2	RUDAS BATH Mixed-use// Budapest, Hungary	2009 6.000 m2
AUGMENTED STRUCTURES 2 IKSV Istanbul-Installation// İstanbul, Turkey	2013 5 m2	KAYSERI CITADEL Competition// İstanbul, Turkey	2008 1000 m2
KAĞITHANE MASTERPLAN Urban Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2013 30.000 m2	BEYOGLU THEATRE Competition-1sr Honorable Mention// İstanbul, Turkey	2008 7650 m2
BEYKOZ GLOW Residential// İstanbul, Turkey	2013 390.000 m2	OYAK-RENAULT HISTORY MUSEUM Exhibition Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2012 765 m2
FERHATPASA AUTOMALL Commercial// Istanbul, Turkey	2013 25.500 m2	NIKE POP-UP GATE Interior Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2012 18 m2
TUBITAK ENTRANCE Competition// İstanbul, Turkey	2013 100 m2	LUNARLON POP-UP Competition// Istanbul, TÜRKİYE	2012 150 m2
FIKIRRTEPE MASTERPLAN Urban Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2012 490.000 m2		
ATAKOY MARINA Urban Design// İstanbul, Turkey	2012 627.000 m2		
MUSEUM OF CYPRUS Competition-1st Honorable Mention// Nicosia, TRNC	2012 1500 m2		

SALON TEAM

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That can play a role in addressing climate change

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Focusing on design innovation from concept to fabrivationv

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