



## IUAV University of Venice: Studio Tamassociati awarded Curry Stone Design Prize

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**IUAV University of Venice** - At Studio Tamassociati founded by former students of the University IUAV of Venice, founded by former students Iuav, the Curry Stone Design Prize, the world's largest award for social design

After the recent Aga Khan Award for Architecture, received at the Hospital for Cardiac Surgery in Khartoum Salam built on behalf of Emergency, another international success for Tamassociati: the **Venetian firm, founded by former students of the University IUAV of Venice**, is has won the sixth edition of the **Curry Stone Design Prize in 2013**, along with studies Hunnarshala (Bhuj, India) and Proximity Designs (Yangon, Myanmar).

Considered **the most important award in the world dedicated to social design**, the Curry Stone Design Prize identifies and rewards the most innovative architectures and impact can improve the quality of life

The study Tamassociati was honored for his accomplishments commissioned by the NGO **Emergency** in Sudan, Sierra Leone and the Central African Republic, thanks to which were **more than 700,000 patients treated free of charge**.

The objective of the client, particularly attentive and demanding about the issues of sustainability and the universal right to health, is giving life to hospitals that meet - or exceed - western standards in accordance with local traditions.

Tamassociati has translated into reality this regard, building hospitals highly advanced with particular attention to issues of **environmental sustainability, participatory planning**, involving and training local labor and materials and using knowledge of the place, and giving dignity to patients, large parts of which lived their lives in areas of armed conflict, famine and deep poverty.

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