

Emotion and reason in Architecture



Born in Pontevedra, Spain, (1937)

Bach. of Architecture, ETSAB-Faculty of Architecture of Barcelona-1966

PhD in Architecture, ETSAM-Faculty of Architecture of Madrid - 1968

Full Professor, since 1990 at the Faculty of Architecture of La Coruña – Spain

Curator of the Fourth Spanish Biennale of Architecture, 1999-2000

National Prize for Urban Planning for his "Development Plan for the Pazo de Oca and its Surroundings," 1981.

European Council's Gold Medal for his "Restoration of the Santa Miña Oak Forest, Including New Construction and Its Surroundings," 1982.

Spanish Nominee for the Pritzker Prize, elected by the National Council of Architects of Spain, 1982.

Winner of the "Architecture in Galicia" Prize, for his entire work, 1990.

Award from the Architectural Institute of Japan for his Azuma Bridge over the Uchikawa River, 1995.

First International Prize for Architecture in Stone, 1997, World's Fair of Stone and Technology, and granted to the Domus Building, 1998.

First Antonio Palacios Prize for the best work in stone, 1999.

National Prize for Spanish Architecture, 1998-1999 for the Bus station at Cordoba.

European Philippe Rotthier Prize for his Cemetery at Finisterre, 2002.

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