



Park of Faith, Tirana AL

Tirana Albania Type: Landscape

Location: Tirana, Albania

Year: 2015

Client: Municipality of Tirana

Cost: 5.000.000 euro Surface: 76.000 m2 Phase: Competition

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The Boulevard is the axis of The "Park of Faith", the most representative urban and common space in Tirana. Through various layers of experiencing, the park will house spaces not only for different ages, nationalities, religions, and professions, but also it will give shelter to various atmospheres. Based on the value of coexistence, a new urban biodiversity will be created and a new concept of habitation will emerge from the public spaces of both the boulevard and the city.

Currently the boulevard is without its own identity, there are architectures and spaces of quality but they are not recognizable .

Through the pedestrian boulevard and the use of natural elements such as water (also a symbol of purification and faith), rows of trees and the design of the green, urban space is no fragmented. The open spaces initially disconnected, now are continuous and form the Park of Faith.

The identity of the public space stems from the memory of the place given by the existing and the redevelopment of the spaces that had no history and meaning.

The historical accretions are legible in a unitary context, which expresses the identity of the place. The overall design arises as a flexible structure, adaptable to different designed landscape area being able to articulate with elements of furniture and of vegetation to different situations, accordingly to the character of the existing spaces.

Other Information: Second Prize.