

Gustavo Araújo Penna

Member of the Board of Trustees

Architect and founder of the GPA & A office, he graduated from the School of Architecture at the Federal University of Minas Gerais (UFMG), where he taught for three decades.

Member of the Curator Council of Fundação Oscar Niemeyer and Member of the board of trustees at Fundação Dom Cabral. Founding partner of the Academy of Portuguese Language Architecture and Urbanism Schools (AEAULP).

He won international awards, such as The International Architecture Award in Chicago, the World Architecture Festival (WAF) in Singapore, the Architizer A + Awards in London and the Prix Versailles in Chile.

Author of projects such as Expominas (Minas Gerais Fair and Exhibition Center), Monument to the Freedom of the Press, Japanese Immigration Memorial, Congonhas Museum (cultural heritage of humanity), Sant´Ana and Regina Mundi, the new Mineirão Stadium, Escola Guignard (considered one of the 30 most relevant works of architecture in Brazil), among others.

With 04 books published, his works have already been exhibited in Brazil and in the world, highlighting the Biennial of Architecture, in São Paulo, the Biennial of Venice, the Biennial of Buenos Aires, the Triennial of World Architecture, in Belgrade, the Institut Français d'Architecture, in Paris and the Casa da Arquitectura, in Portugal; and displayed on major architecture and design websites, magazines and books; such as ArchDaily, Abitare, Architecture Magazine, Architecture Now, Le Mounter Architecture Mars, Architectural Digest, Enlace, Monocle, Architectural Record, Wallpaper, SUMMA +, among others.