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Ministry of Foreign Affairs Vietnam in Hanoi, P.R. Vietnam International invitational competition, 2008



Perspective with the main entrance

Location Metri-Tu Liem, Hanoi, P.R. Vietnam

Client Ministry of Foreign Affairs Vietnam

Project Management Board No 8 Khuc Hao Street, Ba Dinh District

Hanoi, Vietnam

Architect Pysall Ruge Architekten

Project partner GGP Group of Companies

Brief Design for the new Vietnamese Headquarter of the Ministry of Foreign

Affairs in Hanoi

Scope of services

Invitational architectural design competition, with prequalification

Size Building GFA: 120.000 sqm

Site: 71.438 sqm

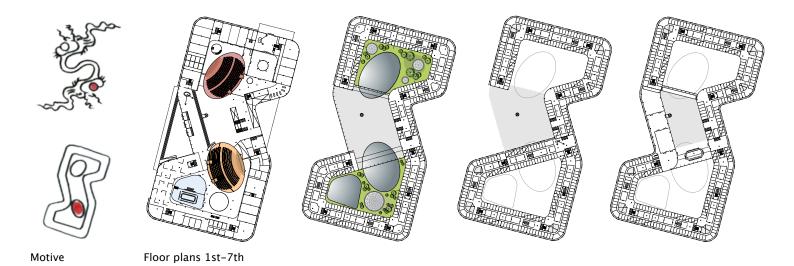
Duration 2008



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Site plan

Set in unique park-like scenery, the complex of the New Foreign Ministry of Vietnam alludes to the culture and traditions of the city of Hanoi and incorporates them in the design.

A multifunctional urban space serves public ceremonies, events and the offical approach, with a direct entrance from the main road to the secured area. An additional staff entrance separates the building into necessary security zones.

The office spaces for 2.500 workers enclose two interlocking atria that contain the meeting rooms, reception areas, restaurants and lunchrooms. These atria protect the building's interior from the consistently hot climate.

The energy, air conditioning and lighting concept is designed as a single integrated Low Energy Concept, which aims to realise and maintain a sustainable ecological complex during its entire lifecycle.