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The **Master of Architecture in Collective Housing, MCH**, is a postgraduate full-time international professional program of advanced **architecture design** in cities and housing presented by **Universidad Politécnica of Madrid (UPM)** and **Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH)**. After nine editions, it is rated as one of the best architecture master's programs by architects and experts.

Architects **from all nations** are trained to develop their expertise in collective housing design and have demonstrated a high professional level, making important contributions in research projects, winning competitions or taking leadership roles in the most relevant architecture firms.

Next edition will start in January 2018, **application period is opened till 31.12.2017**. MCH is the first UPM-ETH official postgraduate program. It takes place mainly in Madrid, official language is English.

MCH has always committed to the **highest level of excellence** combining teachers of international prestige and a thorough participant selection process in order to make the best out of this course.



Program: practice oriented (60 ECTS)

7 International one-week workshops

8 Specialties

- Construction & Technology
- Urban Design
- Housing Theory
- Energy & Sustainability
- City Sciences
- Sociology, economy & politics
- Business, management & int. activity
- Housing theory

Study trip + Final Master Project

Outstanding Academic Board

In the past years, MCH has built a close relationship with great architects such as **Dietmar Eberle, Felix Claus, Anne Lacaton, Frits van Dongen, Anna Heringer, Hrvoje Njirić, Juan Herreros, Dick van Gameren, Riken Yamamoto, Cino Zucchi, Jacob van Rijs, Alejandro Aravena, Patrick Gmür, Max Risselada, Annette Gigon, Vittorio M. Lampugnani or Andrea Deplazes**, who are regular faculty members. The reduced number of participants allows a close contact with professors, helping them to increase their career improvement opportunities.



Networking, occupation & career upgrade

With the help of MCH Alumni, we set in contact participants of different editions to create the basis for research, knowledge and opportunity sharing.

One of our main goals is the career improvement of our specialist professionals, who can address global problems and take important roles in relevant architecture offices, dealing with urban and landscape planning, emergency housing or architectural critique. The MCH Office will give support and help to participants in search of new positions, based on their performance during the course.

Cost & Scholarships

Tuition fee: 17.900€, to be paid prior to the beginning of the course.

The price of the study trip (transport tickets, hotel reservations, visits and shuttle buses) is included in the tuition fee.

Although MCH doesn't have a scholarship program, candidates are helped to find their best financial option. Check in our website the scholarships' agreements between MCH and several institutions.

EMVS offers two scholarships for 2018, with a 50% reduction of the tuition fee.



Application process

Application period is opened until 31.12.2017 or till vacancies are filled. MCH takes place from January to July 2018, with the submission of the master's project in September.

Classes are held every afternoon from 16.00 to 21.00, however a full-time dedication is strongly recommended.

In order to enroll the selection process, please submit your CV, portfolio, motivation letter and recommendation letters through the online application form. The Academic Committee will evaluate it and will call best candidates for a personal interview through Skype.

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