

José Mayoral is a Chile-based architect and founding partner of the architecture firm PRÁCTICA. He is currently teaching at Universidad Católica de Chile and the Academy of Art University in San Francisco, California. He recently curated the Chilean Architecture Biennial entitled 'Diálogos Imposterables'.

Trained as an architect in both Spain and the Netherlands (2010), José holds a Master in Architecture from Harvard University (2014) where he obtained the Harvard Faculty Design Award upon graduation. Additionally, José has worked in several architectural firms including Herzog and de Meuron in Basel (2010-2012), Abalos-Sentkiewicz in Cambridge (2014) and RMA in Boston (2014-2015). He has taught courses and studios in institutions including Universidad Católica de Chile (2016) and the Harvard Graduate School of Design where he was appointed a teaching associate (2014-2015). His work has been exhibited at MoMa (2015) and he has co-designed the Ephemeral Urbanism Pavilion at the 2016 Venice Architecture Biennale. He is the co-editor of Planning for Conservation: Looking at Agra (2015) and the coauthor of the Ephemeral Urbanism: Cities in Constant Flux book series (2016).

Furthermore, José has also received many awards including the ARQUIA grant (2010), Talentia Scholarship (2014), the Harvard Faculty Design Award (2014) and finalist for the Young Architects Program at MoMA (2015).

EDUCATION

2016-Present	PhD Student in Architecture and Urban Studies Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile. FADEU Santiago, CHILE
2014	Master in Architecture II Graduate School of Design, Harvard University Cambridge, USA
2010	Licensed Architect Technical School of Architecture, University of Seville Sevilla, SPAIN
2009	Exchange student Technical School of Architecture of Eindhoven Eindhoven, HOLLAND

WORK EXPERIENCE

01.2015-Present	Founding Partner PRÁCTICA. Urban Design and Architecture Madrid, SPAIN Projects: Green Block Complex. Malaga, Spain 50 Housing in Jerez. Spain Rethinking Somes. Cluj Napoca, Romania
09.2014-06.2015	Project Architect RMA Architects and Urban Designers, Rahul Mehrotra Boston, USA Projects: Sydney Modern Competition. Sydney, Australia Residential Complex. Chennai, India
01.2014-06.2014	Architect Abalos + Sentkiewicz Architects Cambridge, USA Projects: Gongbei Checking Complex. Zhuhai, China. Residential and Retail Development. Beirut, Lebanon
09.2010-09.2012	Junior Architect Herzog & de Meuron Basel, SWITZERLAND Projects: Leonard Street Tower. New York, USA Central Police Station. Hong Kong

- 07.2016 - Present **Assistant Adjunct Professor**
Option Studios: Ephemeral Urbanism
Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile
Santiago, CHILE
- 09.2015 - Present **Assistant Adjunct Professor**
Graduate Studio: Design for Learning
Academy of Art University.
San Francisco. USA
- 03.2016 - 07.2016 **Teaching Associate**
Extreme Urbanism III. Studio co-taught with Rahul Mehrotra.
Department Urban Planning and Design
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA
- 01.2015 - 05.2015 **Adjunct Faculty: Studio Instructor**
Foundation Graduate Studio
School of Architecture, Wentworth Institute of Technology.
Boston, USA
- 01.2015 - 05.2015 **Research Associate**
The Ephemeral City Project. Research lead with Rahul Mehrotra
Department Urban Planning and Design
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA
- 09.2014 - 05.2015 **Adjunct Faculty: Studio Instructor**
Graduate Studio: Design for Learning
Co-taught with Juan Pablo Ugarte
Boston Architectural College
Boston, USA
- 08.2014 - 12.2014 **Studio Instructor**
Career Discovery Program
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA
- 06.2014 - 07.2014 **Teaching Assistant**
Second Semester Core: SITUATE
Faculty: Renata Sentkiewicz
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
- The Ephemeral City: Research Seminar on Temporal Urbanism
Faculty: Rahul Mehrotra
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
- Meydan: Designing the Surfaces of Public Space at Beyazit Square
Faculty: Hashim Sarkis
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
- 08.2013-05.2014 **Research Assistant**
The Ephemeral City & The Kumbh Mela Research Project.
Department Urban Planning and Design
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA
- 04.2013-08.2014 **Instructor**
EASA Manchester 2010
Manchester, UK
- 06.2010-07.2010 **Research Assistant**
Technical School of Architecture of Seville, University of Seville
Seville, SPAIN
- 09.2009-06.2010 **Teaching Assistant**
Technical School of Architecture of Seville, University of Seville
Seville, SPAIN

**First prize "Rethinking Somes" Competition
Urban design project**

International architectural and urban design to redesign the 15 kilometer-long waterfront of River Somes on its course through Cluj-Napoca, Romania.

05. 2017

**First prize "Green Block" Competition.
Mixed Housing Complex**

Competition to build 15,196 square meters development combining 120 dwellings, free market units, and commercial areas
Spanish Government
Malaga, Spain

07.2016

**Appointed National Curator of next Bienal de Arquitectura y
Urbanismo de Chile. 2017**

Colegio de Arquitectos de Chile
Santiago, Chile.

07.2015

PhD Grant. CONICYT

Grant awarded by the government of Chile to study a PhD at Pontificia Universidad Catolica de Chile
Santiago, CHILE

03. 2015

Finalist MOMA YAP (Young Architects Program)

Museum of Modern Art New York / Constructo.
Selected among the five finalists.
Partners. Javier Martin, Felipe Vera & Kelvin Ho.
Santiago, Chile.

05.2014

Faculty Design Award. Master in Architecture Program

The award is given in recognition of significant achievement throughout the relevant program's design sequence.
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA

2012-2014

Talentia Scholarship

Grant awarded by the government of Spain to study a Master Degree at Harvard University.
Madrid, SPAIN

2012-2014

Harvard Scholarship: Real Colegio Complutense Scholarship

Grant awarded by the Real Colegio Complutense at Harvard University to study a Master Degree at Harvard University.
Cambridge, USA

2010

Winner Arquia Competition

Award given to the best 10 students grades in Spain
Colegio de Arquitectos de Espana.
Madrid, SPAIN

2009

Winner EASA competition

Competition to teach 2 weeks architecture workshop at EASA Manchester
Manchester, UK

2009

Erasmus Scholarship

Grant awarded by the government of Spain to pursue an exchange program at Technical School of Architecture of Eindhoven, Holland
Madrid, SPAIN

2008

Winner Experimenta 4 Competition

Neutra magazine

2006

Sicue - Seneca Scholarship

Grant awarded by the government of Spain to pursue an exchange program at Technical School of Architecture of EL Valles, Barcelona. SPAIN

**MONOGRAPHS AND
EDITED VOLUMES**

05.2017

Ephemeral Urbanism: Does Permanence Matters?

Book edited with Rahul Mehrotra & Felipe Vera
ListLab Publishing House.
Text: english. Format: 17 x 23.3 cm. 380 pages, color.

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05.2016

Ephemeral Urbanism: Cities in Constant Flux.

Book edited with Rahul Mehrotra & Felipe Vera
Preface by Richard Sennett and Afterword by Ricky Burdett.
ARQ Ediciones.
Text: english. Format: 12 x 17 cm. 320 pages, color.

03.2016

Planning for Conservation: Looking at Agra

Book edited with Rahul Mehrotra & Vineet Diwadkar

**BOOK
CONTRIBUTIONS**

10.2015

Article: Ground as program

José Mayoral & Kevin Murray
ARQ Ediciones
Santiago, CHILE

09. 2015

Article: Urbanism as Reconfiguration: A Reversible City

José Mayoral, Felipe Vera & Benjamin Scheerbarth. Monograph.IT.
R.E.D.S.2 ALPS M. Ricci, P. Scaglione (eds).
Trento, ITALY

04.2015

Article: Physical Infrastructure

Jose Mayoral, Johannes Staudt
Chapter in Kumbh Mela, Mapping The Ephemeral City.
Published by Hatje Cantz
Hamburg, GERMANY

12.2014

Project published: Meydan: Designing the Surfaces of Public Space at Beyazit Square, Istanbul

Studio project in Platform 7. Jose Mayoral and Kevin Murray.
Faculty: Hashim Sarkis
Published by Harvard Graduate School of Design
Cambridge, USA

09.2013

Article: Reinhabiting Urban Spaces

Article in Spain From Far Away: Design Visions in Crisis Periods.
Cambridge, MA: Real Colegio Complutense; 2013.
Cambridge, USA

01.2009

Project Published: Antiguo Convento de San Francisco

Project in Objetos patrimoniales: Metodologías alternativas en intervención en el patrimonio IPA 2001-2008. Sevilla, España: Rectorado de docencia. Universidad de Sevilla. Grupo de Investigación HUM789
Seville, SPAIN

07.2008

Project Published: Experimenta 4. Plataforma Periferia.

José Mayoral Moratilla, Rodrigo Castro Peñalva, Ilda Rodríguez Martínez
Project in Neutra 17
Seville, SPAIN

10. 2017 **Curator of the Exhibition "Diálogos Impostergables".**
XX Chile Biennale of Architecture and Urbanism.
Co-Curators: Jeannette Sordi, Felipe Vera, Pola Mora, Miguel Cancino,
Claudio Magrini, Rodrigo Tisi.
Valparaiso, Chile.
- 05.2017 **Project exhibited: Imagination on exile**
Universidad de Sevilla
- 05.2016 - 11.2016 **Curator of the Pavilion "Ephemeral Urbanism Cities in Constant Flux"**
Pavilion at the 16th Venice Biennale of Architecture and Urbanism 2016.
Curators: Felipe Vera, Rahul Mehrotra.
Venice, Italy.
- 10.2015 **Project exhibited: Temporal systems**
Exhibition: Radical Temporalities
Bi-City Biennale of Architecture and Urbanism.
Shenzhen, China.
- Fall. 2015 **Project exhibited: Low Income Dwellings in Ouagadougou.**
Exhibition: Living Anatomy
Hall Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA
- 07.2015-02.2016 **Project exhibited: Weak Pavilion**
Exhibition: MOMA YAP (Young Architects Program)
Museum of Modern Art of New York
New York, USA
- 02.2015-07.2015 **Curator exhibition: Landscapes of Religion in South Asia and Latin America**
Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
Cambridge, USA