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rennpappe_09

rennpappe_09, the 2nd edition of the international workshop/competition of the Faculty of Design and Art of the Free University of Bozen/Bolzano, was held at the beginning of March. After its great success in 2007, this edition also saw the participation of an Estonian school and a Chinese school.

"**rennpappe** was born out of childhood memories, in a village in the mountains which was just timidly beginning to open up to winter tourism", says Kuno Prey, Dean of the Faculty of Design and Art of the Free University of Bozen/Bolzano. "The village chairlift had metal chairs, much like garden chairs, hanging from a cable. With temperatures which reached 20° below freezing, sitting there was certainly no pleasure. So the employees of the chairlifts offered the skiers a square of cardboard to sit on, as insulation. These pieces of cardboard would sometimes fall from the chairlift and the local children would pick them up, sit on them and off they would go down the ski runs."

During the three days of the workshop, 52 students of 10 international design schools had the task of creating a sports apparatus, only using cardboard found in the streets of the city centre, glue and cutters. The "rennpappen" (racing cardboards), designed and made at the university in just one and a half days, were thoroughly tested in an exciting race held on the snow of the Obereggen-Latemar ski area.

The event featured two races: a downhill race and a slalom race. The downhill was won by „daimudda“ formed by student of Bolzano Manuel Guadagnini and Tobias Mathes from the Bauhaus University Weimar, and the slalom was won by "sir j." formed by Leaana-Helena Toom, Estonian Academy of Arts and Dominik Noli from the Züricher Hochschule der Künste. Another award was given to the most original rennpappe: "rocky" by Anurag Etchepareborda from the Écal Lausanne and He Xin from the Tongji University.

After the victory celebrations in a friendly, international atmosphere, held at the hut, all the rennpappen were pressed and sent to the recycling facility, from which they had been temporarily withheld.

The next edition of rennpappe will be in 2011.



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The following international design schools participated in rennpappe_09:

- Bauhaus Universität-Weimar, D
- Écal Lausanne, CH
- Estonian Academy of Arts, EE
- FHNW Fachhochschule Nordwestschweiz, Hochschule für Gestaltung und Kunst, CH
- MOME Moholy-Nagy University of Art and Design Budapest, H
- Staatliche Hochschule für Gestaltung Karlsruhe, D
- Tongji University Shanghai, Cina
- Università di Palermo, Facoltà di Architettura, I
- ZHdK Züricher Hochschule der Künste, CH
- unibz Libera Università di Bolzano, Facoltà di Design e Arti, I

Final ranking:

Downhill:

1. **daimudda**, by Manuel Guadagnini (unibz) and Tobias Mathes (Bauhaus, Weimar)
2. **tiger**, by Linn Kandel (Écal, Lausanne) and Andreas Goebel (unibz)
3. **sir j.**, by Leana-Helena Toom (Estonian Academy of Arts) and Dominik Noli (ZHdK)

Slalom:

1. **sir j.**, by Leana-Helena Toom (Estonian Academy of Arts) and Dominik Noli (ZHdK)
2. **tiger**, by Linn Kandel (Écal, Lausanne) and Andreas Goebel (unibz)
3. **principessa**, by Damian Schneider (FHNW) and Matteo Maronati (unibz)

Originality:

1. **rocky**, by Anurag Etchepareborda (Écal, Lausanne) and He Xin (Tongji University)
2. **monica**, by Studer Ismael (Écal, Lausanne) and Maximilian Winkel (unibz)
3. **pfeil**, by Magdalena von Gosen (unibz) and Anna Naszadi (MOME, Budapest)



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