

BUILDING AWARDS

Corobrik-SAIA Awards

South Africa's architectural talent was recently acknowledged for talent and skill at the 2013/14 Corobrik-SAIA Awards of Excellence and Merit.

The Awards are presented by Corobrik and the South African Institute for Architects (SAIA).

The competition is open to SAIA members nationally who enter their best work. The *Corobrik-SAIA Award for Excellence*, the highest tribute, recognises exceptional contributions to the field of architecture. The *Awards for Excellence*, of which eight were bestowed, acknowledge good design or a significant architectural achievement. Fourteen *Awards of Merit*

and two *Special Commendations* were also bestowed.

SAIA president, Sindile Ngonyama, acknowledged the valued support of Corobrik, South Africa's leading brick manufacturers, who have sponsored the prestigious awards programme since its inception in 1990.

Peter Kidger of Corobrik commented, "South Africa presents architects with exciting challenges by virtue of its varying typography and climate, often limited budgets and an evolving multicultural society where public architecture is required to be engaging, transformative and inclusive." **DW**



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■ □ Babylonstoren, between Klappmuts and Simondium, Western Cape – Malherbe Rust Architects CC

■ □ House Kleynhans, Marble Hall, Pretoria – Thomas Gouws Architects & Interiors

■ □ New additions to St Cyprian's Girls School, Cape Town – Noero Wolff Architects

■ □ //HAPO_Freedom Park Museum, Tshwane – Office of Collaborative Architects (GAPP Architects and Urban Designers, Mashabane Rose + Associates and MMA Architects CC)