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Pesaro, Italian Capital of Culture 2024: Initiatives by the National Council of Architects, Planners, Landscapers and Conservationists (CNAPPC), from May 15th to 17th

The "Urban Regeneration" international conference and the "Architectures for Today's Communities" exhibition, organized in collaboration with the Order of Architects PLC of Pesaro and Urbino

The National Conference of Orders

The "Urban Regeneration: Design, Regulation, and an International Vision" conference — on Wednesday, May 15th from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m., in the *W. Pietrangeli Hall* at the headquarters of the Province of Pesaro and Urbino; and the "Architectures for Today's Communities" exhibition - from May 15th to 19th at the Pescheria Visual Arts Centre are among the most significant works organized by the National Council of Architects, Planners, Landscapers and Conservationists (CNAPPC) and the Order of Architects PLC of Pesaro and Urbino, as part of the Pesaro Italian Capital of Culture 2024 programme.

Urban regeneration is a core theme in CNAPPC's policy agenda. Through the "A Project for the Future – What Cities and Territories Do We Want to Live In?" national initiative, the CNAPPC aims to submit a set of concrete proposals to policymakers, envisioning new ways of living, working, and moving - ways that will positively impact the quality of life for citizens and communities.

This perspective embraces an international outlook, which will be further analysed during the May 15th conference through a speech by Colombian architect **Jorge Pérez-Jaramillo of MDE Urban Lab**, a member of the prestigious **International Scientific Committee** supporting CNAPPC in developing the "A Project for the Future – what cities and territories do we want to live in?" initiative.

Jaramillo will present the innovative urban renewal strategy implemented in the city of Medellín, drawing on his experience as the city's planning responsible from 2012 to 2015. His contribution is particularly relevant to the Marche Region, which has recently adopted a new Urban Planning Law after thirty years.

Similarly timely is the "Architectures for Today's Communities" exhibition, which gathers projects selected over the years by the juries of the "Italian Architect" and "Young Talent of Italian Architecture" awards, organized annually by the CNAPPC. These works are also published in the Yearbook, a publication collecting projects by Architects PLC that share a common commitment to quality design in its broadest sense. The exhibition illustrates how it is possible to intervene in the Italian territory—marked by millennia of historical stratification—using architectural languages capable of engaging with the past, present, and future.

On the occasion of *Pesaro Italian Capital of Culture 2024*, the CNAPPC will also host the **National Conference of Orders of Architects PLC** in Pesaro on **May 16th and 17th**. The conference brings together the leaders of the **105 Provincial Orders** representing the profession throughout Italy.

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