



Ljubljana, SLO

## Social Housing Block on the Coast



2003–2005, competition (1st prize)

Design Team: Rok Oman, Špela Videčnik, Martina Lipicer, Neša Oman, Nejc Batistič, Florian Frey, Marisa Baptista, Špela Uršič

The project is a winning competition entry for two housing blocks held by the Housing Fund of Slovenia, a government-run program to provide low-cost apartments for young families. The proposal won the competition because of its economic and rational and functionality. There are 30 apartments in each building – apartments of different sizes and structures, varying from studio flat to 3-bedroom apartment.

## Extension and Renovation of the City Museum Ljubljana



1998–2004, competition (1st prize)

Design team: Rok Oman, Špela Videčnik, Rok Gerbec, Josip Konstantinovič, Damjan Bradač

The project involves the renovation and extension of Auersperg Palace, located in the heart of the protected historical city center. The palace and the site have a very rich history dating from prehistoric areas, to Roman and medieval times. Every era added something to the building. Throughout its history, the function of the palace changed several times so that the existing organization of the ground plan was not suitable to host a museum program. The spaces were labyrinthine and disconnected. The competition entry proposed a spiral circulation route for visitors through the exhibition spaces, and the proposed extension provided a new connecting element between the wings of the building.

## Lake Bled Villa “Underground” Extension



2001–2004; Client: private; floor space: 1,200 m<sup>2</sup>; site area: 30,000 m<sup>2</sup>

Design team: Rok Oman, Špela Videčnik, Mladen Bubalo, Rok Gerbec, Ivana Šehič, Neža Oman  
The project is an extension of the 19th-century villa located in a beautiful alpine resort by Lake Bled. The client's main requirement was to have the floor space of the main living area twice the size of the old existing villa. In addition, most of the spaces had to be orientated towards the lake. The client invited several architects for ideas. The main task was how to incorporate the new 700 m<sup>2</sup> addition in compliance with the restrictions imposed by protection regulations. The proposal placed the new spaces below the ground floor of the existing villa. The extension forms a rounded base around the house – a pillow covered by the landscape.



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