

# Pews & Perches

## A design and build competition for London Festival of Architecture 2012

RIBA London invites you to create 1 of 50 benches to be installed at the Royal Docks in East London. The theme for LFA2012 is 'Playful City' and a section of the Royal Docks will be transformed into a 21st Century Pleasure Gardens.

This high profile site is part of the Olympic Last Mile route and will operate as a new world of culture and entertainment for two years until it is permanently developed.

To enter the competition you will need to submit a proposal. If your design is one of the winners, we will give you £150 to make your bench over Easter. Each bench must offer a comfortable seat for a minimum of 2 adults and respond to the context of a 21st Century Pleasure Garden.

The competition is open to students and recent graduates from RIBA validated schools of architecture, and emerging architectural practices (established less than two years ago) in London.

### Key dates

<b>Submission deadline:</b>	Monday 30th of January 2012
<b>Site visit for successful winners:</b>	17th or 20th February 2012
<b>Completed benches delivered:</b>	Monday 30th of April 2012
<b>London Pleasure Gardens opens:</b>	Friday 1st of June 2012

For the full brief and entry details visit:  
[www.architecture.com/ribalondon](http://www.architecture.com/ribalondon)



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