

# WVA 100 2014

THE WORLD'S LARGEST  
ARCHITECTURE PRACTICES  
JANUARY 2014



**Ones to watch** The practices hovering just outside this year's Top 100 include well-known names such as Squire & Partners, 3DReid and Feilden Clegg Bradley Studios, plus a host of others who will be hoping to make their next big step in time for 2015

RANK 2014	RANK 2013	PRACTICE NAME	COUNTRY	ARCHITECTS EMPLOYED	ARCHITECTS PREVIOUS YEAR	FEE INCOME (US \$MILLION)
101		GulfConsult	Kuwait	87		\$30-39m
102	99-	Diamond Schmitt Architects	Canada	86	96	\$20-29m
103	97-	3DReid	UK	84	100	\$10-19m
104		Smallwood, Reynolds, Stewart, Stewart	USA	81		\$20-29m
105-		Devereux Architects	UK	80		\$10-19m
105-		National Engineering Bureau	UAE	80		\$30-39m
107		Feilden Clegg Bradley Studios	UK	78		\$10-19m
108-		APA Wojciechowski	Poland	75		\$5-9m
108-		PG Patki Architects	India	75		Under \$5m
110-		EPR Architects	UK	73		\$10-19m
110-		Squire & Partners	UK	73		\$10-19m
112-		HLM Architects	UK	70		\$10-19m
112-	97-	UN Studio	Netherlands	70	100	\$10-19m
114		Junglim Architecture	South Korea	69		\$10-19m
115-		Hayball	Australia	68		\$10-19m
115-		Scott Brownrigg	UK	68		\$10-19m
117-		Boogertman & Partners	South Africa	66		\$10-19m
117-		Swanke Hayden Connell Architects	UK	66		\$30-39m
119		ADP	UK	65		\$10-19m
120		Palafox Associates	Philippines	64		Under \$5m
121		Sanjay Puri Architects	India	63		Under \$5m
122		Saraiva & Associados	Portugal	62		\$10-19m
123-		Arte Charpentier Architectes	France	60		\$10-19m
123-		WDG	USA	60		\$20-29m
125		FX Fowle Architects	USA	57		\$20-29m

**Most admired** Foster & Partners is again the practice that most others look up to

One of the questions we ask every year in the WA100 survey is which architects are most admired by respondents. The answers are usually a fairly predictable list of starchitects. But this year saw a trend towards more commercial names.

Foster & Partners came out top of the list with 30% of the votes – no real surprise as Foster has dominated the top spot in this ranking for years now. The lion's share of the remaining votes went to Herzog & de Meuron and new entry BIG.

The public images of these practices couldn't be more different. H&M is serious, reserved and very cautious when it comes

**MOST ADMIRED TOP 5**

RANK	PRACTICE
1	Foster & Partners
2	Herzog & de Meuron
3	BIG
4	Gensler
5	AHMM

to seeking publicity, while BIG is filled with dynamic and opinionated personalities.

Filling out the top five are Gensler and AHMM, while Aecom and KPF also make it into the top 10. But Zaha Hadid Architects – fifth last year – doesn't



Foster's refurb of the Imperial War Museum, London.

REGIONAL  
TOP 10

**Where in the world?**  
The top architectural firms in each global region ranked by fee income



Australia: The Buchan Group's redevelopment of Adelaide Casino.



India: IIT Building, Chennai, by Architect Hafeez Contractor.

AFRICA

RANK	PRACTICE	COUNTRY	FEE INCOME US \$MILLION
2014			
1	Tabanlıoğlu Architects	Turkey	20
2	Boogertman + Partners	South Africa	16
3	Page Southerland Page	USA	14
4	Gensler	USA	12
5	Saraiva + Associados	Portugal	10
6	Perkins Eastman	USA	8.5
7	ACXT-IDOM	Spain	8
8	Saota	South Africa	6
9	FX Pwle Architects	USA	3.8
10-	Dewan Architects & Engineers	UAE	3
10-	Nihon Sekkei	Japan	3

CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE

RANK	PRACTICE	COUNTRY	FEE INCOME US \$MILLION
2014			
1	Heerim Architects & Planners	South Korea	51
2	Gensler	USA	29
3	Tabanlıoğlu Architects	Turkey	25
4	HDR Architecture	USA	15.2
5	ATP Architects	Austria	15
6	EPR Architects	UK	14.5
7	Broadway Malyan	UK	12
8	Poster & Partners	UK	8
9	APA Wojciechowski	Poland	7
10-	Jaspers-Eyers Architects	Belgium	5
10-	Jacobs	UK/USA	5

AUSTRALASIA

RANK	PRACTICE	COUNTRY	FEE INCOME US \$MILLION
2014			
1	Hassell	Australia	99
2	Woods Bagot	Australia	74
3	Cox Architecture	Australia	51
4	The Buchan Group	Australia	42
5	HBO-EMTB	Australia	37
6	Sinclair Knight Merz	Australia	23
7	Warren & Mahoney Architects	New Zealand	17.5
8	ThomsonAdsett Architects	Australia	16
9	HDR Architecture	USA	13.5
10	DWP	Thailand	13

CENTRAL ASIA (inc India)

RANK	PRACTICE	COUNTRY	FEE INCOME US \$MILLION
2014			
1	Gensler	USA	38
2	Architect Hafeez Contractor	India	24
3	Tabanlıoğlu Architects	Turkey	20
4	HBO-EMTB	Australia	16.1
5	Page Southerland Page	USA	16
6	Jacobs	UK/USA	15
7	P&T Architects and Engineers	China	12.5
8	Foster & Partners	UK	9
9-	CP Kukreja	India	8
9-	Steelman Partners	USA	8