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architecture exhibition

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# SHAPING INTUITION

Presented in Tallinn, a city at the crossroads of historical identity and contemporary innovation, the exhibition opens a dialogue between French architectural research and the Baltic urban landscape.

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Pämu mnt. 6, 10148 Tallinn

Opening reception: 09.04.2026

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# the anatomy of an idea

↳ WHERE IDEAS TAKE SHAPE

To mark over three decades of exploration and creation, NAÇO presents an exhibition at the Design and Architecture Gallery, offering an insight into the studio's architectural vision and creative process.

« NAÇO shows how architecture can create meaningful relationships between people, space, and the city. »»

Founded in Paris in 1991 by architect Marcelo Joulia, NAÇO has developed a multidisciplinary practice where architecture, design, and urban thinking intersect.

Bringing together sketches, models, archival material, and built projects, the exhibition reveals the research and intuition that shape each work. At its center, the Light Tower project in Tallinn embodies this approach. More than a building, it reflects NAÇO's ongoing exploration of how architecture can create meaningful relationships between people, space, and the city.



2021 - Celo

2022 - Pavillon

2021 - Sakura

2015 - Cité Numérique

La Communale

2020 - Défense Plaza

2022 - Pavillon

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2020 - Euro Plaza



# the light tower



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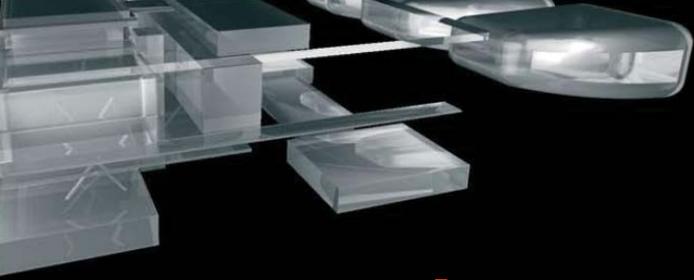
COMPETITION

WINNER



The Light Tower project in Tallinn emerged from an international competition won by NAÇO, affirming the studio's presence on the European architectural scene.

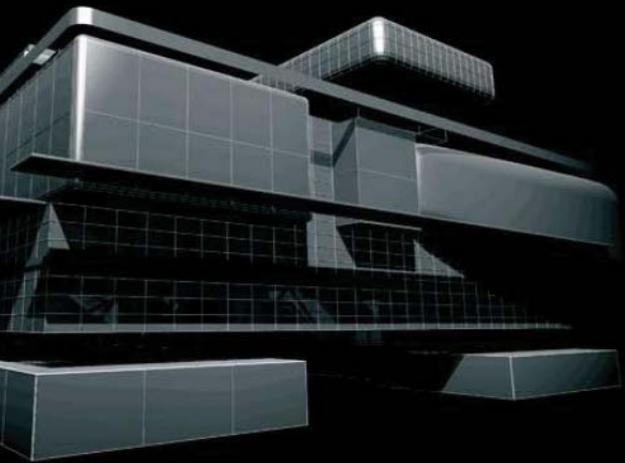
Conceived as a vertical community, the tower reimagines collective living through shared spaces, transparency, and layered public interaction. More than a building, it is an urban gesture. A structure designed to foster connection, dialogue, and new ways of inhabiting the city.



# the lab



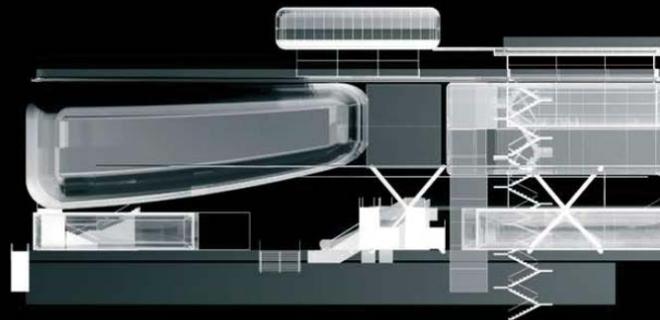
INSIDE NAÇO'S ARCHITECTURAL MIND



In a time when architecture is often reduced to image and performance, this exhibition proposes a return to process. By focusing on intuition, research, and experimentation, Shaping Intuition reveals architecture as an evolving thought rather than a finished object.

Presented in Tallinn, a city balancing heritage and transformation, the exhibition invites a dialogue between local urban transformation and NAÇO's international practice. The Light Tower becomes not simply a project, but a lens through which questions of community, vertical living, and shared space can be explored.

More than a retrospective, this exhibition is a reflection on how architecture is imagined before it is built.



# the studio

↳ BASED IN PARIS, AND BEYOND



Founded in Paris in 1991 by Argentine architect Marcelo Joulia, NAÇO is a multidisciplinary studio operating at the intersection of architecture, interior design, product design, and scenography. Conceived as a laboratory of research, the studio has developed an international practice spanning hospitality, cultural spaces, urban projects, and bespoke design.

With offices in Paris and La Réunion, NAÇO embraces a holistic approach in which architecture is understood as a dialogue between space, technology, and human experience. For more than thirty years, the studio has cultivated a global vision rooted in experimentation, precision, and creative energy.

# contact us

↳ GET IN TOUCH

## NAÇO — Shaping Intuition

10 April – 26 April 2026

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Pärnu mnt 6, 10148 Tallinn, Estonia

Opening reception: 09.04.2026 at 6:00 PM

### Opening Hours

Monday – Friday: 12:00 – 18:00

Saturday: 11:00 – 17:00

Sunday: Closed

### Admission

Free entry



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