

Project 1: NOMAS Competition

The program for the 2006 competition is described in the attached handout.

Teams: Maximum number of team members is four: three third year students and one from outside the studio (fourth year or second year, any discipline).
– must be mixed gender

Site: Location somewhere in Arts District of Las Vegas.

Schedule:

Aug 28	Project assigned
Aug 30	Teams finalized; site/research/concept identified; foam “program blocks” prepared
Sept 1	Two different parti diagrams ready to discuss with instructor
Sept 6	Initial space planning completed
Sept 11	Review B required drawings to be pinned up by 1:30 pm

Presentation Requirements:

Oral: Maximum three minute (timed) discussion of your design concept and how it is manifested in the built form you propose

Graphic: Schematic foam block model at 1" = 16th “
1 24" x 36" sheet presenting results of research: precedents, inspirations, etc.
2 30" x 40" sheets with minimum of:

1. *Parti* diagram and conceptual images
2. Site plan
- 3.. Ground floor plan
4. Building Section
5. Two elevations
6. Exterior perspective
7. Interior perspective

All drawings fully labeled and rendered as appropriate (with shadows cast – may use 45 degree convention)

Evaluation: Oral Presentation 10%

Factors: Verbal B clear, succinct, apposite
Non-verbal B professional demeanor, confident self-presentation

Design	50%
Factors: originality, creativity, appropriateness, fulfillment of client needs	
Graphic Presentation	40%
Factors: completeness, accurate use of architectural drawing conventions, visual appeal	