

## STUDENT UNION OF TAMPERE UNIVERSITY OFFICE SPACE COMPETITION IN PIENTEOLLISUUSTALO

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ABOUT THE COMPETITION

The contestants were allowed to ask competition relevant questions to clarify or find out further information until 25.1.2019. The questions and their answers have been discussed by the jury and are as follows.

1.

**Q. Is it possible to control entering the storey with for example an access key from within the elevator?**

A. The building has electronic key readers at each of the street level entrances, including at the service lift. Thus access to the spaces is limited late evening. It is not possible to control access to specific floors within the service lift and it leads to open hall spaces.

2.

**Q. What is the room height from floor surface to the ceiling but also to the beams?**

A. Room height:  
from floor surface to the ceiling/next floor = 2,99 m  
from floor surface to the secondary beam = 2,60 m  
from floor surface to the primary beam = 2,55 m  
from floor surface to the dropped ceiling = 2,28 m

3.

**Q. A conceptual scheme for the renewal of the ventilation system should be provided according to the competition program. Could you please specify the meaning of this, as no material on the existing ventilation has been provided and the precise planning is done by a professional of the field?**

A. The conceptual plan for the renewal of the ventilation denotes that the student is expected to study and define the routing principle for the air ducts: do the horizontal ducts between the riser (vertical main duct) and the office spaces run above a drop ceiling, under a raised access floor, behind a boxing or as such, without any encasing?

4.

The Jury would also like to specify that the A3 prints are **not** meant to be attached to hard cardboards but should be **handed in as a stapled booklet**.

5.

Due to issues arisen among some contestants from downloading and opening the RAR-compressed photo material, an additional unpacked file has been uploaded onto the competition site.