

Ruben Molendijk

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ir. Ruben Molendijk (Tilburg, 1983) studied architectural design at the Technical University of Delft and the Università della Svizzera Italiana in Mendrisio, Switzerland.

During his training, he worked as an assistant to the professor and as a volunteer with VVKH Architects in Leiden.

In 2008, he graduated with honor and became an assistant-designer with Claus en Kaan in Amsterdam, where he mainly worked on a series of designs for among other projects office and residential towers, a hotel and a cultural center.

In 2009 he made a transfer to Cepezed, where he mainly designs on and manages a variety of utility projects. His projects include the Nutricia Danone research building in Utrecht, the DSM Rosalind Franklin Biotechnology Center in Delft, as well as the new A Pier at Schiphol Airport, The Netherlands.

From 2007 to 2012, Molendijk was also an editor of the international magazine for architecture OASE, which in every issue explores the historical and theoretical aspects of particular topical matters.

In his presentation, Ruben will relate about Cepezed's design approach, which includes a strong focus on the minimization of materials as well as on prefabrication, circularity, demountability and long-term user possibilities by means of flexibility.