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Dear Ms. Alexandra Espinheira Pereira e Cruz,

We wish your foundation continued success.

Since 2017, the Seoul Metropolitan Government has organized and run the Seoul Biennale of Architecture and Urbanism. The Seoul Biennale has served as the arena for the production of discussions on significant urban agendas that should be questioned by our generation from a perspective focusing on the urban expansion and sustainability.

In 2017, we successfully held the first Seoul Biennale of Architecture and Urbanism with the participation of 50 cities (London, Vienna, Rome, Berlin, etc.) from home and abroad, 120 institutions, and 40 universities. This year, we are undergoing preparations for the second Seoul Biennale, set to take place from September 7 to November 10.

The Seoul Biennale is not only the most important and large-scale urban architecture event in South Korea, but it is also building and solidifying a global network where participants communicate and develop together in the place of discourse on urban architecture.

We are thus contacting international organizations scheduled to hold their event in 2019 in order to promote further collaboration. Moreover, sharing the list of guests, as well as the progress in the preparation and development of programs, is anticipated to create a positive synergy.

Seoul Urban Space Improvement Bureau is contacting Oslo Architecture Triennale foundation these purposes and we will be looking forward to a favorable response for active communication and exchange.



Sincerely yours,

Seung-Soo Kim

Director of

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