

Students challenged in bathroom design

Manufacturer of bathroom accessories LIQUIDRed has launched the next phase of its Inspired Design Challenge in conjunction with design school Greenside Design Center and Paragon Interface, a space-planning and interior architecture company, both in Joburg.

The Inspired Design Challenge was created to help students bring their creative inspiration to life in the bathroom, and showcase LIQUIDRed's extensive range of bathroom accessories and tapware. The challenge also aims to offer students the opportunity to use their theoretical skill in a practical way. Students will

be tasked to conceptualise a bathroom space, based on a brief with specified dimensions and design criteria.

The participating students will be adjudicated on their design concepts. Ten of the best student designs will be showcased on LIQUIDRed's and Paragon's Facebook and Instagram pages and five semifinalists will be chosen and profiled. The campaign concludes with two finalists selected to bring their concept to life.

The two finalists will also walk away with a year-long internship experience at Paragon Interface, which can bridge the gap between the theoretical

knowledge gained and practical skills required in a professional design firm.

Paragon Interfaces' experienced project teams and its mentorship programme offer insight into space planning of various-sized projects, concept development, client presentations, look-and-feel, furniture design, workplace strategy development, legal and statutory requirements, sustainable design and phase documentation (design, council, construction and close-out). The aim is to ultimately produce interns who are well-rounded and versed in all aspects of the project phases, from initial design to close-out.

