



## Kim Herforth Nielsen

Architect MAA/RIBA, Founding Partner,  
Principal, Creative Director

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### PROFILE

Architect MAA/RIBA, Kim H. Nielsen (born 1954) is Founder and Principal of 3XN. Since the start of the company in 1986, Kim H. Nielsen has been the creative driving force behind 3XN. He functions as the creative director and has overall responsibility for the architectural quality of 3XN's work from the idea to the final result. Working closely with the Competition Department, Kim directs the group with a high degree of personal involvement in each project. Kim Herforth Nielsen has been involved in all of the practice's major projects, including the Copenhagen Arena, the aquarium The Blue Planet, Museum of Liverpool, Ørestad College in Copenhagen, Muziekgebouw Concert Hall in Amsterdam, and the Danish Embassy in Berlin.

Kim H. Nielsen is often called upon as a jury member in International architectural competitions and as a lecturer at art academies and universities around the world.

### EDUCATION

Architect MAA, graduated from Aarhus School of Architecture, 1981

### MEMBERSHIPS

- Danske ARK (Danish Architects' Assoc.) Membership no 6427- 280354
- Chartered member of RIBA, UK. Membership number 10953725

### HONORARY OFFICE AND DISTINCTIONS

- Honorary Professor of Aarhus School of Architecture

#### Jury Member:

- World Architecture Festival (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012)
- Architectural Review's Awards for Emerging Architecture 2006
- Architectural Assessor at The Architects' Association of Denmark
- Member of PAR's Prize Committee
- Member of The Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts
- External examiner at the Royal Danish Academy of Art
- C. F. Hansen Medaille - highest order among architects in Denmark, 2009
- Knight of Dannebrog, 2000
- The Eckersberg Medaille, 1999
- The Nykredit Architectural Award, 1988
- Awards: RIBA (2005, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2013), Mipim (2004, 2006)

### SELECTED PROJECTS

#### 3XN (1986-)

#### Culture

- Copenhagen Arena, Copenhagen, DK (2012-)
- The Blue Planet, Copenhagen, DK (2008-2013)
- Cultural Centre Plassen, Molde, NO (2007-2012)
- Museum of Liverpool, Liverpool, UK (2005-2010)
- Muziekgebouw, Amsterdam, NL (2005)
- Tivoli Concert Hall, Copenhagen, DK (2005)

#### Business

- Swedbank, HQ, Stockholm, SE (2011-)
- KPMG, HQ, Copenhagen, DK (2008-2011)
- Bella Sky Hotel, Copenhagen, DK (2006-2011)
- Middelfart Savings Bank, Middelfart, DK (2006-2010)
- Horten, HQ, Hellerup, DK (2006-2009)
- Saxo Bank, HQ, Hellerup, DK (2005-2008)

#### Public

- Courthouse, Frederiksberg, DK (2009-2012)
- Townhall Nieuwegein, Nieuwegein, NL (2006-2011)
- Danish Embassy in Berlin, Berlin, DE (1999)

#### Education

- Tangen Polytechnic, Kristiansand, NO (2004-2009)
- Ørestad College, Copenhagen, DK (2003-2007)
- Alsion, Sønderborg, DK (2002-2007)

#### Health

- Rigshospitalet (Copenhagen Main Hospital), Copenhagen, DK (2012-)

#### Housing

- Mumbai Towers, Mumbai, IN (2012-)
- Vällingby, Stockholm, SE (2010-)
- Lighthouse, Aarhus Harbour, DK (2006-2012)