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DEKLEVA GREGORIC ARHITEKTI



Aljosa Dekleva (b. 1972, Postojna) graduated from Faculty of Architecture, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia, in 1998 he started in partnership his own architectural practice winning several competitions and realising some distinct buildings. In 2002 he received Master degree in Architecture with Distinction from Architectural Association, London, UK. At the AA he co-founded an international architectural network RAMTV (www.ramtv.org). RAMTV's master thesis on mass-customisation in housing *Negotiate my boundary!* received intense professional attention and was published as a book by first AA Publications, London and later by Birkhauser, Basel. In 2003 he set the architectural office *dekleva gregoric arhitekti*, based in Ljubljana.

Tina Gregoric (b. 1974, Kranj) graduated at the Faculty of Architecture, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia in 2000. She continued studying at the Architectural Association in London, where she received Master degree in Architecture with Distinction in 2002. At the AA she also co-founded RAMTV (www.ramtv.org). From 2002-2004 she was a lecturer at Technical University in Graz, Austria. In 2003 she co-founded the architectural office *dekleva gregoric arhitekti arhitekti* practising in Ljubljana.

The work of *dekleva gregoric arhitekti* first received international attention with *XXS* house in Ljubljana and were awarded Silver Plate, European Architecture Award Luigi Cosenza in 2004 and *WALLPAPER** award, Best breakthrough designers in 2005. In 2009 their Metal recycling plant *ODPAD* was first nominated and then shortlisted for Mies van den Rohe Award. Their work has been published in national and international architectural publications. They have been exhibiting and lecturing at home and abroad.



Above: Housing L. Below: Metal Recycling Plant ODPAD.