RAFAEL VIÑOLY
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APPROACH

“My design philosophy is rooted in the development of architectural ideas that are powerful, distinctive, and relevant to the specifics of both program and context.”

-Rafael Viñoly

ABOUT

Rafael Viñoly is a Uruguayan architect and is Founder and Principal of Rafael Viñoly Architects. Around the age of twenty, Viñoly was already a founding partner of Estudio de Arquitectura, which would become one of the largest design studios in Latin America. In 1978 he moved to the United States, and in 1983 he founded Rafael Viñoly Architects.

Rafael Viñoly Architects is based in New York and has offices in London, Los Angeles and the United Arab Emirates. The firm has a diverse portfolio and includes award-winning educational facilities, courthouses, museums, performing arts centers, convention centers, athletic facilities, banks, hotels, laboratories, hospitals, recreational venues, residential commissions, and commercial, industrial and educational facilities. Projects range in scale from laboratory casework to urban design and master planning.

The firm is currently working on a number of projects including The New Stanford Hospital, Edward M. Kennedy Institute for the United States Senate, The Rockefeller University Campus Master Plan and New Laboratory Building, and 20 Fenchurch Street (pictured below).

WORK

Carrasco International Airport near Montevideo (UY), 2009

20 Fenchurch Street, also known as “Walkie Talkie”, London (UK), Currently in progress

University of Chicago Graduate School of Business in Chicago, IL, 2004

For more information about their projects, please visit their website at: www.rvapc.com