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We have two great winners of our student essay competitions that are well worth a read. Why not take a quick break and see what you can learn?

Architecture

The winner of our student architect competition is [The History of the Architect as a Profession](#) by Rob Pollard. Rob's essay is a well-researched and informative essay that sheds light on the role of the architect and how it has developed over the years. You can also read the five brain-stretching runners-up by clicking [here](#). They cover everything from 'living in the hyper-real city' to 'living facades'.

Engineering

The winner of our student engineer competition is [Geothermal Pile Foundations](#) by Rachel Ribeiro. Rachel's essay is so comprehensive we've started two spin-off articles; [Geothermal Energy](#) and [Pile Foundations](#). And you can see the engineering runners-up by clicking [here](#).

Everything you could possibly want to know ... and maybe a bit more.

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