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The ID&A Awards 2013 celebrate the best in design and aim to "recognise talent, create opportunities and guite simply offer inspiration".

Paul Vick architects' low energy house in the West Country, 'Beeches', was shortlisted earlier in the year for the International Design and Architecture Awards 2013. Voting is now open. Press here to vote for Paul Vick Architects.

'Beeches' is a low energy house carefully crafted to capture beautiful light and space. Creating desirable spaces which are private and yet welcoming, it is universally accessible to all age groups. In addition, the low energy consumption is combined with long-lasting robust materials and layouts to allow the place to be enjoyed fully by us and future generations.

Inspired by local poet and poet laureate Ted Hughes' poem 'The ore awakes' and the molten batholith of Dartmoor which informs the copper roof (also once molten), the house looks to touch us profoundly as well as meet the technical challenges. These are ambitions that ought to be relevant to many other building types and design.

Vote for Paul Vick Architects - every vote counts! Please share this with your friends, family, colleagues, neighbours and whoever else would enjoy.

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