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The competition for modernization of surgical branches of FN HK has the winner

The winner of the architectural competition for the design of the modernization of the surgical branches of the University Hospital Hradec Králové is the team of participants Ing. Jan Herálecký, Ing. arch. Norbert Obršál and Ing. arch. Jan Kubát. A total of 17 participants entered this year's prestigious architectural and urban competition, five of them went into the second phase.

The new Surgical Center, for roughly CZK 2.4 billion, which is included among the strategic investments of the Ministry of Health, will be created by adding to the existing Pavilion of Academician Bedrna and his subsequent complete reconstruction. Construction works could begin in 2021, the center could be put into operation five years later.

"We are glad that 17 candidates have entered the competition and have offered different views on the possible solution of the Surgical Center. We believe that the whole complex will serve well to both patients and hospital staff after completion" said the director of the University Hospital Hradec Králové prof. MUDr. Vladimír Palička CSc., PhD. h. c.

Second prize is awarded, according to the evaluation of the jury, which was chaired by prof. Ing. arch. Zdeněk Zavřel, the design of the Pelčák a partner architekti s.r.o. and LT PROJEKT. The third prize goes to team CHYBIK + KRISTOF ASSOCIATED ARCHITECTS s.r.o. and K4 a.s. More detailed information about the competition and individual designs including visualizations can be found at www.nextlevelfnhk.cz. The University Hospital Hradec Králové prepares a public exhibition of individual competition proposals at the beginning of next year, including five models for the second phase proposals.

The University Hospital Hradec Králové now starts negotiating with the winning team and form of the contract. For the year 2018, work is planned to complete the project documentation for the land-use permit, one year later it will work on the documentation for the building permit and the selection of the contractor.

The modernization of the surgical branches will create one of the largest surgical tracts in the Czech Republic, including, for example, 21 most advanced operating theaters. According to the head of the project, prof. MUDr. Jan Vojáček Ph.D., the large diagnostic and interventional radiological techniques will be concentrated for their optimal use, new departments of acute rehabilitation and multidisciplinary septic department or department of surgical outpatient services will be created, including a day care center.

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