

CURRICULUM VITAE

Juan Ignacio Castiello Chávez was born in Guadalajara, Jalisco, Mexico on December 24th 1960. He has 38 years of professional practice experience.

ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

He studied architecture at *ITESO* (Western Institute of Technology and Higher Education) where he got his B.A. in architecture in 1984 and where he would later become tenured professor and teach the composition workshop from 1988 to 2005.

Since 2005, He has been invited as keynote speaker and/or professor to different universities and architecture schools in México, USA, Spain and Panama which include:

- Escuela De Arquitectura De La Universidad Politécnica of Madrid, Spain.
- Colegio Oficial De Arquitectos De Jaen, Andalucia, Spain.
- Participation at the exhibition ABOVE MM “New times, New Formats” International Architectural exhibition between Spain and Mexico. 20 Mexican Architectural firms exposing in Spain. 20 Spanish Architectural firms exposing in Mexico.
- Escuela de Arquitectura del Isthmus, Panamá city.
- California State University in Los Ángeles, E. U. A.
- IIDA (Internacional Interior Design Association).
- ITESM (Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Monterrey) campus Monterrey.
- MIHA (Movimiento Integral del Hábitat) Chihuahua, Chihuahua, México.
- Escuela de Arquitectura del Instituto Tecnológico de Durango.
- UAEM (Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México) Toluca, Estado de México.
- Colegio de Arquitectos del estado de Aguascalientes.
- Colegio de Arquitectos del Estado de Jalisco A.C.
- ITESO (Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de Occidente)
- CASA CLAVIJERO (ITE SO)
- CUUAD (Centro Universitario de Arte, Arquitectura y Diseño de la Universidad de Guadalajara) Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- ESARQ (Escuela Superior de Arquitectura) Guadalajara, Jalisco
- Universidad Autónoma de Guadalajara. Guadalajara , Jalisco, Mexico.
- UTEG Centro universitario. Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Foro de arquitectura COM : PLOT, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- CCAU (Centro para la cultura arquitectónica y Urbana) Guadalajara.
- Dirección de Investigaciones Estéticas. Secretaria de Cultura del Estado de Jalisco.
- MAZ (Museo de Arte de Zapopan)
- Museo de la ciudad, Ayuntamiento de Guadalajara.
- TOMALA, Toma la ciudad
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NAMINGS AND PARTICIPATIONS

- **2025-1991**

- Participation at the exhibition ABOVE MM “New times, New Formats” International Architectural exhibition between Spain and Mexico. 20 Mexican Architectural firms exposing in Spain. 20 Spanish Architectural firms exposing in Mexico.
- Participation at the Mexican Architecture sample, XXIII World Congress of Architects by the International Union of Architects (UIA), held in Turin, Italy.
- Named Full Member of the National Academy of Architecture.
- Named head professor at ITESO (Instituto Tecnológico de Estudios Superiores de Occidente).
- Member of the publishing committee of the book “20 works, Contemporary Mexican Architecture”.
- Associate founding member and president of ALARIFE, “Colegio de Profesionales de la Arquitectura y el Desarrollo Urbano” (Association of Architecture and Urban Development Professionals) Jalisco, A.C. Of which He was president from 1992-2002.
- Associate founding member of the Ateneo de Cultura Occidental A.C. Of which He was president from 1991-1997.

PRIZES AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

His work has received national and state-wise awards such as “X Biennial of Mexican Architecture” for the project “Casa Casillas” (Casillas House), “VI BIENNIAL OF MEXICAN ARCHITECTURE” for the project “Casa Ana Cebolla” (Ana Cebolla’s House), “III BIENNIAL OF MEXICAN ARCHITECTURE” for the project “Conjunto Atemajac” (Atemajac Complex) 47 residences of social interest.

CASA SAN and LA CASA Y EL FRESNO are included in the program of LA RONDA, PASEA POR TU CIUDAD. This program includes the most relevant architectural projects in the city of Guadalajara.

PUBLICATIONS

His work has been featured in several books and specialized magazines in Mexico and 20 other countries in the world.

RELEVANT PROJYECTS:

BUILDINGS AND COMERCIAL DEVELOPMENTS

2025-2012

- “EDIFICIO LEF”, a 12 story building consisting of 84 apartments and a 3 commercial premise. Located in Av. La Paz #2046, Americana, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- “TORRE NIZA” (Niza Tower), a 9 story building consisting of 18 departments and a commercial premise. Located at Pablo Neruda Ave. #3187, Providencia, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Design Project: office building + hotel + commercial center located in the block formed by Ave. México, Ave. Lopez Mateos and Reforma St., Guadalajara, Jalisco.

- Building consisting of 4 apartments, Located in Aurelio Ortega Ave. #535, Seattle, Zapopan, Jalisco
- “LA PAZ”, a twelve story building project consisting of 48 departments and a commercial premises located at La Paz Ave. # 2044 and 2046, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Design Project of “Puerta Poniente” complex consisting of two 33 story buildings and two 17 story buildings, 208 apartments and shopping mall located on the south face of Cerro de los Remedios, Durango, Durango.
- Design Project “Gíl Preciado” shopping mall, for the group Optiterra S.A. de C.V. located at Gíl Preciado Ave. s/n, Zapopan. Jalisco.
- Design Project of a shopping mall with 36 commercial premises, located at Belisario Domínguez Norte Ave., Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Design project of a building consisting of 123 apartments, located at Pablo Casals Ave. #567, Prados Providencia, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Design Project of a 9 story building with 31 apartments located on playa Las Minitas, Playa de Huanacastle development, Bucerias, Nayarit.

2011-2007

- Vertical building consisting of 12 apartments “VISTAS COUNTRY”, located in Avila Camacho Ave. #2227, Country Club, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Colomos Tower consisting of 84 apartments located in the corner of Romanos Ave. & Medas St., Altamira, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- “Plaza El Tesoro” shopping center, located in Colon Ave. & Tesoro Ave., Tlaquepaque, Jalisco. Logistics colaborator: Mr. Juan Pablo Castiello Chávez.
- “Hotel Villa Premiere”, design project of 60-room hotel-boutique, located in the corner of Morelos St., and Calderón de la Barca, American district, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Shopping center project, located in the corner of Pastor Ravoix St. and Enrique Recio St., Constitución, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Design and promotion project “CUATROVIENTOS” Building, consisting of 37 apartments for Desarrolladora Inmobiliaria Biocaris S.A. de C.V., located on Pedro Moreno St. #1775, American district, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Five story Building design project composed of 15 apartment and commercial premises on the ground floor, located in the corner of Colombia St. and Brasilia St., Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco.
- Redesigning project of the Chapala Yacht Club A.C. premises, Chapala, Jalisco.
- Design project of 36 apartments and shopping mall named “Pueblo Viejo”, located in the corner of Morelos St., and Agustín Rodríguez St., Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco.

2006-1990

- 1st place in contest – 200-bedroom 4-star hotel project for Gaba group located in Vallarta Ave. almost corner with Rafael Sanzio Ave., Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Building design project consisting of 100 apartments for the Grupo Acción S.A. from Mexico City, located in the corner of Regidores St. and Acatempan St., Villas del Country development, Guadalajara, Jalisco.

- Building design project consisting of 100 apartments for the Spanish Group Lar S.A. de C.V., located at Regidores St., Villas del Country development, Guadalajara, Jalisco. Project in collaboration with Architect Hugo González Jiménez.
- “El Kiosko de Santa Tere” design and promotion project of 29 commercial premises located in the front block of Pedro Buzeta St., Eulogio Parra St. and Francisco Zarco St., Santa Teresita, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- “Jesús García” Market project, located in the lot delimited by Jesús García St., General Coronado St. and Manuel Cambre St., Santa Teresita, Guadalajara, Jalisco. Project in collaboration with Enrique Plasencia Moller.

OFFICES AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS

2025-2010

- Nineteen story building “NERUDA” tower project consisting of commerce and offices. Located in the corner of Pablo Neruda Ave. and Ontario St., Providencia, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Interior architecture and supervision offices project, in floor No. 7, “Edificio Zapopan” (Zapopan building), Puerta de Hierro development, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Six story building design project consisting of medical center, located at Abedules Ave., “Los Pinos” development, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Interior architecture and supervision offices project for the enterprise Accountant and Trade Operator (OCN as per its initials in Spanish), located on floor No. 1, 7 and 11, Acueducto Andares Corporate Tower, Acueducto Ave. #4851, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Interior architecture and offices, supervision project for the Adizes Institute Associate enterprise, floor No. 7, Zapopan Building, Puerta de Hierro development, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Overpass executive project for the Secretariat for Urban Development of the State of Jalisco (SEDEUR as per its initials in Spanish). Located on the intersection of Patria Av. And Naciones Unidas Ave., Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Interior architecture and supervision “Rincón Attorneys Offices”, floor No. 6, Zapopan Building, Puerta de Hierro development, Zapopan, Jalisco. Furniture project by Architect Teresa Vergara de la Mora.

2009- 2001

- Transfer station and industrial building design for C.P.I (Corn Products Industries), located on Héroes de Nacosari St., Embarcadero district, Guadalajara, Jalisco. Project in collaboration with Central Mexicana de Ingenieros, S.A.
- Design and redesigning supervision project of the D.I.F Jalisco (National System for the Integral Development of the Family as per its initials in Spanish) auditorium for the Government of the State of Jalisco, with a capacity for 270 people, located on Alcalde Ave. #1220, Miraflores district, Guadalajara, Jalisco.

- “Boat house” and park design project located on Green Point, Brooklyn, New York, USA. With collaboration of Architects: Miguel Moran and Erick Perez Paes.
- Office design project for the machinery renting and selling enterprise Orza S.A. de C.V. Located at Prolongación Mariano Otero #2929, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Office enlargement project for the MOGESA Machinery, Cranes and Equipment S.A. de C.V. enterprise. Located at González Gallo Ave. #2401, El Rosario district, Guadalajara, Jalisco.

2000-1999

- Shelter-orphanage project for “Espíritu que Danza A.C.” located on the blocks pertaining to the streets: Los Sarapes, De los Peltres, Casa del Cerro and Juan Lobo del Valle, Rincón de la Merced development. Torreón, Coahuila.
- Civil Hospital redesigning – restoration project, Cardiology Department, located on Hospital St. #278, Guadalajara, Jalisco.
- Supervision and design project of the Research and Advanced Studies Centre of the National Polytechnic Institute Guadalajara unit, located on the crossroads of Chapala freeway and Prolongación Lázaro Cárdenas, Tlaquepaque, Jalisco.
- Offices design project and supervision – materials dispatch – Serviobra S.A. de C.V. located on the old road to Colima #800. Nueva España development, Guadalajara, Jalisco.

HABITATIONAL

Throughout almost 30 years, he has designed over 70 single-family residences in several cities such as: Guadalajara, Chapala, Tapalpa, León, Torreón, Saltillo, Monterrey, etc. as well as restorations, adaptations and make overs.

DEVELOPMENTS, RESIDENTIAL COMPLEX AND MASTER PLANS

2005-2003

- Pablo Neruda development design project. Located on Pablo Neruda Ave., Colinas de San Javier district, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- “La Vereda” complex located on Paseo del Torreón St., Colinas de San Javier, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Project consisting of 8 model type houses designed for sale (200 total residences) for Grupo San Carlos. Located on Los Castaños development, Naciones Unidas Ave. #7500, Zapopan, Jalisco.

2002-1997

- “Cerrada de José María” complex consisting of 6 residences. Located on Morelos St. #2224, Americana district, Guadalajara, Jalisco. Promotion in partnership with Architect Pierre Pieck.
- Design and redesigning supervision project of the entrance to San Miguel de la Cañada development, located on Aurelio Ortega Ave. #460, Zapopan, Jalisco.

- “Zoquipan Complex” design project, 46 residences for sale, located on José María de Yermo y Parres St., Zoquipan, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- “Rancho Lago Escondido” master plan. Located in Tesistán, Jalisco.
- Private chapel project at “Rancho Lago Escondido”. Located in Tesistán, Jalisco.

1996-1990

- 87-residence complex project and 92 commercial premises located in the corner of Alcalde Ave. and Independence, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Promotion, design and construction project of “Los Huertos” Development – 12 lots plus common spaces. Located on Periférico Poniente, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Design, promotion and construction of the project “Rancho los Amigos” development – 21 lots plus common spaces. Located on Periférico Poniente, Zapopan, Jalisco.
- Design, promotion and construction project of the 24-residence complex “San Miguel de la Cañada”. Located in front of Lake Chapala Km. 61, freeway Chapala – Jocotepec, San Juan Cosalá, Jalisco.
- “Atemajac Complex” design and promotion project consisting of 47 residences. Located on Niños Héroes Ave., No’s 190 to 242, Atemajac, Zapopan, Jalisco. National Prize "III BIENNIAL OF MEXICAN ARCHITECTURE" in the housing genre.
- “Conjunto la Santa Cruz” project consisting of 9 residencies and 11-commercial premises. Located at Belisario Domínguez Ave., #2577, La Federacha district, Guadalajara, Jalisco.

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