

Navalny Memorial

Competition Brief



Submit your design

by 31 January 2025

navalny.memorial

Winner announced

on 16 February 2025

Submit your design for the memorial to Alexei Navalny. The winning concept will be decided by a public vote.

Alexei Navalny - the leader of the Russian opposition whose bravery and fight for freedom inspires millions. Murdered by Putin, Navalny's legacy and his unshakeable belief in Russia's democratic future live on.

The monument to Navalny in the Borisovskoye Cemetery will be more than just a memorial. It will be a symbol of hope and strength for all who dream of a free and fair country. As such it should be a people's memorial and we invite you to take part in creating it.

Send us your designs. Alexei Navalny's family will choose the best three. Then we will put them to a public vote.

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🔖 Technical aspects of the design

Monument dimensions:

- Base width: maximum 1000 mm.
- Base length: maximum 1000 mm.
- Monument height: maximum 2000 mm.

Please note:

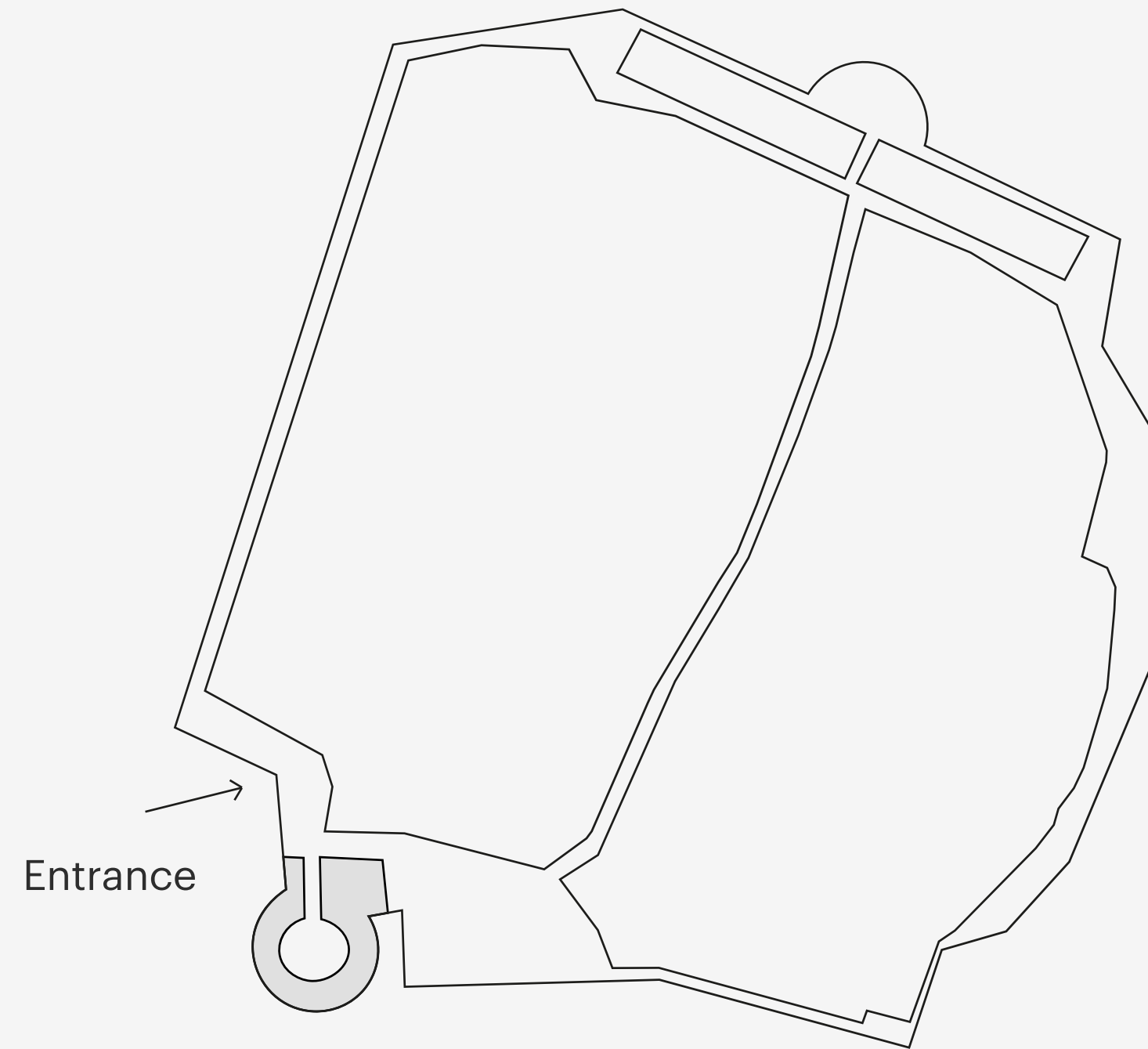
The design should not have a poured (concrete) foundation. The sculpture / monument should rest on a stone slab within the parameters specified above.

You may include a design concept for fencing and the overall landscaping of the grave site (fencing, greenery, pathways, etc.), ensuring it matches the style of the memorial.

Additional information:

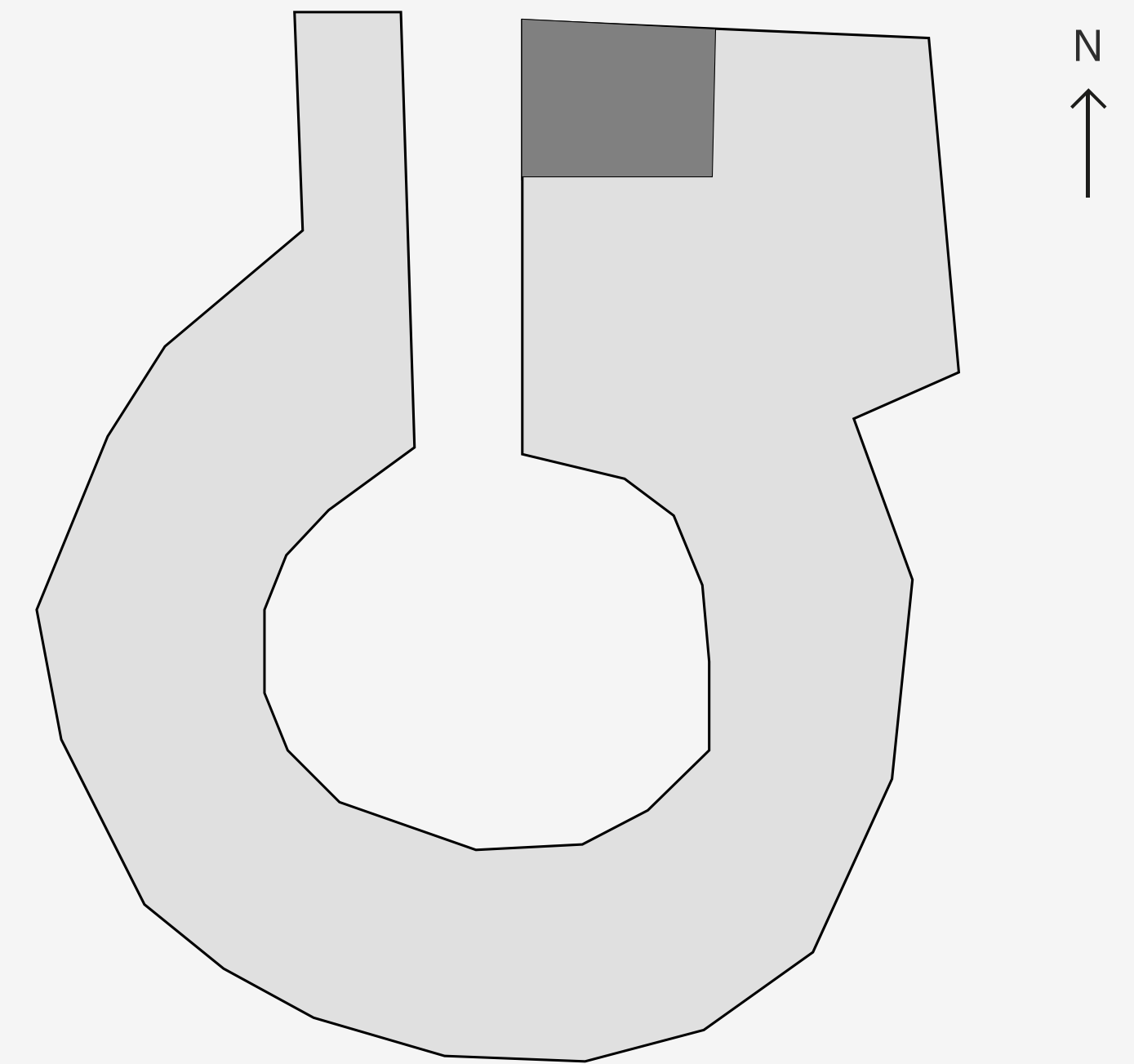
- Soil type: clay, clayey soil.
- Size of whole burial area: 1800 mm x 2000 mm.

Borisovskoye Cemetery



Selected zone

Borisovskoye Cemetery, Zone 4.1



Selected zone

Walkway

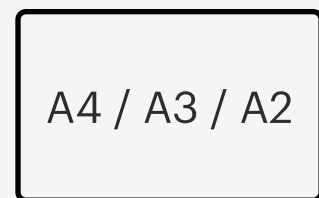
Selected burial area





🔖 What you need to submit

Obligatory



JPG

1. Design

Create your design on an A4, A3 or A2 landscape-orientated presentation board.

- Resolution: minimum 1750 x 1240 pixels.
- Format: JPG.
- File size: maximum 50 MB.

Recommended, but not obligatory



JPG

2. Additional images

Upload up to three horizontal images which best represent your concept. These images will be published on the website together with your submitted design and should help to convey your project's key ideas.

- Resolution: minimum 1600 x 1130 pixels.
- Format: JPG.
- File size: maximum 10 MB.



MP4 / MOV

3. Video

You can include a short video-presentation of your project. It can assist in explaining your design further.

- Format: MP4 or MOV.
- File size: maximum 150 MB.
- Aspect ratio: 16:9.




PDF / WORD

4. Written description

Include a written description to better explain your idea. You can submit your entry anonymously, but we would recommend including some words about yourself.

- Format: PDF or Word.
- Maximum length of text — 1500 symbols.

After submissions have been moderated, they will be published on the navalny.memorial website.

A silhouette of a man speaking into a microphone against a bright, hazy background. The man is positioned on the right side of the frame, facing left. The background is a bright, overexposed area, possibly a stage or a large window, with some faint architectural lines visible. The overall tone is high-contrast and somewhat somber due to the monochromatic color scheme.

Thank you for taking part in this important project. We are looking forward to seeing your ideas.

Deadline for entries

Send your design and accompanying materials by 31 January 2025 to memorial@navalny.com

If you have any questions about the format or design requirements, please write to us at memorial@navalny.com