

# Mohammed VI University, Ben Guerir, Morocco

Client  
Groupe OCP

Program  
Construction of the Mohammed VI  
Polytechnical University, Benguerir,  
Morocco

Selection method  
International competition under  
invitation

Team  
Groupe-6 (Architect, Lead consultant) -  
BDP (Landscape, HQE) - Rachid  
Andaloussi (Associate architect) - Aziz  
Lazrak (Associate architect)

Surface area  
300,000 m<sup>2</sup>

Location  
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Situated in the heart of the New Green Town of Benguerir, the Mohamed VI University will be one of the leading research hubs for global environmental research and development and will respect environmental quality and sustainable development principles. The development favours an organic layout similar to the medinas where a

hierarchy of spaces and the creation of spatial elements and varied volumes is possible. It relies on the contrast of light and shadow which takes into consideration natural elements (wind – sun – cold – rain) and creates the site's topography – the basis of the project.

