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Enrique Nieto: Architect collaborator of Gaudí. Influences and works in Barcelona

Modernisme

Enrique Nieto i Nieto is the great exponent of Modernism in Melilla. His childhood spent in the city of Barcelona, his training as an architect under Domenech i Montaner and his collaboration in Gaudí's major civil work, La Pedrera, definitely determine the style of his architecture and therefore that of the streets and details of the Modernistic facades of Melilla.

Until very recently, Nieto's collaboration with Gaudí had only been briefly mentioned in the literature, but we have now come to know the details of his work in Casa Milà.

This paper analyzes how this collaboration, as well as his family and academic influences, led him to create new urban spaces with a character of their own across the Mediterranean..

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Enrique Nieto: arquitecto colaborador de Gaudí. Influencias y trabajos en Barcelona

Catalán

Enrique Nieto i Nieto es el gran exponente del modernismo en Melilla. Su infancia transcurrida en la ciudad de Barcelona, su formación como arquitecto con Doménech i Montaner y su colaboración en la mayor obra civil de Gaudí, la Pedrera, definirán para siempre el estilo de su arquitectura y por ende el de las calles y los detalles de las fachadas modernistas de Melilla.

Hasta ahora la colaboración de Nieto con Gaudí solo aparecía en una breve mención bibliográfica, pero en la actualidad hemos llegado a conocer los detalles del trabajo de Nieto en la Casa Milà.

La presente ponencia analiza en qué medida esa colaboración, así como las influencias familiares y académicas, le llevaron a crear nuevos espacios urbanos con carácter

propio al otro lado del Mediterráneo.

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