

Today's News - May 20, 2003

We lose a post-war master. – Post-war treasures threatened in Beirut and Kansas City. – Several landscape projects by the first recipient of the new ASLA Design Medal face change. – Crystal Cathedral adds a landmark, and Yale restores one. – Detroit returns to its roots to establish new neighborhoods. – Selling is part of an architect's job - so is just showing up. – Wonders and blunders in Vienna, Berlin, Cincinnati, and Washington, DC. – Another new face for student housing. – Hadid is hot in the Heartland. – Cool contemporary is a hit in Anchorage. – A new design center means Muscovites can now go mad for Foster frivolities and Starck stuff. – There's big - and then there's BIG in house plan for billionaire (he can shop in Moscow).

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[Obituary: Sir Philip Powell of Powell Moya Partnership, 82. ...one of the most important British architectural partnerships of the post-war period.](#)- Telegraph (UK)

[Beirut landmark faces the bulldozers: ...the last remaining testament to a period of Lebanese avant-garde architecture in the 1960s will disappear](#) - Joseph Philippe Karam- Daily Star (Lebanon)

[Group applies for landmark status in effort to preserve 1960s-era Temple B'nai Jehudah](#) - Kivett & Myers- Kansas City Star

[Downtown \[Denver\] landscape will lose '70s-era Skyline Park: ...joins a growing list of Lawrence Halprin designs facing change.](#) - Thomas Balsley Associates- Rocky Mountain News (Denver)

[Schuller's gem gets a new facet: A third landmark building opens today on the Crystal Cathedral campus.](#) - Richard Meier; Philip Johnson; Richard Neutra- Orange County Register (California)

[Yale Art Gallery to undergo a two-year, \\$94 million restoration of an architect's vision](#) - Louis I. Kahn; Polshek Partnership [image]- New Haven Register

[Far Eastside Project: New vibrance, traditional vibe: No cookie-cutter subdivision look here](#) - Archive DS- Detroit Free Press

[Capture their imaginations to capture the audience: Let's face it, selling the project is part of an architect's job.](#) - Rafael Vinoly; Polshek Partnership; Arquitectonica- St. Petersburg Times (Florida)

[Wonders and blunders: Holocaust Memorial, Vienna and Jewish Museum, Berlin](#) - Rachel Whitehead; Daniel Libeskind- Guardian (UK)

[New Compuware headquarters design doesn't stack up: Innovation has built this firm, but not its HQ.](#) By John Gallagher - Rossetti Associates; WET Design- Detroit Free Press

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[This is student housing? Cramped dorm rooms give way to plush residences as colleges use private developers to build customer-friendly units](#) - WTW Architects- Pittsburgh Post-Gazette

[Rosenthal Center for Contemporary Art pushes design envelope \(part 2 of 2\)](#) - Zaha Hadid- Cincinnati Post

[New University of Alaska Anchorage library has unique design features: And, it's coming in on time and about \\$4 million under budget](#) - Rim Architects [image]- Alaska Journal of Commerce

[Dream House retail center: the first interior decoration emporium in Russia](#) - Murray O'Laoire [image]- Moscow Times (Russia)

[Big, Big House: Billionaire Rafik Hariri Wants to Build a 103,667-Square-Foot House in Washington. That's a Very ...](#) - WDG Architecture- Washington Post

[- Oscar Niemeyer: Serpentine Gallery Pavilion 2003, Hyde Park, London](#)

[- Tadao Ando: Clark Art Institute, Williamstown, Massachusetts](#)

[- Exhibition: "Tadao Ando: Regeneration - Surroundings and Architecture," Tokyo Station Gallery](#)

[- Books: "Oscar Niemeyer: A Legend of Modernism" and "Starck by Starck"](#)

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