

Today's News - July 14, 2003

Tribute to a post-war visionary. – Will Ground Zero plans be hijacked? – Exhibition an eye-opener and heart-tugger. – Ancient and modern treasures lost in China and California. – Irish architecture blooms with civic projects. – Public housing in the U.K. takes architecture seriously - again (one hopes). – Chicago neighborhood (as elsewhere) debates how high is too high. – Sustainable urban living, and recycling from wreckage. – Safe cities. – Hadid exhibition broadens our horizons. – Science and style make for beautiful fusion at Cambridge. – Library as light show for prep school. – An "international posse of landscape architects" on the loose in Quebec. – Troubled times for architecture dean. Blueprints going the way of the dodo.

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