

Today's News - July 31, 2003

Seeing the light: sustainability and productivity gain importance. – Efforts underway to attract women to industry. – They're going to tear down Moskva hotel and build a replica (a new approach to preservation?). – A call for "tree-hugger" architects to lighten up on Soldier Field re-do. – High praise for spiritual architecture in Toronto; and a competition for interfaith space. – Smithsonian National Design Awards name five of nine. – A new comer in Washington isn't bad, but it could have been better. – Affordability and prefab. – Old depot to get new life in Detroit. – Changes in UK historic listing system could cause havoc. – Paddington Station could lose its historic roof canopies. – Melbourne architects embrace the light. – LA's newest theater on track. – Young architects do it all. – San Diego design awards on hiatus until next year.

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[Construction trades make effort to attract women](#)- Business Review (Albany, NY)

[Do not disturb: Stalin, Gagarin and Sakharov all loved it. Now the Moskva hotel is to be pulled down - and replaced by a replica...the strange fate of a Soviet icon.](#) By Jonathan Glancey- Guardian (UK)

[A walk through the park: Even critics can't argue Bears' new stadium fills need...golden rule in architecture, "Tree huggers" from Chicago's architectural societies need to be reminded of this tenet...](#) - Dirk Lohan- Herald News (Chicago)

[House of the spirits: spiritual architecture...how the St. Clair Mausoleum at Toronto's Prospect Cemetery provides space for the living to ponder their own mortality.](#) By Lisa Rochon - Baird Sampson Neuert Architects; Aldo Rossi- Globe and Mail (Canada)

[Interfaith Sacred Space Design Competition begins September 2; registration deadline: December 31](#)- United Religions Initiative

[Smithsonian's National Design Awards To Honor Five: Four more awards will be announced in October - I.M. Pei; Massimo and Lella Vignelli; Target; General Services Administration; Gordon Segal/Crate & Barrel](#)- Washington Post

[A Corner Takes a Turn For the Worse: ...not bad architecture, exactly. It's just polite and predictable.](#) By Benjamin Forgey - Core [image]- Washington Post

[Getting to affordability: Architects offer solutions to town housing guidelines: solutions were not limited to dense apartment buildings.](#) - Darell Fields/Harvard Graduate School of Design; Tim Love/Utile- Daily News Tribune (Massachusetts)

[Prefab Homes Gain a Higher Profile](#)- NY Newsday

[Old depot 1st in line to be new police hub: Historic aura a plus for Detroit... By John Gallagher - Warren & Wetmore; Reed & Stern](#)- Detroit Free Press

[History of conflict: Tearing up the listing system could abolish 11th-hour reprieves for historic buildings and sites and remove a major obstacle to regeneration plans.](#)- Guardian (UK)

[Row over Paddington plan to build a 75-metre-high \(250ft\) office block and demolish one of its grade-I-listed roof canopies...](#) - Grimshaw & Partners [includes links to images and CABE statement]- Guardian (UK)

[Bright lights, big concept: latest example of Melbourne architecture firms supporting challenging public art](#)- The Age (Australia)

[Douglas Theatre's design, construction schedule emerge](#) - Steven Ehrlich- Los Angeles Times

[Tackling Architecture With a Table Saw: The members of MADE, a young architectural firm in Brooklyn, hope to realize their design as closely as possible, by executing it themselves. \[images\]](#)- New York Times

[Orchids & Onions design awards taking leave: Revamped program will return next year](#)- San Diego Union-Tribune

[Tradition and Innovation in Sustainable Design: EHDD Architecture: The legacy of Joseph Esherick](#)- ArchNewsNow

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