EDITOR’S NOTE: We have lots of catching up to do, but we also have a few more hatches to batten down, so we will be brief. Hopefully, we’ll remain up and running, but should ANN not arrive in your inbox tomorrow, it means scary Sandy did not leave us unscathed. We wish everyone in its path a safe journey...

- • We are so saddened by the news that we’ve lost Johansen: Bernstein pens a tribute to the Modernist whose architecture conveyed "the optimism of the time."
- • Iovine tours Kahn’s FDR memorial and finds much to like, though "how New Yorkers will now engage with this extraordinary public landscape poses some challenges" (with nary a restroom or trash can in sight).
- • Safdie goes Down Under with new project for Monash University + Q&A with the master re: some of his other his seminal projects.
- • Eggener offers an eloquent elegy to the saga of Baltimore’s Memorial Stadium, and its afterlife in the years since its demolition (a great read).
- • Murphy/Jahn morphs with new name and shared design leadership.
- • With the economy slowing down luxury building in Manhattan, Meier and Stern take their talents on the road - overseas.
- • AIA San Francisco announces winners (from around the world) of the Architecture at Zero competition.
- • A most great report on what “may be the world’s thinnest home” in Warsaw: it’s too small to be a legal residence, so it’s been "classified as an art installation."
- • A rundown re: what's up with RMJM (the saga continues...).
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- • Litt lights up at some of the winning visions for the lower level of the Detroit-Superior Bridge in the Cleveland Design Competition.
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share design leadership at the firm with architect Francisco Gonzalez-Pulido a
partner and president...The firm will also change its name to JAHN... - Chicago
Tribune

RMJM puts UK firms in receivership as part of 'restructuring': ...in a bid to
avoid or delay paying millions it owes to creditors...has “sold” the assets to a
new firm, and says that the move has saved 120 jobs. The new company,
RMJM Architecture, is majority-owned by Sir Fraser Morrison and his family. -
The Scotsman (UK)

Winners of Cleveland Design Competition advocate big changes for lower
level of the Detroit-Superior Bridge: Emerging architects and designers from
around the world see big possibilities for civic renewal... By Steven Litt --
Archilier Architecture; Ashley Craig/Edna Ledesma/Jessica Zarowitz; Moxon
Architects [images, links] - Cleveland Plain Dealer

Winners of the second annual Architecture at Zero competition for zero net
energy (ZNE) building designs. -- -- Loisos & Ubbelohde Associates; Ren Ito
Arq.; Archassist; Wei Yan/Edward Clark [images] - AIA San Francisco / PG&E / 
UC Merced

Call for entries: Participate in a study that explores the linkage between music
experiences and creativity in architecture and industrial design; deadline:
November 10- Peter R. Webster, Northwestern University