Hello Everyone:

Do you know what today is? It’s the second day of Architecture Week, as declared by the AIA. To celebrate, we’re launching the first of a series of videos featuring local Modernist architects. For more on Architecture week, see today’s Coffee with an Architect. 8-)

Here’s a wonderful new interview with architect Dan MacMillan of Fayetteville. Our intrepid reporter, Kate Walker, talked to Dan last month about his life and career over six decades of North Carolina design. Dan is the architect for Fayetteville’s recently destroyed Kistler-Hollstein house, subject of the documentary After the Dust Settles. He worked for a year for Muirhead, builders of Dorton Arena, and was there the day Mies Van Der Rohe came to see that wondrous Raleigh structure.

The City of Raleigh will hold a joint public hearing with the Raleigh Historic Districts Commission on June 7 to receive public comments two proposed Raleigh Historic Landmarks, the Raleigh Furniture Building at 119 East Hargett Street -- and the Paul and Elsie Stahl House at 3017 Granville Drive, designed by Milton Small.

Wednesday, April 27, 6-8pm, Thirst4Architecture. Our first happy Hour networking event at Natty Greene's in Raleigh on Jones Street. Co-hosted with Goodnight Raleigh. Free admission, cash bar. Open anyone with a hankering for great architecture! Details here.
Saturday, May 7, 10-4pm, Preservation Durham’s Duke Park House Tour. Visit classic homes in Duke Park (including two Modernist houses). Walk, or drive your car. Details and advance discount tickets here.

Tuesday, May 11, 7-8pm -- Mayberry Modernism. TMH founder George Smart speaks on the history of Modernist houses in North Carolina at the North Raleigh Public Library. Free.

ModShop III, Saturday, May 14, all day. Historic Charlotte Modernist Home Tour. Visit six exceptional Charlotte Modernist houses from mid-century to this century, plus shopping at IKEA. Travel in style on TMH’s luxury, internet-equipped bus! Details and advance discount tickets here.

On Saturday, June 18, Mike Welton of Architects + Artisans will host a behind-the-scenes tour of Thomas Jefferson’s architectural masterpiece and Palladian retreat, Poplar Forest, near Lynchburg, Va. Deadline for reservations for the tour is Friday, April 16, here.

One of the leading prefab housing architects in the US, Rocio Romero comes to the NCSU College of Design on Monday, April 18. Her lecture begins at 6 p.m. in Burns Auditorium, Kamphoefner Hall. Co-sponsored with AIA Triangle. AIA members can receive CES units for attending any of the lectures. Parking is available in the Coliseum parking deck. Limited parking may also be found in the Riddick or Peele parking lots after 5pm. Call 919.515.8350 for more information.

New on the Market


Have a great week, folks!

Kind regards,

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