News this Week:

Crikey! Check out the new video for The Duke Forest Modernist House Tour, Saturday, September 15. Response has been incredible - we are about 2/3 sold out! There are still plenty of tickets and time slots left so check here for discount advance tickets, directions, and details!

Announcing The Coastal Modernist House Tour, Saturday, September 29, 10am-7pm. Visit inside four coastal Modernist houses, two on exclusive Figure Eight island. Spend the day with fellow architecture fans headin' to the coast to experience Historic Wilmington Foundation's first-ever Modernist house tour -- without the hassle of driving. See The Avery House, designed by Oxenfeld and Newkirk; the Simmons House on Figure Eight designed by Ligon Flynn;
the Henry Johnston House designed by Henry Johnston; and the Ellison House on Figure Eight designed by Ligon Flynn. Sponsored exclusively by LE Meyers Builders. Includes all transportation from Raleigh and lunch from Catch by Top Chef Keith Rhodes. Limited to only 25 people. Details and tickets here.

Vinny Petrarca, Sara Queen, Jay Smith, and David Hill took about 60 NCSU architecture students to Frank Lloyd Wright’s Fallingwater August 24-25. Built between 1936 and 1939, the house captured the nation’s imagination when it was featured on the cover of Time magazine in 1938. The students also studied land next to Fallingwater that is the site for their semester-long studio project. TMH donated breakfast from Bojangles for everyone on Saturday morning.

The 1951 David and Gladys Wright House in Phoenix AZ was designed by Frank Lloyd Wright for his son. Earlier this year, the buyer, developers 8081 Meridian Corporation, promised the house would be preserved. Now they have backed off that promise. In July 2012, the Frank Lloyd Wright Building Conservancy was awarded a temporary demolition delay while the City of Phoenix decides whether to bestow historic preservation and landmark.
designation. Such designations would give the house at least another year. Please share this petition to the City supporting the designations.

**Friday, September 14, 530-7pm.**

This year’s next to last Thirst4Architecture (T4A) at the NC Museum of Art. Cash bar with creative appetizers for sale from the Iris Restaurant. Free - open to anyone with an interest in design. Sponsored by Hanbury Preservation Consulting. The T4A is followed by a ticketed but free 7pm NCMA/TMH joint screening of Concert of Wills: Richard Meier and the Making of the Getty. If you want up to two free movie tickets, email with your name and phone number. Only 21 tickets left!

**The 2012 TalkModern Lecture Series: A Fistful of Neutras, Part One.** October 4, 7-8pm.

Raymond Richard Neutra, son of Richard Neutra, speaks on Preserving the VDL Studio/Residences in Los Angeles. Advance tickets are $12.50 per person per program, or $20 per person for both. $15 per program at the door. AIA North Carolina Center for Architecture and Design, 14 East Peace Street, Raleigh NC. Please arrive between 630pm and 7pm. AIA Members can get self-reported continuing education credit with advance notice to the AIA.

On October 6, AIA Triangle will host its third annual juried Residential Architecture Tour. Six great houses from around the Triangle. Tickets available now.
Tuesday, October 9, 7pm. **Gary Kueber**, founder of the award-winning website **Endangered Durham** and creator of **Open Durham**, will share the Bull City's colorful history through **Untold Durham**, a live storytelling event. This is a joint fundraiser for the Carolina Theatre of Durham, Museum of Durham History, Preservation Durham, and Open Durham. Doors open 6:30 PM, $35 per person. Pre-show & intermission receptions (includes light snacks, fountain drinks, popcorn / cash bar. [Details and tickets](#).

**The 2012 TalkModern Lecture Series: A Fistful of Neutras, Part Two.** November 13, 7-8pm. **Dion Neutra**, AIA, son of Richard Neutra, speaks on Neutra Architecture: The View from Inside. Advance tickets are $12.50 per person per program, or $20 per person for both. $15 per program at the door. AIA North Carolina Center for Architecture and Design, 14 East Peace Street, Raleigh NC. Please arrive between 6:30pm and 7pm. AIA Members can get self-reported continuing education credit with advance notice to the AIA.

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