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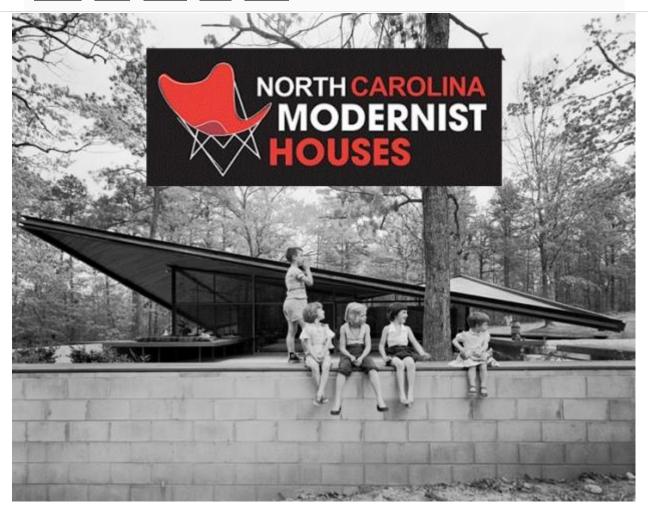
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### THE NEWS



**New NCMH Tour**: The NCMH Charlotte ModShop Tour, Saturday, May 9. Travel with us on a wifi-equipped luxury bus while we visit great Modernist houses + a 1957 Modernist church doomed to the wrecking ball + a pilgrimage to IKEA! <u>Details</u>.



The <u>Paul Rudolph-designed</u> Orange County Government Center can still be saved. Attorney **Michael Sussman** has filed a lawsuit on behalf of







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three county residents to stop the imminent mutilation of the buildings. Architect **Gene Kaufman** is expected to file a lawsuit as well. The <u>Paul Rudolph Heritage Foundation</u> has a petition concerning the building and encourages everyone to read it.



<u>Knock Knock</u> is a monthly feature in the Raleigh News and Observer, powered by NCMH, featuring Modernist houses across North Carolina. Recently: the <u>Timberwolf House</u> in Lewisville NC, designed and built by **Buddy Glasscoe**.

The \$419 Bauhaus dollhouse. Start saving now for Christmas.

<u>Alva Horton</u> directs Duke's OLLI Art & Architecture curriculum and is looking for instructors. You need not be an architect. OLLI has a wonderful selection of course proposals already in the works to choose from, or she's open to new proposals. Call her at 252-375-7886.

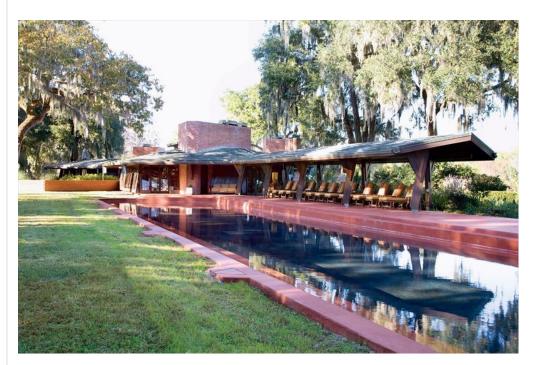
From NC Secretary of Cultural Resources **Susan Kluttz**: North Carolina House Bill 152 regarding tax credits for investment in historic properties overwhelmingly passed the House. There is also an identical bill (287) being considered by the Senate. Since 1998, over 2,400 historic tax credit projects have been completed statewide bringing over \$ 1.6 billion of private investment into 90 of 100 North Carolina counties. Please contact Senators to support H.B. 152 and S.B. 287. Legislator contact information.







College/HS Student internship available: NCMH is the largest open digital archive for Modernist houses in America. We're looking for a part-time intern for the summer for research and as a production assistant for our upcoming podcast USModernist. You: are very organized. You are passionate about Modernist houses, search terms, and you pride yourself on responsiveness. Apply with a paragraph about yourself and a paragraph about why you want the position to interns@ncmodernist.org.



Frank Lloyd Wright/Auldbrass Tour, November 6-7: Deep in the heart of South Carolina's low country, Auldbrass is a complex of Frank Lloyd Wright buildings that's only open to the public for two days every two years! Travel with NCMH and see more unique South Carolina Modernist houses by Frank Harmon and Whitney Powers. Details.

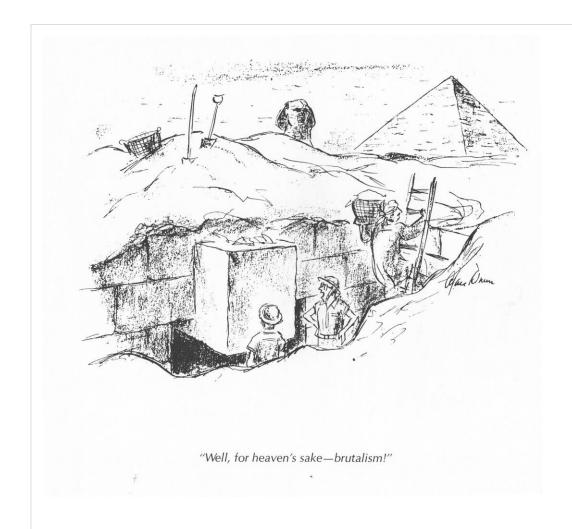
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AIA TRIANGLE

NCSU/AIA Triangle 2015 Spring Joint Lecture
Series at NCSU's College of Design, Burns
Auditorium, 6pm, tonight April 6, Merrill Elam.

# The Hunt Library Furniture Design Series

EVENT 3: HERMAN MILLER, INC. WITH JOHN BERRY



#### Herman Miller, Inc. with John Berry

Join us for the third installment of our Furniture Design series to learn more about Herman Miller, Inc. from John Berry, author of Herman Miller: The Purpose of Design.

#### Tuesday, April 14, 2015

James B. Hunt Jr. Library, Duke Energy Hall 1070 Partners Way, Raleigh, NC

#### Part 1: 4:00-5:00 p.m.

This session is open to students, the public, and the campus community free of charge.

#### Part 2: 5:30–6:30 p.m. and reception with John Berry to follow

Registration is required for this session and the reception. RSVP by April 10, 2015. Call 919-515-2841 or email friends\_of\_the\_library@ncsu.edu.

This program is presented by Dargan and Blount Williams, Alfred Williams & Company, Herman Miller, and the NCSU Friends of the Library.

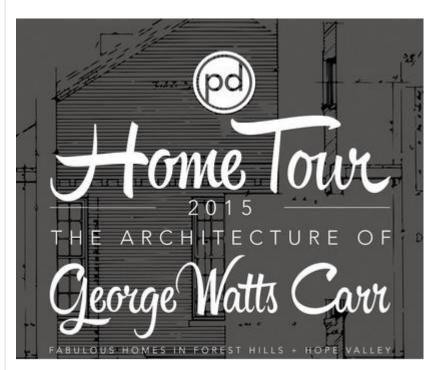






Thirst4Architecture is Thursday April 16th, 6-8pm, at **TRIG Modern**, 328 West Jones Street, Raleigh. Join **Bob Drake** and **Ann Marie Baum** at their modern furniture and lighting store in downtown. TRIG will spotlight iconic mid-20<sup>th</sup>-century modern chairs designed by Finnish architect, sculptor and painter **Alvar Aalto**; American architect and furniture designer **Adrian Pearsall**; American furniture designer and 2009 Interior Design Hall of Fame inductee **Vladimir Kagan**; and North Carolina-based Thayer Coggins' premiere designer **Milo Baughman**. Examples of each designer's chairs will be on display in the showroom. Easy on-street parking. Great food and drink. And door prizes! Free. <u>Details</u>.

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Preservation Durham's 2015 Home Tour is April 25-26, featuring the

architecture of George Watts Carr. Get tickets <a href="here">here</a>; advance \$20, day of tour \$25.



# n in situ studio

Thirst4Architecture is Thursday May 14th, 6-8pm, at **In Situ Studio**. Join **Erin and Matt** at their <u>architecture studio</u> in downtown Raleigh. This yearly event always has a great crowd! Free. <u>Details</u>.

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om Practice

J. Michael Welton

architects and the meaning of freehand



available for purchase. <u>Details</u>.

Drawing from Practice book release party and signing at the AIANC
Center for Architecture and Design on Tuesday, May 19th. Welton will be joined by architects featured in the book: Ellen Cassilly, Chad Everhart, Phil Freelon, Matt
Griffith, Frank Harmon, and Erin Sterling Lewis. They will discuss how sketching influences their practice, display sketches, and host a short Q&A. Signed copies will be



FLW Fallingwater Tour September 12-

13: Do have Frank Lloyd Wright's masterpiece, Fallingwater, on your bucket list? NCMH takes 25 people every fall on a whirlwind weekend that includes another great Wright house, Kentuck Knob, houses by Robert Venturi and Richard Meier, and a cruise through downtown Pittsburgh.

Better hurry, there are only 4 seats left on the trip. <u>Details.</u>

### MOD WATCH

**Mod Watch** keeps a watchful eye on the North Carolina buildings you love. You can keep the NCMH community updated progress by checking the demolition/building permits each week.



**Dead Mod Walking 2015:** The old gal's still standing but we don't know for how long. Please help NCMH monitor when Milton Small's masterful 3515 Glenwood building, first photo, receives the demolition permit online here. The site was approved last year for a three-story 72,963 square foot replacement, second photo.



This <u>Milton Small</u> masterpiece at **912 Williamson Drive**, which recently changed hands after 30+ years, is scheduled for renovation by **Hilary Farr** and the crew of <u>Love It or List It</u>. This could be very good or very very bad for one of North Carolina's best examples of midcentury Modernism. Let us know when they pull the construction permits, <u>here</u>.











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