

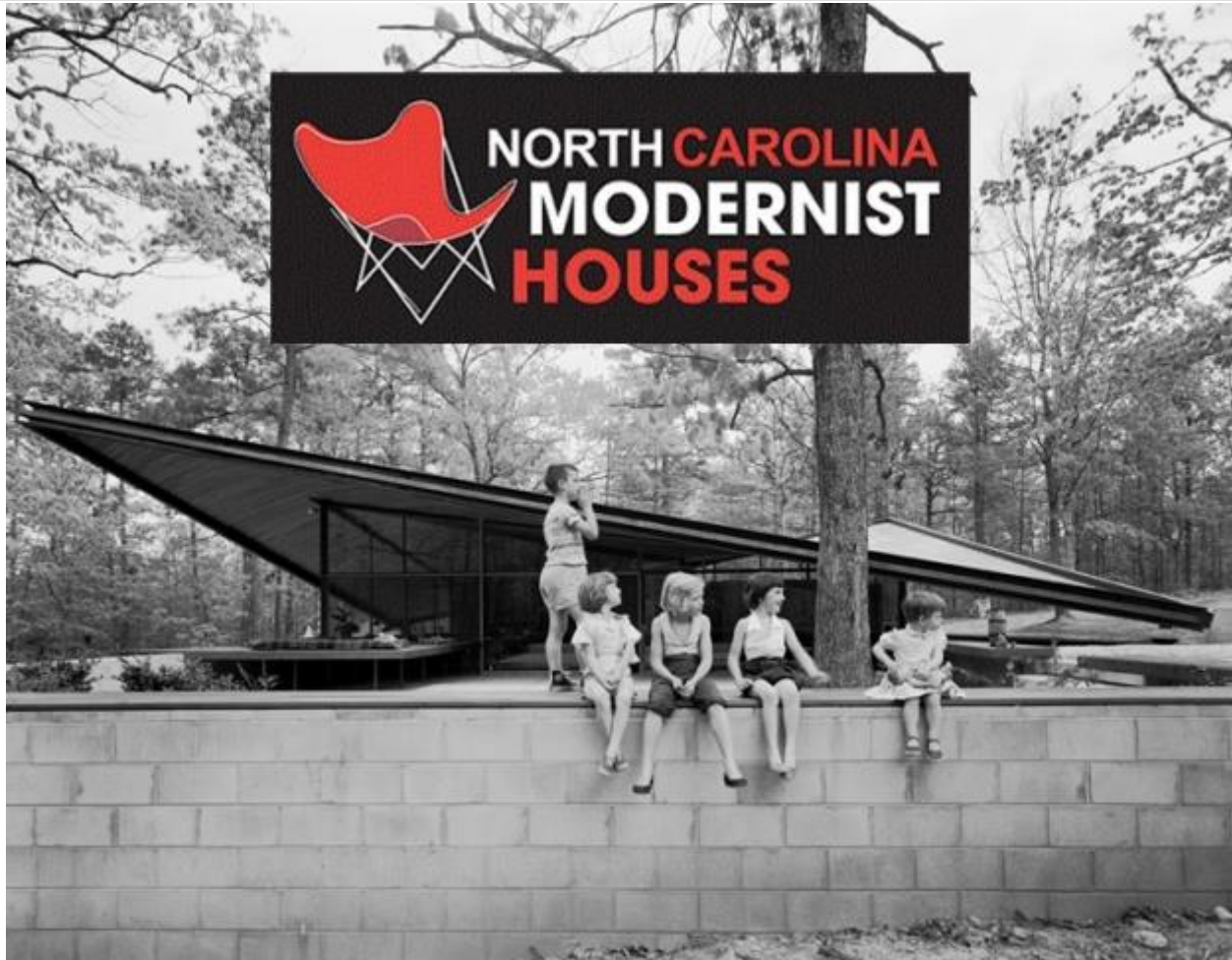
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THE NEWS



A New York judge rules that a controversial **Paul Rudolph** building cannot be torn down before July, allowing time for a restraining order petition blocking demolition to be heard. There's even an offer on the table from noted architect **Gene Kaufman** to buy the building and turn it in to an arts center.

Why the world is obsessed with mid-century Modern design.

What (not) to do in IKEA.



DWELL recently featured a renovation designed and built by Raleigh's **Tonic Design**: Vinny Petrarca and Katherine Hogan. Photo by **Raymond Goodman**.



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Modernist Houses For

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Modernist houses

occupied is the best way

to save them! Check

this exclusive statewide

list.

New York architect and Architizer co-founder **Marc Kushner** has a new new TED talk, "Why the buildings of the future will be shaped by ... you."

22 students from the Rolesville HS Technology Student Association attended the State Conference March 22-24 in Greensboro NC with advisor **Tara Barthelmess**. Five students, Allyson Nowell, Lauren Hairston, Lauren Butler, Brayan Tellez and Tion Ward won 3rd place for Architectural Renovation and seven students won 1st place for On Demand Video: Cris Milla, Manni Spencer, Megan Rosko, **Project BauHow** scholar **Wesley Pritzlaff**, Brayan Tellez, Nate Brown and Ryan Parker.



NCMH 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! **Registration closes Friday at 5pm.** [Details.](#)

[Alva Horton](#) 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. 252-375-7886.

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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](#).



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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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.



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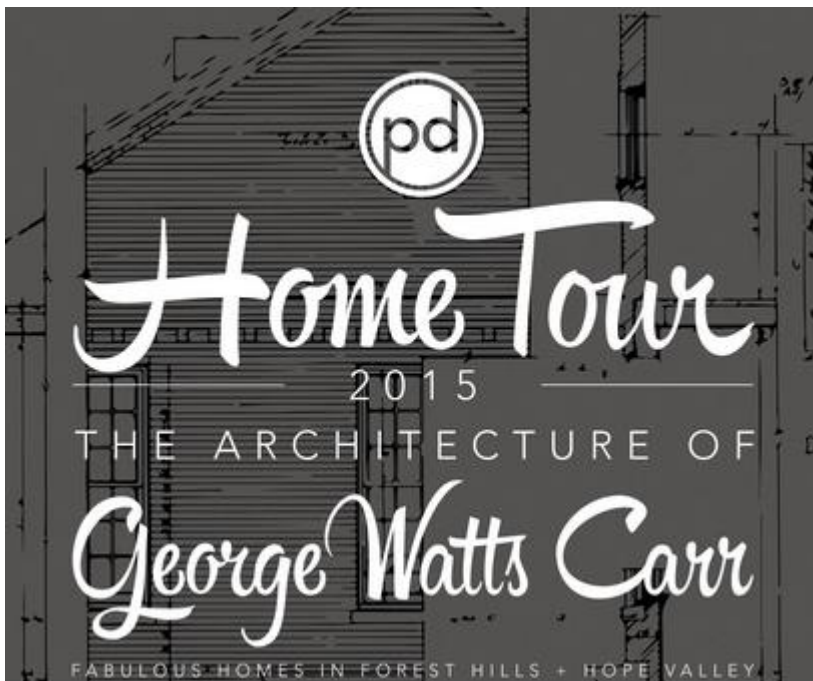


Herman Miller



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-20th-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. [Details.](#)

NCMH's monthly T4A design networking events are powered by **Emilie Huin / 501 Realty**, specializing in Modernist houses in the Triangle.



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

architecture of George Watts Carr. Get tickets [here](#); advance \$20, day of tour \$25.



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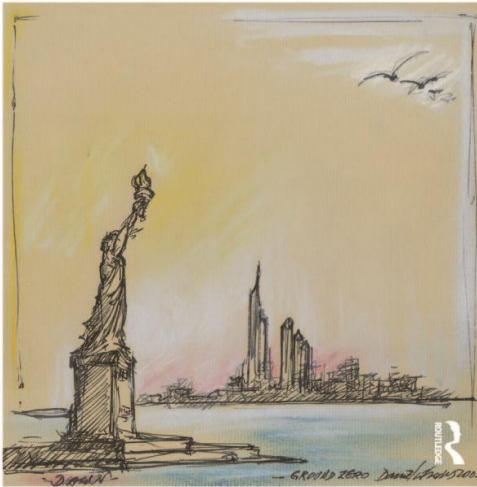
Thirst4Architecture is Thursday May 14th, 6-8pm, at **In Situ Studio**. Join **Erin and Matt** at their [architecture studio](#) in downtown Raleigh. This yearly event always has a great crowd! Free. [Details](#).

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J. Michael Welton

Drawing from Practice

ARCHITECTS AND THE MEANING OF FREEHAND



Activate14 hosts **Mike Welton's**

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 available for purchase. Details.



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 2 seats left on the trip.** Details.

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



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