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NCMH is a North Carolina 501C3 nonprofit educational archive for the documentation, preservation, and promotion of Modernist houses.
NCMH's Project BauHow student submissions are due May 10. Project BauHow is NCMH's educational initiative to place CAD systems in high school drafting student homes in rural North Carolina counties. 105 systems have been given away in the last two years. You can support the work of Project BauHow here.

What a weekend! 23 architectural adventurers traveled to Columbus IN and Indianapolis IN to get a delightful dose of midwestern modernism. After touring Saarinen's amazing Miller House, they saw 35 additional buildings before touring the Indiana Museum of Art, the Indiana State Museum, five Modernist houses, the Pyramids by Roche Dinkeloo (above), and Eskanazi Hospital by HOK. Many thanks to architect Paul Strohm and CEO Matt Gutwein for the Eskanazi tour; Angela Roehl for logistics and tour support; and all the homeowners. Details.


Submissions for the 2015 George Matsumoto Prize open on May 1.
Please welcome Local Market Realty as a sponsor of NCMH!

The Hickory Landmark's Society’s 21st Annual Romance of the Home and Garden Tour is Saturday, May 16, 9-4pm, in Hickory NC. Featuring three Modernist houses by Jim Sherrill and six other notable Hickory homes and gardens. $20 per person in advance or $25 per person day of event at www.hickorylandmarks.org.

Modernist houses honored at last week's 2015 AIA Triangle Design Awards include: The Burt Lake House, Lake Burt MI, designed by Vines Architecture; Gunston Place, Raleigh NC, designed by Don Kranbuehl; A House Named Fred, by Erin Sterling Lewis and Matt Griffith. The AIA Triangle Isosceles Award, for service to the architecture profession by a non-architect went to Diane Williams, former chapter Executive Director.

Upcoming NCMH Tours:

- Seats on the NCMH ModShop Tour, featuring Charlotte Modernist houses and IKEA, Saturday, May 9, are still available. Details.
- The Frank Lloyd Wright/Fallingwater Tour September 12-13, has 2 seats left. Details.
- The Frank Lloyd Wright/Auldbrass is sold out. Reply to this email with number and names of travelers to get on the waiting list. Details.
Indeed, in the end, less is more.

TINY HOME COMMUNITY IDEAS COMPETITION
How can design address homelessness?

$50 entry fee
Registration closes May 22nd
http://activate14.com/competitions/tinyhome/

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“So the more rational the structure, the more irrational the mural—Do I make myself clear?”

UPCOMING

save the dates
MAY 2-3 & 9-10
NOON - 5 PM

10TH ANNUAL green HOME TOUR

Please plan to join us for our 10th Annual Green Home Tour. Tour a variety of innovative, high-performance homes that are certified green. A sustainable building professional will be on site to answer any questions and show you their home’s unique features.

Don’t miss this unique opportunity to see firsthand the renewable energy and green building practices at work in our area! And, join us for our Kick-off event! Visit our website for details.

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A joint program of the MBA of Durham, Orange, & Chatham Counties and the MBA of Raleigh-Wake County.

Be sure to visit 1406 Ward Street, designed by Ellen Cassilly and built
by BuildSense; 100 Lassiter Road, designed by Arielle Schechter and built by Newphire Building Company; 2669 Horseshoe Rd, Creedmoor, NC, designed by built by BuildSense; and 158 Solterra Way, designed and built by BuildSense.

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.

NCMH's monthly T4A design networking events are sponsored by Emilie Huin/Triangle Modern Homes at 501 Realty, specializing in the sale of Modernist homes throughout the Triangle.

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.
Thursday, June 18, 6-8pm. Visit the "Big Green Pickle," one of Durham tallest buildings. Built in the 1980's, it has a 25-mile view on a clear day! We'll be on top at the University Club, hosted by Pat Bria of Tucker Bria. Free. Special guest: Matthew Roth, the Raleigh Typewriter poet. Give him $5 and he'll crank out an impressive poem on any subject on his classic typewriter right before your eyes! Details.

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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.