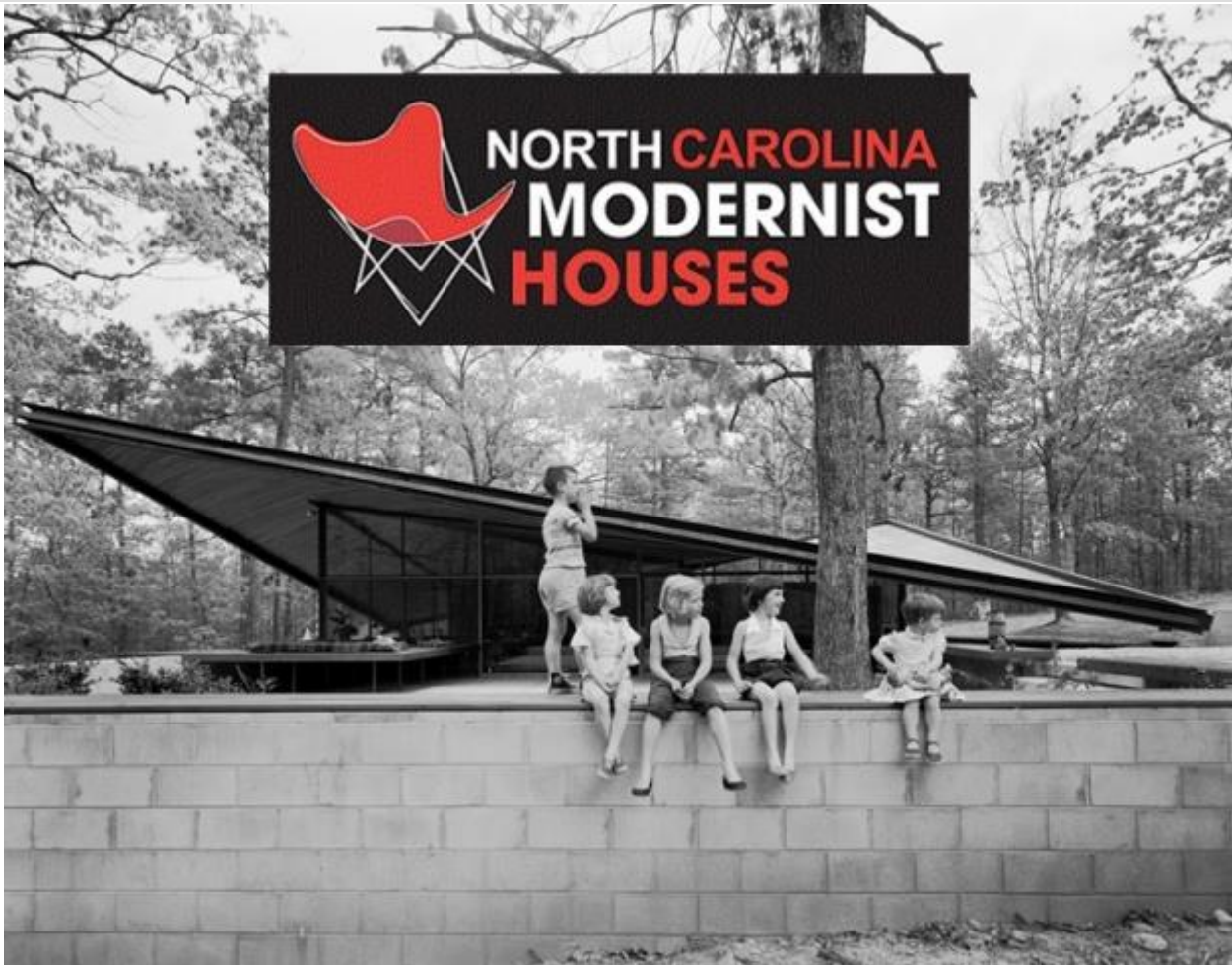


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THE NEWS

- Last time we're gonna say: voting ends tomorrow for the **2015 George Matsumoto Prize** People's Choice award!
- The shortlist for the World Building of the Year.
- **Donald Featherstone**, inventor of the pink flamingo, has left the building.
- As has **Donald Wexler**, famed Modernist architect in Palm Springs.
- **Dion Neutra**, post-Richard Neutra.
- New architect profile: Paul Schweikher.
- New video interview: Michael Ross Kersting.
- NCMH awarded the last Macon Smith Research Grant to **Victoria Bell** to jumpstart a new book on Triangle Modernism.
- The National Trust for Historic Preservation released the 2015 Most Endangered Places.
- Retro Modern Furnishings has a free artist meet-n-greet with **Melissa Hill** for Friday, July 3rd, 6-9pm, 508 St. Mary's Street, Raleigh.
- Reviews of Raleigh's **Mike Welton's** latest book, **Drawing from Practice**, appeared in Architectural Digest, The Architect's Newspaper, The Architect's Toybox, and The Independent Weekly.
- Preservation Durham will travel to Cuba for a general historic preservation trip October 15-21. Please email Wendy Hillis for more information.



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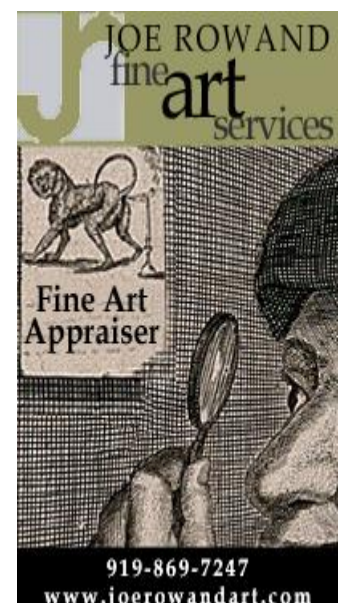
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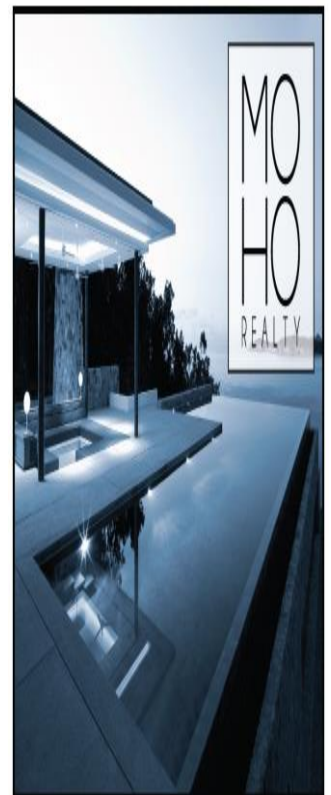




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## The George Matsumoto Prize

Thursday, July 23, 6-8pm. T4A

plus the **2015 Matsumoto Prize Awards**, McConnell Studios, 324 Dupont Circle, Raleigh. Music, food, beer, coffee, and lots of brilliant sculptures all around **Matt McConnell's** studio. Plus, **Modernist Musical Chairs** is back, compliments of **Ivy Simon** of [Palette and Parlor](#) in Chapel Hill. You could walk away with a classic Modernist chair! **Leland Little** of [Leland Little Auctions](#) will be selling a chair and ottoman by **Mitchell Restoration** to the highest bidder. And many door prizes, of course. 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. Free. [Details.](#)

## The Kitchen Specialist





Thursday, August 20, 6-8pm. T4A in Straw Valley, [5420 Durham-Chapel Hill Boulevard](#), Durham. Join architect [Jason Hart](#) of [CUBE design + research](#) for refreshments in Straw Valley's beautiful courtyard to cap off summer! 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. Free. [Details.](#)

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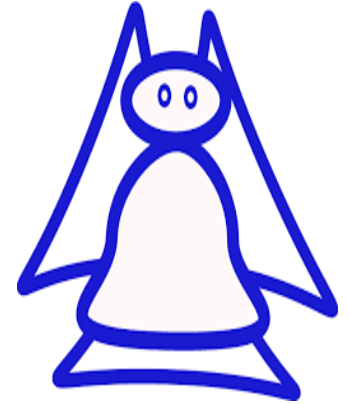
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**Dead Mod Walking 2015:** Now several years vacant, the great old gal's **still standing** but we don't know for how long. Please help NCMH monitor when [Milton Small's](#) masterful [3515 Glenwood building](#), first photo, receives the demolition permit online [here](#). The site was approved last year for a three-story 72,963 square foot replacement, second photo. Or, the owners could change their mind and lease the place, or agree to sell it. **Vacancy helps no one.**



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