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This Saturday, June 10, 10-3pm. NCMH Piedmont  
Modernist Self Drive Tour, Winston-Salem / Lewisville /  
Greensboro NC. \$25/person with a special deal for families.  
You can also buy tickets onsite the day of the tour at Holland  
Street. [Details.](#)


## The George Matsumoto Prize

Voting for the People's Choice Awards in the 2017 George  
Matsumoto Prize starts next Monday! You will see all 17  
entries and vote for your favorites. The top three get special  
awards at the Awards Party in July, see details below.





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Thirst4Architecture, next Thursday, June 15, 6-8pm, [Ellen](#)



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Cassilly Architects hosts their newest completed building at GRUB, 1200 West Chapel Hill Road, Durham. This exciting, informal happy hour is free and open to the public. We welcome Modernist homeowners, architects, artists, designers, realtors, engineers, contractors, property investors, building managers, materials and furniture dealers - or anyone with a huge crush on great architecture. 2017 T4A's are sponsored by realtor Lesley McAdams. First refreshment is free, courtesy of Ellen Cassilly! Details.

## MODA PALOOZA

New: Saturday, September 23. **Modapalooza** is NCMH's twice a year bus tour of new Modernist houses in the Raleigh/Durham/Chapel Hill area of North Carolina. We haven't even announced the houses yet -- and the tour is 2/3 sold out (prior guests and Mod Squad members snapped them up). Details.



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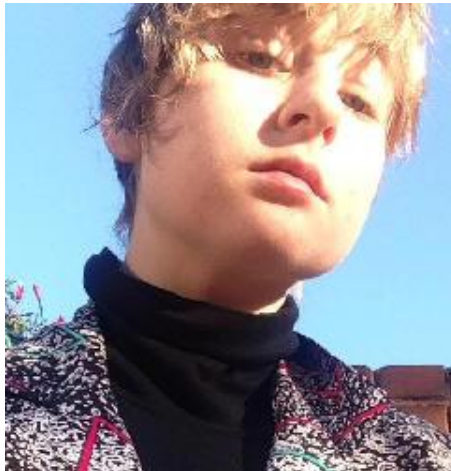
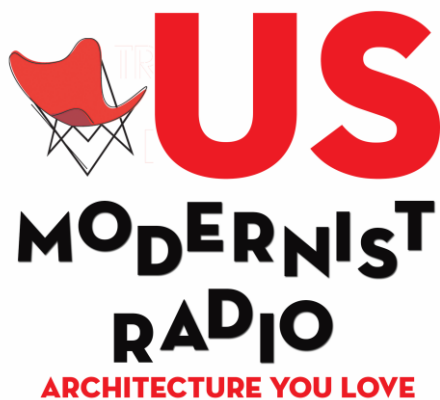
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A [video tribute](#) to Chapel Hill architect [Arthur Cogswell FAIA](#), who died in 2010, from his friends John Lindsey, Dail Dixon, Phil Szostak, and Abie Harris.



Now on US Modernist Radio: Kate Wagner's riotously popular blog [McMansionhell.com](#) tears into the impractically large, ridiculously constructed, and often hilariously furnished monuments to wealth misspent. As a writer for Curbed and other design publications, she has appeared on 99% Invisible and has her own TEDx talk. Like us, she's a fan of Modernist evil lairs, writing on buildings used in film to depict the evil corporation archetype in Robocop, Blade Runner, and The Matrix. She's got a huge following and a new book in the works! US Modernist Radio is sponsored by Sarah Sonke of [ModHomes Realty](#). [Listen on iTunes](#).

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From DOCOMOMO-NY: Frank Lloyd Wright's 150th birthday is June 8, and museums around the US are setting up special exhibitions. At New York's Museum of Modern Art June 12 to October 1, the show "Frank Lloyd Wright at 150: Unpacking the Archive"; at the Guggenheim Museum in New York, there is a special birthday party on June 8; and in Buffalo NY, a series of special events at the Darwin Martin House and Graycliff Estate.

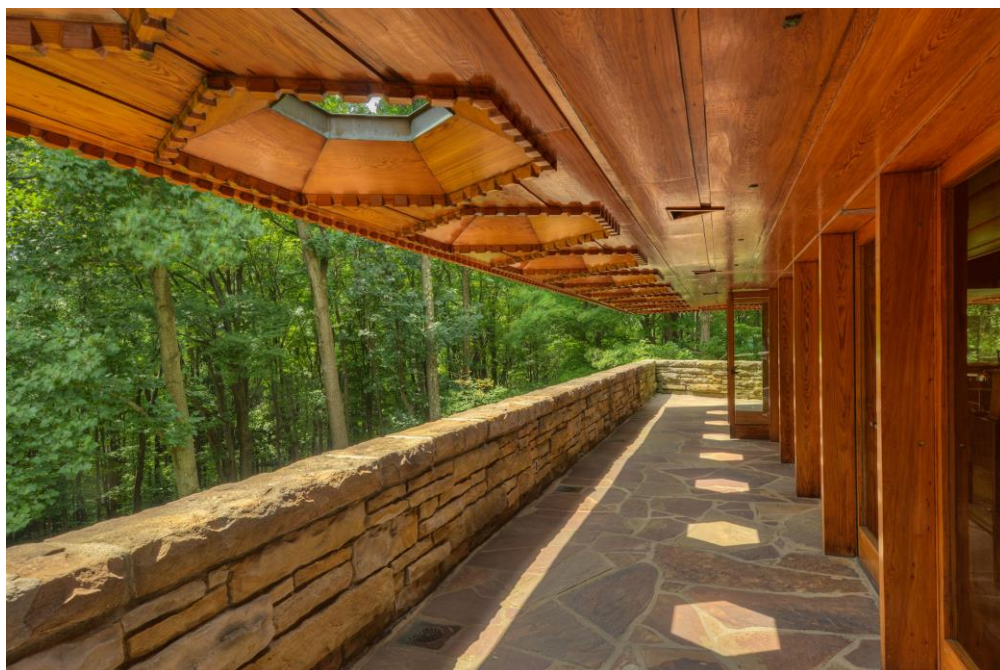
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Want to join our fun crew of Modernist fans - with great benefits? Sign up for the [NCMH Mod Squad!](#)

**Just 7 seats left: The Frank Lloyd Wright/Fallingwater Tour, Thursday-Friday, September 14-15.** Have you always wanted to see Fallingwater, Frank Lloyd Wright's masterpiece? It's the most famous Modernist house in America! Do the Wright thing and join NCMH on our annual trip this fall. Just a few miles away, there's another remarkable Wright house, Kentuck Knob, and a world-class outdoor sculpture garden? Join NCMH and our merry band of architectural adventurers as we make the pilgrimage to Fallingwater. This trip is a once-in-a-lifetime experience! [Details.](#)



**Volunteers Needed in LA:** From the comfort of your laptop,

car, or both, be a **volunteer USModernist field research agent in Los Angeles**. Research classic MCModernist houses online and/or in your car to solve the missing pieces of USModernist, the largest open digital archive for Modernist houses in the world. We're looking to complete our archives on Los Angeles-based architects Gregory Ain, Craig Ellwood, Raphael Soriano, Richard Neutra, John Lautner, Quincy Jones and more all found here. **Field research agents volunteer about two hours a week, or about four hours every other week**. This can be as simple as taking an afternoon to drive around, or a few hours at night to surf the web. Warning: hunting for and researching Modernist houses is seriously addictive, if you're really into architecture. You'll work with NCMH's Chief of Research, Catherine Cramer. Do you have the passion, curiosity, and available time? Send an email with your name, phone number, address, and which architects you're most interested in. Thanks!



NCMH's Executive Director **George Smart** speaks on Mayberry Modernism, North Carolina's legacy of amazing Modernist houses, at three North Carolina locations this summer. Free, just show up!

West Regional Library (Cary) Monday July 10th 7-815 PM

Northeast Regional Library (Raleigh) Thursday July 20th 7-815



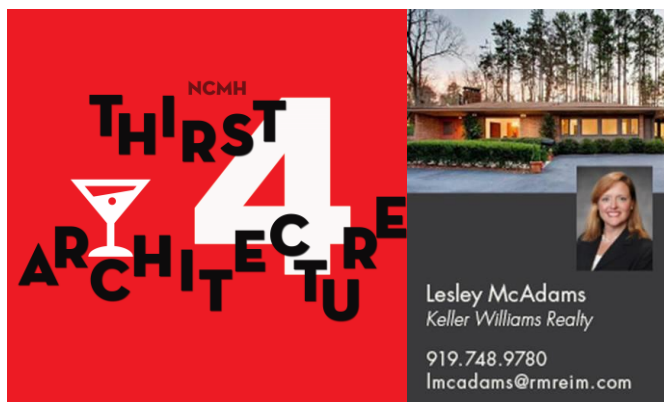
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Eva Perry Regional Library (Apex) Monday, July 24th 7-815

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## The George Matsumoto Prize



The 2017 Matsumoto Prize Awards @

Thirst4Architecture, Thursday, July 27, 6-8pm, McConnell Studios, Dupont Circle, Raleigh. This exciting, informal happy hour is free and open to the public. We welcome Modernist homeowners, architects, artists, designers, realtors, engineers, contractors, property investors, building

managers, materials and furniture dealers - or anyone with a huge crush on great architecture. Awards begin at 7pm. 2017 T4A's are sponsored by commercial and residential realtor [Lesley McAdams](#). Free! [Details](#).



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