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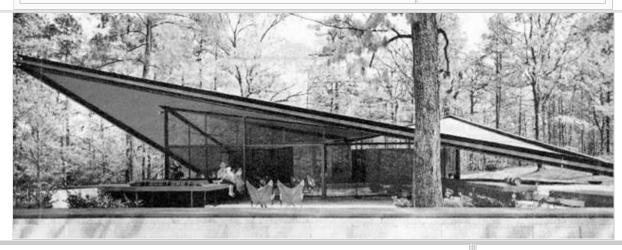


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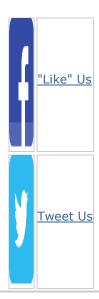
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SOS: <u>Save the Frisco NC Futuro!</u> This is one of the last surviving Futuro's in the US, and the very last in North Carolina. <u>52232 N Carolina 12</u>, Frisco NC. Designed by Finnish



architect Matti Suuronen. Video.





New on US Modernist Radio: June is the 150th anniversary of the birth of Frank Lloyd Wright, the most famous architect in the world, still showing off 58 years after his death. Few architects have come close to Wright's arrogance, brilliance, or incredible output of designs built and unbuilt. Today we talk with Eric Lloyd Wright, grandson of Frank, and son of another famous Modernist, Frank Lloyd Wright, Jr., aka Lloyd Wright. US Modernist Radio is sponsored by Sarah Sonke of ModHomes Realty. Listen on iTunes. For PC's, listen on Libsyn.



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The George Matsumoto Prize



Public voting for the 2017 George Matsumoto Prize for new North Carolina residences starts today and runs through July 20. With a record number of submissions, this year's houses from cities across the state will inspire you! See them all here, and vote for your favorite. Alternatively, email george@ncmodernist.org with your vote. Voting is limited to one vote per e-mail address. Addresses that are or appear to be machine-generated or fraudulent will not be counted. However, if you want to vote more than once, say from a home email and a work email, that's fine. NCMH's decisions on vote eligibility are final. Vote counts will not be released; only the recipients of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. The award ceremony is July 27 at McConnell Studios in Raleigh.

See all the houses here.



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CA, Monday-Sunday, February 19-25, 2018. Enjoy six nights and five days at Modernism Week for all-you-can-eat mid-century Modernist architecture, from art to furnishings to lifestyles to food to music to houses. There's no other place in America with as many mid-century Modernist houses per square mile! Flight, hotel, private tours, exclusive eye-popping Hollywood-style parties, and a walkable prime hotel location in Palm Springs. Our own private open bar. Did we





forget to mention free Uber service? In past years we were sipping by the pool inside **Leonardo DiCaprio's** house and **Kirk Douglas'** house (Leo and Kirk, sad to say, were not).

Details here.

Curbed shares some amazing <u>Instagram design-oriented</u> <u>accounts</u> to follow!



Readers of INDY Week voted <u>Sophie Piesse</u> Best Architect in Orange/Chatham counties in the <u>Best of the Triangle 2017</u>.



The Frank Lloyd Wright/Fallingwater Tour, September 14-15, is sold out. We are taking a waiting list - just reply with your name, number of people, and phone number. This trip is a once-in-a-lifetime experience! <u>Details</u>.

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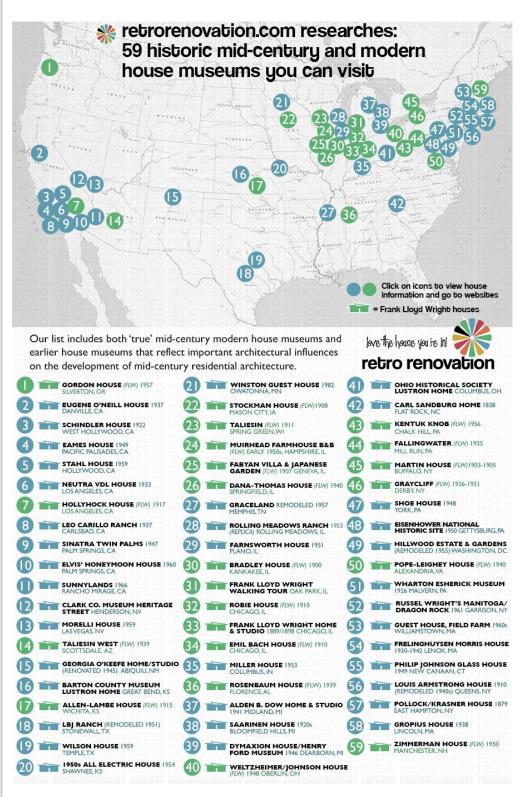






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announced last week and the winners are impressive!



Retro Renovation's great new Modernist Museum map!



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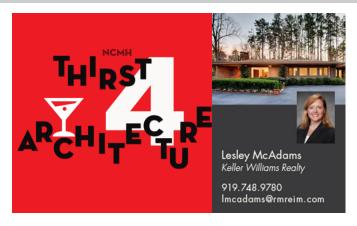
NCMH's Executive Director **George Smart** speaks on <u>Mayberry</u> <u>Modernism</u>, North Carolina's legacy of amazing Modernist houses, at three locations this summer. Free, just show up!

West Regional Library (Cary) Monday July 10th 7-815 PM
Northeast Regional Library (Raleigh) Thursday July 20th 7-815
PM

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



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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.

PORT of RALEIGH



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