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## **Architecture You *LOVE***



**Monday, April 30, 2018**

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Next newsletter: May 14.



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## News and Events

# The George Matsumoto Prize

Submissions close **tomorrow, Tuesday, May 1, 5pm EST**, for the **2018 George Matsumoto Prize**, North Carolina's highest honor exclusively for new residential Modernist design. The Matsumoto Prize recognizes excellence for new single-family Modernist houses in the state built in the last five years. This year's esteemed Matsumoto Prize Jury is **Deborah Berke, Phil Freelon, Joel Turkel, Harry Wolf, Edward Lalonde, Susan Saarinen, and Alexandra Lange**. [Details here](#).

[Mapping the great Modernist concrete buildings of Chicago](#). Hat tip to **Daniel Perrin**.

[Modernism in the movie The Incredibles](#). There's a sequel due out soon! Hat tip to **Virginia Faust**.



**Marcel Breuer's** Piorelli building in New Haven CT will be converted to a hotel. Any guesses on where they'll get the



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furniture? Hat tip to **Catherine Cramer**.

Losing Britain's Modernist buildings. DWELL on Alden Dow.  
Hat tips to **Daniel Perrin**.

Architect Ellen Cassilly was featured recently in Durham Magazine. One more hat tip to **Virginia Faust**.

**Craig Ellwood**, the Cary Grant of mid-century architecture. Cranbrook gets a cool gift - a Frank Lloyd Wright house! The hat tips twice more to **Daniel Perrin**.

**Bohlin Cywinski Jackson** rocks it with a Modernist firehouse in Seattle. The hat has clocked out for the day.



New to the NCMH Architects Archive: Atwood Skinner of Wilson NC.

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**May 5-6, 12-5pm each day:** The **Green Home Tour** features sustainable design and construction around the Triangle. Of Modernist note, the Runnymede House, designed by **Louis Cherry** and built by **BuildSense**; the Duke Forest House, designed and built by **BuildSense**; a NetZero house designed by **Arielle Schechter** (photo above) built by **Newphire**, and a house by **Ellen Cassilly** also built by **Newphire**. [Details.](#)





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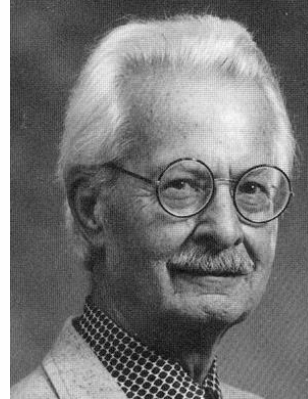
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**Saturday-Sunday, May 5 and 6:** Preservation Durham's spring tour is about the late Victorian era between 1890 and 1910. Thousands of new homes were built – from millionaires' mansions to modest mill houses. [Details and tickets.](#)



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**Sunday, May 6:** Preservation of Wilson's 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Garden Party and Art Show, 1120 Watson Drive, Wilson, at a Modernist house designed by [Jack Rowland](#), built in 1956 for John and Anne Hackney. Starts at 430pm. Free to members, or join for \$25. Register at the door, [website](#), or [kfb@preservationofwilson.com](mailto:kfb@preservationofwilson.com).

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**Thursday, May 17, 6-8pm**, The Rivers Agency, 601 West Rosemary Street, Chapel Hill. Visit **Phil Szostak's** award-winning office design housing one of North Carolina's most innovative marketing agencies. Thirst4Architecture is our free monthly party for anyone with a huge crush on Modernist architecture - sponsored throughout 2018 by Modernist realtor Angela Roehl. Details.



**Friday, May 25, 830am**, Contemporary Art Museum, in downtown Raleigh. NCMH is proud to sponsor **Creative Mornings**, a free breakfast lecture series for the Triangle creative community. **Stop by the NCMH table for a delightful morning beverage and free gift!** Details.



**Saturday, May 26, 10-4pm**, Asheville NC. Modern Atlanta's satellite tour features a number of new and renovated Modernist houses, including Matsumoto Prize winning architect Scott Huebner (photo above). [Details and tickets.](#)



# Audio Advice

**Thursday, June 21, 6-8pm**, [Audio Advice](#), 8621 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh. See the latest in audio and video, home



theatre, and entertainment technology!

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Sign up now for NCMH's **Frank Lloyd Wright** Fallingwater trip Sept 23-24! **Wright's** internationally-acclaimed masterpiece of residential Modernist design, plus two more Wright houses (Kentuck Knob and the Duncan House), flight, hotel, transportation, tours, and meals are all included! Act quickly, this bucket list trip always sells out! [Details and tickets](#).



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- 1** May 18 at **CAM** . **5:30pm** - "TED Style" talks by architects and designers from New York City's Hudson Yards project, moderated by Steve Schuster . Reception at **The Dillon**  
**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**
- 2** May 19 at **Citrix** - All day design charrette to re-imagine the 81.2 acre property currently occupied by Central Prison and the Morehead School for the Blind  
**DESIGN PROFESSIONALS**
- 3** May 20 at **NCSU Burns Auditorium** . **12:30pm** - Ideas Presentation from the design charrette  
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