

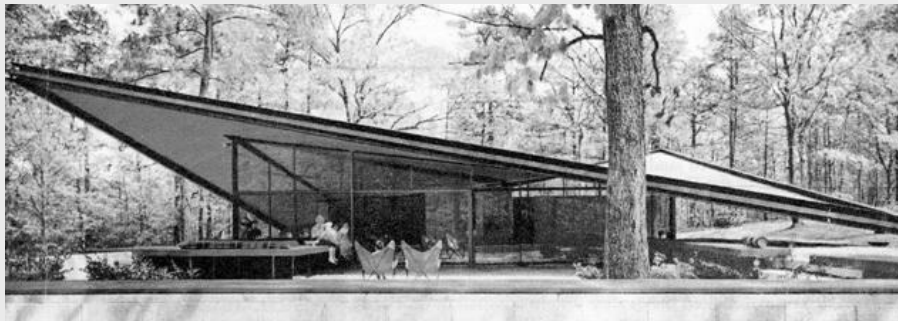
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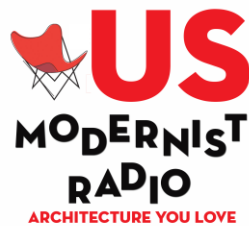
The George Matsumoto Prize

This Thursday, July 26, 6-8pm, join NCMH for our Thirst4Architecture plus the George Matsumoto Prize Awards, at McConnell Studios, 324 Dupont Circle, Raleigh. Thirst4Architecture is our free monthly party for anyone with a huge crush on Modernist architecture - sponsored throughout 2018 by Modernist realtor Angela Roehl. Details.



modernism week™

Half sold out! Tuesday-Sunday, February 19-24, Modernism Week in Palm Springs CA. Travel with NCMH and USModernist to Modernism Week for all-you-can-eat mid-century Modernist architecture, from art to furnishings to lifestyles to food to houses. There's no other place in America with as many mid-century Modernist houses per square mile! You'll fly to Los Angeles direct from RDU, then we have a private coach to Palm Springs. Are breakfasts included? Yes. Lodging? The swanky Skylark, photo above, of course! Plus private tours, exclusive eye-popping Hollywood-style parties, and a walkable location in Palm Springs. Our own private open bar. Did we forget to mention free Uber service? Wow, that's incredible! Indeed. It's the most fun trip we do all year. [Details here.](#)





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Craig Ellwood was not a licensed architect but to his Los Angeles design clients he was a true design genius, and he could sell, too. Derided by the architecture profession of which he was formally not a part, he rose to public fame when three of his designs were included in the iconic Case Study House series. His houses are still incredibly prized today. **Michael Boyd** is a landscape, furniture, and architectural designer. He is the principal of BoydDesign, a consultancy for the restoration and preservation of Modernist architecture – and listen to this, kids, he lives in **Oscar Niemeyer's** only North American house. If you don't know who Oscar Niemeyer is, start googling. Michael is the creator of PLANEfurniture, a line of architectural furnishings featured at the SF MOMA, The Palm Springs Museum, and the University of California Santa Barbara. His new book, Making L A Modern, is about the man, the myth, the designer **Craig Ellwood** - and he joins us from that amazing Niemeyer house in Santa Monica.

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The Brady Bunch house is for sale in Los Angeles for the first time in almost 50 years. It's reportedly the 2nd most photographed house in America. Dad Mike Brady was an architect in the show, and this house was the epitome of TV living in the 1970's.



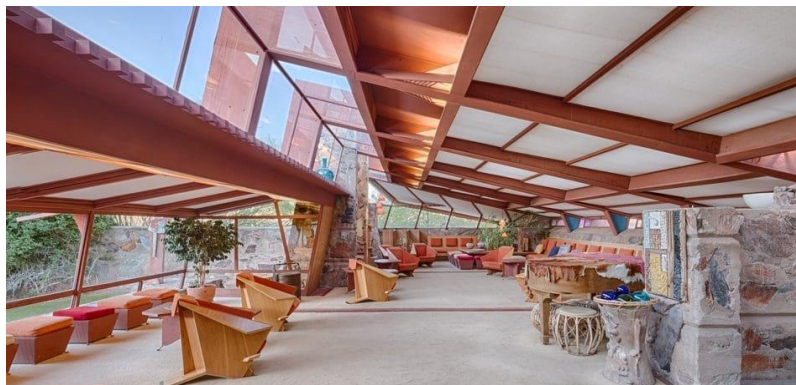
Ellen Cassilly was one of 13 women recently honored as one of the Women of Achievement by Durham Magazine. She will also be honored in November as an Outstanding Alumni of the College of Architecture of Texas A&M University.



Gene Jones AIA of Raleigh passed away last week. He was among the first students to graduate from the NC State School of Design under Henry Kamphoefner. In 1960, he joined the firm of F. Carter Williams Architects, where he worked until retirement in 1995. He worked on landmarks such as Minges Coliseum at ECU, Jones Chapel at Meredith College, Athens Drive High School, and Carroll Middle School. NCMH interviewed him last year.



Saturday, October 27. The BBQ Train! It's NCMH's second foodie outing - this time to the biggest BBQ festival in North Carolina! The Barbecue Festival is recognized as one of the Top Ten Food Festivals in America by Travel & Leisure Magazine, has been declared a Library of Congress Local Legacy Event, and won more than fifty awards including mention as One of Ten Great Places to Celebrate Food by USA Today. All aboard! Join the NCMH crew as we travel to Lexington on our own **private air-conditioned, wifi-equipped, restroom-equipped Amtrak car!** [Details and tickets.](#)



Only 2 seats left! November 1-5: NCMH's Phoenix Tour featuring Taliesin West and Paolo Soleri's Arcosanti. If you're into Modernist architecture, you don't want to miss our trip to Phoenix where **Frank Lloyd Wright** made his western headquarters at Taliesin. Enjoy four nights and five days of sunny mid-century architecture, from houses to art to furnishings to lifestyles to food to more houses! Includes everything: flights, hotel, tours, transportation, and most meals. [Tickets and details.](#)



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Thursday, August 16, 6-8pm. Join architects **Doug Pierson** and **Youn Choi** of POD Architecture and Design, 201A East Main Street, Carrboro. Their office is inside the old Carrboro train station! Thirst4Architecture is our free monthly party for anyone with a huge crush on Modernist architecture - sponsored throughout 2018 by Modernist realtor [Angela Roehl](#). [Details](#).



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Thursday, September 20, 6-8pm. Join **Leo Gaev** and his crew in

Carrboro for our first gathering of the fall. Thirst4Architecture is our free monthly party for anyone with a huge crush on Modernist architecture - sponsored throughout 2018 by Modernist realtor [Angela Roehl](#). [Details](#).



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Learn about the work of USModernist through our new video - shot in Palm Springs last February during Modernism Week - with special guests Alan Hess and Mark Davis.



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