

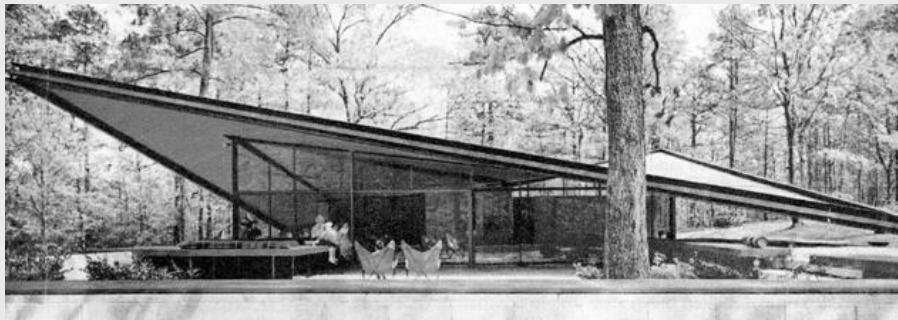
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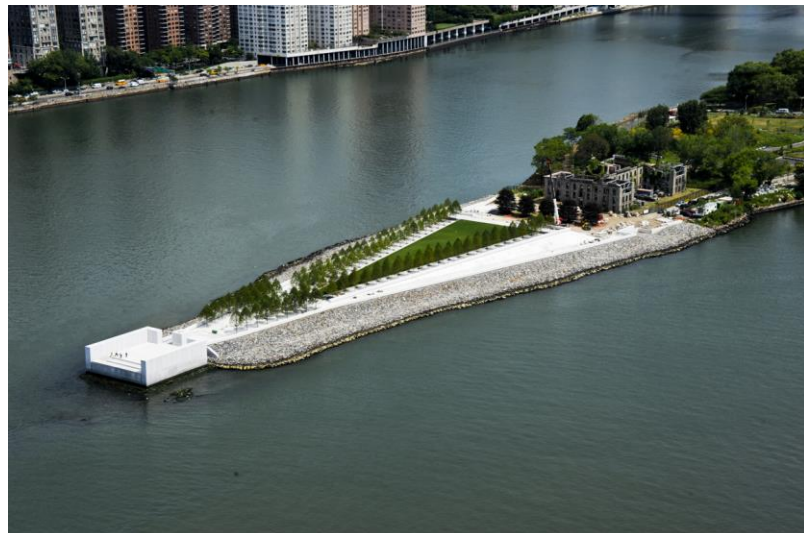


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New on USModernist Radio: Louis Kahn was one of the most brilliant and enigmatic architects of the 20th century. He died in 1974. There's a stirring and brilliant documentary about his life that you should watch, filmed by his son, called *My Architect*. Kahn taught at Yale and the University of Pennsylvania most of his career. He didn't do a lot of buildings but he was famous for almost all of them plus many fascinating unbuilt projects. One of those was the Four Freedoms memorial to Franklin Delano Roosevelt on Roosevelt Island in New York City. It was on the drawing boards when Kahn died. The project languished for decades and wasn't finished until 2012. The architecture firm Mitchell Giurgola in New York ultimately took Kahn's design and faithfully executed it to much international acclaim. Host **George Smart** does a West Wing walk-n-talk with **Paul Broches**, the Mitchell Giurgola partner in charge of Four Freedoms. They met at the tram station on the East side near the Queensboro Bridge. After a while exploring the memorial, they met one of the show's favorite guests. Can you guess who?

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This week we learned the UrbanEden house, built by UNC-Charlotte for the 2013 Solar Decathlon competition and in storage for years, has been recycled (evidently some time ago). Competitions provide students unique experience in design and construction. It's expensive and time-consuming to enter whole house competitions, so congrats to UNCC's team for giving it a go!

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Honoring pioneering architect Minnette De Silva.

The worst passwords to have in 2018.

Richard Rogers wins the AIA 2019 Gold Medal.

Thinking about the future of Penn Station.

The case for architecture education in primary and secondary schools. The beauty of Raleigh's Union Station and The Dillon, by **Mike Welton**.



Join **the NCMH Mod Squad!** Membership provides support for NCMH to document, preserve, and promote Modernist residential architecture throughout the state and the nation. Benefits vary by level. [Check it out!](#)



Frank Harmon speaks at Scuppernong Books, 304 South Elm Street, Greensboro 27401 on January 27 at 3:00.

One of the most cherished architecture guidebooks [prints it's 6th edition.](#)

Where is the most Bauhaus? [It's Tel Aviv](#) with 4,000 buildings!

Hat tips to **Virginia Faust, Catherine Cramer, Sarah Sonke,** and **Daniel Perrin.**



[ModHomes](#) Architecture Movie Series, **Double Feature, Tuesday, January 8, 7pm,** at the Alamo Drafthouse, Raleigh. **Glenn Murcutt: A Spirit of Place** explores the life and art of Australia's most famous living architect. Murcutt's extraordinary international reputation rests on international awards (including the prestigious Pritzker Prize) putting Australian architecture on the world map. And yet, by choice, he has never built outside his own country.



But first, it's **Rendered Small**, the story of the private collection of American folk art buildings that have been meticulously curated and displayed by **Steven Burke & Randy Campbell** in Hillsborough, North Carolina. Stay for Q&A after the movie with collectors Steven & Randy plus producers **Marsha Gordon and Louis Cherry**.

The Alamo Drafthouse has a full bar, over 50 draft beers, a restaurant menu (the food is great), and service at your movie seat or in their huge lobby. Mod Squad Terrazzo Level members get in free until capacity is reached, so get there early and relax! General public, \$11/person. Hang out afterwards in the lobby and catch up with friends! Sponsored by **Sarah Sonke** of ModHomes Realty, **NC State University Libraries**, and **in situ studio**. Details.





Thursday, January 17, 6-8pm, join **Carole Marcotte** at **Form and Function**, her supercool building and store at Five Points, 1700 Glenwood, Raleigh, renovated by **Tonic Design**. Thirst4Architecture is our **free monthly party** for anyone with a huge crush on Modernist architecture - sponsored throughout 2019 by Modernist realtor [Angela Roehl](#). [Details](#).



ModHomes Architecture Movie Series, Tuesday, February 5, 7pm, at the Alamo Drafthouse, Raleigh. **Big Time: Bjarke Ingels** explores the hottest architect on the planet right now. With major projects spanning the globe, he's the new Frank Lloyd Wright (minus the arrogance). The Alamo Drafthouse has a full bar, over 50 draft beers, a restaurant menu (the food is great), and service at your movie seat or in their huge lobby. Mod Squad Terrazzo Level members get in free until capacity is reached, so get there early and relax! General public, \$11/person. Hang out

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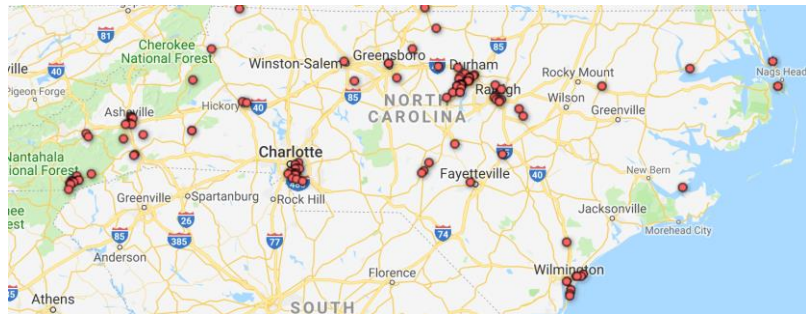
Thursday, February 28, 6-8pm, join **Will Alphin** of [re.design.build](#), at the new 926 Tower Street Project, Raleigh. It's the first of four new Modernist houses on that street. Thirst4Architecture is our **free monthly party** for anyone with a huge crush on Modernist architecture - sponsored throughout 2019 by Modernist realtor [Angela Roehl](#). [Details](#).



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