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Happy Holidays!

North Carolina Modernist Houses (NCMH) is a 501C3 nonprofit educational archive that provides donors, volunteers, and advocates the information and organization they require to passionately engage the documentation, preservation, and promotion of residential Modernist architecture. Learn more at www.ncmodernist.org.
NCMH’s 10th annual Fallingwater tour is September 13-14! Voyage with fellow architecture fans to Fallingwater, Frank Lloyd Wright’s internationally-acclaimed masterpiece of residential Modernist design. You’ll also experience two more Wright houses (Kentuck Knob and the Duncan House), plus the flight, hotel, transportation, tours, and meals are all included! Act quickly, this tour always sells out. Details and tickets.

New on USModernist Radio: Along with co-host Erin Sterling Lewis, winner of the 2018 AIA Young Architects Award, host George Smart welcomes Joe Rodota, author of The Watergate, a history of the iconic Washington DC building designed by Luigi
Is your business (food, art, architecture, construction, furniture, fixtures) looking for customers who love good design? Up to 200 people attend our monthly design parties. The next one could be at your office or studio - or at a client location showing off your work. Email Rebekah Laney, rebekah@ncmodernist.org.

Moretti with many famous residents. Oh yeah, and there was that break-in. Rodota served as a writer and communications manager in the Reagan White House and as an aide to California Governors Pete Wilson and Arnold Schwarzenegger.

USModernist Radio is sponsored by Angela Roehl, your special real estate agent for Modernist houses. Listen via iTunes. Listen on Android devices and PC's. Learn about the show and see past episodes.

Mod Squad Special 33% off! Our biggest sale of the year through 5pm today! Shopping for gifts? Membership in the Mod Squad makes a perfect holiday treat for friends, family, or even yourself! Details.

There are many benefits to joining the Mod Squad, for example, at 5pm today, Mod Squad members get special advance access to purchase April 13 Modapalooza tickets!

The cost of an architecture degree. A Don Hershey
house in danger in NY. A Bucky dome in danger on Cape Cod. Where are all the female architects?

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.

Sunday, January 27 at 3pm. Frank Harmon speaks and has a booksigning at Scuppernong Books, 304 South Elm Street, Greensboro.
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.

Join the NCMH volunteer team and become part of the movement documenting, preserving, and promoting residential Modernist design in North Carolina!
Vacancy, not development, is the enemy of mid-century Modernist houses. Preserve and protect the architecture you love by buying or renting before the bulldozers come a few years from now. Visit our exclusive statewide list!
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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