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This Saturday, April 20, 10am-2pm, Durham

Friday-Saturday, September 13-14: Have you always wanted to see Fallingwater, Frank Lloyd Wright's masterpiece? Do the Wright thing and join USModernist's annual tour! Includes Kentuck Knob and three more Wright-associated houses. A wonderful experience! Details and tickets.
Saturday-Sunday, November 2-3: Most people don't realize that South Carolina has a complex of buildings designed by Frank Lloyd Wright called Auldbrass. The complex is only open two days a year - and not every year. Join USModernist as we tour Auldbrass plus more! [Details and tickets.]

SOCIAL / NETWORKING EVENTS

Thirst4Architecture, Thursday, May 16, 6-8pm, Leo Gaev Metalworks / Custom Stone & Marble, at their new location: 616 NC Hwy 54 West, Chapel Hill.
Thirst4Architecture, Thursday, June 20, 6-8pm, Horse & Buggy Press and Friends, 1116 Broad Street, Suite 101, Durham.
Thirst4Architecture,
Thursday, July 25, 6-8pm,
hosted by McConnell
Studios, Raleigh. Featuring
the 2019 George
Matsumoto Prize Awards,
powered by Nichiha.
Free, admission, drinks, and food! Thirst4Architecture events welcome anyone with a huge crush on great architecture. The 2019 Thirst4Architecture Series is sponsored by Modernist Realtor Angela Roehl.
New on USModernist Radio!

Palm Springs has a huge architecture event called Modernism Week every February. It's a fascinating array of architecture, lectures, parties, tours, exhibits, and the occasional plastic surgery gone awry. Host George Smart was there earlier this year talking with nearly all the speakers, authors, and special guests who make the week (actually 11 days) a blast!

Today from poolside at the swanky Hotel Skylark, George Smart welcomes one of the show's favorite guests - it's Ms. Modernism, Annalisa Capurro from Australia, who has logged more Modernism Week miles than anyone in the world. Next, the founder of the Palm Springs Modern Committee, Peter Moruzzi. And we wrap up with Modernism Week CEO Chris Mobley. Learn about how to build one of the most successful Modernist events in the world - and a super toilet village! 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, View past and future show descriptions.
The 2019 George Matsumoto Prize is North Carolina's highest honor exclusively for Modernist residential architecture. The state's best Modernist houses are chosen by a
The competition is open to any designer or architect of any Modernist house located in North Carolina with a CO on or after 1/1/2014. $3,500 in prizes and a great awards party at McConnell Studios in Raleigh! Details and competition rules. Submission deadline is May 1. The 2019 George Matsumoto prize is powered by Nichiha - Making Modern Beautiful.

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From the AIA South Atlantic Conference in Asheville NC: in situ studio of Raleigh NC (Erin Sterling Lewis and Matt Griffith) won ALL the residential design awards this year. Three out of three. A true sweep. Well done!

**DID YOU KNOW**

Frank Gehry and Paul Goldberger have a chat at the Glass House. Architecture Record announces its Record Houses 2019. Modernism 101: how to tell different styles apart. Past shows of USModernist Radio are now available on YouTube. Fascinating future floating cities. NCM's George Smart speaks today at the AIA South Atlantic Conference in Asheville NC. Hat tips to Daniel Perrin and Virginia Faust.

You can join the NCM volunteer team and become part of the movement documenting, preserving, and promoting residential Modernist design in North Carolina!
Available now: An Architectural Guidebook to Los Angeles, 6th Edition by David Gebhard and Robert Winter / revised and updated by Robert Inman and Robert Winter. Since its first publication in 1965, this Bible of Los Angeles architecture has explored every rich corner of LA. USModernist.org is mentioned as a resource, for which we are greatly honored!

Available May 21: New Chinese Architecture, by Austin Williams, foreward by Zhang Xin. This book explores the work of twenty leading female architects living and working in China today. Over the past decade, China’s new generation of female architects have proven talented, confident, innovative, and successful on the world stage.
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