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An Australian architect's personal tribute to Doug Michels. – WTC memorial competition: shielding the jury and its monumental task. – A Wrightian vision for Baghdad is not bad at all. – Guggenheim a no-go in Brazil. – Russia's Mariinsky Theater to have a golden envelope with a French accent. – A sizeable award for a winning wilderness base camp design. – Defining the difference (finally): "Smart growth is the fleece jacket made of 100-percent recycled plastic bottles; New Urbanism flashes a little leather and fur" (ah-ha!). – Examining urbanism from Downtown, Anywhere to Dubai, Washington, DC, Brooklyn, NY, and even a Colorado ski resort town. – Finding the connection between affirmative action and Michael Graves. – A look at Los Angeles' newest (and one its largest) gallery spaces. – A few Canadian design gurus list their favorite things. – Landmark gems in Manhattan.

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[Competition: Palisades Glacier Mountain Hut \(wilderness base camp facility\): \\$25,000 award; deadline: December 5](#)- University of California, Berkeley, College of Environmental Design

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