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## Project BauHow Update



Last Friday, NCMH's Project BauHow traveled to Mayodan NC giving 16 CAD systems to McMichael High School. Watch the [video](#). The complete BauHow story, including the Project's first installation in Rolesville, is [here](#).

## News This Week

- Modernist house [on a truck!](#) Hat tip to **Allen Spalt**.



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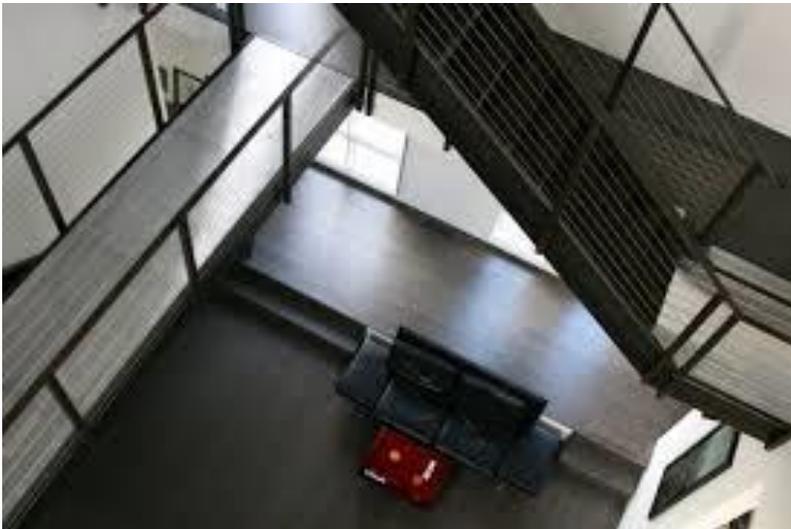
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- Mike Welton on the [Spring House](#) by Buildsense.
- [FLW furniture so treasured](#) that the company actually has employees scanning the web for it. Hat tip to **Duffy Healey**.
- Max Eternity on [Laidey Street's Monolithic Modern in San Francisco](#). Hat tip to **Max Eternity**.
- [Building houses from reclaimed stuff](#). Hat tip to **Eleanor Stell**.
- Preservation Durham and Preservation North Carolina co-host a trip to Cuba April 6-12, 2014. [Details](#).
- Four Robert Mallet-Stevens chairs [for sale](#).
- **Knock Knock** is a monthly collaboration between NCMH and the Durham Herald-Sun on Triangle Modernist houses. This week, [the Rosenberg-Reeves House in Durham by Tonic Design and Tonic Construction](#).

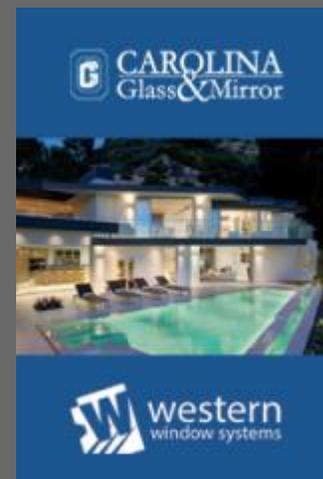
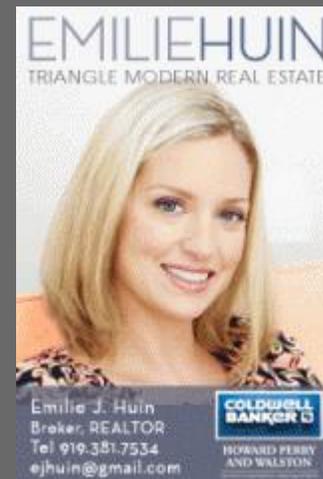
## Meet Matsumoto Winners at NCMH Appetite4Architecture (A4A) Dinner



The Rank House by Katherine Hogan and Vinny Petrarca.



[Modernist Houses For Sale or Rent](#). Keeping Modernist houses occupied is the best way to save them! Check this exclusive statewide list.





The Dragonfly House by Michael Ross Kersting.



The Chasen House by Erin Sterling Lewis and Matt Griffith.



Trig Modern, a modern furnishings store owned by Lee Tripi and Bob Drake, is at 328 West Jones Street, Raleigh.



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**Meet Wendy Rowe, NCMH Director of Partner Relations:** Wendy Rowe brings over thirty years of sales, marketing, and management expertise to leverage NCMH's growing presence and influence across the state. Her experience includes media planning and advertising for The NBA, Citibank, and Chemical Bank. Rowe graduated Magna Cum Laude from Duke University's Trinity College with a



Mountain Cabin by Chad Everhart.

Want to meet and talk design with the winners of the 2013 Matsumoto Prize? Kick around ideas about a renovation or new Modernist house? Break bread with Vinny Petrarca and Katherine Hogan, Erin Sterling Lewis, Chad Everhart, Michael Ross Kersting, and Matt Griffith at the delicious 18 Seaboard in Raleigh. A4A is Tuesday, January 14, 7pm. This will sell out, so act now! [Details](#).

## **NCMH Magazine Scan-a-Thon Needs Volunteers**

BA in Political Science and an MBA from The Fuqua School of Business. She was a key fundraiser for Duke University and in the 1999 Special Olympics World Games she was instrumental in raising over \$40 million. [wendy@ncmodernist.org](mailto:wendy@ncmodernist.org).



80,000 pages last week! Hang out with fellow architecture geeks scanning 1000's of beautiful old architecture magazines at the "ScanLab," our office at 5409 Pelham Road, Durham. Reply for shift choices, roughly 2.5 hour slots 12-8pm each day. You get to keep the magazines you like! Music, food, we rock!



## Movie: If You Build It

NCMH's **MODTriangle Architecture Movie Series** continues at the Raleigh Grande on Wednesday January 8 at

730pm, with "If You Build It," a documentary on bringing architecture and design thinking to Martin County, North Carolina. The movie series is sponsored by Sarah Sonke of MODTriangle and brings new and hard-to-find architecture films, visually stunning on the 50-foot screen and digital sound system! Additional sponsors include VMZINC, Kontek Systems, A+S Design, and CAM Raleigh. Free for Mod Squad members, \$9 for the public. [Details and the movie trailer are here.](#)

From the director of **Wordplay** comes a captivating look at a radically innovative approach to education. **If You Build It** follows designer-activists Emily Pilloton and Matthew Miller to rural Bertie county, the poorest in North Carolina, where they work with local high school students to transform both their community and their lives. Living on credit and grant money and fighting a change-resistant school board, Pilloton and Miller lead their students through a year-long, full-scale design and build project that does much more than just teach basic construction skills: it shows thirteen teenagers the power of design-thinking to re-invent not just their town but their own sense of what's possible. Sponsored by:



presents...

Could your house be a Raleigh Historic Landmark?



Photo, courtesy Capital City Camera Club

Above: After, with Addition

Join NCMH  
to learn the perks of landmarking your Modernist treasure. Nick Fountain, owner of the Fadum House, will share his experience in designating his landmark, working with the Raleigh Historic Development Commission to complete a rehabilitation with a significant addition.



Right: Before

Come at 630pm for a special workshop, free with your \$9 movie admission, by the Raleigh Historic Development Commission on **designating your property a Modern Raleigh Historic Landmark.** Nick Fountain, owner of the Fadum House, designed by Jim Fitzgibbon, will share his experience renovating a historic Modernist structure and working with the RHDC.

## National Endangerment Alert: Edward Durell Stone's Johnson

## House



The 1954 Walter and Edith Johnson House in Darien CT, aka the Dogtrot House, was designed by Edward Durrell Stone and has been lovingly maintained over the decades by just two owners. This was Stone's final work to outwardly emulate Wrightian detailing, a practice that began with Stone's visit to Taliesin in 1940. The owner needs our help. She is fending off offers that involve teardown due to the large acreage. Read more about the house from Stone's son, architect Hicks Stone, [here](#). Please spread the word to Modernists in the CT area or those thinking of moving. Get them in touch with agent Mary Lopiano at (203) 912-4694.

**National Alert: Richard Neutra's  
Pariser House in Uniontown PA**



NCMH visited the Pariser House at 27 Judith Street in Uniontown PA during the [2012 Fallingwater trip](#). At the time, the house was vacant and not in the greatest shape, but this past year the family renovated the interior and installed new water, gas, and GFI service and a total re-stain for the beautiful exterior. [MLS listing with photos](#). [Article in the Pittsburgh Post Gazette](#). At \$185,000, it may be the least expensive Neutra house in America! The Pariser family seeks our help finding a caring Modernist buyer.

Celebrate Abie Harris' 80th Birthday  
with a Retrospective Exhibit



60 years of Drawing and Painting

# Visual THINKING

*Roundabout Art Collective*  
Friday, January 3, 2014, 6-9 PM  
305 Oberlin Road, Raleigh, NC 27605

*Abie's Studio and Gallery*  
Saturday, January 4, 2014, 2-5 PM  
222 Hawthorne Road, Raleigh, NC 27605



*Charlotte V. Wainwright, Hon. AIA, Curator*  
www.roundaboutartcollective.com  
919.747.9495 • Wed-Sat 11am-5pm; Sun 1-5pm  
(plenty of parking in back of Roundabout)

Both events are open to the public. Learn more about [Abie Harris](#).

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