

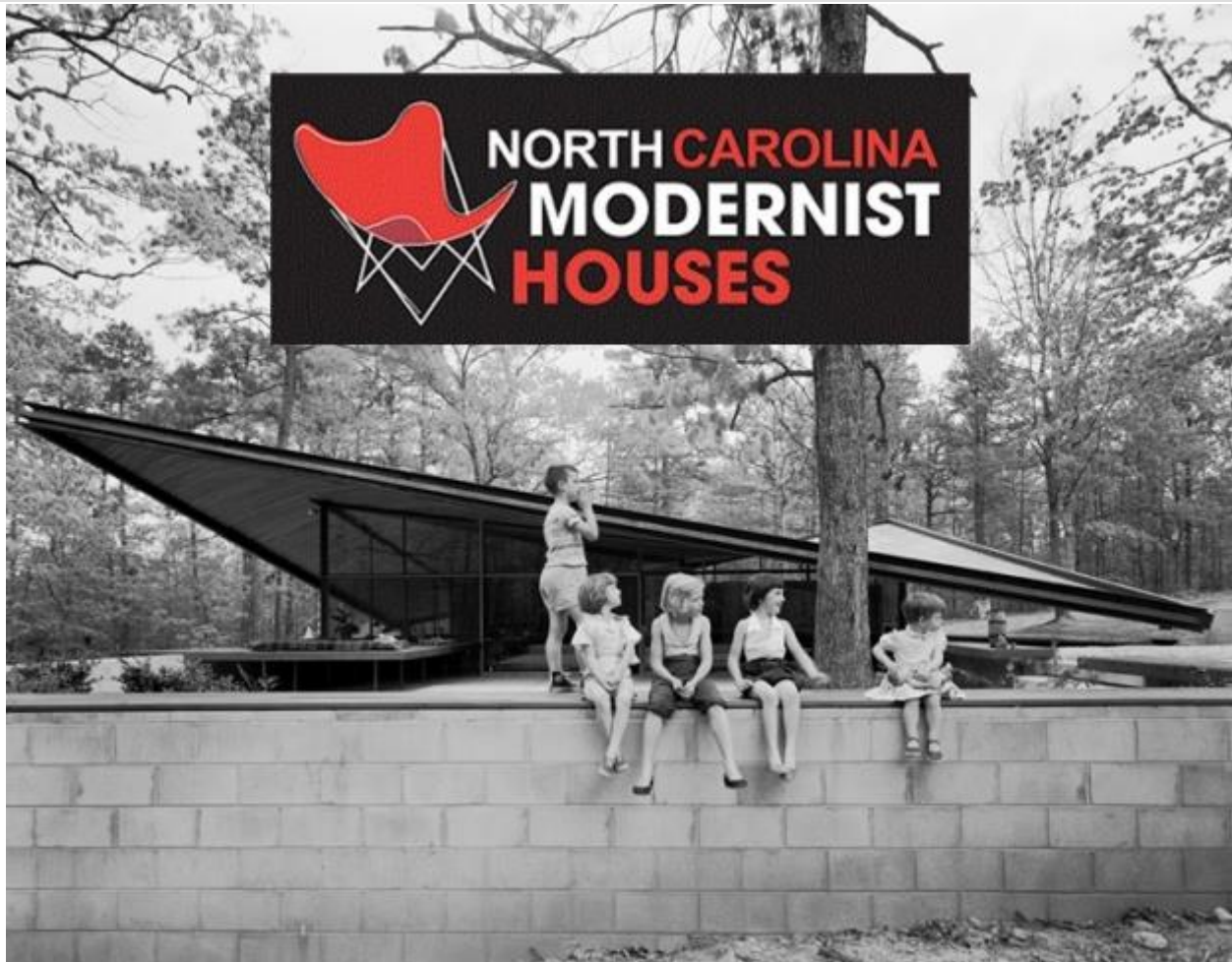
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THE NEWS



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- LAX loses the iconic Encounter restaurant (closed, but not yet destroyed).
- Bauhaus meets basketball in fashion.
- The MoMA expansion knocks out the fairly recent Folk Art Museum: pro and con. Deeper story into the rift - between four architects - from the New York Times.
- The Zombie Apocalypse Bunker House, designed by KWK Promes, located in Warsaw, Poland.
- A special Cassilhaus exhibition and auction in support of the new photography studio at Penland School of Crafts.



- Cherry vs. Weisner: an architect and his Modernist house (already under construction) battles one really mad Oakwood



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NIMBY. Is this a nice addition to the diversity of the neighborhood or an abhorrent barnacle on the jewel that is Oakwood? Decide for yourself with Cherry's proposal which got him the building permits and the official public Raleigh Historic District Commission (RHDC) files which includes statements by Cherry, Weisner, and others. Weisner is not just upset about the house; she's also challenging the way RHDC members are chosen. Stay tuned.

- Sip some coffee while reading about Donut Architecture: Holey Buildings.
- The Alphabet of Architects. Hat tip to **Virginia Faust**.
- The Raleigh Historic Districts Commission has a great new app of, wait for it ... Raleigh Historic sites. Hat tip again to **Virginia Faust**.
- Way off Topic But Fascinating: Dialect Detective.
- Visual Thinking: A Retrospective Exhibit: The artwork of architect Abie Harris continues at the Roundabout Art Collective, 305 Oberlin Road, Raleigh, through January 26.



- Knock Knock, NCMH's monthly column about the state's most unusual houses, premiered in the News and Observer this past weekend. Stories about the architecture you love will appear every third Saturday. This month, **George Smart and Eleanor Stell** share their story about getting two houses for the price of one. If you noticed that the photos, all by Todd Lanning, which the N&O identified as George (like the one above) show him as thinner, younger, taller, better looking, and bald -- that's because it is actually Ted Arendes, the house's project architect from Tonic. NCMH thanks Bob Ashley



and Knock Knock's former home, the Durham Herald-Sun, for hosting the series during 2013.

- Attention architects: NCMH is collecting **architecture 1.0 technology** - t-squares, rules, drafting pencils, electric erasers, etc. for distribution to our [Project BauHow](#) students. Bring them to the next movie -- see below -- or reply for directions to our dropoff points.

U P C O M I N G E V E N T S

The MODTriangle Architecture Movie: Lioness Among Lions

Wednesday February 5, Raleigh Grande Cinemas, 730pm



The acclaimed 2010 documentary on the internationally famous architect Zaha Hadid. \$9 per person. Mod Squad members are free, subject to capacity. Attention architects: NCMH is collecting **architecture 1.0 technology** - t-squares, rules, drafting pencils, electric erasers, etc. for distribution to our [Project BauHow](#) students. Bring them to the next movie or reply for directions to our dropoff points. This evening's event sponsor is [BuildSense](#). [Details](#).



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Thursday, February 13, 6-8pm, 414 Dupont Circle #4, Raleigh.

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The talented folks at **Eidolon Designs** are having a special Oyster Roast / Thirst4Architecture at their studios. Come view Eidolon's masterful cabinetry work and see examples of their many residential and commercial installations. Free! [Details.](#) NCMH connects hundreds of people within the Modernist-architecture-loving public

through networking events called **Thirst4Architecture (T4A)**. These exciting, informal happy hours are free and open to the public. We welcome Modernist homeowners, architects, artists, designers, realtors, engineers, contractors, property investors, building managers, Modernist homeowners, materials and furniture dealers – **or anyone with a huge crush on great architecture**. T4A events focus on building relationships, generating passion about good design, creating strategic alliances, and connecting people to each other. There are no presentations -- just come join the fun and make new design friends and contacts. Free! [Details.](#)

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Virginia Faust, who tirelessly trolls oceans of real estate data every week to bring you the latest Modernist houses for sale across North Carolina!



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BOOK NEWS



A gorgeous coffee table book on the work of architect Byoung Cho will be available starting January 28.

“Cho’s work . . . exudes a dramatic sense of timelessness—as though it were built centuries ago.” —*Dwell*

Widely considered Korea’s most important architect, Byoung Cho has created iconic buildings, art and cultural centers, schools, health

facilities, and residences in Korea, Malaysia, Japan, and the United States. He is the recipient of Korea's major architectural awards and has been a visiting lecturer at Harvard and Columbia universities. Influenced by Korea's rich aesthetic tradition, Cho uses understated forms to design buildings that offer powerful yet subtle experiences for their inhabitants. This exquisitely designed book—the first on Byoung Cho in English—features the architect's most acclaimed projects, including Twin Tree Towers (2010), his iconic buildings located adjacent to the royal Gyeongbok Palace in Seoul, which embody Cho's fascination with the relationship between ancient history and modernity.

HOUSE ALERTS

NCMH Endangerment Alert:

A Pittsboro 1950 Lustron is now #3 on NCMH's Endangerment list. [Details.](#)

National 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 Durell 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 in 2013 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.



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