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It's an international shortlist for the Canadian Museum for Human Rights (and a link to all the pretty pictures). — Toronto's much-maligned Harbourfront "ain't so bad after all." — A "cultural cluster" for Nashville (don't forget the parking). — A go-ahead for mucho millions for Kennedy Center project. — A few hundred million for Kansas City convention center expansion. — Daylighting a delight for Eco Office. — University students want green student union (so what's the problem?). — Singapore style coming into its own. — Murcutt wows them in Chicago. — People skills a plus for budding architects. — Citroen returns to Champs-Elysées with high-style high-tech center. — What is a home? Irish architects want to know.

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Shortlisted Architectural Firms for The Canadian Museum for Human Rights
Announced - Antoine Predock Architect; Charles Correa; Dan Hanganu & The
Arcop Group; Mashabane Rose; Michael Maltzan; Saucier + Perrotte; Schmidt
Hammer & Lassen; Schwartz Architects/EHDD- Archiseek (Canada)

<u>Canadian Museum for Human Rights Proposals [images]</u>- Canadian Museum for Human Rights

A contender on the waterfront: Toronto has been beating itself up over Harbourfront, but it ain't so bad after all- Globe and Mail (Canada)

Nashville civic leaders seek 'cultural cluster': Quality infill, particularly mixed-use vertical buildings that are of a pedestrian scale, could help in that effort- Nashville City Paper

Old-Fashioned Main Street Coming Right Up: 500-acre New Urbanism-style housing project - DTJ Design- New York Times

<u>Kennedy Center Plaza Plan Gets Go-Ahead. By Linda Hales - Rafael Viñoly-Washington Post</u>

Council approves bonds for Bartle Hall: \$197.6 million convention center project includes new ballroom - HNTB- Kansas City Star

<u>High-Performance Daylighting: Daylight Aperture Optimization For The Southface Eco Office - Lord, Aeck & Sargent [images]</u>- Environmental Design + Construction

<u>University Development Initiative members persist in getting new student union LEED certified: 'There's a lot of indifference'- UNC Charlotte NinerOnline.com</u>

Building a S'pore style: While some may complain about a lack of originality in Singapore architecture, most in the industry take heart in constant efforts to develop a uniquely local style. - A.Alliance; SAA Architects; SCDA Architects-Business Times (Singapore)

Force of Nature: It's standing-room-only at IIT's Crown Hall as Pritzker Prize winner Glenn Murcutt lectures on bringing nature back to modern architecture. By Lynn Becker [images]- Repeat

Budding architects must build people skills: "It's not easy to teach attitude."-MichiganLive

Citroen reclaims some Parisian heritage: ...almost as renowned in France for its architecture as it is for its advanced cars...has taken the keys back to No. 42. Avenue Champs-Elysées... -Manuelle Gautrand- just-auto.com (UK)

Architectural Association of Ireland asks the people - what is a home? ...inviting the public to submit ideas - and illustrations -of what home means.- Irish Times

Case Study: HGA Stakes Its Claim in California- ArchNewsNow

- -- Massimiliano Fuksas: Ferrari Management Headquarters, Maranello, Italy
- -- Under construction: Santiago Calatrava: Liège Guillemins TGV Station, Liège, Belgium
- -- Álvaro Siza: Meteorology Center, Barcelona
- -- Book: Inside Africa By: Laurence Dougier and Frédéric Couderc

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