

Today's News - May 20, 2004

Celebrating and exploring architecture in Canada, Tel Aviv, and Tehran. — The pro's and con's of the "invasion" of foreign architects in China. — Crime and urban design in Miami. — Seattle still singing about its library. — Whitney revives expansion plans. — Cornell ready to start its newest building. — World War II memorial: who's to judge? — Salaries are up for landscape architects. — Celebrating Olmsted's legacy. — A model for affordable housing. — Architects building household items. — Architecture web site competition launches. — Lots of lectures in Los Angeles.

Editor's note: Apologies for the technical glitch that mailed the wrong newsletter on Tuesday (and there was a lot of cool news). To review: www.archnewsnow.com/news/news_2004_05_18.htm or click "Yesterday's News" today.

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[Architectural profession to gather in Quebec City: Royal Architectural Institute of Canada's annual conference June 17-19](#)- Archiseek (Canada)

[Tel Aviv hoists a white flag: Events marking Unesco's designation of Tel Aviv's "white city" architecture as a World Heritage site begin this week \[include\] major conference and exhibition. By Esther Zandberg](#)- Ha`aretz (Israel)

[Library of Congress Kluge Center to Present Conference on Tehran May 27: ...will bring together an international panel of scholars, architects and planners to discuss the cultural, social and political evolution of the city](#)- Payvand (Iran)

[The role of culture in shaping cities: China is the only place in the world where talented architects have the opportunity to experiment with their design ideas...](#) - James Jao; LM. Pei; Paul Anderu; Skidmore Owens & Merrill- China Daily

[Miami, Crime, and Urban Design: This is a dangerous place, and dangerously divided as well: Can crime be reduced with well-thought-out design?](#) - Jane Jacobs; Elizabeth Wood; C. Ray Jeffery; Oscar Newman- Miami New Times

[Seattle Public Library: Design is fun on a grand scale. Crouching tiger, leaping building: If Rem Koolhaas' new library were a movie...](#)- Seattle Post-Intelligencer

[The architects, Rem Koolhaas and Joshua Ramus](#)- Seattle Post-Intelligencer

[Once Again, the Whitney Museum Is Planning to Expand: Little more than a year after...scrapped its plans for a \\$200 million expansion designed by Rem Koolhaas...Renzo Piano...considered the favorite...](#)- New York Times

[Life science building could get its start early next year - Richard Meier and Partners \[image\]](#)- Cornell Chronicle

[Reflections on how to memorialize war: Whose opinions matter? ...Washington politicians, bureaucrats and fine-arts czars — or the architecture critic of The New York Times? The acclaim from the expected 3.5 million visitors a year — or the editor of Architectural Record?](#) - Friedrich St. Florian- USA Today

[WWII Memorial designer reflects on war, other monuments - Friedrich St. Florian](#)- Scripps Howard News Service

[ASLA Salary Survey Released: Salaries for Landscape Architects Up by 23%](#)- American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA)

[Olmsted's legacy: We have reason to be grateful even now for the quality of his vision](#)- The Star-Ledger (New Jersey)

[It's 'dome sweet dome' for pair in mod house: Architect Wallace Neff designed unit as a model for affordable housing](#)- San Francisco Chronicle

[Building forms join household functions: Architects are bringing design principles for office towers to household objects, from a vodka bottle to a teapot. By Lisa Rochon - Forsythe + MacAllen; Frank Gehry](#)- Globe and Mail (Canada)

[Call For Entries: 2004 Architecture Web Site Awards](#)- Entablature

[Los Angeles Forum for Architecture and Urban Design "Out There Doing It" summer lecture series - Roger Sherman; Barbara Bestor; Heydey Partnership; Wes Jones; Lorcan O'Herlihy; Neil Denari; etc.](#)- LA Forum

— Winning team: Inside Outside Group/Michael Maltzan Architects/Mirko Zardini: Biblioteca degli Alberi, Giardini di Porta Nuova, Milan
— Ville Hara: HUT Wood Studio Workshop, Korkeasaari Lookout Tower, Helsinki Zoo, Finland

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