



CELEBRATE ARCHITECTURE 2008

Celebrate architecture and design during AIA Miami's annual November month-long series of lectures, tours, exhibits, competitions, receptions and related activities, coordinated by the American Institute of Architects in Miami.

Many of the Celebrate Architecture 2008 activities are free and all are open to the public.

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NOVEMBER 1

Free exhibition of "On the Waterfront: Miami's Seven-Mile Promenade" by University of Miami School of Architecture students at the Miami Dade College Freedom Tower, 600 Biscayne Blvd. Contact Carolyn White at UM at 305-284-5002.

Tour of The Barnacle, historic home of pioneer Commander Ralph Munroe, 3485 Main Highway, Coconut Grove, two tours, 10 and 11:30 a.m., \$1 donation. Limited space, reservations required. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-7488 or aiamiami.com

NOVEMBER 3

Free lecture by Mikael Kaul, architect, professor, Fulbright Scholar and Master of Architecture from the Royal Institute of Technology in Stockholm, at Miami Dade College, sponsored by the Architecture Student Society, Kendall Campus, Room K-413, 11011 SW 104th Street, Miami, 6:30 p.m. Contact Mario F. Ortega at 305-237-0871.

NOVEMBER 4

General Services Administration Design Excellence Exhibition on "Growing Country, Growing Needs: Federal Architecture and Art," free, through November 26 at the UM School of Architecture Jorge M. Perez Architecture Center Gallery, 1215 Dickinson Drive, Coral Gables Campus, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Contact Carolyn White at 305-284-5002.

NOVEMBER 5

Free lecture by Timothy W. Hyde, assistant professor of architecture at Harvard, at the UM School of Architecture, Coral Gables Campus, 6 p.m. Contact Carolyn White at 305-284-5002.

NOVEMBER 6

Lecture by Barry Bergdoll, MoMA's Philip Johnson Chief Curator of Architecture and Design, on "After 'Home Delivery': Pasts and Futures of Prefabricated Housing," sponsored by the Wolfsonian/FIU and UM, at the Wolfsonian/FIU, 1001 Washington Avenue, Miami Beach, 7 p.m. Free to members of the FIU and UM communities, \$10 all others. Contact Marianne Lam-onaca at 305-535-2627 or marianne@thewolf.fiu.edu

Free lecture by Michael Dennis, national award-winning Boston architect and professor of architecture at MIT, specializing in urban design and the theory of urban form, FIU Paul Cejas School of Architecture Building, 11200 SW 8th Street, University Park, 5 p.m. Contact FIU at 305-348-2650 or soa@fiu.edu

NOVEMBER 7

AIA Miami Photo Competition Gallery Night Reception and Exhibition, free, Design and Architecture High School (DASH) Jackie Hinchey-Sipes Gallery, 4141 NE 2nd Avenue, 6 p.m. reception. Exhibit open through Nov. 9. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-7488 or aiamiami.com

Free Coral Gables Museum lecture by John Stuart, FIU architecture professor, on "The New Deal in South Florida," Old Spanish Village Sales Gallery, 2901 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Coral Gables, 7 p.m. RSVP to Chris Rupp at 305-910-3996 or info@coralgablesmuseum.org

NOVEMBER 8

Free tour of the Frost Art Museum at FIU, FIU-University Park, sponsored by FIU and HOK, 10 a.m. to noon. Limited space, reservations required. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-7488 or aiamiami.com

Free lecture by Sebastian Eilert, AIA, LEED, AP, on "South Florida Sustainable Interiors: A View at Residential Green Design in the South Florida Market," TEAM 7 Showroom, 180 NE 39th Street, Suite 110, 7:30 cocktail reception. Contact Todd Wiggins 305-438-9663 or Birgit Auge at 305-588-9123.

NOVEMBER 9

Free tour of the Royal Caribbean Cruise Lines' Freedom of the Seas cruise ship, Port of Miami, Cruise Terminal, 1015 North America Way, Miami. Limited space and advance reservations and background check required by October 24. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-748 or aiamiami.com

NOVEMBER 10

Free lecture by Enrique Madia, president of DOCOMOMO Florida Chapter (DOcumentation and COnservation of buildings, sites and neighborhoods of the MODern MOVement), Miami Dade College Kendall Campus, Room K-413, 6:30 p.m., Miami Dade College Architecture Student Society. Contact Mario F. Ortega at 305-237-0871.

AIA Miami Photo Competition Exhibition, UM School of Architecture, Building 48E Gallery, 1223 Dickinson Drive, Coral Gables Campus, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday, through November 21, free. Opening reception November 10, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Contact Carolyn White at 305-284-5002.

Free lecture by Jean-Francois Lejeune DOCOMOMO and UM architecture professor and author, UM School of Architecture, Coral Gables, 6:30 p.m. Contact Carolyn White at 305-284-5002.

NOVEMBER 12

20th Annual FIU Walk on Water Competition, in which students attempt to walk across a campus lake

on large shoe-like structures they have designed and built, free, FIU-University Park, at the lake north of the library, 11:30 a.m. Contact Jaime Canaves at FIU at 305-348-3031.

NOVEMBER 13

Free lecture by Rene Gonzalez, AIA, award-winning Miami architect who was a project director with architect Richard Meier on the Getty Museum and Center in Los Angeles, Miami Dade College Kendall Campus, Room K-413, 6:30 p.m. Contact Mario F. Ortega at 305-237-0871.

Free lecture by Armando Montilla, Arquitectonica project designer and FIU adjunct professor, on "From Babel City to Subver(city): The Building of an Urban Ethos," FIU Paul L. Cejas School of Architecture, University Park, 5 p.m. Call FIU at 305-348-2650.

NOVEMBER 14

DASH Creative Minds Awards, Design & Architecture Senior High School (DASH) Jackie Hinchey-Sipes Gallery, 7 to 10 p.m. Donation \$100. Contact DASH at 305-573-7135.

NOVEMBER 14 AND 15

Conference on Digital Pulse in Architecture, FIU Paul L. Cejas School of Architecture Building 272, University Park, 5 to 7:30 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 3 to 6:30 p.m. Nov. 15 Saturday, free. Contact Eric Goldemberg at 305-348-1874 or goldembe@fiu.edu

NOVEMBER 15

Art and Resurrection Tour, exploring the Wynwood art scene and how it became the vanguard of revival in neighborhoods surrounding the Biscayne corridor, conducted by Kevin Doran of Two Foot Tours, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., \$30. Reservations required. Contact Doran at 305-342-7609 or twofoottours@bellsouth.net

NOVEMBER 16

Coral Gables Museum "Celebrate" Coral Gables history exhibit, Old Spanish Village Sales Gallery, 2901 Ponce, 1 to 4 p.m., free. Contact Chris Rupp at 305-910-3996 or info@coralgablesmuseum.com

NOVEMBER 18

Bienal Miami + Beach book presentation and signing, Books & Books Lincoln Road, Miami Beach, 8 p.m., free. Contact Jaime Canaves at 305-348-3031.

NOVEMBER 19

Free lecture by Giancarlo Mazzanti, Colombian architect and designer of the celebrated Parque Espana Library in Medellin, UM School of Architecture Jorge M. Perez Architecture Center, Coral

Gables Campus, 6 p.m. Contact Carolyn White at 305-284-5002.

NOVEMBER 20

Zeyko Sustainable Bio-Kitchens exhibit and cocktail reception, Akzent Showroom, 40 Miracle Mile, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., free. Contact Todd Wiggins at 305-438-9663 or Birgit Auge at 305-588-9123.

NOVEMBER 21

Free Coral Gables Museum Hard-Hat Tour and Reception on the future site of the museum, 285 Aragon Avenue, Coral Gables, 6 to 8 p.m., presented by Doolley-Mack Construction. Reservations required. Contact Chris Rupp at 305-910-3996 or info@coralgablesmuseum.org

NOVEMBER 22

Icons of Miami Architecture Tour conducted by Kevin Doran of Two Foot Tours. Tour sites include El Jardin, the 1917 Mediterranean home of steel magnate John Brindley, the 1922 Scottish Rite Temple and the 1963 Bacardi Building, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., starts at the temple at 471 NW 3rd Street, \$25. Reservations required. Contact Doran at 305-342-7609 or twofoottours@bellsouth.net

NOVEMBER 22

AIA Celebrate Architecture + Design Gala and Awards Ceremony, featuring the 2008 AIA Miami Design Award winners and a student exhibition, Miami Dade College Freedom Tower, 600 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, 6 p.m. to midnight. Tickets \$110, \$1000 per table, students \$40. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-7448 or aiamiami.com

NOVEMBER 23

Digital Drafting Sandblast Sandcastle Competition, in which teams of students, architects and others build elaborate sand sculptures, Crandon Park, Key Biscayne, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., free. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-7488 or aiamiami.com

DECEMBER 2

The 22nd Annual Festival of the Trees competition to create holiday "trees," One Brickell Square lobby, 801 Brickell Avenue, Miami. Opening reception 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. Contact AIA Miami at 305-448-7488 or Janine King at FIU at 305-348-3181.

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