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NEWSLETTER

EVENTS

07/06 race and space | gasa + asa

GASA + ASA have joined to initiate a Race | Space reading group. The goal is to begin raising consciousness on the issues of systemic racism that exists in our institutions and professions; to focus on BIPOC authors typically neglected; and to learn how to engage in anti-racist practices as students, teachers, professionals and citizens. We understand that reading alone is not enough and are hopeful that (re-)educating ourselves is a step towards positive change. Each discussion will include actionable steps that can be taken as a response to the issues addressed.

If interested in joining the group, please send an email to gasa.pgss@mail.mcgill.ca

Weekly meeting details will be provided via email.



07/08 Architects, not Architecture | Virtual Event

Architects, not Architecture aims to bring to the stage what we normally don't see. Well-known architects, who instead of talking about their award winning international projects, are asked to talk about themselves. They speak about their path, their influences and experiences, and dive deeper into their intellectual biography. This makes possible a better understanding of their work, without them even mentioning it. The Architects joining would be:

<u>Stefano Boeri</u>, Stefano Boeri Architetti, Milan <u>www.stefanoboeriarchitetti.net</u>

<u>Sou Fujimoto</u>, Sou Fujimoto Architects, Tokyo <u>www.sou-fujimoto.net</u>

Time: 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (CEST, Berlin time)

For more information, please click <u>here</u>.

07/08 Building Together | Virtual Event

Building Together is a global digital event for architects and engineers hosted by GRAPHISOFT. Join them online on July 8-9th as they showcase how GRAPHISOFT software is changing the way architects and engineers work together through disruptive BIM workflows. Hear from an engaging lineup of industry experts such as Anthony Laney (Founder, Laney LA, USA) and Karl Fender (Founding Partner, Fender Katsalidis Architects) on how GRAPHISOFT empowers teams to create great architecture and learn why the architects who designed the world's second tallest building chose Archicad.



Not Architecture.

Virtual Event 03

ednesday, 8 July, 2020 Live at 11:00 – 12:30 (CEST, Berlin time)

Rerun at 19:00 – 20:30 (CEST, Berlin time)

Register <u>here</u> for the free event.

O P P O R T U N I T I E S

Writing Assisstant | Prof. Pieter Sijpkes

One of our professors at the school of Architecture, Pieter Sijpkes, is looking for a student proficient in the La Tex language in order to assist him with a paper on ice structures. Professor Sijpkes would require you to help him get to master the basics of it in a few hours, for which you would be compensated.

If interested please get back to the ASA or <u>email</u> Prof. Sijpkes.

Invitation to join the Expert Community on Housing (ECOH)

The Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation invites students to join their Expert Community on Housing program. ECOH is Canada's only collaborative, virtual community of housing expert. The community was created to share housing knowledge and to contribute to the development of housing solutions. ECOH enables members to engage in discussions on a range of topics including the National Housing Strategy key priority areas such as Housing for Those in Greatest Need, Community Housing Sustainability and Balanced Supply of Housing. Students would have opportunities to learn more about housing programs and speak directly with industry professionals!

You can find more information on the pdf attached to the email.

Repairing Medieval Castles | REMPART: Mission Patrimoine As borders open and ruins await volunteers, REMPART: Mis-

sion Patrimoine is looking for motivated people. If you want to repair ruins for two weeks, learn Medieval construction techniques, spend time with amazing volunteers and eat delicious French food, all for 40€, this might be ideal for you. REMPART's numerous workcamps (chantiers) include archaeology, masonry, woodworking, ironworking, and much more. The ruins include Medieval castles, mills, churches, necropoles, etc. either in France, Europe or other continents. Speaking French is not required.



RECOMMENDED READINGS

<u>Architectural Visualizations in Movies</u>

Inside Frank Lloyd Wright's Astounding Legacy

The Significance of Architecture in Video Game Design





