Booklist and Reader’s Advisory, August 2015

Recently published architectural books and related works, selected by Barbara Opar, architecture librarian, Syracuse University Library.

NOTE: Links to purchasing information taken from Amazon.com or Michael Shamansky Bookseller (artbooks.com)

Reader’s Advisory

There is a new program aimed at producing scholarly books for a general audience. Ron Charles’ Washington post blog indicates: **Uncle Sam wants YOU to read ‘popular’ scholarly books**

“The Public Scholar program, a major new initiative from the National Endowment for the Humanities, is designed to promote the publication of scholarly nonfiction books for a general audience, and the first round of grants has just been announced: a total of $1.7 million to 36 writers across a broad collection of disciplines. The grants range from $25,200 to $50,400.”

“Michael Gorra, an English professor at Smith College... sees this new program as wonderfully encouraging for younger scholars in particular, one that tells them it’s okay to step beyond the boundaries, to seek something more than a strictly academic audience.”

“Eric H. Cline, a professor of Classics and Anthropology at George Washington University, said, “If higher education—and the humanities in particular—is to survive in this day and age, one thing that we must do is to share our remarkable results with the general public.”


Booklist

**Architects**


**Architectural Design**


**Architectural History**


Architectural Publishing


Architectural Theory


Architecture – Hong Kong


Architecture – India


Architecture – Ireland


Architecture – Italy


Architecture – United States

**Architecture, Islamic**


**Architecture, Jewish**


**Architecture, Medieval**


**Architecture, Modern**


**Architecture, Ottoman**


**Building Types**


**Decoration and Ornament**


**Landscape Architecture**


**Masterworks**


**Sustainability**

Yates, Alan. *Sustainable Buildings (Delivering Sustainable Infrastructure Series)*.
Urban Design
