

## Booklist and Reader's Advisory, May 2023

Recently published architectural books and related works, selected by **Barbara Opar**, Librarian for Architecture, Syracuse University Libraries. Barbara can be reached at [baopar@syr.edu](mailto:baopar@syr.edu).

### Reader's Advisory

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["When Is Enough, Enough?": The Singapore Pavilion Explores Connection, Freedom, and Inclusion at the 2023 Venice Architecture Biennale](#)

[Lesley Lokko on the 2023 Venice Architecture Biennale: "I Hope It Provokes the Audience to Think Differently and More Empathetically"](#)

### Articles & Segments

This month's selections have been chosen and annotated by Yun(Sally) Jiang, a sophomore in the School of Architecture at Syracuse University.



**Yun(Sally) Jiang**

*"I started to work at King and King Architecture Library in May 2022 and will be a sophomore architecture student at Syracuse University in fall 2022. I will be selecting the periodical articles beginning June 2022. I look forward to my fall semester learning more about architecture and helping at the library. Hope you enjoy this month's selections!"*

Bridger, Jessica. "Range Rover". *Landscape Architecture Magazine*. (April 2023) p.94-117.

"I finally got to build the diagram I'd 'been imagining." Sarah Cowles, ASLA, says, gesturing at the Arsenal Oasis garden in Tbilisi, Georgia. The diagram Cowles built is a wild place, with a perched wetland oasis enabled by broken water pipes, negligent developers, and nasty wild dogs kept at bay by a roving cattle farmer. Arsenal was built for the 2020 Tbilisi Architecture Biennial, a single-hectare "place" picked out of a development-dormant ridge landscape above Tbilisi" (96).

Christiana, Asa. "Seven Options for Countertops". *Fine Homebuilding*. (April/May 2023) p.26-33.

"The kitchen is center stage for countertop materials. Often the hardest-working room in the house, the kitchen requires a durable, attractive work surface. Bathrooms, laundry rooms, and outdoor kitchens all need countertops, too, and some countertop materials are also used for wall cladding. The good news is that there are more great materials than ever to deploy in these environments for every budget, taste, and need" (27).

Dillard, Keren. "Playful, Flowing, Light". *The Architect's Newspaper*. (March/April 2023) p.26-27.

"For the past 18 years, the Bronx Children's Museum has served its mission with an on-the-go, "with or without walls" attitude. Infamously known to locals as a museum on wheels, it began with a big purple bus that engaged more than 103 educational institutions and 125,000 children across the New York borough. Today, with the help of its design team, led by Brooklyn-based O'Neill McVoy Architects, the mobile museum has found a permanent location on Exterior Street in the Bronx, in addition to its beloved traveling venue" (26).

Groarke, Carmody. "Historias renovadas". *Arquitectura Viva*. (March 2023) Issue 252. p.38-41.

"A rich museum devoted to design culture takes up an entire block in the Belgian city's old quarter that will be rearranged and completed with a sculptural volume crowned with a lookout" (39).

Groarke, Carmody. "Tempolo translucido". *Arquitectura Viva*. (March 2023).Issue 252.

p.28-33.

“One of Charles Rennie Mackintosh's most recognized houses is enclosed within a semi-transparent pavilion that makes it possible to continue welcoming visitors during the long restoration process” (29).

McCown, James. “Into the Woods”. *The Architect's Newspaper*. (March/April 2023) p.48-49.

“Salmela originally designed Wild Rice as a destination restaurant on a wooded, sloped site overlooking Lake Superior in Wisconsin. The venue's patron was Mary Rice, part of the family that owns Andersen Windows; Salmela remembered that the eatery's name came not from the grain but instead from her distinctive character. The four gabled forms, hollowed by an interior courtyard, run perpendicular to the grade. The final one, the dining room, is pulled away from the others, allowing light to enter from five directions, including the skylights” (48).

Perrotta-Bosch, Francesco. “Revisit Casinha and Residencia Vilanova Artigas II”. *The Architectural Review*. (December 2022/January 2023). p.50-61.

“When designing their own home, the architect is an author in the broadest and most unrestricted sense of the word. They do not need to convince anyone but themselves (and perhaps their family) to carry out spatial or constructional experiments, nor is there any intransigent client to please. João Batista Vilanova Artigas, the main proponent of the Escola Paulista, designed two houses for himself and his family early on in his career, in the same decade and on the same plot” (51).

Pearson, Clifford A. “Family Plan”. *Architectural Record* (April 2023) p.108-113.

“ON A STEEP, wooded site in western North Carolina, architects Emma Fuller and Michael Overby clustered eight pavilions to form a house that wraps around a central patio and reaches out to views of Lake James and the Appalachian Mountains beyond. Designed for Overby's parents, who moved back to North Carolina after retiring from busy careers in Florida and then Seattle, the modestly sized house- just 2,750 square feet uses the hillside to protect itself from temperature fluctuations and reduce its energy consumption” (109).

Rao, Anjulie. "The Butterfly Effect". *Landscape Architecture Magazine* (April 2023) p.76-93.

"Just a few months after 12-year-old Tamir Rice was brutally shot and killed by Cleveland police officers, the community came together to build a butterfly garden on the site of his murder. Samaria Rice, Tamir's mother, had been in touch with local organizer Molly Nagin and resident Shelly Gracon, who suggested that the site that marked Tamir's violent death could become a place of healing. Nagin, a Cleveland native, had been studying permaculture design and got involved with the Tamir Rice Justice Committee along with her longtime-activist parents. Collaborating with local artists and volunteers, they assembled the Butterfly Project" (80).

Stephens, Suzanne. "Pitched Perfect". *Architectural Record* (April 2023) p.84-89.

"DISCRETION seems the favored modus operandi for those seeking to build among the rolling hills of Connecticut. Forget the razzmatazz of arresting architectural forms; as shown by the quietly restrained house Joeb Moore & Partners designed in Litchfield County, the sensitive solution is one that fits organically into the bucolic site. The architectural office, founded by Moore in 1993 and based in Greenwich, Connecticut, is renowned for embracing the regional vernacular of the New England cottage, but executing it with a modern minimalist savoir faire. In this particular case, the 5,800-square-foot weekend home for a couple from New York was to be located on 32 acres, where a portion of the land is protected by an open-space covenant" (84).

Stone, Jaxson Leilah. "Making a Sense". *Metropolis* (March/April 2023) p.142-157.

"Across the globe, designers and hoteliers are leaning into maximalism. With Baltimore's Ulvsses Hotel, this is less about aesthetics and more about providing a unique perspective for the guest. ASH CEO Ari S. Heckman explains, "I think most hospitality today is birthed by [designers] who are trying very hard to please the vast majority of people, which means not taking a firm stance or putting forth a point of view." By incorporating elements of storytelling, the New York-based design firm is changing that" (143).

Stathaki, Ellie. "Veiled Beauty". *Wallpaper* (April 2023) p.88-90.

"In the fittingly named neighbourhood of Old Tuxedo in Winnipeg, home to some of the city's wealthiest families, grand old detached properties sit sparsely placed on generous, green plots. It is here, on an empty site next to a historical home dating from 1929, that local practice 5468796 Architecture was called upon to compose its latest residential design, Veil House" (88).

## Booklist:

### Topical—Diversity, Equity and Inclusion

Gonzalez Stokes, Ariana. [Reparative Universities: Why Diversity Alone Won't solve Racism in Higher Ed.](#) (Critical University Studies) Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2023. ISBN: 9781421445601. 288 Pages. \$34.95

Luberisse, Josh. [From Tokensim to Inclusion: A Guide to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the Workplace.](#) n.p: Independently Published, 2023. ISBN: 97898385893003. 80 Pages. \$69.99.

### The Subject is Architecture

#### Architects

Hoch, Matthias. [Matthias Hoch: BER 2019–2020.](#) Leipzig: Spector Books,2023. ISBN: 9783959054393. 120 Pages. \$25.69.

Sudjic, Deyan. [John Pawson: Making Life Simpler.](#) London: Phaidon Press. 2023. ISBN: 9781838666194. 296 Pages. \$81.83.

Wiesenberger, Robert. [Portals: The Visionary Architecture of Paul Goesch.](#) Williamstown: Clark Art Institute. 2023. ISBN: 9780300269697. 104 Pages. \$25.00.

#### Architecture, Ancient

Battini, Laura. [No Place Like Home: Ancient Near Eastern Houses and Households \(Archaeopress Ancient Near Eastern Archaeology, 9\).](#) Oxford: Archaeopress. 2023. ISBN: 9781803271569. 270 Pages. \$61.54.

Sigl, Johanna. [Daily Life in Ancient Egyptian Settlements: Conference Aswan 2019.](#) Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz Verlag. 2023. ISBN: 9783447118347. 162 Pages. \$103.00

#### Architecture Medieval

Bailey, Hannah M. [Architectural Representation in Medieval Textual and Material Culture \(Places and Spaces, Medieval to Modern\)](#). Yorkshire: Arc Humanities Press, 2023. ISBN: 9781802700008. 212 Pages. \$112.59.

### **Architecture, Victorian**

Curl, James Stevens. [English Victorian Churches: Architecture, Faith, & Revival](#). London: John Hudson Publishing, 2023. ISBN: 9781739822934. 240 Pages. \$56.54.

### **Architecture - Belgium**

Ledent, Gérald. [Brussels Housing: Atlas of Residential Building Types](#). Basel: Birkhäuser. 2023. ISBN: 9783035625509. 304 Pages. \$73.46.

### **Architecture - Caribbean Islands**

Philogene-Heron, Adom. [Still Standing: The Ti Kais of Dominica](#). London: Papillote Press. 2023. ISBN: 9781838041588. 116 Pages. \$28.15.

### **Architecture -India**

Kukreja, Arunima. [CPKA: Five Decades of India's Built Environment](#). New Delhi: Roli Books. 2023. ISBN: 9788194969136. 372 Pages. \$37.16.

Pandya, Yatin. [Courtyard Houses of India](#). Gujarat: Mapin Publishing Gp Pty Ltd. 2023. ISBN: 9789385360091. 468 Pages. \$57.99.

Sharma, Jyoti Pandey. [Colonialism, Uprising and the Urban Transformation of Nineteenth-Century Delhi \(Routledge Research in Architectural History\)](#). Abingdon: Routledge. 2023. ISBN: 9780367703738. 210 Pages. \$138.00.

### **Architecture - Tibet**

Herrle, Peter. [Tibetan Houses: Vernacular Architecture of the Himalayas and Environs](#). Basel: Birkhauser Architecture, 2023. ISBN: 9783035626872. 312 Pages. \$108.99.

### **Architecture - United States**

Blanchard, Bob. [Lost Burlington, Vermont](#). Cheltenham: The History Press, 2023. ISBN: 9781467152297. 176 Pages. \$23.99.

Fisher, Lewis F. [Brackenridge: San Antonio's Acclaimed Urban Park](#). Bend, Oregon:

Maverick Books, 2023. ISBN: 9781595349668. 208 Pages. \$27.99.

Kathrens, Michael C. [Newport Cottages 1835-1890: The Summer Villas Before the Vanderbilt Era](#). New York: Bauer and Dean Publishers, 2023. ISBN: 9781735600130. 400 Pages. \$67.50.

## Architectural Design

Carpo, Mario. [Beyond Digital: Design and Automation at the End of Modernity](#). Cambridge: The MIT Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780262545150. 208 Pages. \$29.95.

Deplazes, Andrea. [Constructing Architecture: Materials, Processes, Structures. A Handbook](#). Basel: Birkhäuser, 2023. ISBN: 9783038214526. 588 Pages. \$45.99.

Koones, Sheri. [Prefabulous for Everyone](#). Kaysville, Utah: Gibbs Smith, 2023. ISBN: 9781423663591. 224 Pages. \$35.84.

## Architectural Drawings

Marciari, John. [Sublime Ideas: Drawings by Giovanni Battista Piranesi](#). London: Paul Holberton Publishing, 2023. ISBN: 9781913645380. 224 Pages. \$44.85.

## Architectural Photography

Kimm, Jong-Soung. [Architect Jong-Soung Kimm's Romanesque Architecture: Photo Essay: Germany and Belgium](#). Tubingen: Wasmuth & Zohlen, 2023. ISBN: 9783803008381. \$30.00.

## Architectural Practice

Dorrian, Mark. [Drawing Architecture: Conversations on Contemporary Practice](#). London: Lund Humphries, 2023. ISBN: 9781848226203. 208 Pages. \$65.55.

Jaeschke, Aleksandra. [The Greening of America's Building Codes: Promises and Paradoxes](#). Hudson: Princeton Architectural Press, 2022. ISBN: 9781648960086. 240 Pages. \$23.76.

## Architectural Theory

Dugdale, Kyle. [Architecture after God: Babel Resurgent \(Exploring Architecture\)](#). Basel: Birkhäuser, 2023. ISBN: 9783035624991. 416 Pages. \$75.72.

Ingraham, Catherine. [Architecture's Theory \(Writing Architecture\)](#). Cambridge: The MIT Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780262544979. 272 Pages. \$29.99.

Jasper, Michael. [Trajectories in Architecture: Plan, Sensation, Temporality](#). Abingdon: Routledge, 2023. ISBN: 9780367444266. \$44.19.

Lopez-Pineiro, Sergio. [Typologies for Big Words](#). Novato: ORO Editions, 2023. ISBN: 9781954081567. \$33.99.

Maak, Niklas. [Niklas Maak: Servermanifest: Architecture of the Data Center and the Future of Democracy](#). Berlin: Hatje Cantz, 2023. ISBN: 9783775750707. 112 Pages. \$14.85.

Wang, Wilfried. [On the Duty and Power of Architectural Criticism: Proceeds of the International Conference on Architectural Criticism 2021](#). Zurich: Park Books, 2023. ISBN: 9783038602712. 320 Pages. \$39.00.

### **Architecture and Society**

Cuff, Dana. [Architectures of Spatial Justice](#). Cambridge: The MIT Press, 2023 ISBN: 9780262545211. 304 Pages. \$25.25.

Hoorn, Melanie van der. [Serious Fun: Architecture & Games](#). Rotterdam: Nai010 Publishers, 2022. ISBN: 9789462086890. 224 Pages. \$45.56.

Mauron, Gabriel. [Homes on Hold: Traces of Unfulfilled Dreams](#). Salenstein: Benteli Verlags, 2023. ISBN: 9783716518694. 144 Pages. \$37.72.

### **Art and Architecture**

Amor, Monica. [Gego: Weaving the Space in Between](#). New Haven: Yale University Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780300260687. 288 Pages. \$65.00.

Schulz, Anne Markham. [Late Gothic Sculpture in Northern Italy: Andrea Da Giona and I Maestri Caronesi: an Addition to the Pantheon of Venetian Sculptors \(Studies in Medieval and Early Renaissance Art History\)](#). London: Harvey Miller Pub, 2023. ISBN: 9781912554805. 660 Pages. \$344.00.

### **Building Materials**

Ferrer, Carla. [Touch Wood: Material, Architecture, Future](#). Zurich: Lars Müller Publishers, 2023. ISBN: 9783037786987. 288 Pages. \$44.12.

Wikstrom, Lindsey. [Designing the Forest and other Mass Timber Futures](#). Abingdon: Routledge, 2023. ISBN: 9781032023946. 246 Pages. \$39.95.



Zwenger, Klaus. [Wood and Wood Joints: Building Traditions of Europe, Japan and China](#). Basel: Birkhäuser, 2023. ISBN: 9783034606851. 304 Pages. \$334.49.

## Building Types

Coutu, Joan. [Politics and the English Country House](#). Montreal: McGill-Queen's University Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780228014027. 344 Pages. \$73.63.

Coveney, Michael. [Master of the House: The Theatres of Cameron Mackintosh](#). East Sussex: Unicorn Publishing Group, 2023. ISBN: 9781914414831. 320 Pages. \$47.94.

Nickl-Weller, Christine. [Architecture for Science](#). Salenstein: Braun Publishing, 2023. ISBN: 9783037682579. 176 Pages. \$40.64.

Richard, Taylor. [A Thousand Fates: The Afterlife of Medieval Monasteries in England & Wales](#). East Sussex: Unicorn Publishing Group, 2023. ISBN: 9781914414718. 208 Pages. \$16.25.

Vesikansa, Kristo. [New Standards - Timber Houses Ltd 1940 - 1945](#). Helsinki: Garret Publications, 2023. ISBN: 9789527222133. 293 Pages. \$59.00.

## Exhibitions

Casciato, Maristella. [Technoscape: The Architecture of Engineers](#). Florence: Forma Edizioni, 2023. ISBN: 9788855211000. 350 Pages. \$32.45.

## Landscape Architecture

Bristol, George. [Texas State Parks: The First One Hundred Years, 1923-2023](#). Fort Worth: Texas Christian University Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780875658339. 424 Pages. \$39.81.

North, Alissa. [Innate Terrain: Canadian Landscape Architecture](#). Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2023. ISBN: 9781487527228. 400 Pages. \$36.33.

Sterry, Paul. [The Biodiversity Gardener: Establishing a Legacy for the Natural World: 34 \(Wild Nature Press, 34\)](#). Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780691245553. 360 Pages. \$20.61.

Whiteman, Stephen H. [Landscape and Authority in the Early Modern World \(Penn Studies in Landscape Architecture\)](#). Philadelphia: University of Pennsylvania Press, 2023. ISBN: 9781512823585. 360 Pages. \$79.95.

## Masterworks

Appelt, Siegrun. [Le Corbusier—Ronchamp: Photographs by Siegrun Appelt](#). Zurich: Scheidegger and Spiess, 2023. ISBN: 9783858816955. 120 Pages. \$40.00.

Calatrava, Santiago. [Santiago Calatrava: Bridges](#). Switzerland: Niggli Verlag, 2023. ISBN: 9783721209846. 512 Pages. \$71.89.

Kowsky, Francis R. [Hell on Color, Sweet on Song: Jacob Wrey Mould and the Artful Beauty of Central Park](#). New York: Empire State Editions, 2023. ISBN: 9781531502577. 304 Pages. \$39.62.

## Sustainability

Ely, Alex. [Towards a Resilient Architecture: Mæ](#). Luzern: Quart Architektur, 2023. ISBN: 9783037612750. 276 Pages. \$45.51.

Gadanhó, Pedro. [Climax Change!: How Architecture Must Transform in the Age of Ecological Emergency](#). New York: Actar, 2022. ISBN: 9781948765671. 256 Pages. #36.49.

Ozyavuz, Murat. [Sustainability, Conservation and Ecology in Spatial Planning and Design; New Approaches, Solutions, Applications](#). New York: Peter Lang, 2023. ISBN: 9783631876428. 986 Pages. \$15.95.

Pacheco-Torgal, Fernando. [Adapting the Built Environment for Climate Change: Design Principles for Climate Emergencies \(Woodhead Publishing Series in Civil and Structural Engineering\)](#). Sawston: Woodhead Publishing, 2023. ISBN: 9780323953368. 430 Pages. \$310.00.

## Urban Design

Alvarez, Laura B. [A Beginner's Guide to Urban Design and Development: The ABC of Quality, Sustainable Design](#). Abingdon: Routledge, 2023. ISBN: 9781032154152. 274 Pages, \$39.95.

Curnier, Sonia. [Universal Singular: Contemporary Public Space Design Unveiled](#). Basel: Birkhäuser, 2023. ISBN: 9783035620948. 304 Pages. \$45.09.

Prominski, Martin. [River.Space.Design: Planning Strategies, Methods and Projects for Urban Rivers](#). Basel: Birkhäuser, 2023. ISBN: 9783034606875. 296 Pages. \$453.99.

## Women in Architecture

Fritz, Angelika, Elke Krasny, et al. [Yasmeen Lari: Architecture for the Future](#).  
Cambridge: The MIT Press, 2023. ISBN: 9780262546096. 288 Pages. \$39.94.