

CALENDAR



Photo by Adrian Aguirre

Above and right: *Untitled*, from photographer Adrian Aguirre's series *La Muerte de Narciso*, 2002.



Photo courtesy Cristián O'Connor

House outside of Buenos Aires by Cristián O'Connor.

LECTURES

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UH ARCHITECTURE LECTURE: INTERPRETING ANTHROPOGEOMORPHOLOGY: PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS OF THE CENTER FOR LAND USE INTERPRETATION

Matthew Coolidge
Founder, CLUI, Culver City
■ Tuesday, March 20, 3 p.m.
College of Architecture Theater
University of Houston, Gerald D. Hines
College of Architecture

RICE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE LECTURE: PITCH-BLACK

Hernan Diaz Alonso
Principal, Xefirotarch, Los Angeles /
Design Faculty, Southern California
Institute of Architecture
■ Monday, March 26, 5 p.m.
Farish Gallery
Anderson Hall, Rice University

RICE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE LECTURE: ENVIRONMENTAL REFRACTIONS

James Carpenter
Principal, James Carpenter Design
Associates, New York
■ Monday, April 2, 5 p.m.
Farish Gallery
Anderson Hall, Rice University

HOUSTON MOD LECTURE: PRESERVING THE MENIL HOUSE

William F. Stern
Principal, Stern and Bucek Architects
■ Thursday, April 5, 7:30 p.m.
Cullen Hall
University of St. Thomas
www.houstonmod.org

RICE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE LECTURE: GREETINGS FROM SILVER LAKE

Kevin Daly and Christopher Genik
Principals, Daly Genik Architects,
Santa Monica
■ Monday, April 9, 5 p.m.
Farish Gallery
Anderson Hall, Rice University

RICE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE LECTURE: STRUCTURE OR REVOLUTION

Guy Nordenson
Partner, Guy Nordenson and
Associates Structural Engineers,
New York, and Professor, Princeton
University School of Architecture
■ Wednesday, April 25, 6:30 p.m.
Farish Gallery
Anderson Hall, Rice University

UH ARCHITECTURE LECTURE: A VIEW FROM THE MARGIN

Cristián O'Connor
Architect, Buenos Aires
■ Monday, April 30, 6 p.m.
College of Architecture Theater
University of Houston, Gerald D. Hines
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EXHIBITIONS

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THE CARCERAL CITY: THE ARCHITECTURE OF PRISONS IN TEXAS

■ Through March 24
University of Houston
Gerald D. Hines College
of Architecture Gallery
713.348.5583 or rda.rice.edu

6-PACK: SIX EMERGING PHOTOGRAPHERS FROM MEXICO CITY

This exhibition explores censorship
in documentary photography and the
boundaries of photographic truth.
Featuring the work of Adrian Aguirre,
Benjamin Alcantara, Dante Busquets,
Enrique Greenwell, Omar Gamez,
and Victor Mendiola.

■ Through April 15
Houston Center for Photography
1441 West Alabama
713.529.4755 or www.hcponline.org

JANE BLAFFER OWEN AND THE LEGACY OF NEW HARMONY

■ April 1-27
University of Houston
Gerald D. Hines College
of Architecture Gallery
713.743.2400 or
www.arch.uh.edu/news

SNAPSHOT 2007: HOUSTON DESIGN ON VIEW

■ May 18-June 16
Lawndale Art Center
4912 Main Street
713.348.4876 or rda.rice.edu

EVENTS

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SUSTAINABLE URBANISM

■ Sunday-Tuesday, April 1-3
Texas A&M University,
Memorial Student Center
sustainableurbanism.tamu.edu

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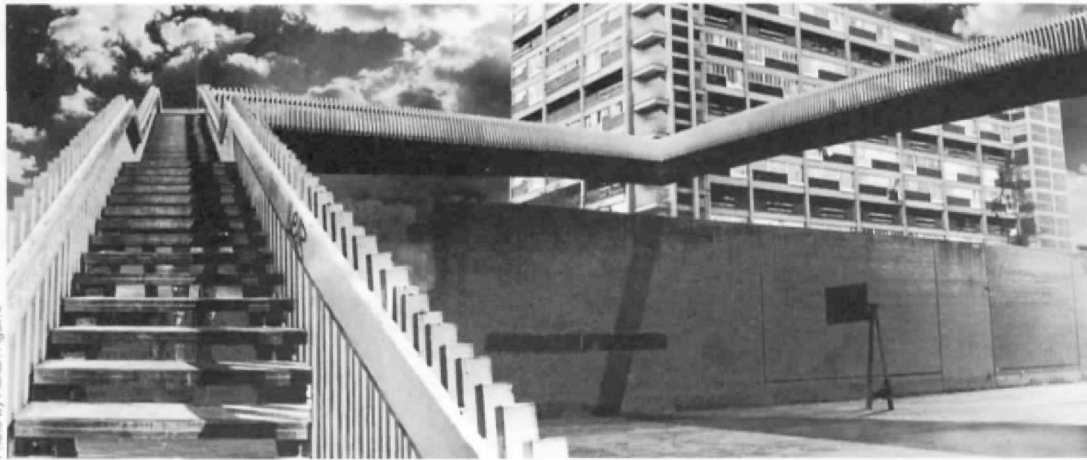


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DIGIFAB FORUM:

DIGITAL STRATEGIES/FABRICATIONS TACTICS

With Scott Marble, Columbia University; David Erdman, University of California at Los Angeles; Brad Bell, University of Texas-Arlington; Sean Lally, Rice University; Andrew Vrana, University of Houston; Joe Meppelink, University of Houston; and Santiago Perez, University of Houston. College of Architecture Theater

■ Tuesday, April 3, 3-6 p.m.

Discussion, 6:30-7:30 p.m.

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SOUTHAMPTON: A NEIGHBORHOOD TOUR

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The houses at 1809 Dunstan (top, Scott Ballard, 1993) and 1901 Bolsover (above, 1926) in Southampton are two of the nine featured on RDA's 2007 architecture tour.