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LOCKS PROGRAM: ROBERT HUGHES ON GOYA



Renowned art critic **Robert Hughes** will present a slide lecture on the Spanish painter Goya in the second presentation of the Locks Foundation Distinguished Artists Program at Irvine Auditorium on **Wednesday, April 7** at 6 pm. The event is free and open to the public, but tickets are required; contact the Annenberg Center Box Office by phone, 215-898-3900, to reserve seats.

BOTANICAL GARDEN SYMPOSIUM



The departments of landscape architecture and historic preservation present a one-day symposium: **THE BOTANICAL GARDEN: PAST, PRESENT, FUTURE**, at Meyerson Hall on **Saturday, April 3**. Talks by faculty and alumni, including James Corner, John Dixon Hunt, Carol and Colin Franklin and Frank Matero, will explore how recent advances in plant science and changes in public recreation have required botanical gardens to reconsider their role as valuable and relevant cultural landscapes. To register, email abhirsch@design.upenn.edu or call 215-898-3169.

ALUMNI RECEPTION in WASHINGTON, DC

Join Dean Gary Hack and Dr. Eugenie L. Birch, Chair and Professor of City and Regional Planning, for the PennDesign Alumni Reception in conjunction with the American Planning Association Conference on **Monday, April 26** from 6:30 – 8 pm at the Hilton Washington, Monroe Ballroom West, 1919 Connecticut Avenue, NW. RSVP by April 19: pdalumni@design.upenn.edu



ALUMNI WEEKEND – May 14-16, 2004



Save the date of **Saturday, May 15** from 3-5 pm for a celebration of architectural leadership at Penn. Commemorate the 20th anniversary of the death of Penn architecture chair **Mario Romanach** at an informal illustrated discussion on his work in Cuba led by Nancy Levinson MArch'84 and Maria Romanach, followed by a reception with **Detlef Mertins**, PennDesign's new architecture chair, at Meyerson Hall. For a complete listing of Penn's Alumni Weekend activities, visit www.alumni.upenn.edu.

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ON THE LINE

1990s

Yikwon Peter Kim MFA'97 yikwonpkasfe@verizon.net

invites alumni to visit his framing business, Framing by Walter & ASFE, 2016 Walnut Street, Philadelphia.

Rebecca Rutstein MFA'97

has a solo show, "Love & Seduction," at Bridgette Mayer Gallery, Philadelphia, through May 29. The opening reception is on First Friday, April 2 from 6-8:30 pm. www.mayerartconsultants.com

1980s

Dozier Bell MFA '86

is having a solo exhibition at the National Academy of Sciences, Washington, DC through June 30. Please visit her website for more information: www.dozierbell.com

Leah Reynolds MFA'83

is the visual artist behind the multi-media performance, "Chrysalis," at The Meetinghouse Theater, Lancaster, PA on April 3 and 4 at 8 pm. For more information and to make reservations, call 215-545-3859.

Michael Wyetzner MArch'86 mwyetzner@mwarch.net

formerly an associate partner at Davis Brody Bond, New York, has formed Michielli Wyetzner Architects of New York City with Frank Michielli, formerly a partner at Davis Brody Bond. Michielli Wyetzner Architects will bring its award-winning design expertise to institutional, university and private clients.

1970s

Rita Bernstein MFA'76 ritasilk@earthlink.net

is currently the artist-in-residence at Disney. She has a one-person show at the Center for Spiritual Care, Vero Beach, FL through April 8 and recently participated in a group show at B'nai Israel, Gainesville, FL. There is a permanent installation of twenty of her artworks at Connelly Hall, Villanova University, PA.

Timothy Duffield MLA'75 timd@timothyduffield.com

will be exhibiting his archival giclée prints in the exhibit "Landscape Images" at the Cosmopolitan Club, 1616 Latimer Street, Philadelphia, from April 14 to May 13. His prints can also be seen at The Print Center, Philadelphia, Carspecken-Scott Gallery, Wilmington, DE and on his website at www.timothyduffield.com.

1960s

Patric Dawe MArch'67 MCP'67 CRT'67 Pat.Dawe@RNLDESIGN.com

director of urban design, RNL Design, reports that RNL Design with its partner firm, Design Workshop, has completed a master plan for a 61 acre downtown site in Las Vegas, NV. The plan is for a mixed-use urban village, an academic medical campus, performing arts center and mid to high-rise residential and office buildings. RNL is just beginning construction documents on Phase 1 street design and streetscape for the project, known as Union Park. The firm's urban design work also includes Transit-Oriented Development in the Denver region and Southern California.

EXHIBITIONS & EVENTS

LECTURES

Thursday, April 1

Slide Lecture

RACHEL BERWICK

Sculptor, New York City
5 pm, B-3 Meyerson Hall

Thursday, April 1

Landscape Lecture

GRANT JONES

Jones and Jones, Seattle
6 pm, B-3 Meyerson

Saturday, April 3

One-Day Symposium

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Upper Gallery, Meyerson Hall
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Monday, April 5

Architecture Lecture

FRANK BARKOW

Partner, Barkow Leibinger
Architects, Berlin
6 pm, B-3 Meyerson Hall

Tuesday, April 6

Architecture Book Launch

**BRANKO KOLAREVIC +
DAVID TURNBULL**

5-8 pm, Upper Gallery,
Meyerson Hall

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Thursday, April 8

The Ian L. McHarg Lecture
"Autonomous Agents and a
Theory of Organization"

STUART KAUFFMAN

Founding General Partner,
Bios Group LP, Santa Fe
Architects, Tokyo
6 pm, B-1 Meyerson Hall

Tuesday, April 13

"Interpreting Controversy in the
National Park Service: Public
History at its Most Public"

DWIGHT T. PITCAITHLEY

6 pm, Upper Gallery,
Meyerson Hall

Thursday, April 22

Slide Lecture

JUDY PFAFF

Visual Artist
5 pm, B-3 Meyerson Hall

EXHIBITIONS

ALL PENNDESIGN SHOW

Through April 9
Meyerson Hall Galleries

YUNGSUNG HONG MFA'04

April 5 – 30
Graduate Student Center,
3615 Locust Walk

FOX FAMILY

ALL-CAMPUS SHOW

April 12 – May 7
Fox Gallery, Logan Hall
Opening Reception:
April 13, 5-7 pm



**MFA PREVIEW
THESIS EXHIBITION**

April 17 – 22
Addams Gallery,
Charles Addams Fine Arts Hall

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APA ALUMNI RECEPTION

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American Planning Association
Conference, Washington, DC
Hilton Washington,
Monroe Ballroom West

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May 15, 3-5 pm

Romanach + Mertins:
A Celebration of
Architectural Leadership
Meyerson Hall

AIA ALUMNI RECEPTION

June 11, 2004, 6-8 pm

American Institute of Architects
National Convention, Chicago
InterContinental Chicago,
Exchange Room

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