

Booklist and Reader's Advisory, April 2021

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

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Reader's Advisory

The Chronicle of Higher Education presents a case for how the pandemic will permanently change higher education—Read here: <https://www.chronicle.com/article/the-pandemic-may-have-permanently-altered-campus-es-heres-how>

An important new digital initiative from the Getty: The [Getty Research Portal](#) has created [an overview and tutorial video](#) in response to the pandemic and a need to switch to remote teaching and learning. The video, which is approximately 10 minutes long, provides a brief introduction to the Portal's background and virtual holdings, and demonstrates how to use it. The Portal is a free online search platform that provides access to digitized volumes on art, architecture, material culture, and related fields. With 180,000 volumes contributed by [nearly forty international art libraries and museums](#) at present, the Portal offers literature ranging from rare early publications to contemporary catalogs.

Bruce Goff and the American School of Architecture: Over the past several years the Christopher C. Gibbs College of Architecture and the University of Oklahoma Libraries have worked to preserve the legacy of Bruce Goff (1904-1982) and his students, collectively referred to as the American School of Architecture. An overview of the archive may be seen at: <https://libraries.ou.edu/content/american-school-architecture-archive>. The College of Architecture's page devoted to the American School: <https://architecture.ou.edu/the-american-school/> A visual tour of an exhibition created in conjunction with the Fred Jones Jr. Museum of Art may be viewed at: <https://gibbs.oucreate.com/renegadesonline/>

On another front—dealing with a complicated legacy: Greenberger, Alex. "[MoMA's Philip Johnson Problem: How to Address the Architect's Legacy?](#)" ARTnews.Com, March 25, 2021.

Booklist:

Architects

Finnerty-Pyne, Sinead. [Architecture is a Social Act: Lorcan O'Herlihy Architects](#). Amsterdam: Frame Publishers, 2021. ISBN: 9789492311450. 272 pages. \$40.60

Langdalen, Erik. [Sverre Fehn: Nordic Pavilion, Venice: Voices from the Archives](#). Zurich: Lars Muller Publishers/Pax, 2021. ISBN: 9783037786390. 320 pages. \$48.49

Part, Michael. [Arvo Part Centre & Nieto Sobejano Arquitectos: A Common Denominator](#). Berlin: ArchiTangle, 2021. ISBN: 9783966800037. 212 pages. \$68.00

Stempel, Jan. [Stempel-Tesar-Slapal: Family Houses](#). Prague: Kant, 2020. ISBN: 9788074372988. 152 pages. \$45.00

Wilkinson, Dominic. [F. X. Velarde \(20th Century Architects\)](#). London: Historic England in Association with Liverpool University Press, 2020. ISBN: 9781789628142. 192 pages. \$69.95

Yetken, Cengiz. [Unlearning Architecture: Louis I. Kahn Graduate Studio and Office](#). Bloomington, IN: Xlibris Corp, 2021. ISBN: 9781664154018. 324 pages. \$35.99

Architecture, Ancient

Kaimal, Padma. [Opening Kailasanatha: The Temple in Kanchipuram Revealed in Time and Space](#). Seattle: University of Washington Press, 2021. ISBN: 9780295747774. 288 pages. \$65.00

Stevens, Anna. [Amarna: A Guide to the Ancient City of Akhetaten](#). Cairo: The American University in Cairo Press, 2021. ISBN: 9789774169823. 200 pages. \$39.95

Architecture – Argentina

Leon, Ana Maria. [Modernity for the Masses: Antonio Bonet's Dreams for Buenos Aires \(Lateral Exchanges: Architecture, Urban Development, and Transnational Practices\)](#). Austin: University of Texas Press, 2021. ISBN :9781477321782. 288 pages. \$50.00

Architecture – Poland

Griffin, Julia. [Young Poland: The Arts and Crafts Movement, 1890-1918](#). London: Lund Humphries, 2021. ISBN: 9781848224537. 224 pages. \$79.99

Urban, Florian. [Postmodern Architecture in Socialist Poland: Transformation, Symbolic Form and National Identity \(Architext\)](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780367860721. 238 pages. \$166.00

Architecture – United Kingdom

Jones, Andrew. [The Buildings of Green Park: A Tour of Certain Building, Monuments and Other Structures in Mayfair and St. James's](#). Woodbridge, United Kingdom: Acc Art Books, 2021. ISBN: 9781788841160. 168 pages. \$35.00

Architecture- Vietnam

Vihn, Pham Phu. [Poetic Significance: Sai Gon Mid-Century Modernist Architecture](#). N.p: Indy Publishing, 2021. ISBN: 9781087943374. 308 pages. \$24.99

Architectural Design

Elkadi, Hisham. [Daylight, Design and Place-Making \(Design and the Built Environment\)](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780754672319. \$160.00

Fillen, Nicola. [RETHINK Design Guide: Architecture for a Post-Pandemic World](#). London: RIBA Publishing, 2021. ISBN: 9781859469804. 244 pages. \$34.95

Architectural Drawing

Drazil, David. [Sketch Like an Architect: Advanced Techniques in Architectural Sketching](#). n.p.: Sketch Like and Architect, 2021. ISBN: 9788090762831. 118 pages. \$35.00

Sovich, Randy M. [Houses Towers Cities: Architectural Drawings](#). Baltimore: Hapticity Press, 2021. ISBN: 9781736818107. 96 pages. \$28.00

Architectural Theory

Aris, Carlos Marti. [Eloquent Silences – Writings On Art And Architecture](#). Paris: Cosa Mentale, 2020. ISBN: 9782491039028. 172 pages. \$36.64

Jobst, Marko. [Architectural Affects after Deleuze and Guattari \(Routledge Studies in Affective Societies\)](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780367376505. 272 pages. \$154.00

Lahiji, Nadir. [Architecture or Revolution: Emancipatory Critique After Marx](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780367425470. 318 pages. \$160.00

Preissner, Paul. [Kind of Boring: Canonical Work and Other Visible Things Meant to be Viewed as Architecture](#). New York: Actar, 2021. ISBN: 9781948765138. 244 pages. \$42.00

Ricchi, Daria. [Writing Architecture in Modern Italy: Narratives, Historiography, and Myths \(Routledge Research in Architecture\)](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780367431112. 166 pages. \$159.34

Wigley, Mark. [Konrad Wachsmann's Television: Post-Architectural Transmissions \(Sternberg Press/Critical Spatial Practice\)](#). Berlin: Sternberg Press, 2021. ISBN: 9783956795350. 256 pages. \$24.95

Architecture and Society

Gullstrom-Hughes, Rolf. [Art of Experiment: Post-Pandemic Knowledge Practices for 21st Century Architecture and Design](#). London: Routledge, 2021. ISBN: 9781138479579. \$44.95

Art, Renaissance

Nagel, Alexander. [Ravenna in the Imagination of Renaissance Art](#). Turnhout, Belgium: Brepols Publishers, 2020. ISBN: 9782503583990. 208 pages. \$119.00

Building Types

Blackburn, John A. [American Equestrian Design: Blackburn Architects to Barns Farms, and Stables by Blackburn Architects](#). Melbourne: Images Publishing Dist. Ac, 2021. ISBN: 9781864708950. 232 pages. \$55.00

Dardenay, Alexandra. [Anthropology of Roman Housing \(Antiquite Et Sciences Humaines\)](#). Turnhout, Belgium: Brepols Publishers, 2020. ISBN: 9782503588605. 324 pages. \$130.00

Doig, Allan. [A History of the Church through its Buildings](#). Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2021. ISBN: 9780199575367. 392 pages. \$39.95

Fernandez-Cobian, Esteban. [Architectural Actions on the Religious Heritage after Vatican II.:](#) Newcastle on Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2020. ISBN: 978152760338. 362 pages. \$99.95

Jackson, Robert H. [A Visual Catalog of Jesuit Missions in Spanish America](#). Newcastle on Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 2021. ISBN: 9781527563490. 816 pages. \$99.95

Lawrence, Ranald. [The Victorian Art School: Architecture, History, Environment](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780367896423. 226 pages. \$178.10

Martin, Reinhold. [Knowledge Worlds: Media, Materiality, and the Making of the Modern University](#). New York: Columbia University Press, 2021. ISBN: 9780231189828. 384 pages. \$140.00

Landscape Architecture

Nehlich, Noah. [Design For Story: Create Immersive Outdoor Living Experiences](#). n.p.: Structure Books, 2020. ISBN: 9780578673523. \$29.97

Schafer, Tyler. [Community Gardening in an Unlikely City: The Struggle to Grow Together in Las Vegas](#). Landham, MD.: Lexington Books, 2020. ISBN: 9781793623126. 2020 pages. \$100.00

Sparke, Penny. [Nature Inside: Plants and Flowers in the Modern Interior](#). New Haven: Yale University Press, 2021. ISBN: 9780300244021. 224 pages. \$49.49

Weller, Richard J. [Beautiful China: Reflections on Landscape Architecture in Contemporary China](#). Novato, CA: ORO Editions, 2021. ISBN: 9781943532810. 212 pages. \$40.00

Masterworks

Bomgardner, David. [The Story of the Roman Amphitheatre](#). London: Routledge, 2021. ISBN: 9781138850705. 462 pages. \$160.00

Lebas, Jean-Baptiste Apollinaire. [The Luxor Obelisk and Its Voyage to Paris](#). Cairo: The American University in Cairo Press, 2021. ISBN: 9781617979958. 256 pages. \$39.95

Moe, Kiel. [Unless: The Seagram Building Construction Ecology](#). New York: Actar, 2021. ISBN: 9781948765398. 300 pages. \$34.95

Ruggiero, Rocky. [Brunelleschi's Basilica: The Building of Santo Spirito in Florence \(Kent State University European Studies\)](#). Rome: Viella-Libreria Editrice, 2020. ISBN: 9788833134734. \$40.00

Zipf, Catherine W. [Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater: American Architecture in the Depression Era](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9781138644342. 204 pages. \$160.00

Race in Architecture

Admassu, Emanuel. [Reconstructions: Architecture and Blackness in America](#). New York: The Museum of Modern Art, 2021. ISBN: 9781633451148. 176 pages. \$45.00

Sustainability

Fraker, Harrison. [Minding the City: Field Notes on Neuroscience and the Poetics of Sustainable Public Space](#). Novato, CA: ORO Editions, 2021. ISBN: 97819515413320. 240 pages. \$35.00

Urban Design

Batuman, Bulent. [Cities and Islamisms: On the Politics and Production of the Built Environment](#). London: Routledge, 2020. ISBN: 9780367331993. 166 pages. \$155.18

Federico, Bellentani. [The Meanings of the Built Environment: A Semiotic and Geographic Approach to Monuments in the Post-Soviet Era](#). Berlin: De Gruyter Mouton, 2019. ISBN: 9783110614459. \$137.23

Sutcliffe, Shim. [The Architecture of Point William](#). Novato, CA: ORO Editions, 2021. ISBN: 9781943532544. 239 pages. \$38.43