



DOCOMOMO US National Tour Day Saturday June 9th, 2007

Organizing Chapter: DOCOMOMO US / Georgia

Tour Name: Bush-Brown, Gailey, and Heffernan 1935-1960: Modern Architecture arrives at Georgia Tech

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Tour description: The Georgia Institute of Technology's College of Architecture and DOCOMOMO US, Georgia Chapter are participating in DOCOMOMO/US's first national Modern Movement Architecture Tour Day, Saturday June 9th. The local event traces development of the historic Modern core of Georgia Tech's campus with an introductory lecture and exhibit of historic drawings and photographs at the 1952 College of Architecture building, a walking tour, and an optional post-tour reception. The event examines this period of rapid expansion between 1947 and 1961 led by Bauhaus-inspired architects Harold Bush-Brown, Gailey and Paul Malcolm Heffernan.

Led by representatives from DOCOMOMO and the College of Architecture, the tour visits a number of significant buildings, including the 1953 Price-Gilbert Library, the 1959 William Vernon Skiles Classroom Building, the 1939 Hinman building, and the Heffernan Archival Center of Design. Afterwards participants may attend an optional off-campus reception. AIA Continuing Education Credits are available for the event.

Date, Time and Location: Saturday, June 9th, 1:00 PM, in the Georgia Tech College of Architecture Auditorium, East Building, 247 Fourth Street, Atlanta, Georgia

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Fees: Suggested donation of \$10/person. All donations will benefit the ongoing work of the DOCOMOMO/US, Georgia Chapter, Inc.

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