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may 2009 news/lectures/events

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Events /

Exhibition: "Anthony Ames, Architect:
Residential Landscapes" High Museum
through Aug. 23

Modern Atlanta / Design Is Human kickoff
party and exhibition on 5/15

Modern Atlanta / Roji trailer preceding
Houselife screening on 5/16, 5:30 p.m.

Lecture / Phu Hoang (BS Arch 1996), New
York on 5/21

Career Discovery begins 6/8

Alumni /

Joe Claghorn (M Arch 2003) graduates from
Harvard University with a Master in
Landscape Architecture and has been
chosen to speak as the Harvard
Commencement Student Orator. [Read
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Architects Take New Leadership Roles

Architect and cultural historian Johnston named director of
graduate program in Architecture as urban design expert

David Roland Rinehart (BS Arch 1977)

recently published a study of the life and work of Atlanta-based architect Henri Jova. Entitled *Henri Jova – Classical Intermezzo: An Architect's Life*, the book was distributed for the Atlanta History Center. [Read more>>](#)

Mike Watkins (MS Arch 2008) of Town Architects and **Jeremy Sommer (MS Arch 2008)** of Sommer Design Studios won a competition to design Jamaica housing development Luana Gardens organized by Housing Agency of Jamaica Limited (HAJ).

Heather Cook Elliott (M Arch 2005) of HGA Architects and Engineers became a licensed Architect and was recognized as an up-and-coming business leader in the *Milwaukee Business Journal* "40 Under 40."

Anthony Jason Dooley (BS Arch 1999; M Arch 2007) recently joined the firm of Fouse Architecture & Interiors in Woodstock as an Associate/Studio Director. He became a licensed architect in the State of Georgia in December.

In Memoriam: **John H. "Jack" Summer (BS Arch 1942)** on April 26. Summer designed many churches, hotels and other buildings throughout metro Atlanta and led the effort to place a memorial in Amfreville, France, to commemorate the fallen from the 507th Parachute Infantry Regiment. [Read more>>](#)

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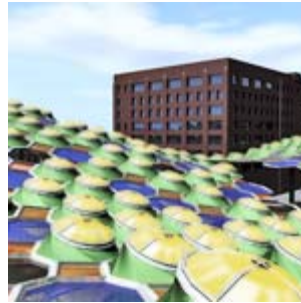
Students /

Doctoral student **Ann Carpenter** has been selected by the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning Governing Board to serve as one of only two student representatives nationally.

Jonathan Aprati won the AIA 2009 Committee on the Environment Prize for "Eco Skins: The Design of Low Energy High Performance Building Envelopes." The jury commended

Dunham-Jones ramps up teaching and research activity.

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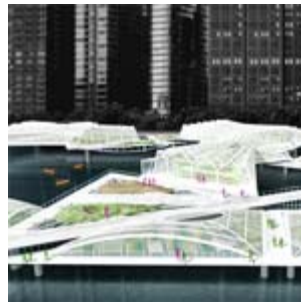
Best of the Best

Matt Erwin, Stephen Kennedy snag top accolades in end-of-semester student competitions. [Get to know them >>](#)



Georgia Tech Design Students Document Milan Design Week

"Roji" hopes interviews will reveal secrets of success. [Read more or follow their journey >>](#)



New York / May 21

Alumnus Phu Hoang to deliver lecture as 2009 Young Architect Forum Award Winner. Visit Phu Hoang Office [>>](#)

the work for its innovative solution to shading of the sun. Created in Franca Trubiano's Façades studio, the work was displayed at Greenprints 2009.

Faculty /

Architecture instructor **Jonathan Lacrosse** (BS Arch 1998) was selected for *Atlanta Magazine's* exclusive list of the top 10 young architects in Atlanta.

Judy Gordon, architecture instructor and designer with O Architects, was commended for her work on Kozmo Gastro Pub in Alpharetta, Ga. According the *Atlanta Journal-Constitution*, the new restaurant "brings the cool, urban sensibility of the Globe to a suburban strip center in the Johns Creek area."

Building Construction faculty **Ionnis Brilakis and Zhenhaua Zhu** received top prize for their paper "Real-Time Concrete Damage Visual Assessment for First Responders" at the 2009 Construction Research Congress in Seattle.

Michael Dobbins, professor of practice in City and Regional Planning and Architecture, is serving on the 2009 selection committee for the Rudy Bruner Award recognizing urban excellence.



Design Discourse

Faculty authors are set to release several books this summer and fall: A retrospective of 20th century New York skyscrapers; human-focused urban design; and more.



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