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*By Ashley R. Wilson, AIA / AIA 2015 Historic Resources Committee Chair*

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### Drying Out a Masonry Building

Does anyone have experience in drying out a long-abandoned masonry building? The subject building is a former apartment building, northeast US urban setting, seven stories tall, about 3500 square feet per floor. [Read more.](#)

### Experience with Paint Delamination

We have some issues with paint delamination in an historic building circa 1904. We know it is not distemper paint or an issue of latex paint over enamel paint. [Read more.](#)

### Dresden Cathedral "breathes with light" - 70th Anniv. of Bombing of Dresden

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of Dresden. Feature story is **HABS, HAER, and HALS Launch Online Exhibition to Celebrate the Upcoming 50th Anniversary of the National Historic Preservation Act in 2016** attached from "Public Art Review"... the only national magazine on public art. [Read more.](#)

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### **APT Renewing Modernism Symposium**

*By David N. Fixler, FAIA / EYP*

The 2015 APT Annual Conference held in Kansas City, MO November 1- 5, featured a symposium on *Renewing Modernism* that brought leading scholars, officials and practitioners from around the world together for an intensive one day working session to discuss emerging trends in addressing modern heritage and to draft consensus “Principles for Practice.” [Read more.](#)

### **Preservation 50- Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the National Historic Preservation Act**

*By Matthew Chalifoux, AIA*

Historic preservationists across the country have geared up for Preservation50 - a nationwide commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the passage of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA). Preservation50 is engaging federal and state agencies and national, tribal, and statewide preservation organizations. Private sector leaders in preservation are essential partners and collaborators at all stages of the Preservation50 effort, from planning, to funding, to program execution. [Read more.](#)



### **In Memoriam: Russell V. Keune, FAIA | Past Chair AIA Historic Resources Committee**

**Russell V. Keune, FAIA | Passed on December 3, 2015**

*By James Malanaphy, AIA and Hugh C. Miller, FAIA*

On December 3, 2015, Russell V. Keune, FAIA, past Chair of the AIA Historic Resources Committee passed away leaving a legacy of accomplishment that has had a significant impact on modern architecture and historic preservation practice. Until recently, Russell Keune continued to remain active in the profession as a faculty member in the Goucher College Master of Arts in Historic Preservation program. Each year one faculty member in the Goucher College Master of Arts in Historic Preservation program is invited to make an extended, illustrated presentation on their career to the assembled students and faculty. His advice to young practitioners is of interest to all. [Read more.](#)

### **Upcoming Events of Interest to HRC Members in 2016 National Historic Preservation Advocacy Week / March 8-10, 2016 in Washington, DC**

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[Read for more upcoming events.](#)

### **HRC SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

*By James J. Malanaphy, AIA / HRC Development Subcommittee*

The Historic Resources Committee continues to provide ongoing sponsorship opportunities for AIA member firms, craftsmen and trades serving the owners of historic properties. Join a select group of historic preservation professionals in support of HRC programs. Benefits of sponsorship include participation at special annual networking events during the AIA Convention, the AIA HRC/Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation Colloquium at Taliesin West, and the APT and National Trust conferences. Your contribution will help fund:

- AIA HRC/ACSA Preservation as Provocation Ideas Student Competition
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- AIA/NPS/LOC HABS Coordinating Committee
- HRC/HABS Student Internship Program
- HRC/Clemson University/ College of Charleston  
Pioneers in Preservation Oral History Program
- AIA HRC/Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation Colloquium  
at Taliesin West, and
- HRC fellowship events and educational programs at the  
annual conferences of the AIA, APT and NTHP

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- The Tallesin Colloquium jointly sponsored by HRC and COTE featured new conversations on sustainability
- The HRC luncheon at the National Trust for Historic Preservation Conference celebrated young architects as they mastered the creation of accurate, high-quality and beautiful HABS drawings.
- *Preservation as Provocation* was launched, our student competition sponsored by ACSA.
- HABS documentation drawings of mid-century and late century award-winning buildings are actively being collected.
- Over 39 Preservation specific sessions are offered at AIA Philadelphia this spring.

If you are a professor teaching architecture, consider participating in the *Preservation as Provocation* competition found at <http://www.acsa-arch.org/programs-events/competitions/2015-2016-preservation-as-provocation>. The program is to create a new Visitor Experience at the Farnsworth House site and the competition is designed to stimulate a wide array of responses.

Stay tuned for more opportunities in 2016 including firm competitions, volunteer activities, and sponsorship opportunities with the Historic Resources Committee.

Ashley R. Wilson, AIA | 2015 Chair, AIA Historic Resources Committee

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The following are some of the activities that are either sponsored by HRC or will be of particular interest to HRC members. Please look for them and sign up for the ones you are interested in when you register for convention.

**Preconvention workshop:** WE201 - Working with Modernism: Assessing and Preserving 20th Century Buildings on Wednesday, May 18 from 8:30 AM to 5:30 PM. Gain the specialized knowledge you need to accomplish optimal repair and reuse of these aging structures. [Learn more.](#)

**EV102- Find Your Community at the AIA Welcome Party:** Wednesday, May 18 from 6:00 - 8:00 PM. Kick off your convention experience! Connect with first time and returning attendees (who share your interests) at this new event as you:

- Indulge in festive cocktails and hors d'oeuvres
- Enjoy a fun, interactive activity
- Develop your convention plan
- Explore the diversity of practice
- Revel in unique architectural details of the venue

The Knowledge Communities, including HRC, will be represented at this opening event. [Learn more.](#)

**EV212- AIA HRC Luncheon:** Our annual luncheon will take place on Thursday, May 19 at 12 noon. Our guest speaker will discuss Philadelphia's unique architectural history, and we will provide an update on activities and plans of the HRC this year. [Learn more.](#)

**AIA Philadelphia HRC component event:** We are planning an event with the local AIA chapter. Stay tuned! More details coming soon.

Make certain to check out the [convention program](#) and register soon to avoid missing out on popular tours and activities.

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National Historic Preservation Advocacy Week will be

Tuesday, March 8 through Thursday, March 10, 2016 at Liaison Hotel on Capitol Hill in Washington, DC. Advocacy Week is our annual opportunity to have a mass impact on opinion leaders and policy makers – together with a cohesive message in support of preservation-positive legislation.

## Download Advocacy Week Issue One-Pagers

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Advocacy Week registration includes in-depth training and policy briefings and white papers from an array of preservation and policy professionals. Ticketed events offer additional meetings with elected officials, their staff, and a national network of preservation advocates.

[Download the Save the Date →](#)

## Preliminary Schedule

*All events are at the Liaison Hotel unless otherwise noted. Times are subject to change.*

### **Monday, March 7, 2016**

3:00 PM – 5:00 PM: Sign-in & On-Site Registration

### **Tuesday, March 8, 2016**

7:30 AM – Noon: Sign-in & On-Site Registration

7:30 AM – 9:00 AM: Continental Breakfast

*Included in General and Comprehensive Registration*

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM: Preservation Action Member Meeting

*All are welcome. Included in General and Comprehensive Registration*

9:00 AM – 10:30 AM: SHPO & FPO Forum

*Open to SHPO and FPO staff, advance RSVP to NCSHPO required*

10:45 AM – 11:50 AM: National Historic Preservation Act – 50th Anniversary

*Included in General and Comprehensive Registration*

Noon – 1:20 PM: Advocacy Lunch with Keynote Speaker (Ticketed)

1:30 PM – 3:30 PM: Advocacy Training, Briefings & Updates

*Included in General and Comprehensive Registration*

3:30 PM – 4:30 PM: State Meetings

*Included in General and Comprehensive Registration*

5:00 PM – 7:00 PM: NCSHPO Networking Reception, ACHP Chairman's Award (Ticketed)

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM: NCSHPO Annual Banquet (Ticketed)

**Wednesday, March 9, 2016**

8:00 AM – 9:15 AM: Breakfast Grab & Go/Q&A Time

*Included in General and Comprehensive Registration*

8:30 AM – 5:00 PM: Hill Visits, Scheduled by/with your State Delegation

5:00 PM – 7:00 PM: Preservation's Best Congressional Reception

Followed by an exclusive tour of the Capitol dome restoration (Ticketed)

*Hosted by Preservation Action, sponsored by UNICO Systems, the NTCIC and the National Trust for Historic Preservation*

**Thursday, March 10, 2016**

7:30 AM – 8:30 AM: Breakfast (Ticketed)

8:30 AM – Noon: NCSHPO Annual Meeting

1:30 PM – 5:00 PM: The Role of Cultural Heritage in the New  
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## Important Dates



**February 5, 2016 – Liaison Room Rate expires**

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\$229/Night

**February 12, 2016, 6pm – Early Bird registration rates expire**

Registration increases by \$20, each event increases by \$10

**March 04, 2016 – Last day to cancel and request a refund**

Full refund will be provided minus a \$25 admin fee

**March 04, 2016 – Online Registration Closes**

Additional registrations can be made in person at the Liaison Hotel

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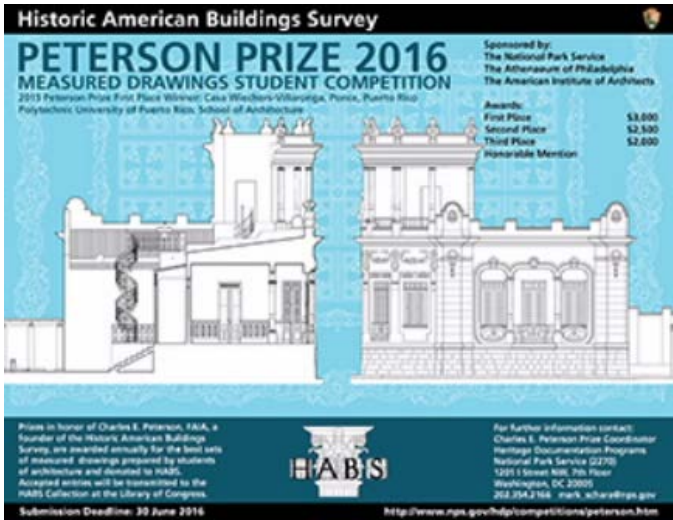
The [Kenneth L. Anderson Prize](#), an adjunct to the Peterson Prize, is awarded to the best set of measured drawings prepared by a student team from a university in Texas.

The [Leicester B. Holland Prize](#), open to both students and professionals, is awarded to the best single-sheet measured drawing of a HABS, HAER, or HALS site.

The [HALS Challenge](#), open to everyone, awards prizes for documentation of our nation's cultural landscapes.

Information on the competitions including eligibility, rules for participation and submission deadlines can be found on the [National Park Service website](#).





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The exhibit was launched in November in conjunction with the [#50for50](#) Social Media Campaign of the [National Park Service's](#) Cultural Resources Programs and the [National Trust for Historic Preservation's](#) PastForward Conference.

We will feature a state every week so be sure and check out the schedule at <http://go.nps.gov/50for50> to know when your state will be featured!

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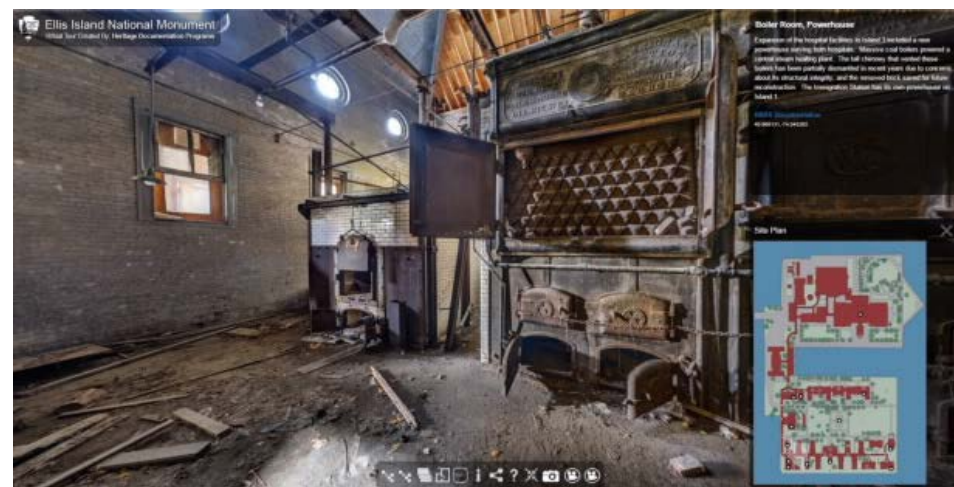
Starting in the summer of 2014 the Historic American Buildings Survey (HABS) produced documentation of the Historic Ellis Island Hospital complex, part of the Statue of Liberty National Monument. The documentation consists of measured drawings, large-format photographs and a historical report for the HABS/HAER/HALS Collection in the Library of Congress. HABS utilized a high-definition laser scanner, in addition to hand-drawn field notes, and hand-measuring to obtain information needed to produce existing conditions measured drawings of the hospital buildings.

The animated fly-through video of the Main Hospital Building is comprised of data from more than 180 individual laser scan stations, combined and textured with HDR panoramic photograph data. The rendering of more than 1.7 billion data points was done using Pointools point cloud animation software.

This digital tour provides "access" to a portion of Ellis Island that is typically not open to the public. Located on portions of the island that were created in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century the hospitals housed the U.S. Public Health Service.

Links to the tour, interactive point cloud, fly-through animations, photogrammetric 3D models, and HABS/HAER/HALS documentation of Ellis Island in [The Library of Congress](#) can be accessed at

[http://www.nps.gov/hdp/exhibits/ellis/Ellis\\_Index.htm](http://www.nps.gov/hdp/exhibits/ellis/Ellis_Index.htm).





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APT Renewing Modernism Symposium

By David N. Fixler, FAIA | EYP

The 2015 APT Annual Conference held in Kansas City, MO November 1 - 5, featured a symposium on *Renewing Modernism* that brought leading scholars, officials and practitioners from around the world together for an intensive one day working session to discuss emerging trends in addressing modern heritage and to draft consensus "Principles for Practice." Sponsored by the APT Technical Committees on Modern Heritage and Sustainable Preservation, the event was keynoted by Wessel de Jonge, a Dutch Architect and co-founder of DOCOMOMO International, and the sessions articulated a range of issues and needs such as differences between traditional and modern era buildings that raise philosophical challenges in applying traditional conservation approaches to repair or replacement decisions, and the need for improved consistency in expectations regarding appropriate treatment. Particular attention was given to how the profession should address buildings of widely varying character, merit and integrity, and to what degree the "modernization" that is so often desired particularly by owners of second and third tier modern structures can be accommodated - both from a design and a technical perspective - without loss of essential character.

The accommodation of change was also considered as part of the practical need to evaluate individual buildings within a broader framework for sustainable town and urban planning, and the growing need to achieve sustainable rehabilitation and adaptive use of buildings of the Modern Movement. In particular, there was a focus upon the unique challenges that Modern buildings pose with respect to improving energy efficiency, reducing carbon load, increasing durability and resilience, and generally integrating sustainable solutions for buildings that were designed during an era of cheap fuel, and widespread industrialization of buildings and their components, which often included relatively experimental of untested materials and assemblies.

The Symposium featured eleven speakers in three plenary sessions - the first on Resource Evaluation and Assessment, the second on Performance Metrics, and a third on Holistic Solutions for Sustainable Preservation. We closed with a lively panel discussion that featured all of the speakers and a lot of audience participation - which was expertly stimulated and managed by David Woodcock, FAIA. The Committee is in the process of drafting the principles for practice, and is preparing materials for publication in multiple journals. Links will be provided to this material as it becomes available.

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### Preservation50- Celebrating the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the National Historic Preservation Act

By *Matthew Chalifoux, AIA*

Historic preservationists across the country have geared up for Preservation50—a nationwide commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the passage of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA). Preservation50 is engaging federal and state agencies and national, tribal, and statewide preservation organizations. Private sector leaders in preservation are essential partners and collaborators at all stages of the Preservation50 effort, from planning, to funding, to program execution.

Preservation50 is managed by [Cultural Heritage Partners, PLLC](#), a Washington, DC headquartered international law, policy, and business strategy firm. Greg Werkheiser, Co-founder of Cultural Heritage Partners and Director of the Management Team of Preservation50 shared some of the background and objectives of Preservation50.

*Everybody knows that much has been accomplished in the past 50 years, but historic preservation as a movement needs to continue to evolve over the next 50 years to attract new stakeholders without which the movement will not be viable. We are working to provide opportunities and programs that will appeal to a broad spectrum of people and organizations and find ways to increase synergy and collaboration. A key objective is to build unexpected partnerships and deploy these around unexpected programs.*

Preservation50 includes direct programming at the national level and strategic support for programming at the tribal, state, and grassroots levels. The National Conference of State Historic Preservation Officers serves as fiscal agent for Preservation50's \$3 million budget. Mission

Preservation50 has five goals. They were derived by consulting leaders in the field and the public, and refined over the last two years.

Goal 1: Build the coalition required to power a more effective preservation movement.

*Unite partners across sectors in the largest, most diverse, and most collaborative coalition in history.*

Goal 2: Learn from the first 50 years of NHPA to plan preservation's stronger future.

*Organize discussions of critical topics that connect lessons learned with new strategies.*

Goal 3: Tell the story to a broad range of Americans of heritage preservation's value.

*Use social, digital, and traditional media to reveal impacts in ways visual, savvy, and inclusive.*

Goal 4: Educate policymakers about improving heritage policy and funding.

*Lay the groundwork for greater credibility and influence in subsequent years.*

Goal 5: Prepare the heritage preservation movement's future leaders.

*Forge programs that build the capacity of emerging leaders capable of transformative action.*

To learn more about Preservation50 and how you can be involved go to

<http://us4.campaign-archive2.com/?u=98b43a7e24281f6e692155baf&id=74c982468e&e=e1638649a6>

Additional information is also available on the [Preservation50 website](#).





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### Upcoming Conferences and Events

#### National Historic Preservation Advocacy Week | March 8-10, 2016 in Washington, DC

Preservation Action and the National Conference of State Historic Preservation Offices (NCSHPO) organize our industry's Advocacy Week each year, bringing over 250 preservationists to Washington, DC to promote sound federal preservation policy and programs. [Learn more.](#)

#### The 7<sup>th</sup> National Forum on Historic Preservation Practice: A Critical Examination of the Next 50 Years | March 19- 20 2016 at Goucher College in Baltimore, MD

Explore our future within the context of five significant drivers that will shape our future: demographics, economics, environment, technology, and education. [Learn more.](#)

#### Architectural Iron and Steel in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century | April 2- 3, 2016 in Cambridge, MA

An intensive two-day conference exploring the use, performance, maintenance, and preservation/restoration of: cast iron, wrought iron, structural steel, AESS, stainless steel, and other steels used in new and existing buildings and monuments. [Learn more.](#)

#### SAH 2016 Annual International Conference | April 6-10, 2016 in Pasadena, CA

The SAH 2016 Annual International Conference will engage participants from around the world with the rich, evolving legacy of the Pasadena/Los Angeles region's built environment. [Learn more.](#)

#### Keeping History Above Water; Newport Restoration Foundation | April 10-16, 2016 in Newport, RI

Over four days, we'll examine the risks, share practical knowledge, and debate solutions with an emphasis on real world applications. Follow the complete schedule as it develops. [Learn more.](#)

#### Traditional Building Conference Series - Materials and Methods: Windows | April 12- 13, 2016 at the Chicago History Museum in Chicago, IL

The Traditional Building Conference Series delivers focused, relevant education for architects, contractors, craftspeople, designers, building owners and facilities managers in a time efficient format at beautiful historic venues. [Learn more.](#)

#### 2016 AIA National Convention | May 19-21, 2016 in Philadelphia, PA

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#### A Century of Design in the Parks; National Center for Preservation Technology and Training | June 21- 23, 2016 in Santa Fe, NM

A three-day symposium discussing the preservation of National Park Service (NPS) designed buildings and landscapes. This event coincides with the 100th anniversary of the National Park Service. [Learn more.](#)

#### 2016 APT Conference | October 30 - November 2, 2016 in Antonio, TX

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PastForward, the National Preservation Conference | November 15-18, 2016 in Houston, TX

Expert practitioners lead learning labs and field studies, all designed to provide tools that participants can use to improve their own communities. Preservation Studio offers attendees the chance to explore exhibits, see live demonstrations and watch films. In addition, the live streaming TrustLive engages new audiences as they explore preservation through new lenses. [Learn more.](#)

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