This month you can get a behind the scenes look at how design happens with the opening of our 19th Annual Model Exhibit [un] Restricted. We’re excited to share the latest technology in model-making and invite you to see for yourself how architectural models serve as a valuable tool throughout the design process.

Architects aren't the only ones who can build models! We also are excited to launch our Fall Youth and Family Workshops to show how everyone can play a role in solving today's social issues through design. And later this month we hope you’ll join us at the Seattle Design Festival variety of activities including the Block Party on September 10-11.

Opening Night Reception - Tonight 8.31

Tickets available until noon today - last chance!

[un]Restricted 19th Annual SAF Model Exhibit Center for Architecture and Design September 1- October 21

Thank You!

We are grateful for the support of the following Annual Corporate Sponsors:

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If you can't join us for opening night, come by on First Thursday - we'll be open until 8:00 PM!
Seattle Design Festival
September 10–23
We are proud to be participating in this year's Seattle Design Festival, offering a talk, youth workshop, exhibit and tour all connected to the festival theme of "Design Change".

Every September, the Seattle Design Festival brings together designers, community members, experts, and city officials to celebrate and explore how design improves the quality of our lives and our community. Since 2011, the Seattle Design Festival has been presented by Design in Public and AIA Seattle in collaboration with dozens of partner organizations.

**Making Change in your Neighborhood**

A Program of the 2016 Seattle Design Festival
Center for Architecture & Design
Sep 20 6:30 – 8:00 PM

Ever wonder how design decisions get made and how you can contribute to change in your community? Learn what it takes to build a park, playground or create a new shared space in your neighborhood! Join us for this interactive panel discussion that will offer practical tips and share case studies for planning and executing a design project in your neighborhood.

**Panelists:**

Lesley Bain, Framework
Eric Higbee, Pomegranate Center
Karen Selander, City of Seattle Department of Neighborhoods
Lisa Rutzick, City of Seattle Department of Construction & Inspections
Rachael Brister, Capitol Hill Champion Steering Committee, President of Cal Anderson Park Association

**Queen Anne Tour**

A program of the 2016 Seattle Design Festival
Sep 17 10:00 - 12:00 PM
at West Queen Anne Elementary School (now condos)
Makers Architecture and Urban Design
Magnusson Klemencic Associates
Metals Fabrication Company
mYamaguchi Architect
Notkin Mechanical
PAE
Parker Smith + Feek
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Coming up!
Saturday Family Events
(Ages 6-11 and their chaperones)
2nd Saturdays,
10:00-12:00PM
Cost: FREE, registration suggested
At the Center for Architecture and Design

Children and family members explore architecture through hands-on activities at our Saturday events that highlight a new design topic every month! Arrive at 10am for an introduction to innovative examples of local and global design.

As part of the Seattle Design Festival we are offering a limited number of free passes on our September Queen Anne Tour.

On this tour you will see Landmark residences, apartments and repurposed buildings, expansive views, quiet corners, discover hidden estates and observe sensitive restorations.

Photo: Alice Hammond

Teen Design Workshop - FREE
Off The Rails: Light Rail Development
Sunday, September 18, 11:00-3:00PM
At the Center for Architecture and Design

Youth will be challenged to think about how urban design and planning policies we put in place today can shape or change a neighborhood many years into the future. Participants will be shown images of the study area (Seattle’s Roosevelt neighborhood) as it looks today, and asked to think about what it might look like when the Roosevelt light rail station opens in 2021.

This free event kicks off our 2016-2017 Teen Workshop Series. Read below to learn about the rest of the series.
architectural projects. Then, children take the lead in using the design process to create their own design proposal for a group presentation. Volunteer architects and designers assist children and families along the way.

**Go Outside! Designing Public Spaces**  
Oct 8, 2016

**Backyard Barnyards: Urban Farming**  
Nov 12, 2016

**Ziplines and Hoverboards! Designing Transportation**  
Dec 10, 2016

**Recycle, Recycle! Creative Reuse Through Design**  
Jan 14, 2017

**We Love the Earth! Design That Mimics Nature**  
Feb 11, 2017

**Gimme Shelter! Designing Affordable Housing**  
March 11, 2016

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**2016-2017 Teen Design Workshop Series**  
(youth ages 12-17)

**3rd Saturdays, 11am – 3pm**  
at The Center for Architecture and Design

Monthly weekend workshops engage youth in design and social issues. Workshops begin with a community guest or designer introducing an issue and youth are challenged to use their creativity to come up with a responsive design. In teams supported by SAF volunteers, students work to plan, build and present a physical or digital study model that represents how their design could promote a better city for all.

Register by October 10 for our discounted season pass. Fee waiver also available upon request.

**Robot Cars! Transportation, Land Use and Urban Design**  
Oct 15, 2016

**Raise The Roof: Housing For All**  
Nov 19, 2016

**h-Ch-Changes: Fighting Gentrification and Preserving Neighborhoods**  
Dec 17, 2016

**Access for All: Public Amenities, Rest Stops and Bathrooms**  
January 21, 2017

**Locally Sourced! Vernacular Architecture**  
Feb 18, 2017

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**SAF Tour of the Month: Design Details**  
September 9, 10:00 AM

Take a walk through Seattle's design history by taking a close look at the details that give a
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Other events at the Center for Architecture:

Happy Hour with Young Architects Forum + Women in Design
Co-hosted by the Seattle Architecture Foundation in partnership with AIA Seattle
September 8, 5:30–7:00 PM
More Information
Visit the Center's website for more information and to register.

Upcoming SAF Events
Visit our calendar and start exploring Seattle! Private tours are also available for groups of 10 or more. Email us for more information.
- Hidden Spaces/Public Places Tour - 9/1, 9/3, 9/23
- Greatest Hits Tour: Chart Toppers and Heart-Stoppers - 9/4, 9/11, 9/18, 9/25
- Diamonds & Gold Tour: The Art Deco Skyscraper Northwest Style - 9/2, 9/10, 9/16
- Design Details Tour: Lions, Griffins and Walruses, Oh My! - 9/9, 9/17, 9/30
- My Future Neighborhood Youth Workshop - 9/3
- Making Change in Your Neighborhood Panel - 9/20
- UW Tour: Purple and Gold - 9/23
- Pike/ Pine Tour: Change on an Urban Scale - 9/10
- Queen Anne Tour: The Evolution of an Urban Neighborhood (Seattle Design Festival Program) - 9/17
- Mt Baker Tour: More Than a View - 9/24
- Skyscrapers Tour: High Ambitions - 9/24

Thank you to the City of Seattle Office of Arts and Culture for their support of our tour season.

Visit Our Tour Calendar

Community Events

InterUrban: “Heart this Dive” Happy Hour
September 13, 6:00 – 8:00 PM
at Loretta’s Northwesterner in South Park
Presented by Historic Seattle
Mike Seely will talk about dive bars in Seattle, and Seattle Council member Lisa Herbold will share the latest about Seattle Legacy Businesses, a project to recognize historic places as community assets worth saving.
More Information

GGLO Step it Up / 30th Anniversary Party
September 10 - 23
Presented by GGLO
A series of interactive public design installations and performances planned to stimulate, engage and move the Seattle community.
More Information

Park(ing) Day Plus
September 16 - 17
Presented by SDOT
This event is an opportunity to rethink how streets can be used and to explore the potential of on-street parking spaces. Discover one- and two-day pop-up projects all over the city.

More Information

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