No matter where you are, the Institute of Classical Architecture & Art (ICAA) offers courses, lectures, articles, and more, available at any time at classicist.org.

*Classicism at Home* offers a weekly opportunity to turn your thoughts to things both historic and contemporary, academic and entertaining, and aesthetic and rigorous through the ICAA's ongoing online content.

**NEW ONLINE VIDEOS**

The following lectures were presented as part of the *Driehaus Summer Studio Retrospective*—four weeks of daily online content inspired by the ICAA’s Summer Studio in Classical Architecture program.

The ICAA expresses gratitude to The Richard H. Driehaus Charitable Lead Trust for its sponsorship of these programs.

**New Light on the Orders**  
*with George Saumarez Smith*

The orders have long embodied allegory and meaning, but recent discussion has tended to focus mainly on their physical appearance. In a talk originally given as part of the Driehaus Summer Studio Retrospective, architect George Saumarez Smith proposes an alternative way of considering the orders that encourages them to be seen as vessels of memory rather than simply as decorative devices. This course, now available to watch online in its entirety, covers the orders from their origins to new and theoretical uses in contemporary construction.

**WATCH NOW**
Living on campus is central to the U.S. college experience, but student housing poses a big challenge as schools work to make their campuses safe for students to return this fall.

Join Melissa DelVecchio, partner at Robert A.M. Stern Architects, who presents recent student housing models such as shared suites designed for the new residential colleges at Yale University; single bedrooms with shared social spaces designed for a living-learning college at Tsinghua University; and micro apartment studies prepared for an unbuilt university housing project in Florida.

The ICAA's seminar series Case Studies in New Classical & Traditional Design explores the design and execution of new work from the practitioner’s perspective. The series aims to explore solutions to contemporary design challenges, foster critical discussion of recent work, and demystify the complexities of how unique projects come together.

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The Art of Making Places: A Panel Discussion on Ciudad Cayalá

On May 19th, 2020, the ICAA presented this special panel discussion only to ICAA Members. The recording has now been made available here for the enjoyment of the general public. If you would like to become a member or to renew your membership, please visit our website.
Leon Krier, María Sánchez, and Pedro Godoy have been teaming up for over 17 years to design new traditional cities, among them Ciudad Cayalá in Guatemala, and Herencia de Allende in Mexico. In addition to their close and successful professional collaboration, Mr. Krier, Mr. Godoy, and Ms. Sánchez share a profound fellowship which not only has enhanced their design work over the years, but has also helped them spearhead the advancement of traditional architecture and urbanism in Latin America, Europe and the United States. Their collaborative work has been widely acclaimed and received numerous awards including an Arthur Ross Award for Civic Design.

In this conversation moderated by architect and ICAA Fellow Rodrigo Bollat Montenegro, the team discusses the tools required for the art of making places, share their experiences in working together, and provide insight into the role of the architect in the foundation of a new traditional city.

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FROM THE ARCHIVES

The Unknown American Academy with Thomas Kligerman

In 2018, architect Thomas A. Kligerman reflected on life and work as a scholar at the American Academy in Rome, the premier American overseas center for independent study and research in the fine arts and humanities. Tom was a Visiting Scholar at the American Academy in 2017, and this essay was the second in a three-part series that also explores Rome itself among other destinations in Italy, further afield.

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ALMA SCHAPIRO PRIZE

Apply for the Alma Schapiro Prize and the Opportunity to Spend Three Months at the American Academy in Rome
The ICAA is pleased to offer the Alma Schapiro Prize, which alternates years with the Rieger Graham Prize. The Alma Schapiro Prize is to advance the career of an artist recipient and to foster the continuity of knowledge of the classical tradition as a vital aspect of contemporary culture around the globe.

The centerpiece of the prize is a three-month affiliated fellowship at the American Academy in Rome, the premier American overseas center for independent study and research in the fine arts and humanities. The total award will include Academy fees, travel allotment and award stipend. The proposed three-month stay must begin between September of the prize year and May of the following year.

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EXCLUSIVE ONLINE EVENTS FOR ICAA MEMBERS

Pen & Ink Architecture Meets the Virtual World: Exploring Digital Advances in Design, with Peter Pennoyer Architects

Thursday, August 13
6:00 PM EDT / 3:00 PM PDT

Although it may be unexpected that a classically-inspired architecture firm could also be an early adopter of technology, Peter Pennoyer Architects believes that classicists are well-positioned to lead the architecture field into the future. While hand-drawing is still a cornerstone of their work, Peter Pennoyer Architects is passionate about using digital tools to advance their work. One of the first residential firms to get a 3D printer in-house and to hire a dedicated 3D Print Technician nearly 10 years ago, they have continually invested in the latest technology, including Virtual Reality, BIM, and 3D Printing.

Join firm founder Peter Pennoyer, BIM Director Colin Slaten, and 3D Production Manager Philip Davis for an in-depth exploration, and visual demonstrations, of the ways they are employing these digital advances in their work and for their clients.
ICAA Book Club with Clive Aslet and Dylan Thomas, moderated by Tom Kligerman

Tuesday, September 1
6:00 PM EDT / 3:00 PM PDT

Please join the Institute of Classical Architecture & Art (ICAA) for a virtual lecture featuring Clive Aslet and Dylan Thomas, with Thomas Kligerman moderating. Clive and Dylan will be speaking on topics related to their new book *Old Homes, New Life: The Resurgence of the British Country House*.

**Clive Aslet** is an award-winning architectural historian and journalist, acknowledged as a leading authority on Britain and its way of life.

**Dylan Thomas** is one of Britain’s foremost photographers of people and interiors, having begun work as an assistant to the internationally famous Lord Snowdon.

**Thomas A. Kligerman**, co-founder of Ike Kligerman Barkley, serves on the board of several charitable and educational institutions, including The Sir John Soane's Museum Foundation, and lectures frequently on topics including the cultural and architectural history of Cuba, the influence of the Shingle Style in American design, and the intersection of modern and traditional architecture.

Copies of *Old Homes, New Life: The Resurgence of the British Country House* are available at a special rate to ICAA members. Upon registration, you will receive the discount code in your confirmation email.

**NOTE:** This event is free and open to ICAA Members exclusively and is limited to the first 100 registrants. Advance registration is required to receive the link to the webinar platform.

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HISTORICAL CONCEPTS
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Presents
Classicism in Conversation:
20 Questions: Architects & Laypeople

In the second entry of our mini-series 20 Questions, listen in on a frank and entertaining conversation between three architects and two "laypeople," as each group asks what they have always wanted to know about the professions of their counterparts. Architects and show hosts Kellen Krause, Anthony Catania, and Rodrigo Bollat Montenegro are joined by Jeanz Holt, an attorney, and Rich McGovern, who works in digital media in New York City. Although all five of our contributors are enthusiastic about architecture - Jeanz and Rich even worked previously for the Institute of Classical Architecture & Art - find out what the enthusiasts have always wanted to know about the professionals, and how the architects think of the "laypeople" who live and work in the buildings they design.

LEARN MORE

Classicism in Conversation is available on the following platforms:

ICAA PUBLICATIONS

The ICAA is excited to announce that the all-new edition of Henry Hope Reed's revolutionary book, *The Golden City*, which celebrates classicism in American cities, particularly New York, is now available for purchase.

This 60th Anniversary Edition, published by The Monacelli Press, includes essays by Catesby Leigh and Alvin Holm that situate the book in the current world of classicism and preservation.

ICAA Members will receive an exclusive email offering a 30% discount.

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**ADDITIONAL ONLINE COURSES AND LECTURES**

**ICAA Chapters' Online Courses & Lectures**

*Hosted by the North Carolina Chapter:*

**Pioneers in Landscape Architecture: A New Profession for Women Webinar**

Tuesday, August 18, 12:00 PM EDT / 9:00 AM PDT

Ellen Biddle Shipman, Beatrix Farrand Jones and Marian Cruger Coffin shaped and revolutionized the profession of landscape architecture. They practiced in the Country Place era between 1890-1940, considered a golden age of design and construction. They were all known for their formal gardens and lush plantings which influenced landscape design then and now.

While taking different paths, each of them persevered to become the first generation of women to practice in a male dominated profession.

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*Hosted by the Rocky Mountain Chapter:*

**Webinar: An Evening of Inspiration with Suzanne Kasler**

Thursday, August 20 7:00 PM EDT / 5:00 PM MDT
As a nationally revered interior designer, Suzanne Kasler is at once inspired and inspiring. Join the ICAA Rocky Mountain Chapter to learn about Suzanne’s long standing involvement with the ICAA, how she works seamlessly with professionals and homeowners of all kinds, and how she keeps her creativity infused with both innovative and evergreen ideas. Suzanne will take viewers behind the scenes of three of her favorite projects, revealing the elements of her signature style and how she achieves meaningful interiors to fill that desirable and rare middle ground between sophisticate and ingénue.

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Hosted by the Southern California Chapter:
Webinar: The Language of Ornament: Part II
Tuesday, August 25, 9:30 PM EDT / 6:30 PM PDT

1 AIA CES Learning Unit|Elective and 1 credit towards the Certificate in Classical Architecture

Ornament is defined as artistic elements added to an otherwise functional structure or object, with the sole purpose of making it more beautiful. This elaboration has the power to both beautify and glorify, and the content does not have to be explicitly understood by the viewer in order to be enjoyed.

This course will examine the Language of Ornament, based on categories rather than geographies. Humans have been creating similar forms across the world for millennia, and this lecture will explore artistic expression that appears to be universal both in origin and intent. Participants will achieve a greater degree of fluency in the language of Ornament.

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Webinar: Introduction to the Classical Moldings – Parts I & II

3 AIA CES Learning Units|Elective and 3 credits towards the Certificate in Classical Architecture for full program attendance (both sessions)

Moldings are the basic building blocks of classical buildings, the “atomic units” at the very heart of the classical language of architecture, and a working knowledge of moldings is the starting point for a thoughtful approach to design.

Students of all abilities will find interest and value in this fast-paced introduction. You will learn to draw the classical moldings freehand, and will gain an understanding of their purpose and correct use, and how to employ them for greatest effect.

Hosted by the Northern California Chapter:
August 26, 9:30 PM EDT / 6:30 PM PDT
September 2, 9:30 PM EDT / 6:30 PM PDT

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Hosted by the Washington Mid Atlantic Chapter:
August 27, 6:00 PM EDT / 3:00 PM PDT
September 3, 6:00 PM EDT / 3:00 PM PDT

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Hosted by the New England Chapter:

Sunday, August 30, 1:00 PM EDT / 10:00 AM PDT

Renowned Maine State Historian Earle G. Shettleworth, Jr. will speak to a broad selection of buildings and examples of urban fabric that can serve to inspire new traditional architecture in Maine. He will speak to the elements of Traditional Architecture and Commercial Urban Fabric that are most appropriate for developing Regional Architecture in Maine, and demonstrate how traditional construction and infrastructure systems found in Maine respond traditionally to the Region’s Climatic Challenges and Natural Resources and are inherently resilient and socially responsive.

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ICAA AWARDS

Upcoming Awards Ceremonies and Submission Deadlines

Chicago Midwest Chapter
Acanthus Awards
The Acanthus Awards are open to all design professionals, students and artisans practicing within the boundaries of the Chicago-Midwest region of the Institute of Classical Architecture & Art which includes: Iowa, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, and the upper peninsula of Michigan. Projects submitted for consideration may be from anywhere in the world. Any project completed after January 1st, 2011 is eligible.

Submission Deadline – August 14, 2020
Acanthus Awards Reception in Chicago – November 21, 2020

Florida Chapter
Addison Mizner Awards
Any work, regardless of location, completed by members of the Florida Chapter of the ICAA is eligible for consideration. National and International ICAA members are eligible to submit projects built in Florida and the Caribbean. Projects must have been completed within the past ten years.

Submission Deadline – Oct. 26, 2020
9th Annual Addison Mizner Awards – March 6, 2021

National Office
Stanford White Awards
New England Chapter
Bulfinch Awards

The Bulfinch Awards recognize practitioners from across the nation who are committed to promoting excellence in the classical tradition and allied arts within New England.

2020 Bulfinch Awards – June 19, 2021

Rocky Mountain Chapter
Jacques Benedict Awards

Eligible projects must be located within the Rocky Mountain Region (CO, ID, NM, WY, MT) or must be designed by a Rocky Mountain based practitioner. All projects must have been completed between January 1, 2010 and the time of submission.

2020 Jacques Benedict Awards – September 30, 2021

SOCIAL SKETCHING ONLINE

New Social Sketching Activities

ICAA Chapters are bringing social sketching events online, opening them up to participation around the country, and even internationally. This weekend, join friends and colleagues in social sketching events hosted by the Chicago-Midwest, Florida, Rocky Mountain, Southeast, and Southern California Chapters:

Chicago-Midwest Chapter
The Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago (images)

Send a jpg to info@classicistchicago.org by Sunday evening for it to be posted to the ICAA Chicago-Midwest Instagram account on Monday afternoon. Be sure to include your Instagram handle in the email!
Florida Chapter
Cummer Museum & Gardens in Jacksonville (images)

Post an image of your sketch to Instagram by Sunday afternoon. Include a brief description along with following tags:
@icaaflorida
#floridasummersketchtour #icaafl
#virtualsketching #icaa

Photo: Ryan Ketterman

Rocky Mountain Chapter
The First Church of Divine Science (images)

Post an image of your sketch to Instagram by Wednesday afternoon. Include a brief description along with following tags:
@icaarockymountain
#sketchingbenedictrmc

Southeast Chapter
Hestercombe Gardens and Orangery (images)

Send a jpg to icasoutheast@gmail.com by Monday noon for it to be posted to the ICAA Southeast Instagram account on Monday afternoon. Be sure to include your Instagram handle in the email!

Post to your own Instagram account using
#icaasoutheast #graphiteandgrits
#connectingthroughsketching
#classicalarchitecture

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FOLLOW ICAA FLORIDA

FOLLOW ICAA ROCKY MOUNTAIN

FOLLOW ICAA SOUTHEAST
Southern California Chapter
The Gamble House in Pasadena (Stay tuned for sample images on Instagram!)

Post an image of your sketch to Instagram by next Monday afternoon. Include a brief description along with following tags: @icca.socal and #sketchtogetherathome.

FOLLOW ICAA SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Additional Offerings

There is so much more available online at classicist.org: filmed lectures and public programs, panel discussions, and numerous online articles provide an opportunity to stay connected with the ICAA.

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