

ICAA ADVANCED STUDIES IN CLASSICAL ARCHITECTURE

GREAT BUILDINGS
CLASSICAL ARCHITECTURE IN WASHINGTON D.C.
SUMMER 2024

SCHEDULE

7-05-2024 /Times and locations may be subject to change.

MONDAY, JULY 8 – CIVIC & INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS

Instructors: Michael Mesko, Jack Edwards

7.30-9AM *Breakfast – CUA Dining Services*

9-12PM **Studio, CUA Architecture School**

- Introduction
- Orientation to City – Dr. Christina Wilson
- Sketchbook preparation for site drawing.

Studio Drawings:

Washington DC

- Diagram of City Plan

Federal Triangle

- Site Plan

National Gallery of Art

- Floor Plan and South Elevation

12-1PM *Lunch – CUA Dining Services*

1:45-5PM **National Archive – John Russell Pope**

Location: 701 Constitution Avenue, NW, between 7th & 9th St

Federal Triangle – Carrere & Hastings, Arthur Brown Jr., York & Sawyer, Edward Bennett

Location: Federal Triangle Metro Stop at 302 12th Street

Freer Gallery of Art at the National Museum of Asian Art – Charles Platt, 1923

Location: south side of National Mall, 1100 Jefferson Dr SW

National Gallery of Art, West Building – John Russell Pope, 1941

Location: National Mall, between 4th and 7th St. / Constitution and Madison Ave. NW

5-7:00PM *Dinner – CUA Dining Services*

7:30-9PM **Studio** – *Presentation on next day's subjects. Sketchbook preparation for Tuesday field study.*

TUESDAY, JULY 9 – MEMORIALS, INSTITUTIONS, INFRASTRUCTURE

Instructors: Michael Mesko, Jack Edwards, Michael Bursch, Michael Schwarz

7.30-9AM *Breakfast – CUA Dining Service*

9AM-12PM **Lincoln Memorial – Henry Bacon, Daniel Chester French, 1922**

Location: West end of National Mall @ 23rd St. NW

Arlington Memorial Bridge / Memorial Gate – McKim, Mead, & White, 1926-32

Location: Potomac River btw Lincoln Memorial and Arlington Cemetery

District War Memorial – Frederick H. Brooke, 1931

Location: Independence Ave. between 17th & 23rd St. NW

12-1PM *Lunch – Picnic on the Mall (Packed Lunch by CUA Dining Services)*

1-5PM **American Institute of Pharmacy Building - John Russell Pope, 1932**

Location: 2215 Constitution Ave. NW

National Academy of Sciences – Bertram Goodhue, Hildreth Miere, 1924

Location: 2101 Constitution Avenue, NW, Tel.: 202-334-2000

Organization of American States – Paul Cret, 1910

Location: Southern end of National Mall, adjacent to the Tidal Basin in West Potomac Park

Jefferson Memorial – John Russell Pope, 1943

Location: Southern end of National Mall, adjacent to the Tidal Basin in West Potomac Park

5-7PM Dinner – CUA Dining Services

7:00-9PM **Studio – Bursch, Edwards, Mesko**

- *Michael Schwarz, DMSAS – presentation on DC Apartment Buildings*

WEDNESDAY, JULY 10 – URBAN FABRIC: MULTI-STORY COMMERCIAL
URBAN LIVING: HIGH-RISE, MID-RISE, LOW-RISE
CIVIC

Instructors: Michael Mesko, Jack Edwards, Michael Romero

7.30-9AM *Breakfast – CUA Dining Services*

9-12PM **Downtown Commercial Buildings and Blocks**

Location: Meet at Lafayette Square

- Commercial National Bank, 1405 G St., NW -Waddy B Wood, 1917
- The Washington Building, 1440 New York Avenue NW - Coolidge Shepley Bulfinch and Abbott, 1927
- Woodward Building 1426 H Street NW - Harding and Upman, 1911
- Second National Bank, 1331 G Street NW - Appleton P. Clark Jr., 1929
- National Metropolitan Bank, 613 15th Street NW - Gordon, Tracy & Swartout, 1907
- Hotel Washington, 515 15th Street NW - Carrère and Hastings
- Willard Hotel - 700 14th St, 607 14th St
- United States Treasury Annex, 701 Madison Place NW - Cass Gilbert
- Keith-Albee Theater and the Keith-Albee Building, 1426 G Street NW and 615-627 15th Street NW - Jules Henri de Sibour, 1912

National Portrait Gallery / Old U.S. Patent Office (Optional) – Robert Mills, 1839-69

Location: 8th St NW & G St NW

General Post Office / now Hotel (Optional) – Robert Mills, 1836-67

Location: 555 8th St NW

12-1PM *Lunch – (Packed Lunch by CUA Dining Services)*

1-4PM **Urban Living - Vicinity of Connecticut & Mass Avenue, Dupont Circle**

- 1769 Massachusetts Ave – Sanson
- 1618 New Hampshire Avenue, NW, Perry Belmont House - Ernest-Paul Sanson, Horace Trumbauer
- 1759 R St. NW, Thomas Nelson Page House – McKim Mead White
- A.B. Butler House, 1744 R St. NW - Clarke Waggaman.
- Joseph Beale House, 2301 Massachusetts Avenue, NW – Glenn Brown
- Anderson House (Society of the Cincinnati) - Arthur Little and Herbert Browne
- Cosmos Club – Carrere & Hastings
- Others TBD

Apartment Buildings - Vicinity of Connecticut Ave, Wyoming Ave to Taft Bridge / Rock Creek Park

- The Dresden, 2101 Connecticut Avenue, NW – Alfred Beers, 1909
- 2101 Connecticut Avenue, NW - Joseph Abel and George T. Santmyers, 1928
- The Woodward, 2311 Connecticut Ave NW –
- 2029 Connecticut Ave, NW - Hunter & Bell, 1915
- 2311 Connecticut Ave, NW - Harding & Upman, 1909
- The Altamont, 1911 Wyoming Ave NW

- Others TBD

4-4:30PM *Travel to Capitol Hill*

4:30-6PM **Capitol Hill/Eastern Market Neighborhoods**
Location: Meet at Eastern Market

6-7PM *Dinner – CUA Dining Services*

7:30-9PM **Studio – Bursch, Edwards, Mesko**

- *Sketchbook preparation for Thurs field study.*

THURSDAY, JULY 11 – PLACES OF WORSHIP; ARCHITECTURAL LANDSCAPE
Instructors: Michael Mesko, Jack Edwards, Michael Bursch

7.30-9AM *Breakfast – CUA Dining Services*

9AM-12PM *Drive to Meridian Hill Park*

Meridian Hill Park

Walk to Columbia Heights

All Souls Unitarian Church - Coolidge & Shattuck

Location: 1500 Harvard St NW

National Baptist Memorial Church – Egerton Swartwout

Location: 1501 Columbia Road NW

Drive to National City Christian Church

National City Christian Church – John Russell Pope

Location: 5 Thomas Circle, NW

Drive to National Cathedral

12-1PM *Lunch – (Packed Lunch by CUA Dining Services)*

1-6PM **National Cathedral – George Frederick Bodley, Philip Hubert Frohman**

Location: 3101 Wisconsin Ave, NW

Drive to Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land

Franciscan Monastery of the Holy Land in America – Aristide Leonori

Location: 1400 Quincy St NE

Drive to Trinity Washington University

Notre Dame Chapel, Trinity Washington University – Maginnis and Walsh

Location: 125 Michigan Ave. NE

Drive to CUA

Shrine of the Immaculate Conception – Maginnis and Walsh

Location: 400 Michigan Avenue NE

6-7PM *Dinner – CUA Dining Services*

7:30-9PM **Studio** – *Sketchbook preparation for Friday field study.*

FRIDAY, JULY 12 – CIVIC, INSTITUTIONAL, TRANSPORTATION

Instructors: Michael Mesko, Jack Edwards, Michael Bursch

7.30-9AM *Breakfast – CUA Dining Services*

9AM-12PM **U.S. Capitol – William Thornton, Charles Bullfinch, Benjamin Latrobe, Thomas U. Walter**
Location: east end of National Mall

Library of Congress Thomas Jefferson Building – Smithmeyer and Pelz, 1886-97
Location: 10 First St, S.E. between Independence Ave. and East Capitol St.

Supreme Court – Cass Gilbert, 1935
Location: First Street NE between East Capitol St and Maryland Ave

12-1PM Lunch (Packed Lunch by CUA Dining Services)

1-6PM **Pension Building / National Building Museum – Montgomery C. Meigs, 1887**
Location: 401 F Street NW

DC Court of Appeals - George Hadfield 820–1881, George Hadfield. 1919, Elliott Woods. 1934–1939, Nathan C. Wyeth
Location: 430 E St NW, Washington, DC 20001

Senate Office Building – Carrere & Hastings
Location: Northeast of Capitol, bounded by Constitution Ave., First St., Delaware Ave., C St., N.E.

Union Station – Daniel Burnham, 1903-08
Location: Columbus Circle at Massachusetts Ave. and 1st St. NE

Washington City Post Office Post Office – Graham, Burnham and Company, 1915
Location: 2 Massachusetts Ave. NE

7-9PM **Closing; Group Dinner**
Location: Menomale, 2711 12th St NE, Washington, DC 20018